

ATHLETE APPLICATION FORM

Thank you for your application to the Whistler Nordic Development Centre (W-NDC). Please complete the form below as well as the rest of the required application documents (listed below) and return/email them to Whistler Sport Legacies' Nordic Head Coach, Etienne Letondeur, eletondeur@whistlersportlegacies.com, on or before **March 31st, 2026**. Your application should include the following:

- Application Form Athletic Performance** (sports played, awards and achievements, best results, athletic background etc.)
- Short Essay** describing what you hope to accomplish in sport and how the W-NDC will help you achieve these goals (maximum 400 words)
- One Letter of Recommendation** from your coach outlining the coach's endorsement of: The prospective athlete (i.e. work ethic, attitude, what the athlete would bring to the program etc.)

SECTION 1: Your Eligibility

Below is a list of the eligibility criteria for the W-NDC. Please check the relevant boxes to indicate the criteria that assures your eligibility. Please note that you will be required to provide evidence for any criteria you claim to meet.

- | I am a registered athlete in good standing with Biathlon Canada or international equivalent.
- | I am a member of a regional or provincial team/squad.
- | I am willing to relocate to Whistler/Sea to Sky Corridor to participate (W-NDC Team only).
- | I am committed to the pursuit of personal and performance excellence in my sport and life.
- | I am willing and able to commit my training and competition efforts to the W-NDC.

SECTION 2: About You

Parent/Guardian		Mother/Guardian	Father/Guardian
	Name:		
	Business Phone:		
	Mobile Phone #:		
	Home Phone #:		
	Address (include postal code):		

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	Email:		
	Emergency Contact (Name/Cell#):		

SECTION 2: About You

Athlete	First Name:	Other Name(s):
	Last Name:	
	Full Address:	
	Date of Birth YYYY/MM/DD:	Gender: Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female <input type="checkbox"/>
	Specify your current school, College or University and year (if applicable):	
	Home Phone #:	Mobile Phone #:
	Email:	
	Club Affiliation:	
	Provincial Affiliation:	
	Are you a returning athlete to the W-NDC?	YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>
	Who is your Lead/Head Coach:	
	Lead/Head Coach Contact Number:	
	Lead/Head Coach Email Address:	
	Level of Performance (please check one):	<input type="checkbox"/> National team (Ibu World cup) <input type="checkbox"/> Development (Ibu Cup/Junior Cup) <input type="checkbox"/> Provincial Team <input type="checkbox"/> Not Applicable
Which program are you applying for:	<input type="checkbox"/> General Prep (May - August) & Specific Prep (Sept - Early November) <input type="checkbox"/> International Race Program: For athletes qualified to race internationally who will spend most of the summer on Tour in Europe (IBU Cup & World Cup Team) <input type="checkbox"/> Development Race Program: For athletes in development looking to perform nationally and get exposed to international level (Junior Cups and Junior World Championships)	

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	<input type="checkbox"/> International experience: For foreign athletes willing to experience High Performance Training and/or Racing in Canada <input type="checkbox"/> Next Gen: Young local athletes (U18) interested in joining WNDC in the upcoming 2 years and looking for HP training environment exposure.
Do you require accommodation? If yes, please indicate the dates and duration.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Are you interested in employment with Whistler Sport Legacies?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

Years on Provincial Team: _____

Years on National Team: _____

SECTION 3: Your Sporting Performance and Goals

A. Use this space to tell us about your sporting performance over the previous 12 months. This should include:

- ✓ Any performances in national and international competitions, including the name, date and location of each event and your result or placing
- ✓ Any national rankings achieved
- ✓ Any regional or national teams or squads you have been selected to represent
- ✓ 200 words minimum

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B. Please indicate in the table below your training history over the past three years with regard to hours of physical training (on and off snow).

	<350 hours	400 hours	450 hours	500 hours	>550 hours
2023-24					
2024-25					
2025-26					

C. Please indicate your annual performance percentage at your respective National Championships and IBU ranking for the past 2 seasons.

	Percentage at National Championships	IBU Points
2023-24		
2024-25		
2025-26		

D. Please provide your shooting average in competition for the past 3 years;

Year	Shooting Average
2023-24	
2024-25	
2025-26	

E. What is your personal best score for the precision shooting test:

Precision Shooting Test	Score (Out of 600)
30 shot prone	
30 shot standing	

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F. Use this space to tell us about what you believe are your top three physical strengths and weaknesses and why.

	Strengths	Why	Weaknesses	Why
1				
2				
3				

G. Use this space to tell us about your personal sporting goals over the next two years.

- ✓ Performance at national or international competitions
- ✓ Retaining or improving national rankings
- ✓ Selection for regional or national teams/squads
- ✓ Minimum 200 words

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H. Use this space to tell us what you will bring to the team environment.

Section 4: Applicant/Parent or Guardian Declaration

It is essential that you understand and agree to the following statements. Failure to do so may influence future support opportunities.

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I certify that the information contained in this application is correct. If the information changes in any way, I will inform Whistler Sport Legacies at the earliest possible convenience.

Applicant (person completing this application)	Parent/Guardian (If applicant is under 18 years of age)
I agree to the above terms and conditions.	I give my consent for my son/daughter to submit this application.
Signature:	Signature:
Print Full Name:	Print Full Name and Relationship to Applicant:
Date:	Date:

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