



VOLVO SHERBROOKE

3639, rue du Blanc-Côteau, Sherbrooke, QC J1L 0B4

RACE NOTICE

ROLLER SKI

**VOLVO CHALLENGE 2017
CITY OF SHERBROOKE
9TH OF SEPTEMBRE 2017**

Competition name

Volvo Challenge 2017

Host club

Club de ski de fond parc du Mont-Orford

Address

City of Sherbrooke

4240 Boul. de Portland, Sherbrooke, QC J1L 0A3

The race will be held between Léger et Robert-Boyd roads

Hyperlink :

<https://www.google.ca/maps/place/Boul+de+Portland,+Sherbrooke,+QC/@45.4005236,-71.9824886,15.8z/data=!4m5!3m4!1s0x4cb7b49942f1eab9:0x73641b5b33351c49!8m2!3d45.4037759!4d-71.9425052>

Date

September 9, 2017

Sanctions

Ski de fond Québec, Cross-Country Ski
Canada.

Canadian points will be issued. (Roller ski
points)

Admissibility



Valid Provincial annual licences (SFQ) 2016-2017, As well as a **National (CCC) licence for the 2017-2018** are required for all categories from juveniles to senior. The license is available online on CCC website <http://www.cccski.com/Events/License-Applications.aspx>. Day licences for these categories will not be permitted or accepted. **US athletes will require licences issued by their respective national federation (NENSA), they will be required to show proof.**

For regional races: Valid Provincial annual licence 2016-2017 or day licence from SFQ (5\$ par jour) is required for the Midget category. **US athletes will require licences issued by their respective national federation for this category, they will be required to show proof.**

Day licences from SFQ (5\$ / jour) and CCC (5\$/ jour) = 10\$ / day are required for all Masters categories, including US athletes.

Organizing Committee

Race director	Éric Beaulieu
Competition secretary	Marie-Josée Grignon
Chief of course	Charles Olivier St-Jean
Chief of timekeeping and data processing	Mario Champigny
Chief of stadium	Angelo Cristofanilli
Chief of control	N/A
For information	Angelo Cristofanilli 514-377-5125 mjgrignon@skidefondorford.qc.ca

Members of the jury

Technical delegate	N/A
Race Director	Éric Beaulieu
Host club Representative	René Pomerleau

Registration fees

Category		Free style roller skis: Saturday September 9, 2017 MASS START	
Age category (Age on the 31 December 2017 .)	Cost	Distance	
Midget Girls (2006-2006)	\$30	5Km	
Midget Boys((2003-2005)	\$30	5Km	
Juvenile Girls (2002-2004)	\$40	10Km	
Juvenile Boys (2002-2003)	\$40	10Km	
Junior B Women (2000- 2002)	\$40	10Km	
Junior B Men (2000-2001)	\$40	10Km	
OPEN	Junior A Women (1998- 1999)	\$40	10Km
	U23 W (1995-1997)	\$40	10Km
	Senior élite W (1987-1994)	\$40	10Km
	Junior A Men (1998-1999)	\$40	10Km
	U23 M (1995-1997)	\$40	10Km
	Senior élite M (1987-1994)	\$40	10Km
Senior sport W 1987 and prior	\$40	10Km	
Senior sport Men 1987 and prior	\$40	10Km	

- 5 km = 3 laps, 10 km = 7 laps

Schedule

09h00 à 10h30	Bib distribution
09h00 à 10h30	Course recognition
10h00	Coaches meeting
11h00	Race Start
13h00	BBQ Lunch
15h45	Medal ceremony

Regulations

The event will respect all current rules and regulations as issued by SFQ and CCC.

<http://www.cccski.com/getmedia/92ece87e-05d8-430e-9403-94758655a923/215RollerSkiingPolicy-April2012.pdf.aspx>

<http://www.cccski.com/getmedia/c0acef41-0549-4c60-b1d1-ed57565fa495/Rollerski-Tier-2-TP-Final.pdf.aspx>

http://www.skidefondquebec.ca/evenements/cahier_reglement_2015_final.pdf

<http://www.cccski.com/Events/Rules-and-Regulations.aspx>

Important information regarding roller skis and equipment

The Organising Committee will issue, at no charge, standard roller skis to all participating athletes, as per regulations set forth by CCC.

The Swenor skis include both NNN and SNS binding. This policy was set forth to insure consistency and fairness for all Athletes. The skis will be arbitrarily being issued 15 minutes prior to start time. Athletes must indicate the type of binding they require (NNN OR SNS) for the race (on the online registration module Zone 4).

The athletes will need to provide their own boots, helmets, protective eyewear, and poles, all of which are obligatory. Please see following for all details

<http://www.cccski.com/getmedia/c0acef41-0549-4c60-b1d1-ed57565fa495/Rollerski-Tier-2-TP-Final.pdf.aspx>

Extraordinary circumstances

Given the uniqueness of this event, the organizing committee reserves the right to cancel the event in case of force majeure or insufficient participation.

Terms of registration

Fees

Registration fees are indicated on the Registration fee table.

Registration

Online registration opens August 10, 2017.

non-refundable fees

Zone4 transaction costs are not refundable. Registration fees are non-refundable. Except in cases of force majeure (cancellation by the organization due to climatic conditions) or insufficient participation. 70% of the registration fee will be refunded to athletes if the cancellation is made 48 hours prior to the first race or before September 7, 9:00. If cancellation occurs the morning of the race, no fees are refunded.

Date limit

Tuesday September 4, 2017 at 11:59PM EDT

Course map

See annex

The course will be closed to motorized vehicles for the duration of the race

Road safety will be ensured by the Sherbrooke Police.

Stadium

4240 Boul de Portland, Sherbrooke,
QC J1L 0A3

Course recognition and warm up

Portland road will be closed on one direction as of 6:30 am Saturday, September 9th from Leger to Robert Boyd roads. The route will be closed to traffic from 6:30 AM to 4 PM. Please note that training outside these hours is not allowed.
* The reconnaissance of the course can be done by bicycle, in the days preceding the event.

Athletes must have left the race course 15 minutes before the start of the races.

Start zone is prohibited at all times

** According to the law on Road Safety Quebec, roller skiing is prohibited on the roadway. The violation of this directive may result in penalties and fines.*

Coach's meeting

Saturday September 9 2017 , 10 AM

4240 Boul de Portland.

Seeding

According to Canadian points (FIS for US athletes)

Bib distribution

4240 Boul de Portland.

Medals

Medals will be awarded to the first three in each category. The athlete must be present to receive his medal. Medals will only be awarded to the athlete who actually won.

Athlete Services

Food service

A BBQ lunch will be available as of 1:00 PM at 4240 Boul de Portland.

Accommodation

For information on accommodation or other, contact the tourist information: 1-800-267-2744
Or visit the following link:
<http://www.tourisme-memphremagog.com/>

Parking

Race Site :

Prior to 6:30 AM 6h30 4240 Boul de Portland.
As of 6:30AM only on Leger street.

RACE SCHEDULE*

Mass Start September 9		
11h00	5 km	Midget boys
11h30	5 km	Midget girls
12h00	10 km	Open M (Junior A, U23, Senior)
12h40	10 km	Senior Men
13h30	10 km	Open Femme (Junior A, U23, Senior)
13h30	10 km	Senior Women
14h15	10 km	Junior B et Juvenile Men
15h00	10 km	Junior B et Juvenile Femme

** The schedule may be altered depending on the number of participants in each category and availability of the skis.*

ANNEX

Course lengths 10/5 km

5km (3 laps)

10km (7 laps)

