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## High-Performance Pathways 2022

### Introduction

The purpose of this document is to provide athletes, parents & guardians, and associations with a comprehensive summary of the Baseball BC high-performance program for the 2022 season. This includes explaining the high-performance pathways for each age division, event dates, selection processes, and camp locations.

Questions should be directed to Baseball BC's High-Performance Coordinator, Kyle Williams at [kyle@baseball.bc.ca](mailto:kyle@baseball.bc.ca).

### Covid-19 Vaccine Requirements

Covid-19 vaccination is not required at this time for participation in Baseball BC camps. However, proof of vaccination may be required by event organizations or other regulatory bodies when attending events within the high-performance program. Vaccine passports could also be required to attend the BC Summer Games, for cross-border travel to the USA on provincial teams, or to board team flights when attending Western or National Championships. This information will be communicated to athletes prior to events. For current regulations, please see the appropriate government/PHO website.

~~APRIL 12 UPDATE. The first page of our HP pathways document contained information regarding Covid-19 vaccine requirements. We can provide an update that the BC Summer Games Society has confirmed that all volunteers and participants must be fully vaccinated in order to attend the Summer Games. Please see their April 8th update and FAQs at this link: [Vaccination Policy \(bcgames.org\)](https://bcgames.org/Vaccination-Policy).~~

APRIL 29 UPDATE. The BC Summer Games Society has rescinded their vaccine mandate. However, Federal regulations still require vaccination to board an airplane. Zones 1 and 6 are flying to Prince George. Participants who are not fully vaccinated in these zones can choose to find their own transportation, at their cost, or travel to a neighboring zone and take Games' provided bus transportation.



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## Age Divisions

The following table shows the birth and traditional grad year associated with each age division.

<u>Division</u>	<u>Birth Year</u>	<u>Traditional Grad Year</u>
U21*	2001	2019
17U	2005	2023
16U	2006	2024
15U	2007	2025
14U	2008	2026

\* Only applies to the female high-performance program.

## Required Events

Regional or Zone Identification Camps are an athlete's entry point for all high-performance programming. Attendance at these camps is required and athletes cannot receive invites to further events if they do not attend. The Prospects Camp, Selects Camp, and Provincial Camps, are also required events for athletes interested in being selected to Team BC. Athletes who do not attend these events are not eligible for future selection. Athletes currently participating in a Baseball Canada national team program, may receive camp exemptions.

An athlete who is injured or has another special circumstance may receive an exemption from attending a required camp. Such a request must be made by email to Baseball BC High-Performance Coordinator Kyle Williams ([kyle@baseball.bc.ca](mailto:kyle@baseball.bc.ca)) in advance of the camp. A doctor's note or other supporting documentation may be required.



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## Coaching Staffs

### Provincial Teams

<u>Team</u>	<u>Head Coach</u>	<u>Assistant Coaches</u>
Male Selects 17U	Anthony Pluta & Cav Whitely	Brooks McNiven
Male 16U	Anthony Pluta & Cav Whitely	Devery Van De Keere & Jordan Broatch
Male 15U	Cam Frick	Jason Leslie & Tom Geoghegan
Male 14U	Brad Robinson	Mark Pottie & Logan Wedgewood
Female 21U	Marty van der Loos	Rob Ross & Andres Losin
Female 16U	Stacy Fournier	Emily Fournier & TBA
Female 14U	Kristy Watson	Emily Fournier & Liz Gilder

Female coaching staffs will be confirmed once Baseball Canada finalizes dates for their Women's National team programming.

### BC Summer Games

<u>Zone</u>	<u>Head Coach</u>	<u>Assistants</u>
1 – Kootenays	Stephen Mailey	(TBD)
2 – Thomson Okanagan	Josh Snider	Pablo Ramirez & Frank Ingram
3 – Fraser Valley "A"	Brad Robinson	Don Hutchinson & Chris Vaillancourt
3 – Fraser Valley "B"	Joe Germaine	Orville Germaine & Darren Strang
4 – Fraser River	Marty Van Der Loos	John Braaten & Jason Hotell
5 – Vancouver Coastal A	Cam Frick	Logan Wedgewood & Mark Pottie
5 – Vancouver Coastal B	Joe Germaine	Orville Germaine & Darren Strang
6 – Vancouver Island	Jason Leslie	Tom Geoghegan & Brandon Dornan
7 – Northwest	(TBD)	(TBD)
8 – Cariboo Northeast	Derek Wood	Mike MacKay & (TBD)



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## Male Pathway (14U & 15U)

### Overview

All prospective athletes begin the pathway by attending a Zone Identification Camp. This is a required event and athletes who do not attend are not eligible for selection to any other high-performance opportunity. Zone ID camps will be used to select athletes for both the BC Summer Games and the Prospects Camp. While athletes are not required to attend the Summer Games to receive an invitation to the Prospects Camp, it is highly recommended. Team BC Coaches will attend the Summer Games, which will provide a further evaluation opportunity. The Prospects Camp is a required event for athletes seeking selection on Team BC 14U & 15U. Athletes who do not attend are not eligible for selection to Team BC.

The Summer Games is a multi-sport event organized by the BC Games Society. The province is broken up into eight regional zones. Baseball BC intends to field a roster of 16 athletes in each of the zones.

The Prospects Camp is an intensive three-day event used to select athletes for Team BC 14U and 15U. Thirty-five athletes in each age category will be invited to the Prospects Camp.

Team BC 14U and 15U will be comprised of 18 athletes. Pending Covid-19 restrictions, the team will attend the Northwest Futures tournament in Washington State in September and an event in a sunny USA destination in March of 2022.

### Event Dates & Locations

Zone ID Camps	April & May	(See table below)
BC Summer Games	July 21-24	Prince George
Prospects Camp	September 3-5	Whalley Stadium, Surrey
Northwest Regionals	September TBA	Washington State
USA Tournament	March 2023	TBA

### Selection Dates

BC Summer Games	June 1
Prospects Camp	August 1
Team BC 14U/15U	September 6



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## Zone Identification Camp Dates & Registration

Athletes will attend the Zone Identification Camp, based on their residence. To determine your zone, please use this link: <https://www.bcgames.org/Games/Zones>

Athletes must preregister and pay a \$50 fee through Baseball BC's website. One registration allows athletes to attend both dates and any further tryouts scheduled by the coaches.

Attendance on both dates is encouraged. Please use the link below to register:

<https://baseball.bc.ca/highperformance>. Registration will open on **April 1<sup>st</sup>**.

Zone Identification Camps are scheduled as follows:

Zone	Dates	Time	Location
1 – Kootenays	ID camps completed		
2 – Thomson Okanagan	ID camps completed.		
3 – Fraser Valley	ID camps completed		
4 – Fraser River	ID camps completed		
5 – Vancouver Coastal	ID camps completed		
6 – Vancouver Island	ID camps completed		
7 – Northwest	ID camps completed		
8 – Cariboo Northeast	ID camps completed.		

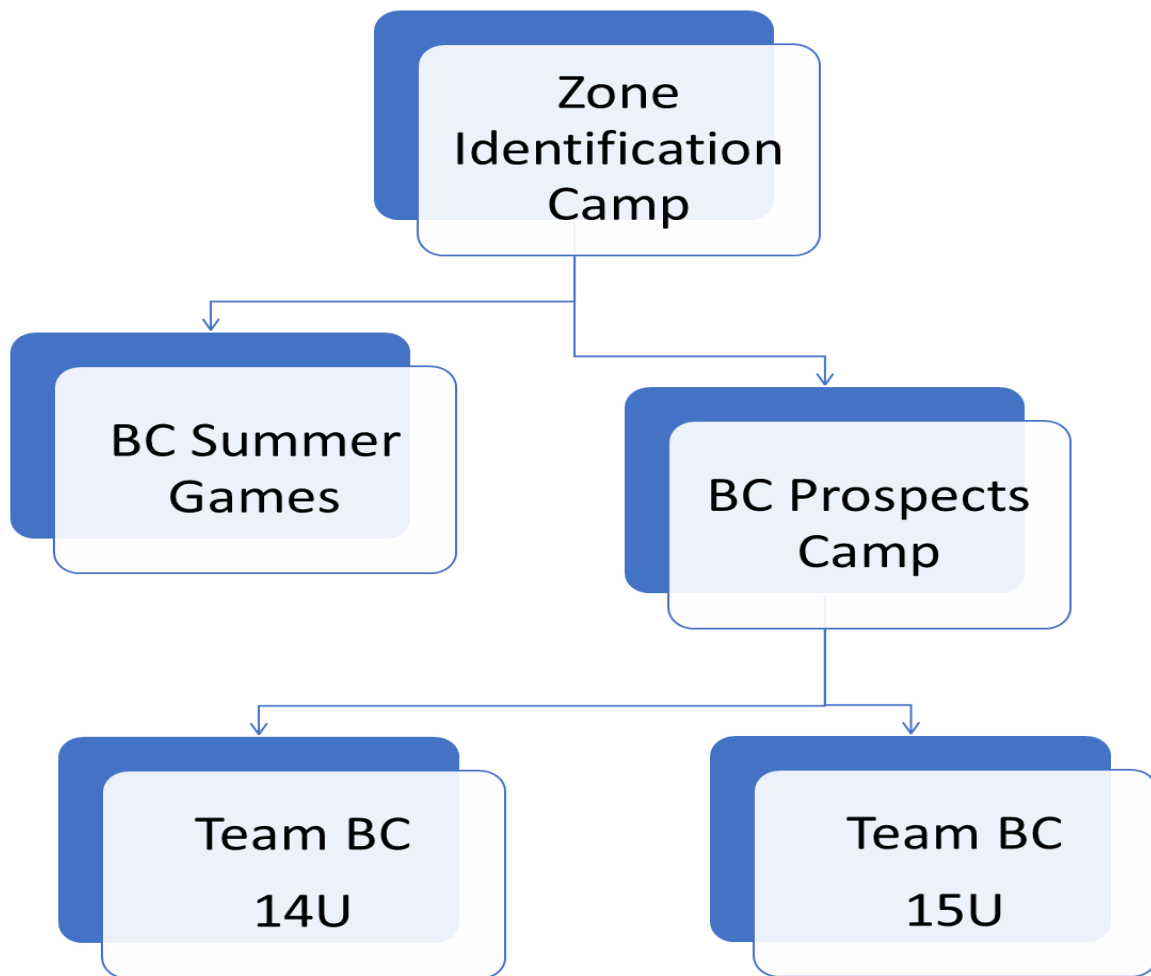


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## Male High-Performance Pathway 14U & 15U





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## Male Pathway (16U & 17U)

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All prospective athletes begin the pathway by attending a Regional Identification Camp. This is a required event and athletes who do not attend are not eligible for selection to any other high-performance opportunity. Regional ID camps will be used to select athletes for the Selects Camp. The Selects Camp is a required event. Athletes who do not attend are not eligible for selection to Team BC. Athletes currently participating in a Baseball Canada national team program, may receive camp exemptions.

The Selects Camp is an intensive four-day camp used to select athletes for Team BC 16U and 17U. Thirty-five athletes in each age category will be invited to the Selects Camp. The purpose of the Selects Camp is to select Team BC 16U and the Select Team (17U).

Team BC 16U and the Select Team (17U) will be comprised of 18 athletes. Pending Covid restrictions, Team BC 16U will compete in two September events, and may attend a tournament in a sunny USA destination in March of 2023. The Select Team will attend the Canada Summer Games, which is the culmination of the male high-performance program.

### Event Dates & Locations

Regional ID Camps	April & May	(See table below)
Selects Camp	July 5-8	South Surrey Athletic Park
Canada Games (17U)	August 6-13	Niagara, Ontario
Alberta Tournament	September 3-5	Saint Albert, Alberta (Edmonton)
Northwest Regionals (16U)	September TBA	Washington State
USA Tournament (16U)	March 2023	TBA

### Selection Dates

Select Camp	June 15
Select Team (17U)	July 11
Team BC (16U)	July 11

Note: The roster for Team BC may be changed after any event.



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## Regional Identification Camp Dates & Registration

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Please use the link below to register: <https://baseball.bc.ca/highperformance>. Registration will open on **April 1<sup>st</sup>**.

Zone Identification Camps are scheduled as follows:

Date	Time	Location
Regional ID camps are complete.		

The Toronto Blue Jays will be holding a tryout on Wednesday May 18<sup>th</sup> in Vancouver for inclusion in their Baseball Academy Showcase, held September 20-24 at Rogers Centre in Toronto. This opportunity is not a component of Baseball BC's high-performance program, but we advertise it here for communication purposes.



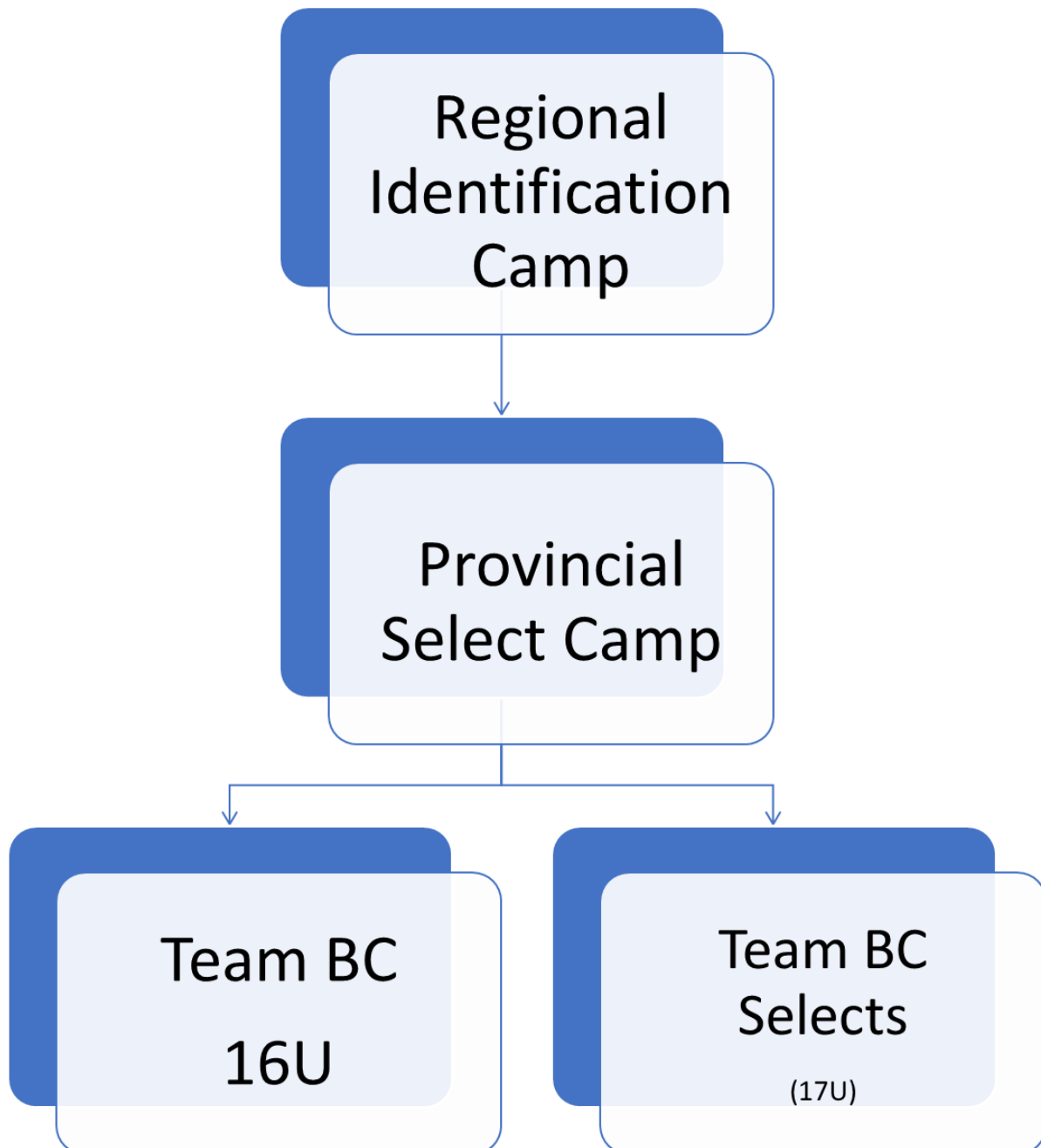


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## Male High-Performance Pathway 16U & 17U





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## Female Pathway (14U & 16U & 21U)

All prospective athletes at 14U, 16U, and 21U begin the pathway by attending a Regional Identification Camp. This is a required event and athletes who do not attend are not eligible for selection to any other high-performance opportunity. Regional ID camps will be used to select athletes for the Provincial Camp. Athletes currently participating in a Baseball Canada national team program, may receive camp exemptions.

The purpose of the Provincial Camp is to select Team BC 14U, 16U, and 21U. Team BC 14U attends the Western Canada Championships. Team BC 16U and 21U attend the Baseball Canada Nationals.

### Event Dates & Locations

Provincial Camp	July 11-13	Whalley Stadium
Western Canada Championships (14U)	August 19-21	Winnipeg, Manitoba
National Championships (16U)	August 25-28	Summerside, PEI
National Championships (21U)	August 11-14	Saint John's, Nfld
National Championships (Open)	July 20-24	Stonewall, Man

### Selection Dates

Provincial Camp	June 20
Team BC 14U	July 14
Team BC 16U	July 14



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Please use the link below to register: <https://baseball.bc.ca/highperformance>. Registration will open on **April 1<sup>st</sup>**.

Regional Identification Camps are scheduled as follows:

Date	Time	Location
Saturday May 28	1:00-4:00	Lombardy Park, Kelowna
Sunday May 29	12:00-3:00	Macarthur Island, Kamloops
Thursday May 26	5:00-8:00	Kensington Park, Burnaby
Wednesday June 1	5:00-8:00	Carnarvon Park, Victoria
Thursday June 9	5:00-8:00	Kensington Park, Burnaby
Wednesday June 15	5:00-8:00	Evans Park #4, Duncan



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## Female High-Performance Pathway

