



**Athletics New Brunswick
High Performance Program**



**Athlétisme Nouveau-Brunswick
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Athletics New Brunswick Announces its High Performance Teams from the Indoor Season

Athletics New Brunswick is pleased to announce its' High Performance Program teams from the 2015 indoor season. These athletes achieved performance standards which place them as the best in the province, and in many cases among the best in the country. As a part of the High Performance teams, these athletes will have special training and competition opportunities to help them continue to improve with the goal of representing New Brunswick on the national and international stage. A total of 49 athletes achieved the required performance standards, with 23 of those achieving the A standards.

The 23 athletes named to the HPP A team include:

| Name | Club | Event(s) | Hometown |
|----------------------|-------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Britt, Barry | una | 3000m | Hampton NB |
| Brown, Dan | SJTC | 600m | Hampton NB |
| Cleghorn, Brandon | ASEA | High Jump | Salisbury NB |
| Dobson, Shayne | ASEA | 1000m; 1500m | Campbellton NB |
| Doiron, Stéphanie | ASEA | High Jump | Collette NB |
| Doucet, Alain | ASEA | Pentathlon | Dieppe NB |
| Dumouchel, Pierre | SJTC | 600m | Quispamsis NB |
| Fowler, Ben | SJTC | Pentathlon | Grand Bay NB |
| Gaudes, Adam | FFT | 600m | Fredericton NB |
| Lalonde, Geneviève | una | 1500m | Moncton NB |
| LeBlanc, Michael | ASEA | 60m | Riverview NB |
| MacDonald, Elizabeth | ASEA | Weight Throw | Fredericton NB |
| MacKenzie, Jason | ASEA | Pentathlon | Campbellton NB |
| Mallais, Alexa-Maude | ASEA | 60m | Caraquet NB |
| Maltais, Naomie | ASEA | Weight Throw | Val d'Amour NB |
| McDonald, Tess | FLTC | Triple Jump | Fredericton NB |
| McGrath, Clare | una | 1000m; 1500m | Woodstock NB |
| McKay, Shawna | ASEA | 300m | Moncton NB |
| McLaughlin, Matthew | una | 600m | New Maryland NB |
| McNeil, Matthew | SJTC | 1500m; 3000m | Saint John NB |
| Myatt, Sarah | MCNB | 600m | Fredericton NB |
| Robertson, Chris | ASEA | Pentathlon | Moncton NB |
| Taplin, Sarah | una | Triple Jump | Moncton NB |

The 26 athletes named to the HPP B team include:

| Name | Club | Event(s) | Hometown |
|------------------|-------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Ancheta, Kyle | FLTC | TJ | Fredericton NB |
| Bouchard, Jason | FLTC | 200m | Fredericton NB |
| Brennan, Bridget | CYAN | 300m | Beechwood NB |
| Brennan, Timothy | CYAN | 600m | Beechwood NB |
| Cécire, Nathalie | FLTC | 600m | Fredericton NB |

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| Coholan, Alexandre | ASEA | 300m | Moncton NB |
| Cormier, Hannah | una | 800m; 1500m | Fredericton NB |
| Dickinson, Laura | ASEA | 1500m; 3000m | Miramichi NB |
| Dunn, Taylor | SJTC | 800m; 1500m; 3000m | New Maryland NB |
| Gionet, Jonathan | FLTC | Shot Put | Bathurst NB |
| Graves, Brady | SJTC | 1500m; 3000m | Saint John NB |
| Harrison, Braden | FLTC | 200m; 300m; 400m | Fredericton NB |
| Johnson, Jordan | FLTC | High Jump | Fredericton NB |
| Landry, Pierre | ASEA | Pentathlon; Long Jump | St-Louis NB |
| LeBlanc, Victoria | SJTC | Long Jump | Saint John NB |
| Lefort, Kyle | SJTC | High Jump; Pentathlon | Saint John NB |
| MacDonald, Sydney | ASEA | 60m; 200m; 60m H; Pentathlon | Miramichi NB |
| Malone, Olivia | ASEA | 400m | Little Shemogue NB |
| Miller, Sara | ASEA | Triple Jump | Grande-Digue NB |
| Nazari, Artabaz | SJTC | 60m | Saint John NB |
| Omalosanga, Véronique | ASEA | 60m | Moncton NB |
| Retallick, Jeffrey | FLTC | 300m | Fredericton NB |
| Shanks, Joshua | SJTC | 3000m | Lepreau NB |
| St-Arnauld, Miriook | CEKN | 60m; 300m | Baie de Bouctouche NB |
| Turgeon, Liam | ARAN | Shot Put | Tide Head NB |
| Ugabi, Anne | FLTC | 60m | Rothsay NB |

“We are very proud of all of our New Brunswick athletes, but those that have made these standards have definitely earned themselves an extra pat on the back,” said ANB Director of High Performance Steve LeBlanc. “Our province continues to improve the quantity and quality of our athletes thanks in no small part to the hard work of the athletes themselves along with their coaches.” And he added, “It is a sign of the health of our sporting community that we continue to exceed expectations.”

ANB Technical Director Gabriel LeBlanc pointed out that the growth in our sport has come from a combination of an excellent talent pool, outstanding coaching and club support, and a renewed focus on facilities and infrastructure. “We are fortunate right now to have some very good facilities, both new and renovated, that allow us to host top notch competitions as well as support a high quality training environment. We hope to see even more development of athletics facilities, both indoor and outdoor, across our province to continue this trend in sport development,” added LeBlanc. “Our athletes deserve the very best.”

Along with the HP teams from the indoor season, ANB is also pleased to note that both Barry Britt, of Hampton, and Ryan Cassidy, of Grande-Digue, achieved HP A team performances during the Canadian Cross Country Championships back in December, having finished 4th and 5th respectively. They were subsequently named to the Canadian national team and represented Canada at both the Panamerican Cross Country Cup in Columbia and the IAAF World Cross Country Championships in China. Matt McNeil, of Saint John, also achieved an A team performance with his 12th place finish at the 2014 CIS Cross Country Championships. Both Barry and Matt were able to replicate this with their indoor A team performances. Congratulations to these three athletes on their strong performances.