

OFSAA CROSS COUNTRY CHAMPIONSHIP

Association: _____ School: _____ Phone #: _____

Coach's Name: (Print) _____ Home #: _____

List of Competitors: (Please print or type and give both names of each competitor.)

	Given & Surname	Year of Birth	Grade
1.			
2.			
3.			
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The following section must be completed in accordance with the OFSAA Transfer Policy which appears on back.
 Have any of the students listed on the Eligibility List transferred schools in the past twelve (12) months? Yes _____ No _____

To have been included on the Eligibility List, such players must have been declared eligible. Please list these players below and fill in the required information.

Name of Transfer Student	Date of entry into present school	Under what category of Transfer Policy was eligibility granted? (a - f)	Was approval granted by Assoc. Appeal Board or OFSAA Board of Reference?
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

This is to certify that all competitors listed are duly registered in this Association of OFSAA and are eligible to participate in this year's Cross Country Championship under the Rules and Regulations of this Association and those of OFSAA, including the OFSAA Transfer Policy which appears on page two. **Note:** A teacher from the same school, or a retired teacher, as approved by the Principal of the school, must accompany and be responsible for the behaviour of his/her team members for the duration of the Championship. If the teacher is not of the same sex as the athletes, and where the athletes are required or might be required to stay overnight, a supervisory adult, as approved by the Principal of the school, of the same sex as the athletes, must be present and available at the accommodation site for the duration of their stay in the accommodation.

_____	_____	_____
Teacher Responsible for Team	Teacher Responsible for Individual	Coach
_____	_____	_____
Designated Adult (Individuals)	Same Gender Adult (if necessary)	School Principal

This Eligibility Form must be available for your Association's convenor to submit with the OFSAA entry package.

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SUPERVISION FORM

The 2015 OFSAA Cross Country Championship is being conducted at the Highlands Nordic in Duntroon, Saturday November 7, 2015. According to OFSAA Regulations, the following supervision requirements must be followed:

- (a) **TEAMS** - a teacher from the same school, or a retired teacher, as approved by the principal of the school, must accompany and be responsible for the team.
- (b) For **INDIVIDUALS** - the principal of the school may designate an adult who is not a teacher to accompany the athletes. In addition, a teacher, or a retired teacher, must be present and on site and designated by the principal to be responsible for the athlete(s). This may be a teacher from another school who is willing to assume this responsibility.
- (c) For all sports, where the teacher, as indicated in (a) and (b) above, is not of the same sex as the athlete(s), and where the athletes(s) are required or might be required to stay overnight, a supervisory adult, as approved by the principal of the school, of the same sex as the athlete(s), must be present and available at the accommodation site for the duration of their stay in the accommodation. This may be a parent.
- (d) Any athlete participating in an OFSAA Championship or an OFSAA qualifying event must have participated as a member of a bona fide high school program during Cross Country season (September - November), in a minimum number of practices (sixteen (16)), at a location where the majority of their high school practices are held under the supervision of a teacher-coach as certified by the school principal.

Should any students qualify from our school to the OFSAA Championship the following designated teachers and adult supervisor(s) shall be **present** and **responsible** for those competitors for the duration of the Championship.

Name of School: _____

Association: _____

Teacher Responsible for Team

Designated Adult Responsible for Individual Athlete(s)

Designated Teacher Responsible for Individual Athlete(s)

Designated Same Sex Adult (if necessary)

Note: If the supervisor(s) listed above are not staff members of your school, please indicate beside the name, the school at which they do teach or their relationship to the competitors.

Signature of Principal _____

Date _____

2015 OFSAA Cross Country Practice Eligibility Form

School Name: _____

Association: _____

Date: _____

Please list number of practices attended per week:

Athlete Name	Sep 8 - 11	Sep 14 - 18	Sep 21 - 25	Sep 28 - Oct 2	Oct 5 - 9	Oct 12 - 16	Oct 19 - 23	Oct 26 - 30	Nov 2 - 6	Total # Practices

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Coach's Signature

Principal's Signature

Any OFSAA Championship must attempt to achieve a standard of organizational and educational excellence which will serve to place it beyond reproach in either area.

A school athlete jointly represents both school and Association when attending an OFSAA Championship. This consequently confers a responsibility upon him/her during the time of absence from school. This responsibility assumes greater meaning when individual teacher-coaches instruct their competitors in the degree of importance attached to it. The following principles and rules will therefore apply to all OFSAA Championships and are in addition to the OFSAA Standing Rules (Playing Regulations) and Governing Rules of athletic contests.

1. The teacher-coach must prepare participants with regard to the behaviour expected of them at the Championship.
2. The teacher-coach bears the responsibility for supervising his or her athletes for the entire period during which they are absent from school or home. If the coach of a team is of the opposite sex, a suitable adult chaperon of the same sex, as approved by the principal of the school, must be present and available at the accommodation site for the duration of their stay in the accommodation. (Reference By-Law 6, Section 1(c)).
3. The consumption of any alcoholic beverage by participants, whether of legal drinking age or not, at any time during an OFSAA Championship is expressly forbidden. "Participants" are defined as "students, parents or guardians, volunteers, teachers and any other staff member as well as anyone else who has been granted proper authorization to enter a restricted area." A "restricted area" includes "those areas occupied by athletes and to which access by the general public is restricted or prohibited."
4. Drugs, other than medication prescribed by a medical doctor for a specific competitor, are expressly forbidden.
5. All participants will deport themselves in a manner becoming representatives of their school, Association and OFSAA while attending a Federation Championship. Attention must be paid to:
 - Respect for others; all participants have the right to freedom from harassment (as defined by the Canadian Human Rights Commission), equal treatment without discrimination based on race, place of origin, colour, ethnic origin, creed, physical or mental ability, sexual orientation, or sex;
 - Respect for property;
 - Conduct;
 - Language;
 - Dress. I am aware of the dress code for Championships as stated in the Playing Regulations.
 - Student-athletes must remain fully clothed in the appropriate team uniform in the competition area, AND use the designated locker room or change area to change to and from competition attire.
6. Participants staying in tournament accommodation are expected to respect the right of others to undisturbed rest. Those who create disturbance in rooms or corridors after a reasonable hour will be subject to disciplinary measures. Student-athletes are expected to observe any curfew imposed by the OFSAA convenor at the Championship.
7. All schools entering a Federation Championship shall, by signature of the school principal on the Championship Entry Form, acknowledge responsibility for making restitution for damage resulting from misconduct by their participants. (Reference By-Law 6 - Section 2 (g)).

Procedure

Actions contrary to these Rules shall be referred to the Competition Committee which shall investigate the matter and decide on the penalty, if any, to be assessed. A report of the matter in question and penalty, if any imposed, shall be sent to the Principal of the school and the appropriate Association Representative. The report will also be forwarded to the Board of Reference - Sanctions where further action may be taken and/or penalties imposed.

Penalty

Penalties imposed by the Board of Reference – Sanctions may include, but are not limited to: stripping of awards, removal of records and standings, suspension from future OFSAA competition, identification of offenders in the OFSAA Bulletin, notification to appropriate sport governing bodies, requiring written letter of apology and requiring appropriate restitution.

These Rules of Behaviour for Participants recognize and reflect the Ministry of Education's "Code of Conduct".



PHOTO RELEASE FORM

Dear School Principal/Coach,

From time to time photos/video of athletes competing at OFSAA championships and events may be published or webcast on championship websites, in the OFSAA Bulletin, in newspapers and/or other OFSAA publications.

Please make your student-athletes and their parents/guardians aware that when participating in an OFSAA Championship there is potential for photos and video of an athlete to be taken.

If there are athletes on your school team who **do not wish to be photographed**, please print their names below. OFSAA will do its best to prevent an athlete from being photographed; however, OFSAA does not assume responsibility if the situation occurs.

Student Name <i>(please print and submit hardcopy at registration)</i>

We certify that all athletes on the _____ team, competing at the _____
Name of School

_____ are aware that they may be photographed and authorize
Name of Championship

the use of their photographs for the Ontario Federation of School Athletic Associations and its contracted vendors (photo/video/media publications), with the exception of those listed, in all forms of media and in all manner, including electronic media and/or composite representations, for advertising, trade, or any lawful purposes and waive any right to inspect or approve the finished product, including written copy that may be created in connection therewith.

Teacher/Coach

Date

School Principal

Date

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 PARA AND GUIDE INFORMATION FORM

PLEASE NOTE: ATHLETES MUST BE REGISTERED USING **ON-LINE REGISTRATION!!**

Last Name: _____	First Name: _____
School Attending: _____	Association: _____
Grade: _____	Coaches Name _____
Contact # (School) _____	Contact # (Cell) _____

Disability Category Information Chart:

Category	Definition	Associated category #
Intellectual disability	Athletes with an IQ of 75 or less	T20
Visually Impaired	Athletes with: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - No vision - Very limited vision - Limited vision 	T11 T12 T13
Ambulatory	Athletes who compete standing up: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Athletes with CP, brain injuries and/or neurological disorders - Loss or limited use of lower limbs - Loss or limited use of upper limbs 	(In each category, the higher the number the higher the function) T35 – 38 T42 - 44 T45 - 47

Disability Category:

Please check one (refer to above and/or the attachment from Athletics Ontario for category information):

√	Category	Approximate T classification	Additional Information
	Intellectual Disability	T20	
	Visually Impaired	T	
	Ambulatory	T	