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BCSSA ODC Newsletter October 2016

Introduction

Welcome to a new season of skating and officiating. This year the 4-member Officials Development Committee consists of Candace Clouthier (Vice-chair), Bill Kempers, George Moore, and Wim Kok (Chair). Stuart Gibbs stepped down this year after many years. Thank you very much. Big shoes to fill! George Moore was appointed to replace him. Stuart continues as member of SSC ODC. Also a word of appreciation for Lorna, who is the rock at BCSSA office. We are grateful to be able to draw on her knowledge and expertise. If you need to contact BCSSA-ODC, our e-mail is:

officials.development.committee@gmail.com

Important: Please Register for Level 2 Referee's Clinic Abbotsford, BC.

BCSSA ODC is hosting a **Level 2 Referees Clinic in Abbotsford Oct 28-30, 2016**. Although already announced a few weeks ago, we are asking participants to register by contacting BCSSA-ODC or ewkok1972@gmail.ca. The conductors would like to know by **8 pm Wednesday October 26**, so they can plan for materials and supplies. ODC is also considering travel assistance for out of region participants.

2016-17 Assignments for Starters, Recorders and Referees

Recently we have sent out the list of assignment for starters, recorders and referees. This was based on submitted requests, availability, identified needs for upgrading and other factors. If there are errors or concerns about this, please contact ODC

2016-17 Clinic Requests

Officials development is a job that is **never** done. We ask everyone to seriously consider officiating. At competitions you will have the best seat in

town, seeing every race close up. Exciting and very rewarding!

To date we have received and approved a number of requests to host **Level 1 Intro Clinics**. We appreciate the initiative shown at the club level.

We like to call on clubs to identify needs for **Level 2 Clinics** as well as **individuals** who are looking for Level 2 clinics in specific roles. This will help us plan in term of dates, locations, conductors and the allocation of financial resources.

We do have a request for a **Level 2 Starter Clinic**.

List of New Officials and Upgrades in 2016

The list below shows that we had an impressive number of new officials accredited and upgraded this past season. Well done and congrats on your achievement. Thank you for your commitment and involvement in the sport and officiating.

Level 1 Certification

At the end of the 2015-16 season BCSSA ODC certified the following individuals as **Level 1**.

Clerk of the Course

Coubrough, Ally	McRae, Cheryl	MacGregor, Leona
van Spronsen, Raistlin		

Finish Line Judge

Belway, Crystal	Brown, Joshua	Cote, Kelli
Coubrough, Ally	Fairbairn, Joel	Keating, Robyn
Maxwell, Sheila	MacGregor, Leona	Peters, Tina
Stainer, Joel	Wales-Green, Cina	Watkins, Cilla
Watkins, Rod		

Lap Counter

Belway, Crystal	Coubrough, Ally	Guliov, Darren
Hoffman, Rick	Hughes, Tracy	Keating, Robyn
Keeler, Mike	van der Meer, Bailey	Nash, Shauntel
Seal, Alex	Watkins, Cilla	Watkins, Rod

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Meet Coordinator

Drew, Cherilyn
Keeler, Susie

Gibson, Jennifer
Lewis, Kathy

Guliov, Darren

Recorder

Rae, Kari-Lee

Referee

Hofmann, Rick

MacIntosh, Andrea

Phillips, Ian

Starter

Brigden, Tymen
Hofmann, Rick
Rasmussen, Trevor

Gelling, Charles
Keating, Spencer

Guliov, Darren
McDowell, Claudette

Timer

Belway, Crystal
Brown, Joshua
Garrison, Dave
Kalkman, Diana
Keating, Robyn
North, Katharine
Peters, Tina

Bennie, Corrie
Cote, Kelli
Grieves, Kim
Keeler, Susie
McRae, Dwaine
Stainer, Joel
Watkins, Cilla

Birkenhead, Shawn
Coubrough, Ally
Guliov, Darren
Matthews, Richard
Nash, Shauntel
Turner, Tricia
Watkins, Rod

Track Steward

Brunn, Ian

Hunt, Brendan

Johnson, Colton

Upgrade to Level 2 (BCSSA)

Meet Coordinator

Seeley, Jessica

Timer

Lewis, Kathy

Recorder

Sewell, Debra

Upgrade to Level 3 (SSC)

Starter 3B

Mackay, Carolyn

Recorder 3

Vogl, Barb



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Hopefully, we did not miss anyone here. Let us know if we did.

The complete list of all accredited officials in BC can be found on

All BC Officials: <http://www.speed-skating.bc.ca/certified-bcssa-officials/>

National list:

http://www.speedskating.ca/sites/speedskating.ca/files/officials_2016_2017_august_30.pdf

Canadian Officials on the ISU–International list:

http://www.speedskating.ca/sites/speedskating.ca/files/2016-2017_canadian_isu-int_officials_0.pdf

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