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## MAY / JUNE 2022 EDITION



**Special Olympics**  
British Columbia

Richmond

## COACHES UPDATES

- Spring Contracts for outdoor programs will be beginning as of May 14th. There is a new City of Richmond Rentals Officer who is in training so there have been delays.
  - Soccer and Bocce have been confirmed but we are still waiting for Softball and Track and Field (formerly Athletics). There will also be a Spring Figure Skating this year.
- We are offering subsidized First Aid Certification training for all volunteers.
  - (see email from SOBC Secretary)
- Regionals were a huge success! We are waiting for official news on who qualified this fall.
- We are running a Meridian Farms Fundraiser this spring and Krispy Kreme Donut Fundraiser in the near future!
- Soccer has applied to move to Tuesdays for the spring.
- Basketball was accepted at West Richmond starting in the fall!
- We are still looking for Rhythmic Gymnastics and Powerlifting coaches.
- Our General Annual Meeting is coming up on June 20th, 2022, virtually.
- We will be having a BBQ/sports day year-end celebration for all with registration available for new volunteers and athletes.
- We will be running Fit Family and Friends Running Clubs for registered athletes over the summer to stay connected and fit!
  - Please let us know if you are interested in volunteering to lead a group!
- There are two NCCP trainings offered in May which were offered to those on our mailing list for NCCP accreditation.

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## ***Sport Specific Development Opportunities Endorsed by SOBC***

### **NCCP Courses**

- May 6 & 7 - Softball Competitions Level 1
- May 8 - Advanced Practice Planning
- May 14 & 15 - Softball Coach Clinic
- May 23-26 10 Pin Bowling
- June 11 & 12 - Softball 2

Please see full list of NCCP courses offered here: [NCCP MS Online Delivery Offerings](#)

### **Swimming**

Sign up through Swimming Canada to receive notifications about fall courses: [Coaches – Swimming Canada](#)

### **Basketball**

Basketball BC Recommends **Train to Train**

- Keep an eye out for upcoming courses this fall, more info to come! But first, register for a BC Basketball coaching here (\$15, 50% refundable by local):  
[info@basketball.bc.ca](mailto:info@basketball.bc.ca).

### **Curling**

See the full list here: [Mentorship & Development | Curl BC | Our House is Your House](#)

### **Figure Skating**

CanSkate PowerSkate Level 1 Jun 4-5 in Burnaby

- Go here for registration: [Upcoming Coaching Courses | Skating in BC](#)

