



Invitation

NORAM 5 Quebec Cup # 5

February 25th and 26th 2012

**USS Valcartier : Centre de biathlon
Myriam Bédard**

MEMORANDUM

TO: Biathlon Canada Divisions / Members of Biathlon club
FROM: François Jean, Président,
Club de biathlon de Courcellette
DATE: January 20th 2012

**SUBJECT: INVITATION FOR THE EVENTS:
East Canadian Championship, Quebec Cup # 4: February 5th and 6th 2011**

FACILITY - MYRIAM BEDARD BIATHLON CENTRE (CMB) – USS VALCARTIER

Base Valcartier is located approximately 25 km North of Pierre Laporte Bridge using Routes 573 and 369, if you are driving from the Trans-Canada Highway (Rte 20). If you are flying, use the road as shown on the map enclosed to get to the base from the airport. A plan of Base Valcartier is included. At the Myriam Bédard Biathlon Center, competition trails and their profiles will be distributed to the teams upon their arrival. Courses will be confirmed at the first Team Captain Meeting.

Organizing committee:

Organizing Committee Chair	François Jean	Advance
Competition Chief	Donald Villeneuve	TD
Chief of Timing	Michel Gasseau	Advance
Chief of Course	Carl Tremblay	Advance
Chief of Stadium	Denis Huot	Advance
Chief of Range	Pierre-Olivier Désilet	Advance
Competition Secretaries	Denise Pelletier	Advance
Volunteer Coordinators	Lise Thomas	Advance

Technical Delegate: Mr. Roger Archambeault appointed by Biathlon Canada

Questions should be directed to :

Donald Villeneuve at donville@videotron.ca 418-933-8175 (up to 21h00)

COMPETITION JURY

Technical Delegate: Mr. Roger Archambeault
Competition Chief: Mr. Donald Villeneuve

Others members: Three team captains, elected at the first Captains' Meeting on February 24th, 2012

JURY OF APPEAL

In accordance with Biathlon Canada Policy.

COMPETITION RULES

The event will be run in accordance with:

- IBU Event and Competition Rules;
- Biathlon Canada organisation policy of NORTH AMERICAN Championships and other joint USA/CANADIAN events , June 2011
- Biathlon Canada Range Procedures for Competitors not carrying rifles, June 2009.

ELIGIBILITY

All members of Biathlon Canada Divisions and the United States Biathlon Association, with a competitor membership card or by obtaining a day pass on the day of the competition are eligible to participate in the classes as authorized by the IBU rules and North American Hosting Policies. If there is a change of classes, it will be done in accordance to the Hosting policy for NORTH AMERICAN Championships and other joint USA/CANADIAN events, June 2011. <http://biathloncanada.ca/dbfiles/1502.pdf>
Other nationalities may participate but are not eligible for North American medals.

AWARDS

Noram medals will be given to the first three for Men, Women, Junior Men and Women and Youth Men and Women. Quebec cup medals will be given to all categories.

The first athlete of each Noram category for combine results of the 2 races will receive 100.00\$ CAD, the second one, 75.00\$ CAD and the third one 50.00\$ CAD

PROTESTS

Protests must be submitted in writing to the Competition Office in accordance with IBU Rules, accompanied with a \$25.00 (CAN) deposit. The deposit will be returned only if the protest is upheld. Protest forms are available at the Competition Office.

CLASSES OF COMPETITORS AND TYPES OF COMPETITIONS

Classes of Competitors	Mass start (February 25th, 2012)	Sprint (February 26th, 2012)
Master Men 30 +	7,5 km P,P,S,S	6 km P,S
Men 21 +	15 km P,P,S,S	10 km P,S
Junior Men 19-20	12,5 km P,P,S,S	10 km P,S
Youth Men 17-18	10 km P,P,S,S	7.5 km P,S
Senior Boys 15-16	7,5 km P,P,S,S	6 km P,S
Master Women 30 +	7,5 km P,P,S,S	6 km P,S
Women 21 +	12,5 km P,P,S,S	7.5 km P,S
Junior Women 19-20	10 km P,P,S,S	7.5 km P,S
Youth Women 17-18	7,5 km P,P,S,S	6 km P,S
Senior Girls 15-16	7,5 km P,P,S,S	6 km P,S
Junior Girls & Boys 13-14	6 km P,P,S,S	4 km P,S
Air rifle (Feinwerkbau .177 Calibers)		
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Master Men 30 +	7,5 km P,P,S,S	6 km P,P
Men 21 +	15 km P,P,S,S	10 km P,P
Junior Men 19-20	12,5 km P,P,S,S	10km P,P
Youth Men 17-18	10 km P,P,S,S	7.5 km P,P
Senior Boys 15-16	7,5 km P,P,S,S	6 km P,P
Master Women 30 +	7,5 km P,P,S,S	6 km P,P
Women 21 +	12,5 km P,P,S,S	7.5 km P,P
Junior Women 19-20	10 km P,P,S,S	7.5 km P,P
Youth Women 17-18	7,5 km P,P,S,S	6 km P,P
Senior Girls 15-16	7,5 km P,P,S,S	6 km P,P
Junior Girls & Boys 13-14	6 km P,P,S,S	4 km P,P
Juvenile Girls & Boys 11-12	3 km P,P,P	4 km P, P
Girls & Boys beginner 9-10	3 km P,P,P	3 km P, P
Girls & Boys initiation 8	3 km P,P,P	3 km P,P

REMARKS

A minimum of 4 entries are required for a category to be awarded medals, if less than 4, only the first athlete will receive an award. Weather dictating, the Organizing Committee may modify start times. In the event of cancellation on the day of a competition, the Organizing Committee will not refund any entry fees in order to cover any cost incurred.

Air rifles categories (Feinwerkbau .177 calibers): Boys and girls will not carry a rifle during any competition and they will shoot in the prone position only.

Senior Boys and Girls categories will carry their rifles only on the range (they will pick up their rifle on a rack at the entrance to the range and place them on a rack as they leave the range) and they will shoot in the prone and standing positions.

Junior Boys and Girls categories who shoot .22 rifle, rifle will be place on mat and they will shoot only in the prone positions.

NORAM Cup and Quebec Cup will be awarded points to count towards the overall total of each Cup for eligible categories.

REGISTRATION

By Email only to inscription@biathloncourselette.com

Note: All registration must be received before **19h, on Wednesday, February 22nd, 2012**. Competitors under the age of 18 years of age: legal guardian must sign the registration form.

Registration fees for Canadian & US athletes (\$ Can)		
Classes of Competitors	1 Competition	2 Competitions
Senior (Men/Women)	\$ 40.00	\$ 60.00
Junior (Men/Women)	\$ 40.00	\$ 60.00
Masters (Men/Women)	\$ 40.00	\$ 60.00
Youth (Men/Women)	\$ 40.00	\$ 60.00
Senior (Boys/Girls)	\$ 25.00	\$ 45.00
Junior/Juvenile 13-14 (Boys/Girls)	\$ 20.00	\$ 35.00
Boys/Girls (8-12)	\$ 10.00	\$ 20.00
Participation	\$ 10.00	\$ 20.00
One day pass (none members)	\$ 5.00	\$ 10.00

NOTE: \$ 10.⁰⁰ added for all registrations received after the deadline (**19h, February 22nd, 2012**)

MEALS AND LODGING

MEALS

At your own expense. Available at the USS Valcartier main kitchen (Building 505), where tickets are sold. Proper dress must be worn at all times: no dirty jeans, sweat suits, shorts and shirts without sleeves.

LODGING

Hotels in the Quebec City region:

- ❑ **GRANDTIMESHOTEL** 6515, Boulevard Wilfrid-Hamel Québec, Qc, G2E 5W3
<http://www.timeshotel.ca/fr/contact.htm> reservation@timeshotel.ca
- ❑ **Hôtel Normandin** www.hotelnormandin.com Information : info@hotelnormandin.com

Rooms available at Base Valcartier Centre Exacta for military personnel. Reservation (418) 844-5000 extention 5734

EVENT PROGRAM

Day	Times	Descriptions
Friday, February 24 th , 2012	09h00 - 1845 14h00 - 1600 20h00	Arrivals Official training at the CMB Team Captains' Meeting at the CMB
Saturday, February 25 th , 2012	10h00 – 10h45 11h00 16h30	Zeroing Individual competitions Team captains meeting
Sunday, February 26 th , 2012	10h00 – 10h45 11h00 16h00	Zeroing Sprint competitions Presentation of medals

SANCTIONNING

The 2011 – 2012 events are sanctioned by Biathlon Canada and covered by their insurance.

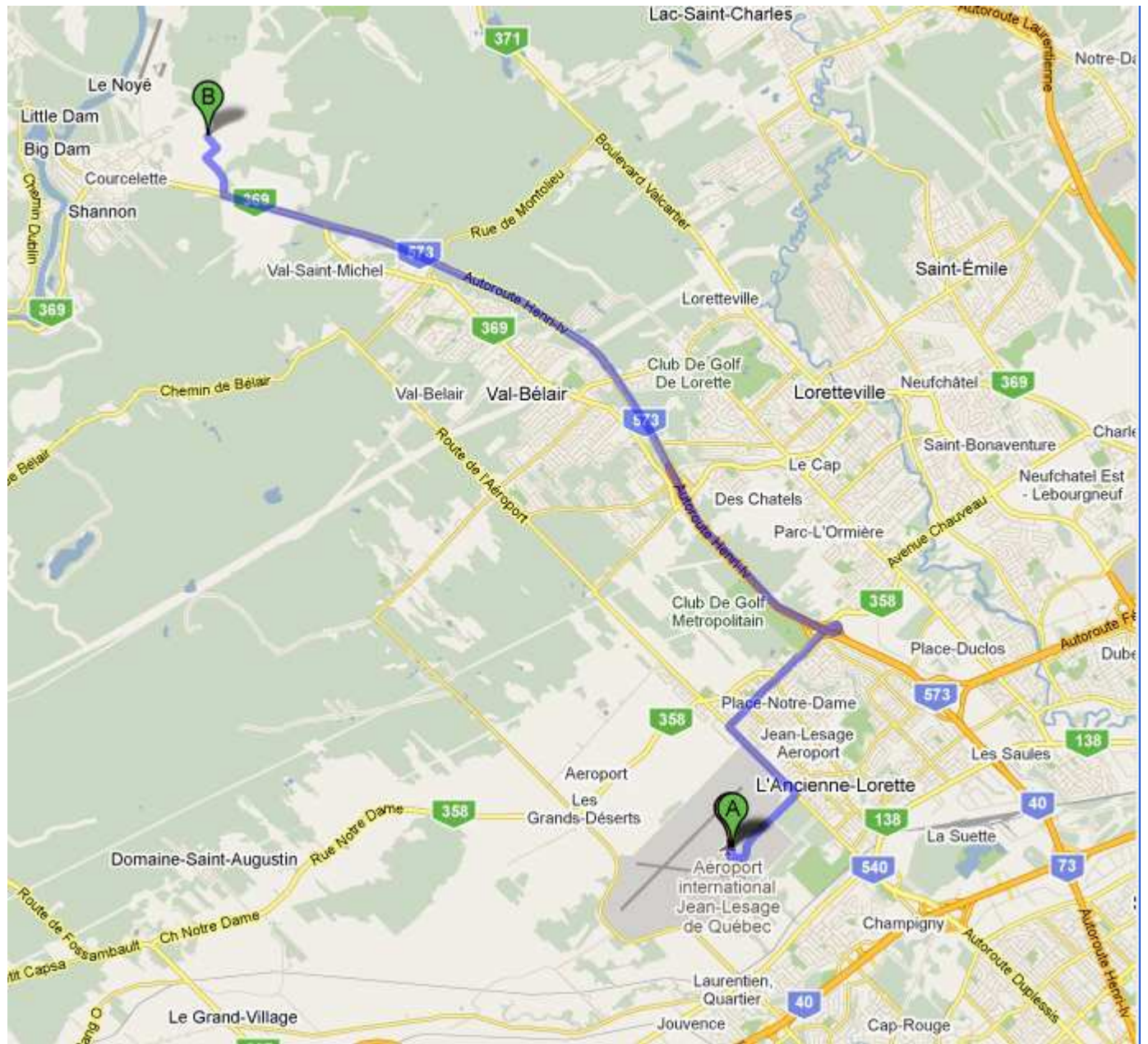
RIFLES / SKI STORAGE & WAXING

Waxing rooms, range and trails are available on site at the CMB.

Rifles and skis may be stored in rooms at the CMB.


All waxing must be done in the team huts at the CMB

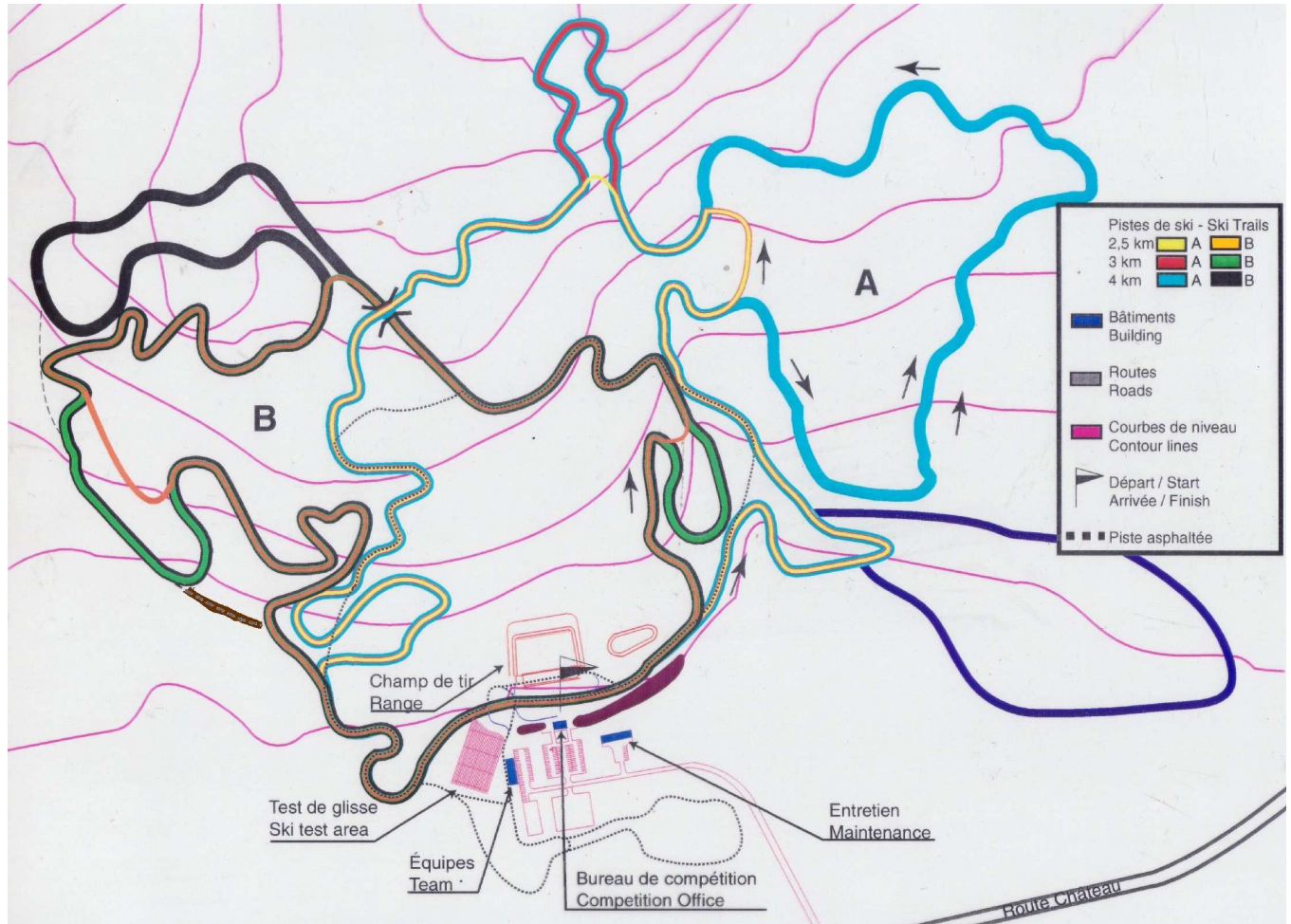
Map from Airport to Valcartier Military Base



Map of trails

For detail of the trails, course profiles and stadium plan please access ACBQ web site

(<http://www.acbq.qc.ca/cc2009/PISTE-CBMB-4.pdf>) 



**NORAM #5, QUEBEC CUP # 5
(FEBRUARY 25TH AND 26TH, 2012)**

REGISTRATION FORM

Name: _____ First name: _____

Birthday: _____ Class: _____ Gender: F M

Address: _____

No Street Apartment
City Postal Code/Zip

Email: _____ Tel: (____) _____ - _____ CAPA No: _____

Team: _____ Member No: _____

<u>Category: (.22)</u>	<u>AGE</u>	<u>1 competition</u>	<u>2 competitions</u>
Master Men	35+	\$ 40.00	\$ 60.00
Men	21 +	\$ 40.00	\$ 60.00
Junior Men	19-20	\$ 40.00	\$ 60.00
Youth Men	17-18	\$ 40.00	\$ 60.00
Senior boys	15-16	\$ 25.00	\$ 45.00
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Senior Women	15-16	\$ 25.00	\$ 45.00
Junior Boys	13-14	\$ 25.00	\$ 45.00
Junior Girls	13-14	\$ 25.00	\$ 45.00

Air Rifle : (Feinwerkbau .177)

Open Category (<u>age 15 and over</u>)		\$ 10.00	\$ 20.00
Junior Boys	13-14	\$ 20.00	\$ 35.00
Juvenile Boys	11-12	\$ 10.00	\$ 20.00
Beginner Boys	9-10	\$ 10.00	\$ 20.00
Initiation Boys	8	\$ 10.00	\$ 20.00
Junior Girls	13-14	\$ 20.00	\$ 35.00
Juvenile Girls	11-12	\$ 10.00	\$ 20.00
Beginner Girls	9-10	\$ 10.00	\$ 20.00
Initiation Girls	8	\$ 10.00	\$ 20.00
Participative athlete		\$ 10.00	\$ 20.00
One day pass (none club members)		\$ 5.00	\$ 10.00

Grand total \$

Release Clause:

I here by release Biathlon Canada, the Association des Clubs de Biathlon du Québec Inc. and le Club de biathlon de Courcellette, its members or agents, all sponsors, all officials, and any other persons officially connected with the competitions from any liability for any injuries or damages whatsoever arising from my participation in or presence at this event.

Signature of participant Date: _____

Signature of Legal Guardian, if under 18 Date: _____

- **Note:** 10.00\$ will be added for registration received by email after Wednesday February 22nd 2012
- All registration fees must be handed in at the Competition Office before 21h, on Friday, February 24th, 2012.
- Legal guardian must sign registration forms for competitors under the age of 18 years of age.