



**TEAM CANADA MEN'S VOLLEYBALL – 2017 JUNIOR TEAM OPEN SELECTION CAMP
April 26-30, 2017– Gatineau, QC**

Camp objective

Identify, select and train a group of athletes who have potential or demonstrated international skill and experience to represent Canada at the elite level.

Camp Format

The 2017 junior team selection camp is OPEN to all eligible athletes. See below for athlete eligibility.

The camp is OPEN to anyone, however Volleyball Canada cannot accommodate more than 45 athletes and reserves the right to decline an application if the number of registered athletes is greater than 45.

Athlete eligibility

All athletes MUST:

- Be a Canadian citizen and have a valid Canadian passport.
- All athletes must be less than 21 years of age as of January 1st, 2017 (born in 1997 or later).

General Camp schedule (detailed schedule to be determined)

April 26 – Arrival of athletes in Gatineau (athletes are responsible to make their own flight arrangements)
April 26 – 8:00 pm – Camp meeting (Hotel)
April 27-30 – Selection camp
May 1 – Unsuccessful athletes return home

Registration information

Registration deadline: Sunday, April 16, 2017
Registration fee: 868.97\$ (includes all taxes and fees)
Registration fee after deadline : 984.80\$ (includes all taxes and fees)

These fees will have to be paid prior to your arrival by registering for the selection camp through our Volleyball Registration System (VRS) ; https://site2661.goalline.ca/register.php?reg_form_id=12684

Athletes will be notified if they are accepted or not before Wednesday April 19, 2017

Participants are required to fill out the following forms available on-line:

<http://www.volleyball.ca/en/indoor-senior-men-team>

- 1) Athlete Information Questionnaire
- 2) Release of confidential information and participant consent
- 3) Medical release (to be filled out by a medical doctor)
- 4) Men's Medical Questionnaire
- 5) Scan of passport in color –
 - a. Passport should be valid up till February 1st, 2018
 - b. If you do not currently have a passport please begin this process now, as there will not be time to obtain one before traveling, or to obtain travel visas (if required).

*All forms are to be scanned in PDF or JPEG format (except the athlete information questionnaire) and submitted to Frank Boyer by email (fboyer@volleyball.ca) **in one email with your name in the subject line** before Midnight on Sunday, April 16, 2017. **Note that faxes will not be accepted.**



Accommodations and meals *(Provided by Volleyball Canada)*

Athletes must arrange their own transportation to and from Gatineau (Ottawa airport - YOW) and inform Frank Boyer of their itinerary. Ground transportation will be provided to athletes upon arrival. Athletes should book their flight in order to be present for an introduction meeting at 8:00 pm on April 26.

Athletes will be met at the airport by a Team Canada Volleyball representative, who will be wearing Team Canada clothing.

Meals will be provided to athletes from April 27-30, 2017. On May 1, only breakfast will be provided to the athletes. Please note that athletes will be responsible for their own meals on April 26.

For any questions, please contact Frank Boyer at fboyer@volleyball.ca.

2017 JUNIOR TEAM PROGRAM PLANS

Coaching staff

Head Coach : Gino Brousseau

Assitant Coaches : Adam Simac & Francois St-Denis

Statistician : Daniel Cuzmar Grimalt

Financial implications

- Athletes will be supported financially through Sport Canada carding for a minimum of 4 months at \$900/month (D card)
- Tuition support for the 2017-2018 academic year;
 - Tuition support is available for courses at Canadian Universities or Colleges that are publicly supported. Other Canadian educational institutions may be considered for Tuition support on a case-by-case basis and must be pre-approved by the AAP Manager.
 - AAP will cover a carded athlete's tuition fees up to a maximum of \$5,000 per carding cycle.
 - Eligible Athletes who are attending a post-secondary institution outside of Canada are not eligible for tuition support.
- All athletes selected to the junior team will be required to pay a \$2500 program fee/fundraising obligation. The money that is raised from these fees will be used to offset travel, training and competition costs for the program.

Summer schedule

April 16 – Deadline for application to selection camp

April 26-30 – Selection camp – Gatineau

May 1 – June 19 – Training Camp – Gatineau

May 14 -22 – NORCECA U21 Pam Am Cup - Fort McMurray, Alberta, Canada

June 20-23 – Pre-Tour U21 World Championship (if qualified)

June 23 – July 2 – FIVB U21 World Championship – Czech Republic (if qualified)