

## **Annual Report 2023 Coaching Development Committee**

### Committee Members:

- Sandi Vyse (Chair)
- Katharine North
- Barb Beck
- Keven Fitzpatrick

### Returning Members:

- Sandi Vyse
- Barb Beck

### Positions Available:

- 2 Positions - 2 Year Term
- 10 meetings this past season
- Meetings are on a monthly basis

### **Achievements and Successes in 2022-2023**

- CWG TeamBC Speed Skating Manager selections
- CYWST and CYWLT Team Assistant Coach selections
- Continued participation in the SSBC Sport Technical Community of Practice Facebook page (Katharine North)
- Spearheaded the coaching Personal Development Plans, now known as Individualized Coaching Development Plans (ICDP). Chris Acton (Technical Director) had taken charge.
- Katharine North to sit on Competitions Committee for 2022-23 season
- Fundamentals Leader Course took place attended by at least 12 members
- Selected SSBC Coach of the Year - Lucy Lee
- Facilitated mentorship for new coaches at Provincial Championships

## Challenges in 2022-2023

- CDC Terms of reference still need to be clarified
- Ability of CDC to decide and direct coaching courses
- Clarity on how ICDP is to be run
- Receiving up to date coaching master list for reference
- Support for Coaches Recognition Week
- Fundamentals Leader Course, not much information was shared to help CDC for future reference and future courses
- Lack of clarity in the relationship between the provincial coaches, staff, executive and the CDC.

## Strategic and Operational Goals for 2023-2024

Get the Junior Leadership program up and running.

Recruitment of new coaches and retention and reinvigoration of current coaches. Training opportunities both NCCP and other. Create new opportunities to help stalled coaches become certified.

Have new provincial coach as a member of the Coaching Committee.

Facilitate assistance, support, mentorship and follow up with coaches who are working on their certification and coach training.

Continue to provide mentorship opportunities for up and coming coaches.

Create a mentored coach position for Canadian Youth long track and Canadian Youth Short Track West that is either fully or partially funded by SSBC.

