

### **RULES OF REGISTRATION**

**ATTENTION: TEAM SPORTS** 

Registration deadline: Friday March 31st, 2017

- ❖ To avoid scheduling conflicts, a participant may only register for two team sports, in addition to athletics, without exception;
- ❖ A limit of eight (8) teams per discipline is applied. For the canoe, two (2) teams per category / gender.
- ❖ A team can only have one player older than its age category. If it has more, it will be classified in the higher age category, without exception.
- ❖ After the registration deadline (March 31<sup>st</sup>, 2017), you will no longer be able to change your age category, regardless of discipline. We are aware that the composition of your team may change along the way, but you must ensure that any changes or additions do not change the age category in which your team is registered as it will affect, among other things, the number of officials required and the schedule of competitions.

#### **ATTENTION: ATHLETICS**

You must respect the following dates:

- 1) Registration deadline: Friday, March 31st 2017
- 2) Deadline to replace an athlete: Friday, May 26th, 2017
  - ❖ If a registered participant can not attend, you have until May 26<sup>th</sup>, 2017 to replace him or her, only by a person of the same age category and gender.
  - ❖ The maximum number of participants per community in each discipline is limited to 4 per category / gender.

Note: Any request for changes made on the spot (reception, registration, before the race, etc.) has consequences for the final results and race start list, therefore:

- Any competitor who is unable to compete in athletics events may not be replaced after 26<sup>th</sup> May 2017.
- No additions will be accepted after May 26th, 2017

For example: In the case of a participant who decides not to participate in the  $4 \times 100m$ , the whole team will not be able to participate.

## **Sports Disciplines Regulations**

The regulations of the sports federations will be applied during the competitions. They will be available in the binder dedicated to the Heads of Mission of each community.

For more information or questions, please contact our IIBG2017 Sports Manager.

## Age Required to Participate

Participant-athletes must be between the ages of 9 and 17.

\* Please ensure that you enter the age of participants as of **<u>July 2<sup>nd</sup></u>**, **2017**.

## **Leaders and Chaperones**

A chaperone is required for twelve young people.

A Head of Mission is required for each community.

All leaders and chaperones are bound by a general and permanent obligation of supervision, prudence and security toward the participants in their care, 24 hours a day.

# **Eligibility Criteria**

- The participant-athlete must be a member of a band (must have a band number associated with the community they represent)
- ❖ Participant-athletes must be between the ages of 9 and 17 (as of July 2, 2017)
- ❖ The participant-chaperone must be over 18 years of age.

# **Registration Confirmations**

- Proof of Band membership is required upon registration for Athlete Participants (Band number)
- Proof of age is required for chaperones upon registration (date of birth).

# **Mandatory Cards**

- Indian status card (for band membership confirmation);
- Health insurance card (for the confirmation of the participant's age or in case of an accident);

## **Important Dates**

Registration deadline: Friday March 31st, 2017

- ❖ We must know the number of participants, leaders in charge and chaperones accompanying your group to the Indigenous Inter-Band Games on this date.
- ❖ Your sports teams must be registered. After this date you won't be able to cancel your registration.

The following forms must be filled out and returned to the IIBG of Wemotaci 2017 organizing committee:

- Community registration form;
- Leader in charge and chaperones registration forms;
- Parent/tutor consent form and medical files;
- Team and individual sports registration forms;
- Athletics registration form.

### Deadline for athlete replacement: Friday May 26th, 2017

- This date is your last opportunity to replace an athlete previously registered for another one in athletics;
- ❖ You can replace an athlete with someone that fits in the same age and gender category because the number of participants in athletics is limited to four (4);
- ❖ No changes will be accepted after this date by writing or at arrival to the Indigenous Inter-Band Games site.
- ❖ An athlete not able to participate after this date won't be replaced, even in the case of a 4x100m team. Last minute changes cause important problems for the establishment of final results and in our race lists.

### **Cancellation Clauses**

We ask you to respect the deadlines and not to bring any changes once on the IIBG2017 site. The organizational work involved is very complex and demanding considering the number of athletes that will be present and the tight competitions schedule.

### **Parent/Tutor Consent Form**

Participants' parents or tutors must fill out these forms and send them to us before March 31<sup>st</sup>, 2017 (registration deadline).

Important: The age of the participant is the age they will be on July 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2017 (one day before the Indigenous Inter-Band Games begin). This will allow us to place the participant in the right category in both team and individual sports and in athletics.

It is important that all forms be sent to us before the deadline. We need all the necessary information in order to organize the IIBG2017, and also in case of emergencies.

## **Registration Form**

The following pages provide you with all the necessary forms for registration.