



## **2010 YOG Qualifier Selection**

**YOG Qualifier: March 12-13, 2010, Mexico**

**Olympic Games: August 14-26, 2010, Singapore**

### **YOG Qualifier Trials Event**

Canadian Senior Winter Nationals  
Etobicoke Olympium Pool  
January 28 – 31, 2010

### **Team Size for the YOG Qualifier**

Athletes: maximum 4, only one diver may be entered per event at the YOG Qualifier  
Coaches: 1  
Manager: 1

### **Youth Olympic Games Events and Dive Requirements**

#### **Girls' Springboard – 3 metre**

This competition shall comprise nine (9) different dives; five (5) dives each selected from a different group, the total degree of difficulty shall not exceed 9.5, and four (4) dives without limit of degree of difficulty, each dive selected from a different group.

#### **Girls' Platform – 10 metre**

This competition shall comprise eight (8) different dives, all performed from the 10m platform; four (4) dives each selected from a different group, the total degree of difficulty shall not exceed 7.6, and four (4) dives without limit of degree of difficulty, each dive selected from a different group. At least five (5) different groups must be used.

#### **Boys' Springboard – 3 metre**

This competition shall comprise ten (10) different dives; five (5) dives each selected from a different group, the total degree of difficulty shall not exceed 9.5, and five (5) dives without limit of degree of difficulty, each dive selected from a different group.

#### **Boys' Platform – 10 metre**

This competition shall comprise nine (9) different dives, all performed from the 10m platform; four (4) dives each selected from a different group, the total degree of difficulty shall not exceed 7.6, and five (5) dives without limit of degree of difficulty, each dive selected from a different group. All six (6) groups must be used.

### **Eligibility**

- Only divers born in 1993 and 1994 (first and second year A in 2010) are eligible.
- Divers must compete in both the senior 3m and platform events at the Winter Senior Nationals and be qualified to do so as per the 2010 Winter Senior Nationals qualification list.



## **Trials Format for the YOG Qualifier**

- The YOG optional list will be taken from the preliminary session of the Winter Senior National event: the last optional will be excluded and not calculated as part of the YOG optional list.
- The YOG compulsories list will be competed on the Saturday and Sunday after the last semi-finals, and the compulsory score will be added to the YOG optional list.
- The Winter Senior National event is a separate event from the YOG Trials event. Therefore, it is possible to repeat a YOG Trials compulsory dive as the last optional in the Winter Senior National event. The last optional in the Winter Senior National event is not part of the YOG Trials event. It is also possible to use a 5m dive as the last optional in the Winter Senior National event as per the DPC 2009-2010 rule book , utilizing one of the following dives: 205, 305, 405 or 624.

## **Diver Selection – YOG Qualifier (Mexico)**

At the YOG Qualifier in Mexico, each country is allowed to send a maximum of four (4) divers and enter (1) diver per event.

- The first place diver in each of the YOG Trials events will be selected to attend the Youth Olympic Games Qualifier.
- If a diver wins both the 3m and the 10m YOG Trials events, this diver will be selected to compete in both events at the YOG qualifier in Mexico.
- If a diver is selected to compete at the YOG qualifier but is unable to attend, the second place diver in the YOG trials event will be selected to compete in the YOG qualifier.
- Divers must accept their selection within 7 days after the trials.
- If a diver accepts their selection to attend the YOG qualifier in Mexico, they must also commit (if selected to the YOG team in Singapore) to attending the entire YOG in Singapore (August 14-26) and compete in the designated events where Canada secured a spot (August 20-24).

## **Coach Selection (funded) – YOG Qualifier (Mexico)**

- 1 coach will be selected to attend the Youth Olympic Games Qualifier in Mexico and will be based on the highest number of divers on the team.
- In the case of a tie, the coach of the diver with the highest percentage of the A-group international standards (used in the 2011 Junior carding cycle selection criteria) will be selected. The A-group international standards are as follows:

Girls 3m	466.83
Girls Platform	446.60
Boys 3m	543.26
Boys Platform	556.93



### **Diver Selection – Youth Olympic Games (Singapore)**

Canadian divers who place in the top nine (9) at the YOG Qualifier in Mexico will secure a Canadian spot in that event at the Youth Olympic Games in Singapore. However, at the YOG in Singapore, each country is only allowed to send a maximum of one (1) male and one (1) female diver to compete in the events where Canada secured a spot.

- If two Canadian divers of the same gender place in the top nine (9) at the YOG Qualifier in Mexico, the selection of who will represent Canada in Singapore (on both boards) will be determined by the diver who places the highest in the final standings.
- In the case of a tie where both divers have the same final placing, the diver who has the highest percentage of the A-Group International Standard (above) will be selected.

### **Coach Selection (funded) – Youth Olympic Games (Singapore)**

- 1 coach will be selected to attend the Youth Olympic Games in Singapore based on the highest number of divers on the team.
- In the case of a tie, the coach of the diver who placed the highest in the qualifying events will be selected.
- If there is still a tie, the coach of the diver who has the highest percentage of the A-Group international standards (above) will be selected.

### **Travel and Accommodation**

- Travel will be booked through the National Office with consideration given to travel time, connections, departure times on return and pricing. All efforts will be made for the most reasonable travel itinerary but cost must be considered. Attempts will be made to seat the team members together when booked on the same flights.
- Air Canada or Star Alliance will be the preferred airlines used but this will not be guaranteed. Itineraries and cost will take precedence.

### **SPECIAL CIRCUMSTANCES – Inability to train or compete**

Should anything occur following the trials that may inhibit a selected diver's performance or ability to compete (injury, illness or other circumstance) before departure to the international competition to which he/she has been selected, it is the **responsibility of the diver and their coach** to immediately inform the High Performance Director.

The report will be reviewed by the HPD in consultation with the diver's coach. An athlete may be removed from the team and replaced by an alternate diver if it is deemed he/she cannot train, compete and perform to the best of his/her ability due to the unforeseen circumstances.



Failure to report an injury or other circumstance which inhibits the diver's performance or ability to compete, pending a review by the High Performance Director and the Chief Technical Officer, the diver may be required to reimburse CADA for any expenses incurred.

**PLEASE NOTE**

*The High Performance Director has the final jurisdiction over the selection of the Team. Where there is a lack of clarity or unanticipated circumstances arise that are not covered in the selection criteria, a final and binding decision will be made by the High Performance Director.*