

# Senior Provincial Team Selection and Funding

1. **Canadian National Senior Squash Championships** The five highest ranked Squash Alberta members in the Men's and Women's Alberta Rankings (effective the start date of the CSC) who participate in the Open Divisions of the Canadian Squash Championships will receive \$125 in funding. The highest ranked Squash Alberta member in each of the Men's and Women's age divisions who participate in the Canadian Squash Championships will receive \$125. \*\* Ranking = Squash Alberta Rankings effective the start date of the CSC\*\*
2. **Canadian Teams Championships** Three Squash Alberta players in the Men's and Women's Divisions will be selected to the Alberta Team for the Canadian Teams Championships.

Squash Alberta will partially fund a six-person team at a set dollar amount per person (based on event location) to attend the Canadian Teams Championships. Squash Alberta will pay the entry fee for the team, supply a team uniform and provide partial funding for travel expenses.

## **Eligibility Criteria:**

1. Must be a Squash Alberta member in good standing
2. Must be in the Squash Alberta Provincial Top 20 Ranking (Men's/Women's) effective the Monday following the last Squash Alberta sanctioned Tournament of November in the current season.
3. Must play a minimum of one (1) Squash Alberta Sanctioned Tournament between Dec 1 of the prior season and the end of November in the current season.

+ The Top 20 Ranked Men and Women players (that meet the eligibility criteria) effective the Monday following the last Squash Alberta sanctioned Tournament of November in the current season will be invited to qualify for the team. A maximum of the top 8 ranked respondents (both Men and Women) will be included in the Qualification Trials. The Qualification Trial format will depend on the number of participants and the number of open spots on each team.

Final team selection will be made following a **Qualification Trial Event in Nov/Dec/Jan (Specific location and dates will be determined and players notified as soon as possible each season).**

## **Trial and Eligibility Criteria Exemptions:**

1. Members of the Canadian National High-Performance Squad (must be Squash Alberta member in good standing)
2. Members of the PSA in Top 150 (Men), Top 100 (Women) (must be Squash Alberta member in good standing)

3. **Canadian Masters Team Championships** Squash Alberta will partially fund a seven person team at a set dollar amount per person (based on event location) to attend the Canadian Masters Team Championships. Squash Alberta will pay the entry fee for the team, supply a team uniform and provide partial funding for travel expenses. If the event is in Alberta, Squash Alberta has the option to enter two teams. If so, Squash Alberta would pay both team's entry fee, supply team uniforms, and provide partial funding for travel expenses.
  - a. Team selections will be made effective the Monday following the last Squash Alberta sanctioned Tournament of November in the current season and will be based on **Squash Alberta Rankings and the Age Criteria** at that time.

**Eligibility Criteria:**

1. Must be a member of Squash Alberta in good standing.
2. Must play a minimum of one (1) Squash Alberta Sanctioned Tournament between Dec 1 of the prior season and the end of November in the current season.
3. Must meet age criteria as of the beginning day of the event.
4. Interested players are required to submit an email of interest to Squash Alberta prior to the end of the third week in September of the current season.

The team will consist of seven players in the following categories:

Women's 40+ 45+ 50+  
Men's 40+ 45+ 50+ 55+

**Canadian University Team Funding** Squash Alberta may provide funding to the top two men and women in the Open Category of the Alberta University/College Championships to attend the Canadian University Championship each year.

**Eligibility**

1. Must be a member of Squash Alberta in good standing.
2. Be a student who is officially registered for and pursuing a full-time course of study at a post-secondary institution.
3. Be at least 17 and less than 28 years of age as of January in the current season.