



# **U23 WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP CRITERIA SUPPLEMENT 2019**

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## **1. Performance Objectives**

The following 2019 Senior National Team Criteria are guided by CKC's performance objectives where, an athlete/crew demonstrates the ability/potential to make a Top 8 finish in an Olympic event at the International Competition for which they are being considered.

## **2. Considerations**

2.1 Athletes will only be nominated to one of the following teams in priority order:

2.1.1 Senior World Championship Team

2.1.2 U23 World Championship Team

2.1.3 Lima Pan American Games Team

## **3. General**

3.1 These criteria supplements are subject to the principles and procedures as outlined in the National Team Selection Procedures 2019 - Sprint Document found on the CKC Website.

## **4. Selection Overview**

4.1 Athletes / Crews who are vying for a nomination to the U23 World Championship Team will do so as part of the Senior World Championship Selection process.

4.2 The 2019 competitions that will be used in the selection of the Team are:

4.2.1 National Team Trials #1 (NTT1), Montreal, Quebec, May 10-12

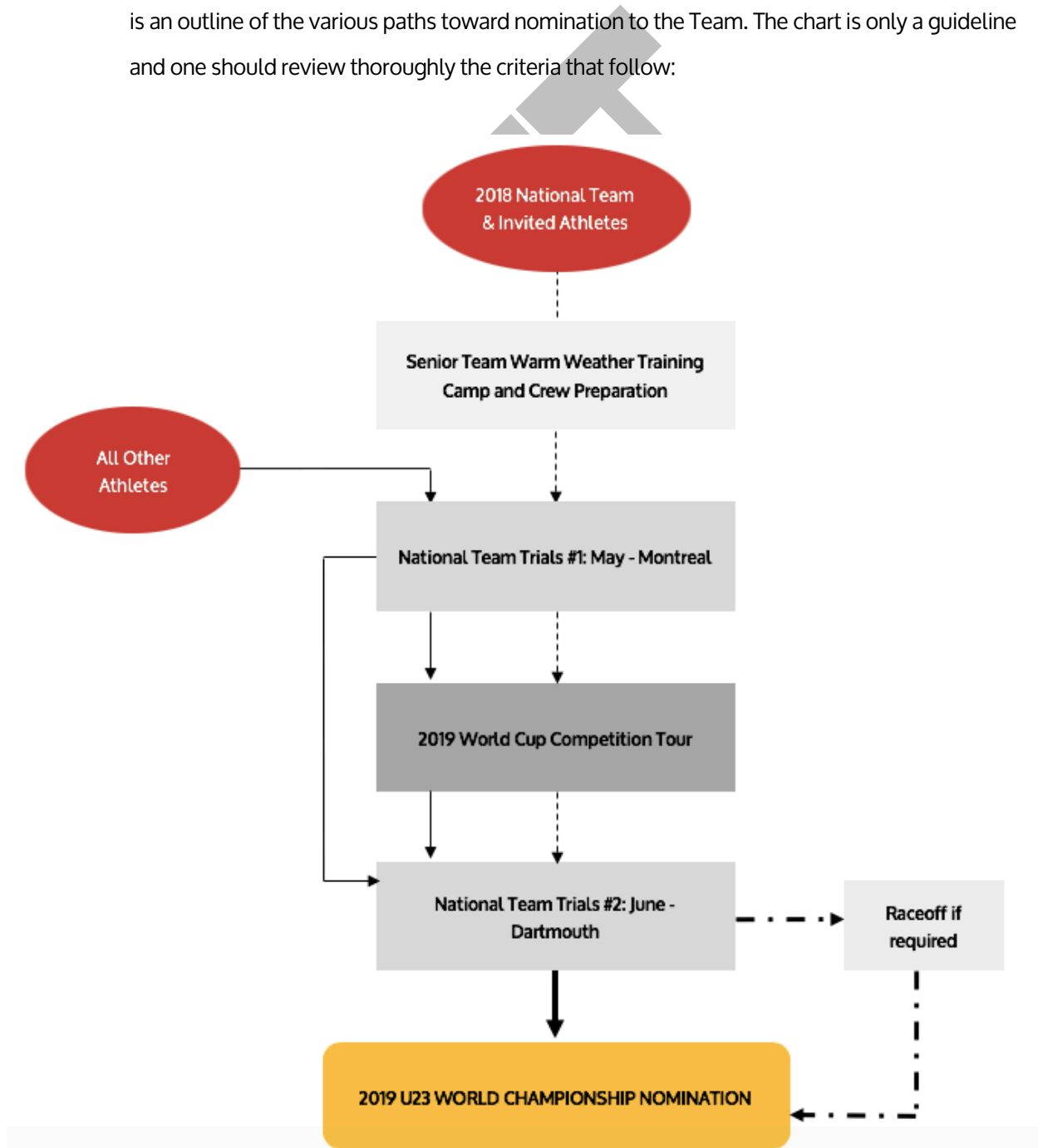
4.2.2 World Cup #1, Poznan, Poland, May 24-26

4.2.3 World Cup #2, Duisburg, Germany, May 30-June 2

4.2.2 National Team Trials #2, Dartmouth, Nova Scotia, June 21-23

4.3 The U23 World Championships Selection Process will be completed by June 30, 2019.

4.4 To assist crews and coaches, an overview of the selection process is provided below. This chart is an outline of the various paths toward nomination to the Team. The chart is only a guideline and one should review thoroughly the criteria that follow:



## 5. Specific Selection Criteria

5.1 In order to be considered for nomination to the 2019 U23 World Championship Team athletes/crews must meet the following minimum criteria:

5.1.1 Win K1/C1, K2/C2 or K4 at NTT2 (Crews must be U23 eligible in their entirety)

5.1.2 Demonstrate the potential to achieve a Top 8 finish in an Olympic event at the 2019 U23 World Championships according to a performance assessment by the Selection Panel (See 5.2 below).

5.2. The number of crews selected to the Team is dependent on the quality of the performance.

Factors that will be considered when assessing the quality of performance can include:

- % time differential from the GMT - An athlete/crew's performance against a Gold Medal Time (see Appendix A)
- % time differential from the AFT - An athlete/crew's performance against an A-Final Time (see Appendix A)
- % time differential from the Winner
- % time differential from the previous finisher
- Known Performance (e.g. results against known international competitors in the race)
- Performance history (e.g. international results - WC #1 and WC#2)
- Ranking Lists based on singles results on the following ranking lists (NTT1 and NTT2) combined. See Ranking List points chart in Appendix B,
  - Men's Kayak 1000
  - Men's Kayak 200
  - Women's Kayak 500
  - Women's Kayak 200
  - Women's Canoe 200
  - Men's Canoe 1000
- Ranking Progression (Improvement or decline in National Rank)
- Unforeseen Circumstances (See Section 8: National Team Selection Procedures 2019 - Sprint Document found on the CKC Website)

These factors are in no particular order and one or more may be used to either support or dismiss a selection. Other factors not listed may also be considered.

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## APPENDIX A

### Performance Times

Any performance times to be compared against the A-Final Time (AFT) will be rounded to the 10<sup>th</sup> of a second

E.g. 3.49.46 becomes 3.49.5 or alternatively 38.74 becomes 38.7.

| Event     | U23 GMT | U23 AFT |
|-----------|---------|---------|
| MC1 1000m | 3:51.9  | 4:01.0  |
| MC2 1000m | 3:34.6  | 3:42.8  |
| MK1 200m  | 34.7    | 35.9    |
| MK1 1000m | 3:29.6  | 3:36.6  |
| MK2 1000m | 3:12.3  | 3:19.0  |
| MK4 500m  | 1:20.7  | 1:23.5  |
| WK1 200m  | 40.1    | 42.6    |
| WK1 500m  | 1:51.5  | 1:54.0  |
| WK2 500m  | 1:43.8  | 1:45.2  |
| WK4 500m  | 1:33.7  | 1:36.4  |
| WC1 200m  | 48.0    | 50.0    |
| WC2 500m  | 2:00.0  | 2:07.0  |

## APPENDIX B

### Ranking List Assignment of Points

| Position of Finish | Points |
|--------------------|--------|
| 1                  | 18     |
| 2                  | 17     |
| 3                  | 16     |
| 4                  | 15     |
| 5                  | 14     |
| 6                  | 13     |
| 7                  | 12     |
| 8                  | 11     |
| 9                  | 10     |
| 10                 | 9      |
| 11                 | 8      |
| 12                 | 7      |
| 13                 | 6      |
| 14                 | 5      |
| 15                 | 4      |
| 16                 | 3      |
| 17                 | 2      |
| 18                 | 1      |