



Call for Expressions of Interest In Hosting 2020 National Championships

Date: February 20, 201
To: Squash Clubs and Interested Hosts
From: Dan Wolfenden, Executive Director

Squash Canada is in search of hosts for its nine different 2020 national championships.

We invite you to read on for more information and to consider these opportunities as may fit with your club's objectives.

Why Host?

- Helps generate awareness for squash in your area;
- Draws people to your club, giving new exposure to your facilities and programs at a national level;
- Provides a marquee opportunity to attract sponsors and partners;
- Generates food and beverage revenues for the club;
- Provides a profit opportunity for the club squash section;
- Provides a great member service to your competitive players – giving the most affordable/accessible opportunity for your members to participate in a national championship;
- Gives your players 'home court' advantage;
- Showcases your top players;
- Can assist with the case for facility upgrades;
- Generates excitement and inspiration in being able to host and watch Canada's or indeed best;

Available Championships, Targeted Dates, Court Requirements, and Estimated Entries

Event	Dates	Regulation Size Court Requirements (with access to additional court space if required)	Estimated Entries
2020 Canadian Masters Team Championships	January 10-12, 2020	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• 4 courts in 1 venue	70 (10 players x 7 provincial teams)
2020 Canadian Men's Team Championships	February 14-16, 2020 (To be confirmed, needs to coincide with PSA 'protected date')	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• <u>Note:</u> Men's & Women's Team Championships may be hosted as one event/bid.• If co-held, 6 courts in one venue• If separate events, 3 courts in 1 venue, for each of the Women's and Men's events	30 (3 players x 10 provincial teams)

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2020 Canadian Women's Team Championships	February 14-16, 2020 (To be confirmed, needs to coincide with PSA 'protected date')	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> As above 	27 (3 players x 9 provincial teams)
2020 Canadian University & College Championships (singles)	March 6-8, 2020	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 4 courts in 1 venue, in either a university or club setting 	60
2020 Canadian Junior Championships	April 16-19, 2020	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 8 courts in a maximum of 2 venues in close proximity 	275
2020 Canadian Mixed Doubles Championships	April 2020 (to be confirmed)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 2 Hardball Doubles courts in venues in close proximity. Consolations must be run in all events. 	40 teams (80 players)
2020 Canadian Men's & Women's Doubles Championships	April 2020 (to be confirmed)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 4 Hardball Doubles courts in venues in close proximity. Consolations must be run in all events. 	130 teams (260 players)
2020 Canadian Squash Championships	April 28 - May 2, 2020 - or - May 5-9, 2020 (To be confirmed, needs to coincide with PSA 'protected date')	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 8 courts in a maximum of 2 venues in close proximity If Companion events are utilized, then 12 courts would be required 	290
2020 Canadian Men's & Women's U23 Championships	Late May/early June (to be confirmed)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 4 courts in one venue 	50

Expressions of Interest

Interested parties are asked to submit an Expression of Interest, using the attached form. Expressions of interest are not binding or considered a formal 'bid', but club support for the concept and provincial/territorial association awareness should be obtained at this stage. Squash Canada will strategically review submissions collectively, engage in discussions with parties as required, and make recommendations to parties regarding potential formal bids. At that time, the full hosting standards will be distributed.

Prospective hosts are invited to express interest in more than one event, and to list multiple events in priority sequence should they not be moved forward for their first choice.

Expressions of Interest are to be submitted no later than 11:59 pm on **Monday, April 15, 2019** to both:

1. Squash Canada's national office to the attention of Programs Manager, Geoff Johnson (geoff.johnson@squash.ca), **and**
2. Your respective provincial/territorial association Executive Director or President.

The goal is to have all 2020 national championship confirmed by early June 2019.

Questions may be directed to Geoff Johnson (geoff.johnson@squash.ca, 613-228-7724), or to Dan Wolfenden (dan.wolfenden@squash.ca, same number).

Hosting events requires time and attention, but so too does it provide exceptional opportunity and legacy benefit. Please consider bringing the Canadian squash community to your fine club.

Many thanks,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Dan Wolfenden', with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.



Expression of Interest In Hosting a 2020 Squash Canada Championship

Candidate Information

Submitted by:				
Host Club(s):			City:	
Contact Info:	Day Tel. No.		Email:	
	Cell Tel. No.		Mailing Address	

Interest in Hosting

How many events are you interested in hosting in 2020?	
Any comments or explanation you wish to make regarding your interest?	

Declaring Your Interest and Priorities for 2020 Events

Please rank in priority order **only those events** in which wish to express interest in hosting, i.e. 1, 2, 3, etc.

Event	Your Priority Ranking
Canadian Men's Team Championships (on its own)	
Canadian Women's Team Championships (on its own)	
Both Canadian Men's & Women's Team Championships (together)	
Canadian Masters' Team Championships	
Canadian University & College Championships	
Canadian Mixed Doubles Championships	
Canadian Men's & Women's Doubles Championships	
Canadian Squash Championships	
Canadian Junior Championships	
Canadian U23 Championships	

Club Event Hosting Experience

Previous international, national and PSA event hosting experience (event name and year):	
Other hosting experiences:	
Prospective host committee chair, members and/or tournament director:	

Club/Facility Information

Number of regulation size courts (singles or doubles):	
Back wall type (glass or opaque)	
Any showcase court?	
Seating capacity (permanent or temporary) for each court	
Other amenities or features of club that you wish to share?	
What other club might you need to partner with, if any?	

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1. Geoff Johnson
Email: geoff.johnson@squash.ca
Fax: 613-228-7232

- AND -

2. Your respective provincial/territorial association
Executive Director or President.

THANK YOU!

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