



Ontario Wheelchair Sports Association

JUNIOR TEAM ONTARIO 2016
SELECTION CRITERIA - JR EASTERN REGIONALS - 2016
MAY 13-15, 2016 - PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND

PRIMARY SELECTION CRITERIA:

- The desire to represent Ontario at Junior Regionals in 2016
- All players must be members in good standing with the OWSA
- All players must be born in or after 1995 in order to be eligible for Junior Regionals
- **All players must be able to travel independently**
- Team line-ups
 1. Ability to fit in line-ups totalling 9 pts. in 3-on-3 format
 2. Substitutes for particular players in these line-ups
 3. Team chemistry - contribution to team cohesiveness
 - interpersonal relationships with teammates
 4. Evaluations at camps, including fitness
 5. Technical and tactical skills
 6. Knowledge of the game
 7. Specialized roles in particular line-ups
 8. Speed with and without the ball
 9. MUST ATTEND at least **ONE** of the selection camps and **2** training camps once selected to the team.

Selection camps: Sunday March 20, 2016 from 4:30-8:30 pm

Sunday April 3, 2016 from 11:00am-6:00pm

Location: Haber Recreation Centre, 3040 Tim Dobie Drive, Burlington

Training camps: Sunday April 17, 2016 from 10:00 am-5:00pm

Sunday May 8, 2016 from 10:00 am - 5:00 pm

Location: Harold Brathwaite Secondary School, 415 Great Lakes Drive, Brampton

OTHER CONSIDERATION:

- Physical strength
- Mental skills
- Individual skills such as dribbling/passing/pushing

***Please note that player selections are also based on the best 9 point line-ups. Due to the classification system, and the "class" assigned to the individual players (0.5,1,1.5,2,2.5,3,3.5,4,4.5) there is also a competition within these individual classes.

SUBSTITUTE PLAYERS

- Will be selected based on the best athletes available
- Also based on ability to fit into line-ups
- Should the unavailability of a designated class arise due to injury or other circumstances, a player may be selected, at the discretion of the coaches, outside of these substitute players if deemed necessary.

APPEAL POLICY

Should a player want to appeal the final team selection, **A WRITTEN LETTER MUST BE SUBMITTED TO THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF THE OWSA** within 7 days of the final team selection. A committee assigned by the OWSA will review the appeal and render a final decision based on their findings within 5 days of receipt of submission.

This letter can be sent to Laura Wilson at laura@owsa.ca

PLAYER EXPECTATIONS

- All athletes will have to submit bi-monthly training reports as requested by coaching staff.
- Once named to the team, players are all eligible for random drug testing. For more info you can contact the following website <http://www.cces.ca/>

**** Total cost per athlete of being a member of Junior Team Ontario 2016 is estimated to be between \$450-\$550****

If there is sufficient interest, Ontario will send two teams to compete at Junior East Regionals.

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