

Annual Report 2017





REPORT IT... TO PREVENT IT

Injury Tracker

In January 2018, Ringette Alberta implemented the Injury Reporting Tracker.

Injuries remove athletes from their training program or competition schedule and may contribute to an early exit from sport. In order to prevent and manage injury in sport activities, we need to better understand where, to whom, why and how injuries occur. The purpose of this site is to gather information to help answer questions about injury in various sport and recreation activities in Alberta.

In addition to the tracker, a new resource page has been added to the website. Included are links to help our athletes stay injury free, as well as some information on what to do if an injury occurs.

To date, only 2 injuries have been reported via the tracker, and both were player injuries from the St Albert area. We will continue to track injuries and we ask that local associations help to promote this tool to their players, coaches, parents and officials.

RAB on the Road

Ringette Alberta Executive Director, David Myers, hosted seven RAB Road Shows throughout the province. The entire Ringette Alberta Community was invited to come and chat about the state of ringette in Alberta, as well as the following topics:

- * Leading the country in growth; why it matters and how we'll do it.
- * Obtaining enough ice
- * Understanding the limitations of our (almost) one-size fits all approach to ringette and how we'll fix it
- * Expanding participation options to attract and retain players
- * Why Open is the fastest growing division in ringette and what it tells us
- * Ability-based groups to replace formal age categories prior to U12
- * Transitioning to cross ice ringette when and who?
- * Using data to improve our competitions
- * A data driven approach to supporting our coaches
- * The critical link between officials' development and athlete recruitment & retention
- * The road-map to easier association management

Events were held in Lethbridge, Medicine Hat, Calgary (2 events), and Edmonton. The Red Deer and second Edmonton events were cancelled due to low registrations. We want to thank the 90 participants who took the time to attend.

Communication



Did you Know?

Ringette Alberta's most popular Tweet in the last year was:

June 5, 2017: "Exciting NRL action this weekend between the @EdmWAMRingette & @NRLRush For full details, log on to nationalringetteleague.ca"

This Tweet had 2,843 interactions!!



Of all of the social media accounts maintained by the PSOs, Alberta leads in followers. Below is a comparison chart of each province and their number of followers for the three major social media channels.

Throughout the season, not only were announcements and local association

information shared, but also several photo collections such as Best Friends Day,

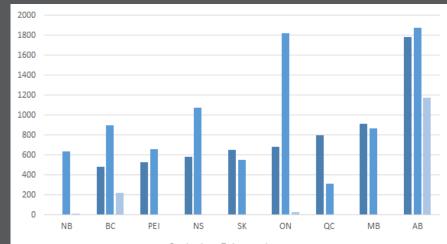
Holiday Gatherings, Mothers/Fathers Day and Tournaments were run and were

Ringette Alberta utilizes various social media channels to communicate with our

membership. In addition to our website, the most commonly used are

Facebook, Instagram and Twitter.

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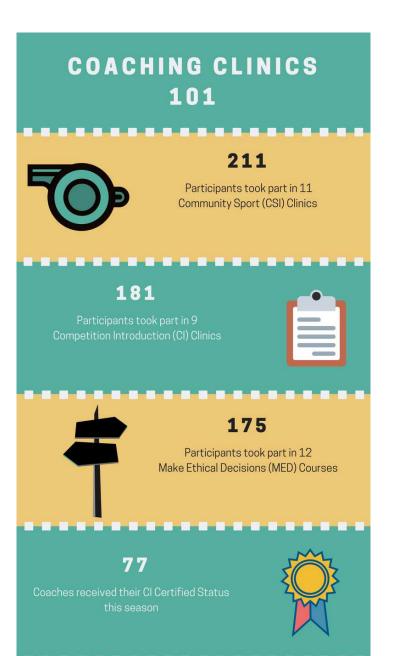




The CAC launched the Coach Initiation in Sport module that replaced the classroom "Introduction to Ringette" course. This module is for ALL new coaches and was also adopted to our Junior Coach and On-Ice Assistant Program. This course is available online and can be done at the coaches leisure and it is easy to track through the Locker profiles.

The Make Ethical Decisions module continues to be generic across the sporting bodies and run in partnership of Ringette Alberta and the Alberta Sport Connection. Coaches now only have to complete one stream of the Make Ethical Decisions Online Evaluation for all levels of coaching.

The big changes coming into the 2018-19 Ringette Season for coaching, is the Grandfather program has run its course over the last five seasons. All coaches at the U14-U19B levels will be required to be Competition Introduction – Trained for the season. The maintenance for NCCP certification also begins this season. Coaches need a minimum of 10 PD points at the Community Sport level and 20 PD points at the Competition Introduction level to maintain their certification.



Alberta Winter Games

The 2018 Alberta Winter Games were held in Wood Buffalo, February 16-18, 2018. Ringette had over 300 athletes from across the province registered to tryout for one our 8 teams. A big thank you goes out to the Fort McMurray Ringette Association, and especially Nicole Dietz as Sport Chair, for their hours of hard work and organization leading up to and throughout the event. They did a fantastic job working with the Alberta Sport Connection to create a wonderful tournament experience for all.

Results:

Gold – Zone 6 Silver – Zone 5 Bronze – Zone 2 4th – Zone 3 5th – Zone 5B

6th – Zone 4

7th – Zone 1

8th – Zone 7









The 2018 WCRC's were held in Saskatoon/Warman, Saskatchewan. Alberta was represented by eight teams at the event at four divisions. In the U14AA division, Calgary White represented Team Alberta, as well as St. Albert Mission, Calgary Blue, Zone 2 Blaze and Spruce Grove. At the U16, U19 and Open A divisions, Team Alberta was represented by the U16A Bowview Royals, the U19A Rockyview, and the Open A Impact. Alberta swept the U14AA division, with the five teams finishing in the top 5 positions, and won Silver at the U16A and Open A levels.

St. Albert has been awarded the 2019 Western Canadian Championships when it returns back to Alberta soil.

Canadian Ringette Championships

The 2018 Canadian Ringette Championships were held in Winnipeg, Manitoba. Alberta sent seven teams at U16AA, four at U19AA and our two NRL teams. Alberta received two silver medals. A big congratulations to our U16AA Calgary Surge and NRL Edmonton WAM for hard fought battles in the final, that took place at the Bell MTS center, home of the Winnipeg Jets.





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Senior Team

Jamie Bell – Lacombe, AB Edmonton WAM! NRL Team

Dailyn Bell – Lacombe, AB Edmonton WAM! NRL Team

Shaundra Bruvall – Calgary, AB Calgary RATH NRL Team

Lindsay Brown – Lacombe, AB Edmonton WAM! NRL Team – 1st year on Team Canada

Breanna Beck – Red Deer, AB Edmonton WAM! NRL Team – 1st year on Team Canada

Team Staff: Barb Bautista – Head Coach Alexis Snowdon & Carly Ross – Player Development Consultants Keely Brown – Goalie Development Consultants

World Ringette Championships

The World Ringette Championships were hosted in Mississauga, Ontario in November 2017. Alberta was represented by several athletes and team staff on both the Senior and Junior Team Canada.



Junior Team

Madison Bonsel – Rockyview, AB Calgary RATH NRL Team

Gillian Dreger – Lacombe, AB Edmonton WAM! NRL Team

Jennica Murray – Calgary, AB Calgary RATH NRL Team

Torrie Shennan – Edmonton, AB Edmonton Elite U19AA

> Rachel Ung – Calgary, AB Calgary RATH NRL Team

Team Staff: Lorrie Horne – Sherwood Park, AB Chris Belan – Calgary, AB Jacinda Rolph – Spruce Grove, AB Melinda Watson – Red Deer, AB









IN 2017/18, RAB HAD 426 OFFICIALS REFRESHED AND REGISTERED, WHICH IS THE FIRST TIME IN RECENT HISTORY WHERE WE HAVE GONE UP MORE THAN SINGLE DIGITS ON RULE CHANGE YEARS. *****

2017/18 Competitions



☆1 Supervisor ⇔5 Officials + 1 Extra for SK



⇔1 Supervisor ⇔5 Officials



☆2 Supervisors 2 Officials



☆ 12 Supervisors ran tournaments

- ☆ 5 Repeated supervising
- 3 Supervisors were new to running events
- ⇔ 4 Declined

☆75 Officials Participated

- ☆ 76 Were Needed
- ☆ 73 Declined Assignments
- ☆During Playdowns: 118 Officials helped with 289 games, 578 assignments, averaging 5 games each

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Did you Know?

In Alberta, 89% of officials are female?

2017/18 Evaluations

Received 223 Level 1 through 4 evals so far for this season (more expected to come in before my May 1 deadline)

Evaluators

12 Intro Evaluators maintained their status12 Regional Evaluators maintained their status6 Provincial Evaluators maintained their status

AB now has 17 Level 4 and 5 officials

3 officials achieved their 4C 2 officials achieved their 4B

Only 4 officials were eligible to attend CRCs, even though there are more ranked at a 4B Injuries and commitment eliminated 4 and 2 were ranked after the deadline

POD Program

3 officials took part & 2 will graduate this season

Upcoming

Clinics Level 2/3 clinics will run across the province Intro Evaluators clinic will run in the south Level 1 clinics will continue

POD Program 2 new officials will take part









President's Message

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Staff

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David Myers - Executive Director Carolyn Reich - Administration & Finance Coordinator Caleigh Shaw- Coaching Development Coordinator Lauren Koster - Officials Development Coordinator Sharon Giles - Sport Development Coordinator

Board of Directors

Ann MacTaggart - President- Sherwood Park Karen Salmon - Vice President - Calgary Sandra Fenton - Treasurer - St. Albert Harry Benders - Director at Large - Sherwood Park Kelly Warner - Director at Large - Lacombe Jackie Shimko - Director at Large - Beaumont Coleen Dawson-Kuncio - Director at Large - Edmonton Director at Large Vacant Director at Large Vacant







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Registration by Association

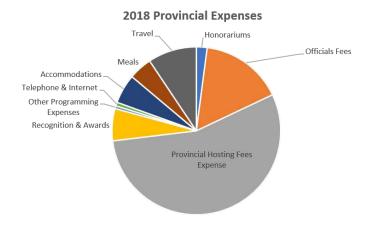
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_	Cochrane Ringette	83	50	83	103	51	103	101	15	101	123	10	123	142	10	16	144	1/	144	165	21	165	165	19	165	171	10	171	-5
	Drayton Valley Ringette	54		83 54	80	-	80	82	-	82	64		64	87	0	87	73		73	73	-	73	60		60	51		51	-9
	Edmonton Ringette (EFCLRA)	312	161	473	339	160	499	306	125	431	291	167	458	368	163	531	308	145	453	289	187	476	468		468	325	103	428	-40
	Edmonton Ringette (EPCERA)	47	18	65	45	18	63	48	125	67	48	21	69	50	105	64	49	20	69	50	15	65	408	41	87	45	41	86	-40
	Fort McMurray Ladies Ringette		24	24	-5	10		-0			-0			50			-15	20	09	50	10	0	40	44	0	45	44	0	-1
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	Fort Saskatchewan Ringette	77		77	100		100	110		110	111	14	125	90	0	90	76		76	73		73	93		93	92		92	-1
	Hinton Ringette Association	49	8	57	44		44	46		46	66	16	82	82	0	82	81	-	81	82	2	82	83	12	95	71		71	-24
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	ndus Ringette Association	41		41	60		60	88		88	67		67	72		72	96		96	107		107	112		112	121		121	9
-	Lacombe Ringette	131	35	166	110	30	140	127	34	161	126	35	161	144	23	167	125	41	166	117	33	150	127		127	115	22	137	10
_	Leduc (Jaguars) Ringette	101	17	118	94		94	85	14	99	90	12	102	79	8	87	96	11	107	103	14	117	149		149	127	9	136	-13
	Lethbridge Ringette	97	44	141	79	47	126	78	35	113	75	52	127	78	23	101	77	39	116	85	41	126	111	38	149	125	22	147	-2
1	Medicine Hat Ringette	139	26	165	159	26	185	179	14	193	194	48	242	199	39	238	178	43	221	157	19	176	188	0	188	141	28	169	-19
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3	Northern AB Women's Ringette		211	211		210	210		197	197	()	188	188	0	179	179		179	179		189	189		213	213		242	242	29
3	Northwest Ringette	412		412	423		423	430		430	428	i	428	430		430	432		432	435		435	404		404	424		424	20
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8	Ridgevalley Ringette	10	10	20		13	13												0			0			0			0	0
3	Ringette Calgary AA	96	18	114	73	16	89	72	16	88	73	15	88	73	15	88	81	15	96	102	17	119	91	16	107	118	15	133	26
3	Riviere Qui Barre Ringette Association		13	13		13	13		13	13		14	14	0	14	14		15	15		16	16		14	14		17	17	3
2	Rockyford Ringette Association	68		68	60	31	91	47	31	78	36	32	68	44	29	73	39	33	72	36	33	69	30	32	62	38	33	71	9
	Sherwood Park Ringette	302	14	316	317	12	329	302	33	335	312	33	345	326	47	373	294	62	356	305	33	338	297	43	340	315	47	362	22
	South Calgary Ringette	186		186	216		216	191		191	277		277	314		314	345		345	355		355	378		378	374		374	-4
3	Spruce Grove Ringette Association	133	11	144	150	16	166	166	15	181	195	15	210	217	15	232	241	20	261	255	25	280	272	24	296	304	23	327	31
5	St. Albert Ringette	350	34	384	373	35	408	391	22	413	405	18	423	354	42	396	346	49	395	334	58	392	415		415	320	76	396	-19
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	Strathmore Minor Ringette Association	135		135	148		148	142		142	162		162	178	14	192	191	15	206	167	20	167	156	40	156	161		161	5
	University Ringette Club	22	36	36		36	36	19191	34	34		39	39	0	39	39		36	36		38	38		42	42		41	41	-1
	Whitecourt Ringette	21		21	21		21	24		24		-		_				<u> </u>	0			0			0			0	0
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	Zone 2 Big Country Ringette		2.50	2.00		1.15	2.15		A-7-7			A-7-7		-	2.47			2.0	2.10	31		31	42		42	27	200	27	-15
	Zone 5 AA Ringette Club	75		75	53		53	50		50	34		34	51	0	51	49	15	64	51	16	67	68		68	53	17	70	2
-	PLAYERS		1203	5313	4294	1215	5509	4344	1167	5511		1348	5758	4652	1325	-	4575	1402	5977	4687	1448	6135	5126	1199	6325	4966	1556	-	197

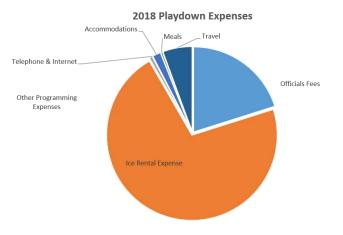




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Provincial & Playdown Expenses

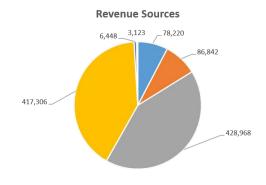




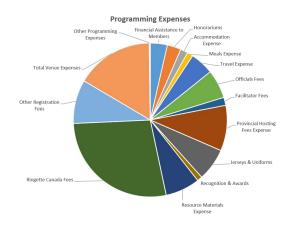


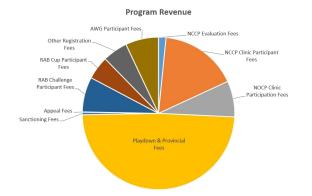


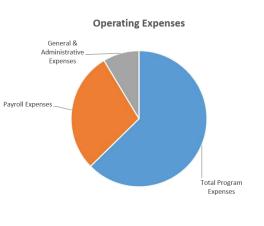
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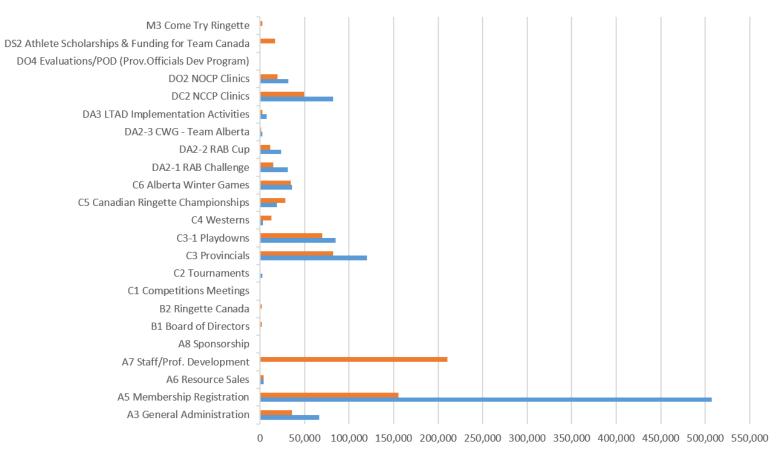








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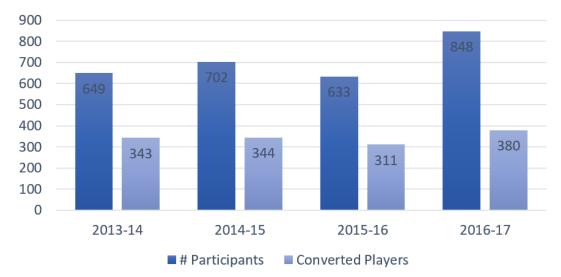






This year Alberta hit an all-time high in the number of Come Try Ringette events hosted. 39 Come Try Ringette events were hosted by 23 different associations! That's up from 34 last season! We also worked with Girl Guide Troops in the South Calgary and Sherwood Park areas to host CTR events for their members.

This season we implemented the CTR Scorecard to aid associations with planning events, as well as seeing where they can improve for future events. Of the 10 scorecards submitted in 2016-17, the average score was 31.3 out of a possible 60 with 78% of scores ranking at or above meeting minimum standard. The areas that lacked the most attention were hosting a post-event parent session, planning the event early enough, and follow-up with guests.



Come Try Ringette Yearly Comparison





Player Profile Kaelin Martel Spruce Grove U12C

My daughter's first introduction to ringette was through a Come Try It even hosted by Spruce Grove Ringette Association. Kaelin was 9 years old at the time.

After that first skate the smile could not be erased from her face for the rest of the day. She had found a new love! After that one skate I registered her for her first season of ringette and she was put on a U12C team. She couldn't skate half as well as the rest of the team, but she was enthusiastic and gave 100% every time she stepped onto the ice.

By Christmas she was able to keep up with her teammates and shortly after that she scored her first goal. We are now coming to the end of her second season as a U12C player and she is unrecognizable today compared to where she began less than 2 years ago. Her love for the game continues to grow and I cannot wait to see what happens in the coming years.

Moving Forward

As we move into the next recruitment cycle, we will continue to work with associations to host successful Come Try Ringette events. Our continuous goal is to increase our current conversion rate of 45% to meet the Ringette Canada benchmark of 60%.

Additionally, to meet the growing demand of the Recruitment Team, we will continue to hire and train new team members as needed.

Julia Martel