

BC RECREATION & PARKS ASSOCIATION

FITNESS NEWS BULLETIN

Healthy communities through recreation, parks, physical activity and culture

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New Website and Registry® upgrades to serve you better!

We will be launching our new and improved **BCRPA website** soon and upgrading The Registry® of Fitness Professionals onto a **new platform** this Fall. Thank you for your patience as we build a much more user friendly system for you!

With this new system, we will bring you **more opportunities for online professional development and CECs**. For example, we filmed a number of the conference sessions at BCFit® this year, enabling us to stream them for future use. Stay tuned for exciting news to follow!

Be sure to Check the Registry Regularly!

A friendly reminder that it is your responsibility to check the Registry® regularly to ensure your registration is current and that your First Aid and CPR are up to date. You are not covered by insurance if your certifications are expired, even if your BCRPA registration is up to date. To update First Aid and CPR, click the "Update Now" button from your profile's main page.

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BC Fit®'17: We Value Your Feedback!



Attention Attendees

If you have not completed a conference evaluation form, please take a few minutes to complete <u>the survey</u>. Your feedback will be carefully reviewed by the Planning Committee to ensure future conferences are designed to meet your needs.

All surveys received before **midnight October 16th** have a chance to win a \$100 Lady Sport / Fit First Gift Certificate!

Your CEC's for attending have all been uploaded to The Registry®. If you did not attend BCFit®'17.... We want to hear from you too! Please help us continue to meet your needs by sharing feedback in our non-delegate <u>survey here</u>. Complete this by October 30th and you will also be entered to win a \$100 Gift Certificate for Lady Sport / Fit First

Stay connected:









Membership Benefits





LadySport and FitFirst host an instructor discount program for all eligible BCRPA Footwear.

ICE Workshops Coming to Vancouver & Interior

Thinking of becoming a Supervisor of Fitness Leaders? Completing an ICE workshop in your desired specialty is a requirement for the application and we have a new round coming up in November!

Lower Mainland:

Group Fitness I Nov. 26, 2017 I 12-3pm I Steve Nash Kingsway I Ingrid Knight-Cohee

WT/PT I Nov. 1, 2017 I 6-9pm I Kinesologists.ca studio I Cloverdale I Aaron Tews

Kelowna (location TBA):

Group Fitness I Nov. 5, 2017 I 1-4pm I Danielle Klassen WT/PT I Nov. 3, 2017 I 6-9pm I Danielle Klassen Email Ginny indicating which session you are interested in and to receive more information.

instructors.

Check out <u>our list</u> of over 25 more companies across BC offering discounts from 10 - 50% for registered BCRPA fitness leaders.

Steve Nash Clubs Career Fair

Looking for work in the fitness industry? Steve Nash Fitness Clubs & UFC Gym are hosting a company-wide job fair on **Wednesday**, **October 18 from 3-5pm** and are hiring for positions including Club Management, Fitness (Personal Trainers & Group Fitness Instructors), and Sales and Operations across all Clubs. Senior leadership will be on-site to share what it's like to work for the company, to answer any questions and to meet one-on-one. Register here or reach out to careers@snclubs.com to find out more!

Important Reminders

- <u>Check out the list</u> of pre-approved workshops, courses and BCRPA E-Learning opportunities. Take advantage of these in-person, online and distance education offerings for CECs!
- Be sure to submit your CEC petitions well ahead of your registration renewal date. It can take up to 10 business days for these to be approved!

Write an article for the next FitLifeBC issue

Submit a *FitLifeBC* Magazine Article - CECs awarded! We are almost ready to 'go to press' for the Fall issue. This is your publication - for you, by you - so we always appreciate receiving articles you have written. This edition will feature highlights from our BCFit® '17 presenters. If you would like to promote your professional business or service, FitLife magazine is a perfect way to reach over 400 fitness professionals across BC! Contact corpsales@bcrpa.bc.ca for more information.

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