

SQUASH STARTERS PROGRAM: SPRING 2022

Thanks to funding from the BC Sport Participation Program Grant from viaSport, Squash BC has expanded our Junior Pathway: Squash Starters Program funding for the Spring 2022 season (April 1 - June 30, 2022). This program is also funded by the BC Community Gaming Grant, the Squash BC 20/20 Fund, and the Squash BC Growth Initiative.

Squash BC is seeking partner facilities to put forth Squash Starters Programs this spring. Squash Starters Programs are junior grassroots programs that provide participants with quality squash instruction and activities led by Safe Sport compliant Program Leaders. These programs are focused on FUN while reinforcing the FUNdamentals of Squash. Starting this spring, Squash Starters Programs can also receive funding for Girls-Only groups in addition to all-gender programs. Check out what you can receive:

DIRECT PROGRAM FUNDING

- \$150 per 6-week class led by a Squash Canada trained/certified Squash Coach
- \$100 per 6-week class led by another leader
- Class options below, up to a maximum \$1500 per facility

PROGRESSIVE SOUASH EQUIPMENT

- 6 Equipment Credits for programs with 1-2 levels
- 12 Equipment Credits for programs with 3+ levels
- 1 Equipment Credit = 1 Racquet (Junior or Full-Size) or
 1 Eyeguard (Small or Regular size) from Black Knight
- 3 Dunlop Squash Balls per 6-week class

COACH EDUCATION SUBSIDY

- Full course fees covered for a Coaching Foundations Course administered by Squash BC
- All Squash BC Safe Sport course fees covered
- Up to \$100 in travel expenses reimbursed for attending Coaching Foundations Course

LOCALIZED MARKETING

- Program partners will be listed on Squash BC's soonto-launch Squash Starters landing page
- Squash BC will run local social media ads in all program locations
- Program poster to be hung up at your facility

SQUASH STARTERS SPRING 2022 REQUIREMENTS

- Programs must be a minimum of six weeks, with the first class starting on or before June 3, 2022. Classes must have a minimum of four participants.
- Each 6-week session can include the following class options: 1) Up to 3 levels
 of All-Gender Programs, 2) Up to 3 levels of Girls-Only Programs, 3) One weekly
 Junior Play Opportunity (i.e. Junior Drop-In Night, Weekly Mini-Tournament,
 Junior League). Class levels can be based on age or skill level. Note: Partners
 can apply for funding for two 6-week sessions (12 weeks of programming)
- Program Leaders must be compliant with Squash BC's Safe Sport Requirements
- Program Leaders must complete all application and follow-up forms and distribute the Program Feedback Form to participants



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