

2016 Annual General Meeting

Schedule of Events

8:00 am	Continental Breakfast
	Registration of delegates and proxies
8:30 am	Workshop #1 – Concussion Awareness
10:00 am	Risk Management & Society Act Update
10:30 am	Break
10:45 am	Workshop #2 – Judo Growth & Development in BC
12:15 pm	Lunch
12:45 pm	Judoka tracking App Presentation
1:00 pm	Jeremy Le Bris Presentation
1:45 pm	Round Table Discussion – Growth & Development
2:15 pm	Break
2:30 pm	Annual General Meeting
4:00 pm	Tournament Committee



2016 AGM Workshops & Presentations





Presented by: Paul Dwyer Manager, Sport Safety and Event Services SportMedBC



Concussion Awareness



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CONCUSSION MANAGEMENT WORKSHOP Presented by: Paul Dwyer, CAT(C), CSCS







Concussion Challenges

- 1. Recognizing a concussion when it happens
- 2. Lack of reporting by athlete
- 3. Everyone responds differently
- 4. Understanding how to manage symptoms
- 5. When to safely return to play







- **o Defining Concussions**
- Recovery
- \circ Mechanisms of Injury
- \odot Signs and Symptoms
- \circ Second Impact Syndrome
- \circ Suspecting a Concussion
- Concussion Management
- \circ Red Flags
- \circ Return to Play Protocol
- \circ Conclusion







What is a Concussion?

 \circ A complex pathophysiological process affecting the brain, induced by

traumatic biomechanical forces





What is a Concussion?

 Force causes brain to move rapidly within the skull, causing impact and/or twisting

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- May cause stretching/damage of nerve cells, resulting in a cascade of chemical events and altered cerebral blood flow
- May lead to signs and symptoms including somatic, cognitive and neurobehavioral
- Brain becomes vulnerable to increased stresses, including cognitive/physical work, light, noise, and other external stimuli





Defining Concussions

\odot Concussions are injuries to the $\underline{\text{BRAIN}}$

 Should not be dismissed as "getting your bell rung" or "getting dinged"

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• Typically result in rapid onset of neurological impairment (Signs & Symptoms)

****Development of symptoms can be delayed****

- Several minutes up to 72 hours
 - Day after effect
 - Brought on after a change in physiological state
 - (Adrenaline wears off)





Defining Concussions Cont.

 Symptoms reflect a functional disturbance, and thus are not detected by imaging of brain.

 \circ May NOT include loss of consciousness

 Concussions are cumulative, and thus increases in risk and symptomatic effects are typical

 If not managed properly, concussions can lead to prolonged symptoms and associated complications





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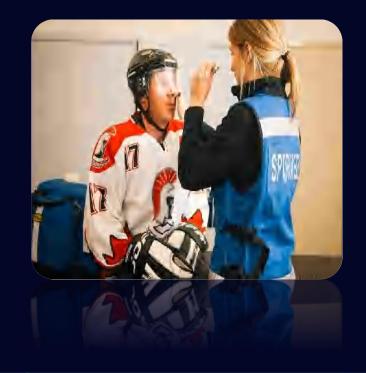
Recovery

○Adults

- 80%-90% resolve in a short period (7-10 days) –
- *IF managed properly*

• Children & Teens

- More cautious approach due to continuing brain development
- 2-3 weeks minimum.





Mechanisms of Injury

\odot How Concussions Occur:

- Direct Blow
 - ✓ To the head, face, neck, chest or anywhere in the body that causes an impulsive force to transmit to the brain
- Fall
- Whiplash





What are the Effects?

 $_{\odot}$ Concussion Signs and Symptoms can be broken down into 3 categories

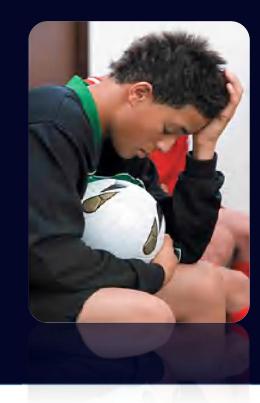
- **1.** Somatic
- **2.** Cognitive
- **3.** Neurobehavioral



Signs & Symptoms

• Somatic (relating to the body):

- Headache/Pressure in head
- Dizziness
- Nausea/Vomiting
- Blurred Vision
- Sensitivity to light
- Sensitivity to sound/noise
- Numbing or tingling
- Balance and/or coordination problems





Signs & Symptoms Cont.

• Cognitive (Mental):

- Feeling slowed down
- Feeling in a fog
- Difficulty concentrating
- Difficulty remembering
- Confusion





Signs & Symptoms Cont.

Neurobehavioral

- Sleeping more or trouble sleeping
- Drowsiness
- Fatigue
- Sadness/depression
- Nervousness
- Irritable





Diagnostic Imaging

- No standard structural Neuro-imaging
 CT, MRI, XRAY
 - Research is ongoing to discover ways
 - to see concussions:
 - Dye injected MRI
 - Functional MRI
 - Others

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Injury Reporting

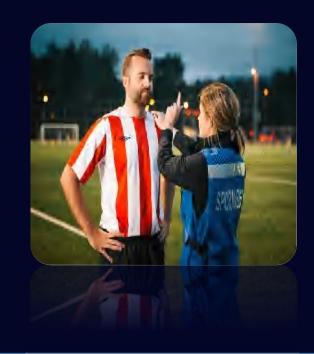
 \circ **Issue:** Athletes not reporting their symptoms

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- **•** A few reasons include:
 - Peer pressure from teammates
 - Pressure from coaches and parents
 - They want to keep playing
 - Want to appear tough
 - Do not know enough about concussions





Second Impact Syndrome

- Second Impact Syndrome (SIS)
 - Individual suffers a concussive impact, while still suffering the effects from a previous concussion
- Varying results can be catastrophic
 - Increased symptom severity
 - Permanent brain damage
 - Paralysis
 - Death

** The second injury can result from even the mildest concussive forces ** ** Therefore...Athlete <u>MUST</u> receive medical clearance to return to play **



Suspecting a Concussion

A concussion should be suspected:

 1 Mechanism of Injury (MOI) + 1 or more signs /symptoms of a concussion are present

- Severity of S&S does not matter
- Onset of S&S can be delayed several hours
- Athlete is removed from play immediately
- Initiate concussion treatment (explained later)

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Day after effect – delayed recognition



Suspecting a Concussion cont.

• Signs observed by Coaching/Training staff:

- Appears dazed or stunned
- Is confused about assignment (In match or training)
- Is unsure of score or opponent
- Moves clumsily
- Answers questions slowly
- Loses consciousness (even briefly)
- Shows behavior or personality changes
- Can't recall events prior to incident
- Can't recall events after the incident



Suspecting a Concussion cont.

Symptoms reported by Athlete

- Headache or "pressure" in head
- Nausea or vomiting
- Balance problems or dizziness
- Double or blurry vision
- Sensitivity to light
- Sensitivity to noise
- Feeling sluggish, hazy, foggy, or groggy
- Concentration or memory problems
- Confusion
- Does not "feel right"



Concussion Management

- 1. Once emergency scenario, including spinal injury has been ruled out, the athlete is removed from activity. If necessary, take away a vital piece of equipment.
- 2. Check and treat any tissue injury (i.e. cuts, deformities)
- 3. If possible, monitor the athlete in a quiet room.
- 4. Give the athlete ear plugs if it is loud
- 5. Give the athlete a facemask, eye cover/patch or sunglasses if it is too bright
- 6. Arrange for a ride home/hotel and have someone keep an eye on them and available to them, watching for deteriorating conditions.
- 7. Give athlete and guardian/coach/parent instructions
- 8. Follow up with a doctor
- 9. Injury report form is filled out



Concussion Management

In the absence of a Trained Medical Professional...

• Priority must be to protect the athlete

• Be aware of signs and symptoms and steps to manage an acute concussion

Concussion Response Tool: BC Injury Research and Prevention Unit / CATT

 An excellent resource for Coaches, Parents to guide recognition and management of concussion during a sporting event.

• Easy to use, follows a step by step process, provides guidelines for safe and effective management of an acute concussion

http://ppc.cattonline.com/resources/files/concussion-response-tool.pdf



Concussion Management

Physician/Doctor Follow-Up

- Only a Physician can diagnose a concussion!
- An athlete with a suspected concussion should <u>ALWAYS</u> see a Physician
- Physician may assess
 - \circ History
 - Neurological Examination (Mental Status, Cognitive Functioning, Gait, Balance)
 - Clinical Status (Symptoms and Severity)
 - \circ Need for potential neuroimaging
 - Neuropsychological Testing
- Best to see a Physician trained in Concussion Management

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While Symptomatic

The following may irritate and slow down recovery:

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- \odot Physical activity:
 - Running, jogging, swimming, biking, rollerblading, working out, dancing
- Mental activity:
 - Texting, watching TV, listening to music, reading, video games, computers
- **•** Environmental:
 - Loud and bright environments (Gymnasiums, arenas)
 - Prolonged exposure to the sunlight/heat



Red Flags!

When to Seek Urgent Care:

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- \odot Headaches worsen
- \circ Neck Pain
- \circ Seizures
- $_{\odot}$ Unusual behavior change
- \odot Repeated vomiting
- \circ Slurred speech
- \circ Increasing confusion/irritability
- ${\rm \circ}$ Weakness/Numbness in arms or legs
- Can't recognize people or places
- Decreasing state of consciousness

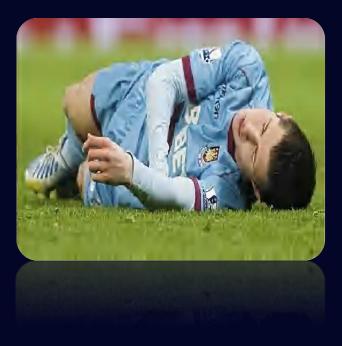




Unconscious Athlete

○ If an athlete experiences an impact that causes loss of consciousness...

DO NOT** move and activate **EMS** immediately ** Only move athlete if CPR must be initiated





Return to Learn

- Before returning to sport, being symptom free during normal, everyday activity is essential
- School environment can be very stimulating and overwhelming
- Work with school administration to help support the student-athlete
- Allow for full recovery before enforcing deadlines/tests/assignments

The Real First Step: be PEOPLE. PRACTICES. PROGRAMS. Return to Learn **SportMedBC**

Return to Learn Communication Tool

Return to Learn should be completed before Return to Play.

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to move back a stage more than once during the recovery process.

Physical activity during Return to Learn is restricted to walking as tolerated



Return to Play (RTP)

- Once asymptomatic and cleared by a physician, athlete may begin graduated return to play protocol
- $_{\odot}$ After each stage, have athlete rest and monitor for 15 minutes post exercise
- $\,\circ\,$ Must have at least 24 hours between each stage
- If ANY S&S appear, no matter the severity, athlete must rest at least 24 hours and athlete drops back to previous stage

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Return to Play Communication Tool Return to Learn should be completed before Return to Play.

STAGE 1:	STAGE 2:	STAGE 3:	STAGE 4:	STAGE 5:	STAGE 6:
No sporting activity	Light aerobic exercise	Sport-specific exercise	Non-contact drills	Full-contact practice	BACK
Symptom-limited physical and cognitive rest	Walking, swimming, stationary cycling, No resistance training, Heart rate <70%	Skating drills (ice hockey), running drills (soccer). No head-impact activities	Progress to complex training dnills (e.g., passing drills). May start resistance	Following medical clearance participate in normal training activities	IN THE GAME Normal game play
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If symptoms reappear at any stage, go back to the previous stage until symptom-free for 24 hours. You may need to move back a stage more than once during the recovery process.

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• No Activity

- Complete mental and physical rest
- Mental activity includes: reading, texting, watching TV, computers, video games, listening to music

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- Physical activity includes: Running, jogging, hiking, swimming, cycling, rollerblading, skateboarding, working out, sex
- Stage goal: Recovery



RTP - STEP 1



• Light Aerobic Exercise

- Keep effort to under 70% of Max heart rate
 - Estimated Max Heart Rate = 220-age
 - Conversational Pace
- Example:
 - 20 minute stationary bike
 - 20 minute light run/walk
- Stage goal: Increase Heart Rate





\odot Sport Specific Exercise/Technique

- Low to moderate intensity activity
- Absolutely no contact or head impact
- Example: Throwing, catching, shooting.
- Stage Goal: Add movement





\circ Non-Contact Training Drills

- Progress to more Sport drills no head contact
- May start progressive resistance training
- Participate in drills, combine movement and strategy

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• Stage Goal: Exercise, coordination, and cognitive load





• Full Contact Practice

- Participate in normal training activities
- Stage goal: Restore confidence and assess functional skills by coaching staff. Final on field tests.





\odot Return To Play

- Doctor clears athlete written permission
- Normal training and competition play
- No restrictions
- Continue to monitor and assess periodically





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Injury Prevention

○Equipment

- Proper fitting helmets shoulder pads
 - Certified, fitted, replaced after significant damage
- Mouth guards
 - Debated but still has many benefits
 - Reduces dental injuries
 - Shock absorption only with proper fit (not cut)

\circ Technique

- How to tackle and be tackled
- How to body check and take a check





Injury Prevention cont.

$\odot \mbox{\rm Appropriate physical conditioning}$

- Good general health and physical conditioning
- Strength, power and endurance
- Coordination, balance and proprioception
- Flexibility, agility, etc.
- Athletes are more at risk of injury when they are tired and/or out of shape

○ Appropriate refereeing

• Ensure qualified referees are monitoring the match

\circ Medical staff

- CATA Certified Athletic Therapist
- SPC Sports Physiotherapist
- CASEM Sports Medicine Physician











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Sideline Assessment Tools

Sideline Concussion Assessment Tool 3 (SCAT3) and Child SCAT3 (5-12 years)

- Includes: pocket/condensed version
- Standardized approach to concussion evaluation
- Good tool used by medical professionals

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Baseline Testing

A series of tests, preformed by a medical professional, used to establish a "Baseline", objective measurement, of "Normal" athlete cognitive, physical functioning. Used as a comparison following a concussion incident.

Examples:

- Neoropsychological Testing: ImPACT, COGNIGRAM
- Computer based programs used pre-and post- concussions for comparisons
- Used by medical professionals
- · Can be costly, not properly analyzed by Neuropsychologist
- · Not unanimously recommended
- SCAT 3 Sport Concussion Assessment Tool
- KING-DEVICK Vision Test, Near Point Convergence
- Reaction Time, Balance, Cervical Testing





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Myths & Mistakes

- \circ I just got my bell rung I don't have a concussion
- \odot My symptoms aren't that bad, I can play through it
- \circ It's just a headache
- $_{\odot}$ I had a headache before the hit
- $_{\odot}$ I can finish the match and rest after
- $_{\odot}$ I'm sick and have a cold so that's why I feel this way
- $_{\odot}$ He's just suffering from "Concussion-like symptoms"
- $_{\odot}$ No longer need to wake up every couple hours let sleep and promote rest





- When in doubt, sit them out!
- Err on the side of caution
- Patience is very important
- Any suspected concussion should be followed up with a doctor

BE SAFE!



Resources

For up to date information, visit:

- SportMedBC
- o www.sportmedbc.com
- Concussion Awareness Training Tool (CATT)
- o www.cattonline.com
- o http://ppc.cattonline.com/resources/handouts.html
- Parachute Canada
- o www.parachutecanada.org
- $\circ~$ CDC website Heads up training tool
- o http://www.cdc.gov/concussion/headsup/youth.html
- **o** Canadian Concussion Collaborative
- o http://casem-acmse.org/education/ccc/
- YouTube: Concussions 101, a Primer for Kids and Parents



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Risk Management

What's your Risk Management IQ?



Risk Management

Key Messages

- Request sanctioning for all activities outside regularly scheduled club activities
- Everyone that steps on the mats should sign a Awareness and Assumption or Risk/Release of Liability, Waiver or Claims & Indemnity Agreement
- Ask to see Judo Canada cards at events
- Judo BC insurance is specific and doesn't cover everything





Society Act Update

The new BC Societies Act will come into effect on Nov. 28, 2016



Society Act

What does this mean to Judo BC Clubs?

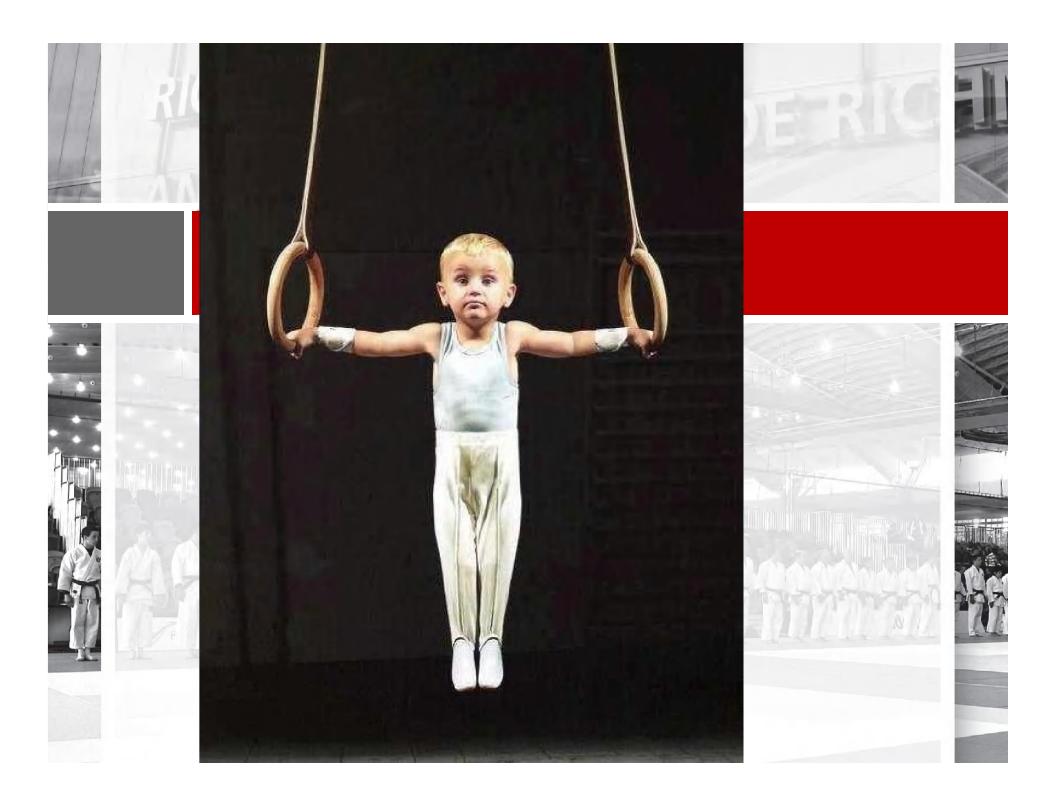
- In the two years following that date, every preexisting society will be required to "transition" to the new Act.
- Transition Support
 - ViaSport
 - Judo BC
- Interested in learning more now?
 - <u>www.bcregistryservices.gov.bc.ca/bcreg/societiesact/ind</u>
 <u>ex.page</u>





Judo Growth & Development in BC

Presented by Jeff Thomson Gymnastics BC Coach Education and Development Manager Douglas College Sport Science Instructor International Age Group Development Expert International and CAC Level 3 Coach



Growth and Development?



Normal Growth

Early versus Late Maturity





Growth and Development of Judo

It is not important to be better than someone else, but to be better than yesterday.

Kano Jigoro

Big Picture Relevancy of Judo / Sport

Canadians have become very inactive

□ 25% of Canadians obese

More men than women!

Children and adolescent's suffering mentally





Big Picture

 Even a modest increase in physical activity rates will have a major impact on decreasing health care costs.

Relevance of the Coach

 Children who take part in sport most want to be like their;

□ Coach 80%

□ Teacher 40%

□ Parent 14%

Athlete centered, Coach driven and Administratively supported



Mandatory Coaching Certification

Number of hours required to become qualified?

PlumberBarber

Level 3 Coach

Treasures!



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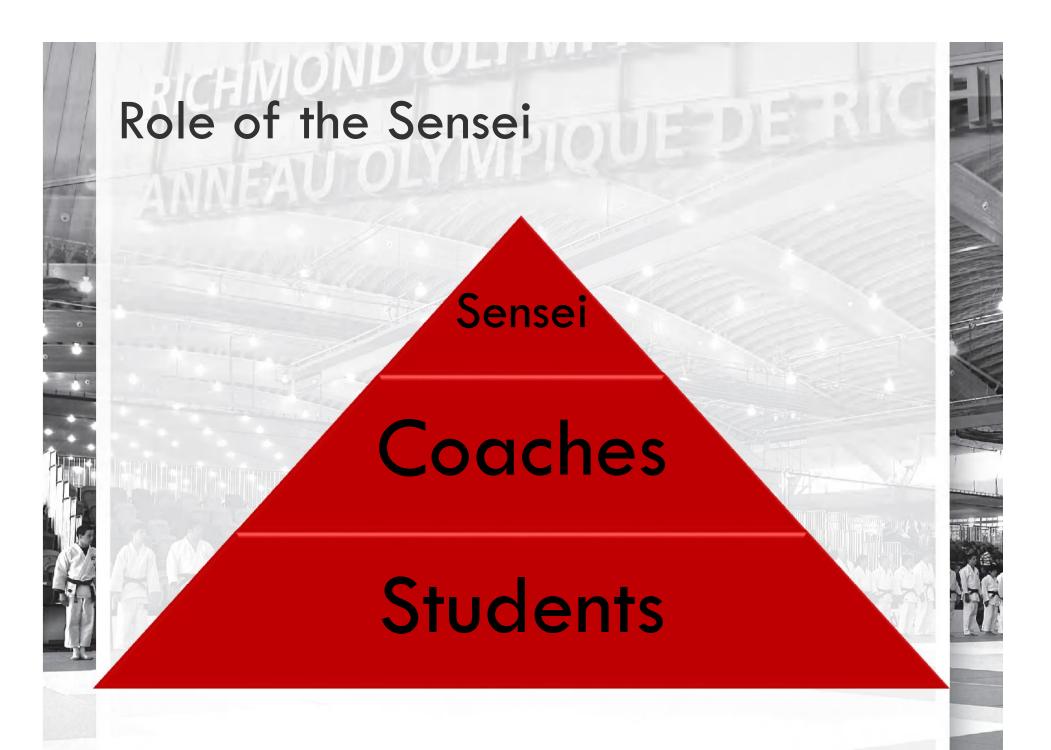
- 72 Member Clubs
- □ 50,000+ members

Why?

- Professional Clubs
- Public knowledge of importance of physical literacy
- History of coaches nurturing and mentoring future coach talent

"Nothing under the sun is greater than education. By educating one person and sending him into the society of his generation, we make a contribution extending a hundred generations to come."

Prof. Kano



Role of the Sensei

Coaches

Clubs

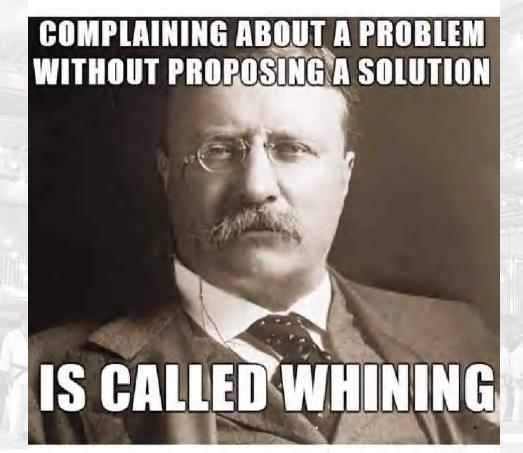
Sensei

A Sensei or Coaches Leagcy

In the end, as leaders, we will not be judges or remembered for how many medals our athletes won, but by the legacy we leave behind in terms of the number of people still involved in the sports we love



Call to Action!



Let's get them into the Dojo's



Round Table Discussions Part 1

Group 1 – Cultural/Attitude/Social Challenges
 Group 2 – Infrastructure Challenges
 Group 3 – Successes – Judo BC & Clubs





Judoka Tracking App







High Performance









High Performance Presentation

U16 - U18 – U21

By Jeremy Le Bris 2016-06-11

Our mission

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- Judo British Columbia as one of the best Province in Canada
- Create **an optimal environment training for ours athletes** (IST, RTC, planning & periodization, etc.)
- Have 1 or 2 athletes selected at the Olympic Games (2024)





Our 4 Goals

1. The Regional Training Center is coming soon

2.3 « STEPS » in the development

- Athletes selected at Nationals
- Medals at Nationals
- Medals in international tournaments



3. Increase the number of Nationally ranked E/F in U18

4. Increase the number of Nationally ranked D/E in U21



What do we have to do?

★Close collaboration between clubs, Judo BC and Judo Canada

★Prepare young athletes to integrate to the National Team

★ Create a **Regional Training Centre**



Regional Training Centre

Facility and location :

<u>Short term</u> Burnaby Judo Club



First day : SEPTEMBER 6TH – 6PM

Long Term Metro Vancouver A structure with facilities (Simon Fraser University)



Training Plan

	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesda y	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
AM		Physical Training (TBD)		Physical Training (TBD)		Physical Training (TBD)	10-12 RTC Training **
РМ	Rest	Club training	6-8 RTC Training *	Club training	6-8 RTC Training*	Club training	

* Burnaby Judo Club

** Abbotsford Judo Club and Steveston Judo Club



« Train to train »

- U14 = 3 times per week
- U16 = 5 times per week
- U18 = 7 times per week
- U21 = **7/9 times** per week



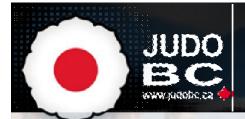
« Train to compete »

U14 = 6/8 competitions per year

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- U16 = 6/10 competitions per year
- U18 = 8/10 competitions per year
- U21 = 8/12 **competitions** per year



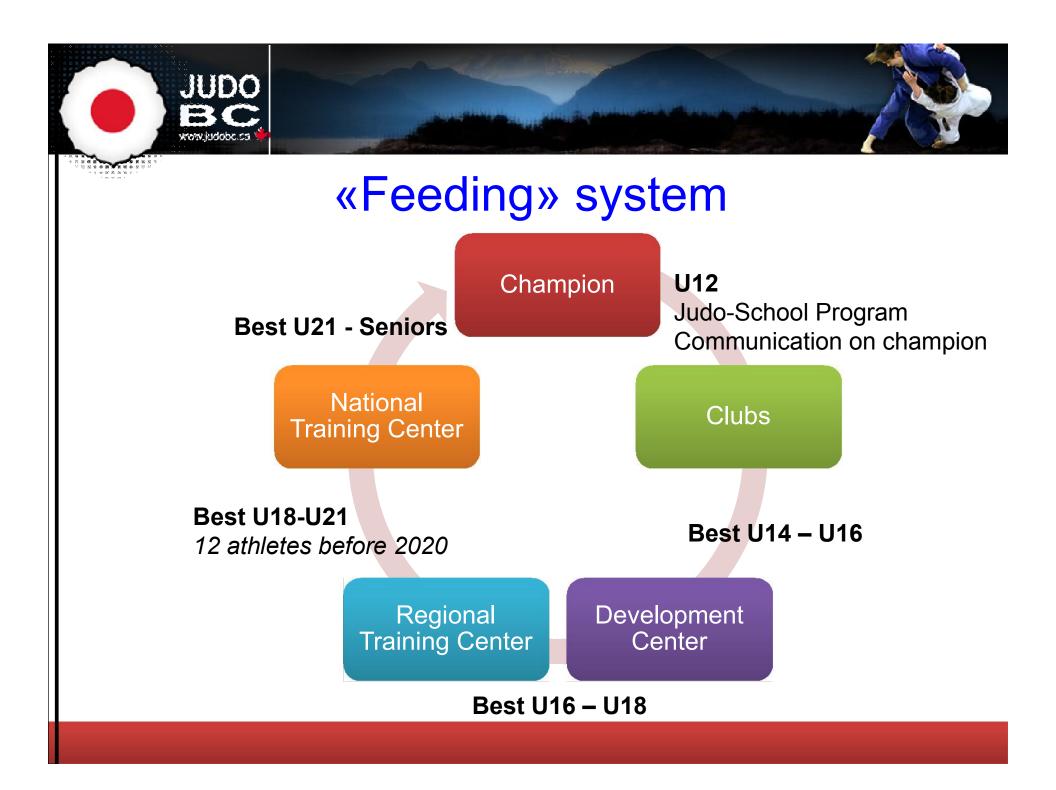


Provincial Training Camp

4-6 training per year seasonally

Register on line with Judo BC

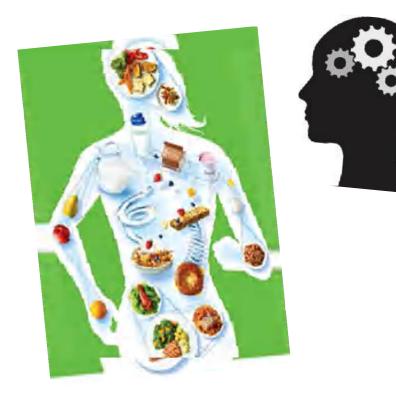
Open to everyone, coaches and athletes





Regional IST Support

- ✿ Anthropometric and physical testing : 3 per year
- Nutrition
- Performances analysis
- Mental performances
- Health services



Testing selection

When?

Last week-end of August – TBC

What? Physical and judo testing

How?

Register on line on Judo BC

Where? 2 or 3 areas in BC

Who?

Criteria has to be defined









Questions or comments?

Thank you for your attention!



2016 Annual General Meeting



2016 AGM Agenda

- 1) Meeting called to order
- 2) Adoption of Agenda
- 3) Review and Acceptance of minutes from 2015
- 4) Treasurer's Report
- 5) Reports
- 6) Resolutions
- 7) Elections of Officers
- 8) Old Business
- 9) New Business
- 10) Announcements
- 11) Awards Presentations
- 12) Adjournment





Treasurer's Report, Eric Cherneff

- Review of Financial Statements to March 31, 2016
- 2. Review and Adopt budget for 2016/17
- 3. Appointment of Auditor for 2016/17 fiscal year



Reports



- 2. Judo Canada
- 3. Executive Director
- 4. BC Team
- 5. Technical Committee
- 6. Grading Board
- 7. Coaching
- 8. Referee
- 9. BC Winter Games
- 10. Women's Committee

Sandy Kent Sandy Kent Katie Thomson **Bruce Kamstra** Aline Strasdin Art Nishi **Bruce Fingarson Graham Magnusson James Chevrette** Donna Hanson



BC Games





Elections of Officers

1st Vice President – two year term Ramon Rodriguez

Secretary – two year term



Old Business

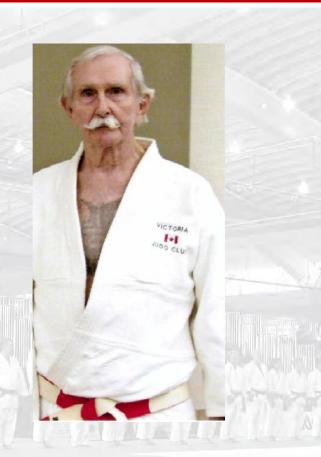


New Business



In Memoriam

Charles William (Bill) Kovits 1934-2015 Victoria Judo Club





In Memoriam

Eugene Baker 1972 – 2016 Seikidokan Judo Club





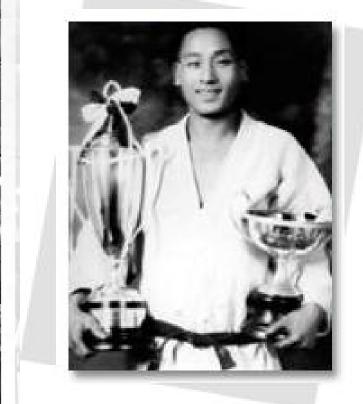
Announcements

2016 Americas Masters Games



Steve Sasaki Memorial Award





Presented annually to a long time member of Judo BC who exemplifies the principles of Kodokan Judo



Steve Sasaki Memorial Award

2016 Recipient George Okazaki



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Thank you for attending.

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See you in the Fall!

2016 Annual General Meeting