

Selection Criteria for 2024 Saskatchewan Athletics U23 Tri-Province Team

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Tri Province Details:

Who: Saskatchewan Athletics athletes aged 18-22 as of Dec. 31, 2024 (Year of Birth: 2002-2006)

What: Tri-Province Meet (vs Alberta, and Manitoba)

When: July 19-21 (expected travel dates of July 18 and July 21)

Where: Winnipeg, MB

Why: To bring together a competitive team of prospective 2025 Canada Summer Games athletes to provide a competitive experience, as well as preparing athletes for future competitions.

Expected Team Fee: \$300-\$350

Declaration Form (due June 16, 2024 by 11:59pm): <https://forms.gle/T544BX1mnkB3xCfa6>

Team Staff (Same as 2025 CSG):

Head Coach:

Jamie Epp

Assistant Coaches:

Jared Olson

Jayden Wiebe

Sabrina Nettey

Rebecca Atkinson

Manager:

Laura Young

2024 Saskatchewan Athletics U23 Tri-Province Team Information

Athlete Eligibility

Athletes wishing to be considered for selection to the Saskatchewan Athletics U23 Tri-Province Team must:

- Be a full member of Saskatchewan Athletics in good standing
- Be Canadian citizens or permanent residents
- Be eligible to compete for Team Saskatchewan at the 2025 Canada Summer Games (YOB: 2002-2006)
- Fill out and submit the declaration form before the deadline of June 16, 2024 (11:59pm)
- Meet the selection criteria
- Follow all Saskatchewan Athletics Code of Conducts, and Safe Sport policies (available on the Saskatchewan Athletics website)

Selection Process and Criteria

- There will be NO trials meet for selection to the U23 Tri-Province Team
- Up to 50 athletes will be selected to the team
- Performances must occur outdoors between March 1, 2023 and June 16, 2024 (Qualifying period) and appear in the Athletics Canada Rankings (or from a meet the weekend of June 15-16 that has not yet been entered into the Athletics Canada Rankings system)
 - First (1st) and second (2nd) ranked athletes will be based on these Athletics Canada Rankings (or June 15-16 meet results)
 - Indoor and road results will NOT be included for selection
- Only legal electronic times with a wind reading of not greater than 2.0 m/s will be accepted in the 100m, 200m, 100m/110m hurdles, long jump, and triple jump
- U20 performances in events using technical specifications that differ from senior specifications (hurdle height, and implement weight) will have their best performance adjusted to better rank athletes within senior specifications. Adjustments are based off of World Athletics and Athletics Canada rankings and athlete data.
 - Adjustments
 - Men's 110m Hurdles (39"): 5%
 - Men's Shot Put (6kg): 10%
 - Men's Discus (1.75kg): 8%
 - Men's Hammer (6kg): 8%
- At the tri-province meet, athletes will be asked to compete in their primary event, or event in which they have obtained standard. Additional events will be entered based on athlete's requests.
 - If an athlete does not want to compete in their primary event, permission with a valid reason must be obtained from the head coach
 - U20 athletes will compete using Senior specifications
- Selection or non-selection to the 2024 Tri-Province team will not influence selection to the 2025 Canada Summer Games team
- Athletes will be selected in order of criteria (starting at step #1 and moving in numerical order to #4), and in order of performance ranking in each step of the criteria until the team has been selected with up to 50 athletes (selection will cease when the maximum team size has been reached, no matter which criteria step selection is at)
- Athlete's proximity to the A standard will be calculated as: Best performance / A Standard (and stated as a percentage)
- *Criteria:*
 1. Declared athletes that obtain the A performance standard
 2. First (1st) ranked declared athlete in each event and for each gender
 - a. Ranked according to their proximity to the A performance standard
 - i. Proximity must be 12.00% or closer to be selected
 3. Second (2nd) ranked declared athlete in each event and for each gender
 - a. Ranked according to their proximity to the A performance standard
 - i. Proximity must be 12.00% or closer to be selected
 4. Fill remaining team spots (Up to 50) based on best performance during the qualifying period
 - a. Ranked according to their proximity to the A performance standard

The following are **not** minimum standards. For criteria steps 2-4 athletes will be ranked according to their proximity to the following standards. These standards are calculated based on the average of 3rd place at the last 3 Canada Summer Games (2013,2017,2022).

Women	Event	Men
A Standard	(Senior Specs)	A Standard
11.98	100m	10.52
24.16	200m	21.43
55.44	400m	48.09
2:08.35	800m	1:50.36
4:24.47	1500m	3:52.06
17:23.19	5000m	14:27.14
13.88	100m (w)/110m (m) Hurdles	14.46
60.95	400m Hurdles	53.39
10:38.16	3000m Steeplechase	9:07.79
1.73	High Jump	2.09
3.65	Pole Vault	4.55
5.91	Long Jump	7.14
12.18	Triple Jump	14.89
14.43	Shot Put	15.37
45.28	Discus	46.90
45.57	Javelin	61.47
53.55	Hammer	51.76

* U20 performances: See selection process and criteria *