



**VANCOUVER, BRITISH COLUMBIA  
CANADA**

**MAY 8 TO MAY 19 2007**



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# INVITATION TO THE NATIONS



## Dear CPISRA Member Countries;

It gives us great pleasure to invite your association and your athletes to attend the 2007 CPISRA Boccia World Cup to be held in Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada, May 8 – 19, 2007.

Canadian Cerebral Palsy Sports and its provincial member, SportAbility / CP Sports BC, invite you to beautiful British Columbia for what will be an excellent event as the final competition to qualify for the 2008 Beijing Paralympics.

Vancouver is the future host for the 2010 Winter Olympics and Paralympics and is a perfect location for the competition. The event will be held at BC Place Stadium and is within walking distance of hotels, theatres and shopping. When you are not competing, you will find Vancouver a culturally diverse city that offers a variety of activities and attractions. Vancouver's public transportation system is wheelchair accessible and all sidewalks are designed for wheelchairs.

We look forward to hosting you in Vancouver and providing an exciting competition.

Sandy Hermiston  
President CCPSA

Daryle Zorn  
President SportAbility

Erich Harvey  
Chair 2007 World Cup



For additional information about the competition and more go to:

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## INTRODUCTION

The CPISRA 2007 Boccia World Cup will be the last opportunity before the Beijing 2008 Summer Paralympics for athletes to be classified and achieve international ranking. Please check the criteria for the Beijing 2008 Games at <http://www.bocciainternational.com/Competitions/beijingcriteria.htm>

Details about the competitions may be found at:

[www.2007bocciaworldcup.com](http://www.2007bocciaworldcup.com)

**Location: Vancouver, BC, Canada**

**Venue:** BC Place Stadium, 777 Pacific Boulevard, Vancouver, BC

**Entry Criteria:** All participants must be members of a national federation that is a member in good standing with CPISRA, with their membership for 2007 paid in full no later than February 1, 2007.

**Athletes:** minimum age for competition is 15 years as of the first day of January 2007. Athletes must have been born before January 1, 1992.

**Rules:** as set out by the Boccia Committee of CPISRA in the 9<sup>th</sup> edition of the rules. <http://www.cpisra.org/html/sports/boccia.htm>

**Divisions of Play:** Individual BC1, BC2, BC3, BC4 and Pairs BC3, Pairs BC4 and Team competition.

**Maximum Number of Athletes:**

BC1 + BC2 = 5

BC3 = 3

BC4 = 3

The maximum number of athletes in any individual event is three (3) (including BC 1 and BC2)

**Maximum Number of Staff:** 1 to 1 staff ratio plus up to 3 coaching staff per team. Extra rooms for extra staff can be arranged but will be at a higher fee.

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## **INTENT TO REGISTER**

### **DEPOSIT**

To guarantee your country's entry, each country must forward a **non-refundable fee of \$1000CAD** for their team with the first entry.

***Provisional programme is attached***

**Deadline for INTENT TO REGISTER IS DECEMBER 1, 2006**

**ENTRY FEE: \$1675CAD** per person (approximately € 1185)

### **Registration fees include:**

Hotel (based on two or more team members per room)\*\*and all meals from the 8th to the 19<sup>th</sup> of May, transportation to and from the airport on arrival and departure dates, one ticket per paid participant to the Opening and Closing ceremonies, applicable taxes and CPISRA competition capitation fees.

[\*\* There will be an additional room charge for teams requesting single rooms for any team members. Please contact the organizers as soon as possible to reserve these rooms.]

Countries wishing to arrive before or stay after the competition dates will be responsible for their own meals, accommodation and transfers to and from the airport. Whenever possible we will endeavour to assist you with your plans.

### **CRITICAL DEADLINES**

In order to ensure sufficient services for participants, it is important that countries meet all deadlines. Teams will not be considered registered for the competition if a country fails to meet a deadline for submission of payment or information. Countries should email or fax the forms for entry in accordance with the following deadlines:

#### **December 1, 2006 Intent to register**

Estimated number of participants and class

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Email and phone contact for the participating country  
Payment of **\$1000CAD** per Team non-refundable deposit

**February 1, 2007 Second Registration Deadline**

Confirmation of the number of hotel rooms required  
Payment of at least 50% of the registration fee

**March 1, 2007 Final entry fee form and payment**

Completed participant list and rooming list  
Remainder of registration fee  
Arrival and Departure information

***THERE WILL BE NO REFUNDS AFTER MARCH 1, 2007.***

**March 15, 2007** No substitutions accepted after this date

**PAYMENTS**

Teams will not be considered registered until payment in **full** has been received. To ensure your country is registered, please allow sufficient time for your payments to be processed prior to the deadlines when sending in your registrations. Ensure that your country covers all bank charges to include cost of bank transfers and exchange to Canadian dollars.

**Insurance**

Each team must purchase adequate personal, medical and travel insurance to cover loss of property, injuries, medical treatment or hospitalisation, travel disruption or baggage loss.

***IMPORTANT NOTICE***

*The 2007 Boccia World Cup Society, Canadian Cerebral Palsy Sports Association, and CPISRA, their officers, agents and members are not responsible for any claims, costs, proceedings and damage to participants arising directly or indirectly out of or in connection with the participation at the 2007 CPISRA Boccia World Cup or provision by the 2007 CPISRA Boccia World Cup Society.*

## INTENT TO REGISTER

<b>COUNTRY:</b>	
<b>Name of Federation:</b>	
<b>Federation Contact Person:</b>	
<b>Mailing Address:</b>	
<b>Email:</b>	
<b>Phone:</b>	<b>Fax:</b>
<b>Team Contact Person (head coach or manager):</b>	
<b>Mailing Address:</b>	
<b>Email:</b>	
<b>Phone:</b>	<b>Fax:</b>

## TEAM COMPOSITION

<b>Number of Athletes</b>				
	<b>BC1</b>	<b>BC2</b>	<b>BC3</b>	<b>BC4</b>
<b>Male</b>				
<b>Female</b>				
<b>Number of Team Staff</b>				
<b>Team Total</b>				
<b>Number of electric wheelchairs</b>		<b>Number of other wheelchairs</b>		

<b>TOTAL NUMBER OF HOTEL ROOMS REQUESTED</b>	
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## PAYMENT INFORMATION

<b>Date of Transfer:</b>	
<b>Type of transfer:</b>	Paypal <input type="checkbox"/> Bank Transfer <input type="checkbox"/>
<b>Contact Person:</b>	
<b>Signature:</b>	

## PAYMENT / BANK DETAILS

Payments, including the non-refundable deposit of \$1000CAD per team, may be made by **bank transfer** or by using **Paypal**.

**All payments must be made payable to: 2007 Boccia World Cup Society**

For Paypal instructions please go to: [www.2007bocciaworldcup.com](http://www.2007bocciaworldcup.com)

### Bank transfers:

**Credit Union Central of BC**

**Vancouver British Columbia Canada**

**Account 00104002143**

**CUCXCATTVAN**

**Branch number 15060**

**2007 CPISRA Boccia World Cup Society**

**Account 30 811 787**

**2007 BOCCIA WORLD CUP  
MAY 8 TO 19  
COMPETITION PROGRAM**

	Tues 8 <sup>th</sup>	Wed 9 <sup>th</sup>	Thurs 10 <sup>th</sup>	Friday 11 <sup>th</sup>	Sat 12 <sup>th</sup>	Sun 13 <sup>th</sup>	Mon 14 <sup>th</sup>	Tues 15 <sup>th</sup>	Wed 16 <sup>th</sup>	Thurs 17 <sup>th</sup>	Friday 18 <sup>th</sup>	Sat 19 <sup>th</sup>	Sun 20 <sup>th</sup>
Arrival / Accreditation													
Classification													
Training													
Opening Ceremony													
Individual Competition													
Pairs and Team Competition													
Closing Ceremony													
Departure													

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