



Freestyle Ski Nova Scotia

Junior Nationals March 15 – 18th, 2012 in Le Relais, QC Athlete Selection Criteria

Nova Scotia Quota Allocation:

7 spots for Big Air, 6 spots for Moguls, 7 spots for Slopestyle

1. Must be part of a freestyle program or freestyle club in Nova Scotia.
2. Have achieved Stage 3 (Learning To Train) of the CFSA Long Term Athlete Development Model, ie. proficiently demonstrated active stance and balance; executed basic mogul skiing technique; demonstrated controlled skiing on a variety of surfaces and terrain; able to execute basic jumps with tricks in a mogul course; able to grind rails; comfortable performing jumping skills with height as well as tricks, grabs, and combos.
3. Have participated in dryland training, another fitness program, or another fitness sport during the fall season.
4. Must possess a high level of commitment to the sport.
5. As long as all criteria are met, at least one athlete of each gender will be chosen to participate in each event.
6. Athletes are required to have good sportsmanship qualities, participate fully in all programs offered and demonstrate a positive and respectful attitude.
7. Provincial competition results from 2011 and 2012 will rank eligible athletes; ties will be broken by 2012 results. Special considerations will be made if a relevant competition was missed due to illness, injury or non-residency. The 2012 selection committee will assess special circumstances upon athlete application.
8. Athletes are selected on a discipline by discipline basis.

Athletes chosen to represent Nova Scotia at the Junior Nationals will be required to:

1. Sign and abide by the FSNS Code of Conduct.
2. Parents must have completed "Respect In Sport" parent program.

Please indicate your interest to compete at the 2012 Junior Nationals in writing to the selection committee, Brenda Harvey, Kevin Marczak and Eric Mullaley before January 31st, 2012.

Announcements of the teams for the 2012 Junior Nationals will be made following each 2012 provincial series event:

- February 11, 2012: Slopestyle Team
- February 12, 2012: Big Air Team
- March 4, 2012: Moguls Team