

PROVINCIALS

Reviewed September 21, 2026

CSNS Provincial Championships - Pool

CSNS will host Provincial Championships for Open 8-Ball, Open 9-Ball, Open 10-Ball, Amateur 8-Ball, Amateur 9-Ball, and Amateur 10-Ball. If there is enough interest shown prior to the date, there will be a separate Women's division for each of these Championships.

Provincial Championships in 8-Ball, 9-Ball and 10-Ball, both Open and Amateur, including Women's division, will be open to any NS player (born or residing in Nova Scotia for at least 60 days), regardless of prior participation in Ranking Events.

To participate in a Provincial Championship, a player must be a current member of CSNS or purchase a membership at the event.

Provincial Championships will be double knockout format, with one set final. Provincial Championships will be scheduled over two days.

Current WPA Rules apply, except for the rule noted below:

WPS Rule 1.12 "Concessions": if a Player concedes a game then they loose that game plus one more. Not Loosing the match.

Each Provincial Championship will qualify the winner for direct entry to the CBSA National Championship (of the same discipline).

Funding to cover the entry fee to the CBSA Nationals, and potentially any travel allowance monies for the Champion, shall come from the entry fees collected for that Provincial Championship event, and/or from any sponsorship money obtained for the event.

If there are no enough entrants to the Provincial Championship event to cover the cost of entry fee to CBSA Nationals, then the winner may be responsible to cover all or part of the National entry fee themselves.

If a paid entry spot to CBSA Nationals is required to be re-allocated because it is vacated by the Provincial winner, then the spot will be re-allocated according to the next standing player from the final placing of that Provincial Championship event. Any travel expense money is also re-allocated to the next standing player.

CSNS will strive to host a Provincial Junior 9-Ball Championship,

Entry Fees for OPEN Provincials will be staggered according to player Fargo rating:

630+ \$80 + \$10 Green Fee

575-629 - \$60 + \$10 Green Fee
525-574 - \$40 + \$10 Green Fee
425-524 - \$30 + \$10 Green Fee
424 and below - \$20 + \$10 Green Fee

Entry Fees for WOMENS OPEN Provincials will be staggered according to player Fargo rating:

525 + \$60 + \$10 Green Fee
425-524 \$50 + \$10 Green Fee
424 and below - \$30 + \$10 Green Fee

Entry Fees for AMATUER OPEN Provincials will be staggered according to player Fargo rating:

575-629 - \$70 + \$10 Green Fee
525-574 - \$50 + \$10 Green Fee
425-524 - \$30 + \$10 Green Fee
424 and below - \$20 + \$10 Green Fee

Entry Fees for WOMENS AMATUER Provincials will be staggered according to player Fargo rating:

425-524 - \$50 + \$10 Green Fee
424 and below - \$30 + \$10 Green Fee

AMATEUR PROVINCIALS

For the purpose of CSNS Provincials, any player that has **2** or more **MAJOR** event wins in their career, or has been a major event winner in the last 3 years, or has a Fargo rating at the start of the season that exceeds the provincial Fargo cutoff (see below), may be excluded from participating in CSNS Amateur Provincials.

EXCLUSION LIST

NON-AMATEUR CRITERIA:

- 2 or more Major Wins in playing career, or
- Major Winner in last 3 years, or
- Mens's - 630 Fargo and above to start season.
- Womens - 525 Fargo and above.

LIST OF NON-AMATEUR STATUS PLAYERS, based on:

Two or more Major Titles in career:

Rick Leon
Colin Maloney

Bill MacPherson
Chris Penney
Richard Young
Brian White
Clayton Dennis
Colin MacDonald
Pat Briand
Bruce Lilly
Dave Boone
Peter Thompson
Dick Barker
Brad Doyle
Nok Mantolino
Guy Tremblay
Kyle Richard
Jody Swim
Bruce Abadilla
Andrew Simon

Major event winner in the last 3 years:

Andrew Simon
Kyle Richard
Richard Young
Colin MacDonald
Bill MacPherson
Jody Swim
Clayton Dennis
Colin Maloney

Fargo Rating 630 or Above as of September 2026:

Rick Leon
Jody Swim
Colin MacDonald
Bruce Abadilla
Colin Maloney
Kyle Richard
John Kristof
Richard Young
Clayton Dennis
Nok Mantolino
Andrew Simon
Bernard Al Chaar
Brian White
Milo Guevarra
Chris Penney

Guy Tremblay
Bill MacPherson
Wayne Thibodeau
Kayle Goodwin
William Doyle
Davis Atkinson
Everette Paul
Shawn Smith
Mike Weagle
Brian MacDougall
Chris Bright
Bruce Lilly
Christian Coffey
Wayne Warner

Women's over 525
Janet Ritcey