



BCFA 2023/2024 SEASON DEVELOPMENTAL FUNDING POLICY

INTRODUCTION: This policy document describes how the BCFA will support BC club-run developmental programs in the 2023/2024 season, from September 2023 to August 2024.

POLICY: The BCFA will support registered BC clubs that deliver development programs in a club or community setting (i.e., community center or school programs) with a \$5 rebate per member registered.

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA: Programs must be:

- Be Delivered by a BC registered member club;
- Be run by a certified coach (Coaching Association of Canada) with a satisfactory criminal record check with completed Canadian safe sport requirements;
- Be one day or more in length; and,
- Be fencing specific.

REPORTING REQUIREMENTS: To be reimbursed, hosting clubs must provide:

- List of attendees, including the following information:
 - Names, contact numbers and addresses of all participants;
 - Age of participants;
 - Weapons
- Location site of program, dates and program agenda;

FINANCIAL CONSTRAINTS: The BCFA budget for this program is \$10,000 for the 2023/2024 season. Once exceeded, additional support will be at the discretion of the Board of Directors. Program directors should seek prior confirmation from the BCFA that budget funds are available.