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**CANADIAN BLIND SPORTS ASSOCIATION
2020 CANADIAN SENIOR GOALBALL
CHAMPIONSHIPS**

**Calgary, Alberta
May 1-3, 2020**

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TOURNAMENT PACKAGE

HOSTED BY ASRAB

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COMPETITION DATES/SCHEDULE (TBC)

Friday May 1 6:00 pm – 9:00 pm
Saturday May 2 9:00 am – 8:00 pm
Sunday May 3 9:00 am – 4:00 pm

Medal Ceremonies will be 30 Min following finals.
We expect to be finished by 4:00 pm on Sunday May 3.

Coaches Meeting Friday May 1 at 5:00 pm TBC at the venue.

INFORMATION FOR TEAMS

1. Arrival and Departure

Please plan on being in Calgary by 3:00 PM on Friday May 1st
Please plan on departing Calgary after 5:00 PM on Sunday May 3rd
Teams are responsible for Airport Transfers (Airport-Hotel &
Tournament Venue-Airport)
Taxi is \$60.00 – \$70.00 from the airport to the hotel

2. Ground Transportation

A shuttle will be provided for teams and officials to-from the Hotel-Venue each day of the competition.
Please confirm with the organizer if you intend on using the transportation provided or if you prefer to rent your own vehicle at your cost.
Transportation schedule to be confirmed in Coaches Package.

3. Accommodation

Teams are responsible to book and pay for their own accommodations. A credit card is required to confirm reservations. It is the responsibility of each team to book and pay for the rooms. The block booking will be held until **APRIL 9 2020**. Please note that names must be provided to book rooms.

Located in the heart of downtown Calgary, Sandman Hotel Calgary City Centre features spacious and redesigned guest rooms (which include a fridge, microwave, in-room safe, walk-in rain shower), Moxie's Grill & Bar, gym and swimming pool, business center, upgraded fast and free Wi-Fi in each guest room and throughout the hotel.

The hotel is situated directly on the Light Rail Transit (LRT) line — Calgary's high-speed public transit system that connects the entire city.

To reserve a room at the preferred group rate of **\$94 + Tax** (or if you require further assistance) please contact the hotel's reservations team directly at 1-800-SANDMAN or 403-237-8626 and refer to group confirmation number/name: 936347 Canadian Goalball Championships.

To book this rate, please be sure to reserve your room prior to the group cut-off date, **Thursday April 9, 2019**.

4. Meals

The following meals will be provided at the venue by the Tournament Organizer:

Dinner on Friday and Saturday evening.

Lunch on Saturday and Sunday afternoon.

Teams are responsible for breakfasts.

5. Drinks and Snacks

Teams are responsible for their own drinks and snacks.

6. Dog Guides

There is green space for dog guides both at the hotel and at the competition venue. Owners are responsible to clean up after their dogs.

7. Smoking

Smoking is not permitted on school property. Smokers are expected to pick up their cigarette butts and not litter the sidewalks.

8. Medical and Liability Insurance

All team members are responsible to ensure that they have liability insurance through their provincial sport organization. They are also responsible to carry provincial medical insurance.

9. Membership

All team members, referees and officials must be members in good standing of their provincial sport organization. All provincial sport organizations with teams entered in these National Championships must be in members in good standing of the Canadian Blind Sports Association.

TECHNICAL INFORMATION

10. Venue

Calgary French and International School

700 – 77 Street SW

2 Gyms with Hardwood Floors

There are bleachers in one gym and benches in the other.

11. Referees

The CBSA Goalball Commission has appointed Launel Scott as Tournament Head Referee (THR). The THR will be responsible for referee assignments during the tournament.

The following Officials will attend the 2020 National Goalball Championships.

Janice Dawson

Claude Dagenais

Jennifer MacMillan

Traci Macphee

Frédéric Patenaude

Jeff Sawler

Mélanie St-Pierre

Maryse Tadros

Peter Wettlaufer

12. Rules of Play

Games will be played under the IBSA Goalball Rules 2018-2021 found on the website of the International Blind Sports Association.

13. Goalball

The goalball used for this competition will be the KSG (German) ball.

14. Eye Patches

Eye Patches will be provided by CBSA. Eye Patches will be used in every game scheduled. Provincial Teams who may have athletes who have allergy concerns related to patching should contact the CBSA office with medical documentation of this prior to the tournament. This information will be passed to the Head Referee who will work to ensure an appropriate solution is in place.

15. Eye Shades

The Referees must approve eyeshades prior to the start of all games.

16. First Aid

Basic first aid (in both official languages) will be available at the venue during the competition.

17. Sight Classification

CBSA is responsible for notification for sight classification. For athletes with New or Review Status, Sight Classification is tentatively scheduled for Friday, May 1 (pending numbers/need). Medical Documentation Forms (MDF's) should be completed and submitted to CBSA prior to the tournament. Please contact Canadian Blind Sports if you have any questions.

18. CCES Anti-Doping Education

For Goalball Athletes in the National Athlete Pool (NAP). Under the Canadian Anti-Doping Program (CADP), athletes in the NAP are required to complete anti-doping education annually.

Users can login or sign-up at <https://education.cces.ca/#/login>.
Questions? Email education@cces.ca.

For Goalball Athletes not in the National Athlete Pool (NAP)

Athletes who are not in the NAP are not required to complete anti-doping education. However, the CBSA does recommended that you take the untracked training available at:

<https://cces.ca/truesportclean101untracked>

For more information about anti-doping, sample collection procedures and prohibited substances, visit cces.ca.

REGISTRATION INFORMATION

19. Entry Fees

Entry fees are **\$275** per person and are payable to the Alberta Sport and Recreation Association for the Blind. Team entry forms should be submitted to both ASRAB and copied to the CBSA.

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20. Entry Deadline – INTENT TO PARTICIPATE – March 18, 2020

Provincial Associations are asked to indicate (to ASRAB and CBSA) an INTENT to participate at the 2020 Canadian Goalball Championships by March 18th – Please include the number of players (M/F) and coaches per team and if you have any other staff attending. This information will greatly assist us with planning and scheduling.

21. Entry Deadline – FINAL – April 9th, 2020

This is the final submission of entry forms with complete names and jersey numbers, and entry fees.

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