



Alberta Racquetball Association

TEAM ALBERTA SELECTION CRITERIA

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Selection Criteria

- Athletes can earn team points throughout the year by participating in ARA and Racquetball Canada sanctioned events. Note: Athletes must compete in the open category at the Alberta Provincial Championships to be eligible for Team Alberta unless an extraordinary circumstance has been approved by the ARA board.
- An ARA Sanctioned event must have a minimum of 5 participants in the open category.
- Athletes must compete in the open category.
- Points will be awarded for 1st through 8th and ranked in accordance with Alberta athletes only, regardless of out of province athletes placing ahead of them.
- Points are earned starting with the National Championships of the current year and ends with the provincial championships of the following season.
- When two athletes tie for a position, they will receive the accumulated points of both positions divided by two.
- The priority of the ARA is to select the top four male and top four female athletes after the completion of the Provincial Championships however this may be subject to change in the event there are less athletes or insufficient rankings.

Event Type	1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th	5 th	6 th	7 th	8 th
ARA Sanctioned Events	4 Points	3 Points	2 Points	1 Points	0.5 Points	0 Points	0 Points	0 Points
Canadian Events	6 Points	5 Points	4 Points	3 Points	2 Points	1 Points	0.5 Points	0 Points
Provincial Championships	8 Points	7 Points	6 Points	5 Points	4 Points	3 Points	2 Points	1 Points

Team Alberta Funding Coverage is as Follows:

- Canadian National Championships: Up to 100% coverage of total applicable expenses incurred.
- Canadian Western Championships: Up to 90% coverage of total applicable expenses incurred.
- Canadian Selection Events: Up to 80% coverage of total applicable expenses incurred.
- International Events (Upon Approval): Up to 50% coverage of total applicable expenses not otherwise covered by Racquetball Canada or other Athlete sponsorships.
- The Board of Directors reserves the right to reduce funding based on annual budget ability.

Cancellations

The Board reserves the right to cancel an athlete's funding or request that funding is returned to the Association at any time should the athlete:

- Have made any false statements on their application.
- Not abide by the conditions of the funding.
- Not meet the competition requirements; or
- Breach the code of conduct agreement.