

WAG QUALIFICATION CRITERIA 2024-2025

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For further Team BC information, please refer to Sections 6 of the WAG Operations Manual.

2025 Team BC LEAD

30 Jan - 2 Feb 2025 Phoenix, AZ, USA

The 2024 Holiday Classic will be the only trial event for Team BC LEAD (Long-term Excellence And Development). In 2025, the Team BC LEAD competition is the Classic Rock Gymnastics Invitational, hosted by Arizona Sunrays. Selection to Team BC LEAD will be based 100% on rankings from this event only. **Petitions will not be accepted.**

Team Composition

CCP L10 (2008-2015) 6 athletes

Selection

- Athletes and coaches must have a USAG Foreign Membership number to be eligible. The number must have been issued prior to trials (Holiday Classic) and be valid for the 2024-25 season.
- The top 6 All-Around ranked athletes make up the team.
- In the event of a tie for Team BC LEAD selection, the highest scoring athlete using their top 3 apparatus scores at trials will prevail. If the tie still remains, the highest scoring athlete using their top 2 apparatus scores at trials will prevail. If the tie still remains, the athlete with the highest scoring single apparatus score will prevail. In the below example, Athlete Y is named to the team.

Athlete	VT	UB	BB	FX	AA	Top 3 highest scores
Х	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	36.0	27.0
Y	8.5	9.5	9.0	9.0	36.0	27.5

- The ranked order of each athlete will be used to determine the first team coach who will also act as mentor to the second team coach. Please see the point system detailed in section 6.2.1 of the <u>WAG</u> <u>Operations Manual</u>. In the event that the first team coach isn't in a position to be a mentor, the WTC will revisit the mentorship opportunity, but the first team coach will remain named as is.
- The second team coach (mentee) must submit an <u>application form</u> prior to the trial event and must have an athlete on the team. Should no individual fulfill these requirements, the second team coach position will be selected based on the point system detailed in section 6.2.1 of the <u>WAG Operations</u> <u>Manual</u>.
- One of the two team coaches should identify as female.
- No alternates will be named.

Athlete Funding, Coach Funding, Format

- GymBC will be responsible to execute all travel and competition bookings/registration.
- GymBC will fund the team coaches' travel, accommodations, per diem and competition registration.
- GymBC will fund the athletes' competition registration. Any remaining monies will be distributed equally to athletes to aid towards travel costs.

- The team will travel and compete as Team BC, with Team BC uniforms.
- Coaches will be responsible for the team throughout travel and the event and act as both coaches and chaperones.

Preparation Camp

There is no planned preparation camp at this time. However, Team BC LEAD athletes will be prioritized at the January Joint Training session.

2025 Optional BC Championships

4-6 Apr 2025 North Surrey, BC

Qualification standards are in place for L6 and L7 athletes only. L6-7 athletes must score a minimum of 32.00 AA at least once, at a GymBC sanctioned event or at an out of province competition with verifiable online results, prior to March 17 14 or prior to registering for the 2025 Artistic BC Championships, whichever comes first. Please note that Judges' Cup may NOT be used for qualification purposes. L6-7 athletes unable to attain the qualification score with extenuating circumstances may petition to the WTC for participation by emailing wag@gymbc.org with any supporting information available.

There are no qualification scores for any other WAG category at this event. High Performance athletes do not have to qualify for Artistic Gymnastics BC Championships, but they must attend as an athlete, coach, judge, demonstrator or volunteer.

2025 Xcel BC Championships

17-18 Apr 2025 Langley, BC

Qualification standards are in effect for all athletes (Bronze, Silver, Gold, Platinum, Diamond). The minimum score must be achieved at least once, at a GymBC sanctioned event or at an out of province competition with verifiable online results, prior to March 28 or prior to registration for the 2025 Xcel BC Championships, whichever comes first. Please note that Judges' Cup may NOT be used for qualification purposes. Petitions will not be accepted. The standards are as per the below:

Bronze	Silver	Gold	Platinum	Diamond
35.00 AA	35.00 AA	35.00 AA	34.00 AA	33.00 AA

2025 Compulsory BC Championships

19-20 Apr 2025 Langley, BC

Qualification standards are in effect for all athletes (L1 to 5) who must score a minimum of 32.00 AA (Silver AA for L1-2) at least once, at a GymBC sanctioned event or at an out of province competition with verifiable online results, prior to March 28 or prior to registration for the 2025 Compulsory BC Championships, whichever comes first. Please note that Judges' Cup may NOT be used for qualification purposes. Petitions will not be accepted.

2025 Western Canadian Championships

24 – 26 Apr 2025 TBC, SK

The 2025 Twisters Invitational will be the only trial event for Westerns. Selection to the Westerns team for each category will be based 100% on rankings from this event only. **Petitions will not be accepted.**

Categories included at the 2024 Westerns are CCP L8-9-10.

Team Composition

CCP L8 (2011-2014)	7 athletes	Wildcards TBC
CCP L8 (2010 and older)	7 athletes	Wildcards TBC
CCP L9 (2011-2014)	7 athletes	Wildcards TBC
CCP L9 (20010 and older)	7 athletes	Wildcards TBC
CCP L10 (2010-2013)	7 athletes	Wildcards TBC
CCP L10 (2009 and older)	7 athletes	Wildcards TBC

For All Levels

- Top 7 All-Around ranked athletes in their respective age groups make up the team.
- In the event of a tie for Team BC selection, the highest scoring athlete using their top 3 apparatus scores at trials will prevail. If the tie still remains, the highest scoring athlete using their top 2 apparatus scores at trials will prevail. If the tie still remains, the athlete with the highest scoring single apparatus score will prevail. In the below example, Athlete Y is named to the team.

Athlete	VT	UB	BB	FX	AA	Top 3 highest scores
Х	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	36.0	27.0
Y	8.5	9.5	9.0	9.0	36.0	27.5

- The ranked order of each athlete will be used to determine the team coaches.
- If any Western province does not send a full team, wildcard spots may become available. Availability of wildcards in only known after provinces register for Westerns with the host. There is a maximum of 2 wild cards per level per province. BC will accept any available wildcard positions.
- Wildcards also act as traveling alternates for the team and are expected to be ready and available to fill a team spot if needed.
- One non-travelling alternate will be named for each team following the same selection principles as above. Alternates are welcome to attend the preparation camp.

Competition Format, Awards, Athlete Funding, Coach Funding

- Please refer to the Western Policy manual for competition format and awards.
- Please refer to Section 2 of the WAG Operations Manual for more information on Athlete Funding. All wildcard athletes are self-funded.
- Please refer to Section 2 of the WAG Operations Manual for more information on Team Coach Funding.
- Individual coaches do not receive funding and are responsible for their own travel, local transportation and accommodation arrangements unless otherwise arranged with GymBC.

Preparation Camp

The Westerns preparation camp will be held on April 22, 2025 at TAG Sports Centre. The training camp is mandatory for team athletes, wildcards, coaches, judges and support staff, unless otherwise arranged.

2025 Canadian Championships

26-30 May, 2025 Calgary, AB

The final teams will be decided based on combined All-Around scores weighed equally: best 2/3 AA score from Twisters Invitational, BC Champs Day 1 and BC Champs Day 2. **Petitions will not be accepted.**

Categories included at the 2025 Canadians are **HP Novice-Junior-Senior**, **National Open and CCP L9-10**. HP athletes attend Canadian Championships based on their GymCan awarded status and do not need to participate in any trials. However, they are expected to attend the preparation camp.

CCP Team Composition

CCP L9 (2011-2014)	6 athletes
CCP L9 (2010 and older)	6 athletes
CCP L10 (2010-2013)	6 athletes
CCP L10 (2009 and older)	6 athletes

For CCP Levels 9-10

- Top 6 All-Around ranked athletes in their respective age groups make up the team.
- In the event of a tie for Team BC selection, the highest scoring athlete using their top 3 apparatus scores from their best 2/3 AA scores will prevail. If the tie still remains, the highest scoring athlete using their top 2 apparatus scores from their best 2/3 AA scores will prevail. If the tie still remains, the athlete with the highest scoring single apparatus score will prevail. In the below example, Athlete Y is named to the team.

Athlete	Day	VT	UB	BB	FX	AA	Top 3 highest scores
Х	Best AA out of 3	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	36.0	54.0
	2 nd best AA out of 3	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	36.0	54.0
Y	Best AA out of 3	8.5	9.5	9.0	9.0	36.0	55.0
	2 nd best AA out of 3	8.5	9.5	9.0	9.0	36.0	55.0

- The ranked order of each athlete will be used to determine the team coaches.
- One non-travelling alternate will be named for each team following the same selection principles as above. Alternates are welcome to attend the preparation camp.

Athlete Funding, Coach Funding

- Please refer to Section 2 of the WAG Operations Manual for more information on Athlete and Team Coach Funding.
- Individual coaches do not receive funding and are responsible for their own travel, local transportation and accommodation arrangements unless otherwise arranged with GymBC.

Preparation Camp

The Canadians preparation camp will be on May 5, 2025 at Flip City Gymnastics. The training camp is mandatory for team athletes, coaches, judges and support staff, unless otherwise arranged.