



**2026 CANADIAN JUNIOR CHAMPIONSHIPS
QUOTA POLICY**

January 2026

The **2026 Canadian Junior Championships** is part of the Canada Cup Series presented by Toyo Tires, and will occur in 2 locations in Canada based on disciplines:

❖ **Mogul/Aerial Championships** . Hereafter known as the “MO/DM/AE Event”

- March 18 - March 22 – Panorama, BC

❖ **Park & Pipe Championships**: Hereafter known as the “SS/HP/BA Event”

- March 18 - March 22 – Stoneham, QC

QUOTAS per EVENT

Quotas will be given based on athletes participating in all 3 disciplines at each location. Receiving a Jr Championship spot at the MO/DM/AE Event means that you will receive a spot for MO, DM, and AE. Likewise, your spot for the SS/HP/BA Event will give you a spot for HP, SS and BA. Quotas will not be calculated according to each discipline, they are given out for the entire Event. Freestyle Canada (FC) encourages athletes to prepare to ski in all three disciplines at each event according to our LTAD Train to Train recommendations. Refunds will not be given out for not participating in one of the 3 disciplines. For AE and HP only, there are 25 additional spots for Aerials, based on P/TSO identified AE specialists, and 25 additional spots for HP, based on P/TSO identified HP specialists.

OVERVIEW OF QUOTA CALCULATION

Provincial Quotas are figured on an annual basis. Quotas are determined by 3 aspects, in the following order;

1. **BASE** quota per province (48 spots of the 100 total event spots), divided equally between provinces/territories participating.
2. **MEMBERSHIP**: P/TSO percentage of athlete licenses from 2025-2026 season (as of JAN 20 2026) for the following categories U12 - U14 - U16 - U18 (30 spots of the 100 total event spots).
3. **PERFORMANCE** quotas : results from the previous edition are used to calculate performance quotas for the current Junior Championship (22 spots of the 100 total event spots).

*If the number can't be equally divided, remaining spots will go in the round robin.

1. Base Quota (48 spots total):

- 1.1 spots will be evenly distributed across FC's recognized P/TSOs per Event :
 - **48 spots for MO/DM/AE Event**: Moguls, Dual Moguls, Aerial
 - **48 spots for SS/HP/BA Event**: Slopestyle, Halfpipe, Big Air

2. **MEMBERSHIP Quota (30 spots total):** P/TSOs will receive a percentage of the 30 spots, based on the number of athlete licenses from the 2025-2026 season (as of JAN. 20, 2026) for the following categories: U12 - U14 - U16 - U18.

- 1.1. Membership reports are used to calculate the MEMBERSHIP Quota, by using the SnowReg registration system.

3. **PERFORMANCE Quota (22 spots total):**

- 3.1 MOGULS, DUAL MOGULS and AERIALS AND SLOPESTYLE, BIG AIR and HALF-PIPE Junior Championship results from the previous edition are used to calculate performance quotas for the current season's Junior Championship.

- 3.2 Performance quota calculation method:

- Each podium per discipline, per age category, and per gender will give the P/TSO one (1) point (1 point per medal)

- 3.3 22 spots will be distributed between the P/TSOs that earned points, based on a ratio of the total podium points of all P/TSOs.

4. **Round Robin Calculation**

- 4.1. The round robin for unused spots is calculated by using the Performance quota P/TSO rankings described in point 3 (Performance Quota - 22 spots total).

- 4.2. In case of a tie, the tie breaker will count the most 1st placings

- 4.3. The next tie breaker will count the most 2nd placings

- 4.4. The next tie breaker will count the most 3rd placings

- 4.5. The next tie breaker will count the best number of 1st places in MO and SS disciplines only.

Freestyle Canada will notify the P/TSOs of their Junior Championship quota **by January 23rd, 2026**

P/TSOs must notify Freestyle Canada of unused quota spots by **January 28th 2026 for MO/DM/AE/SS/BA/HP.**

P/TSOs requiring extra quota spots must make a formal written request to the Freestyle Canada Events coordinator: julien@freestylecanada.ski **before**

January 28, 2026. The final reallocation process shall be finished by January 28th.

The timeline for establishing quotas is:

FC Notifies P/TSOs of Quota Spots	JANUARY 23, 2026
P/TSOs notify FC of unused quota spots	JANUARY 28, 2026
FC notifies P/TSOs of new quota spots based on reallocation procedure	JANUARY 30, 2026
QUOTA reallocation closes – open spots go to HOST P/TSO	JANUARY 30, 2026
P/TSOs confirm athletes	MARCH 4, 2026
Athletes registration deadline	MARCH 6, 2026
P/TSO can redistribute their spots within the P/TSO (in case of an injury)	MARCH 16, 2025 (limit) After this date, spots goes back to the host P/TSO

There are no host quota spots at the Canadian Junior Championships.

Divisions (P/TSO's) are responsible for their own athlete selection criteria once they receive their Provincial quota.

Divisions are strongly encouraged to fill spots from both genders and all relative age categories on an equal basis.