

JUDO NOVA SCOTIA OFFICIALS COMMITTEE

Membership:

- Composed of 1 Committee Chair and 3-5 additional members.

Appointment:

- Chair of the Officials committee is appointed by the Judo NS Executive Committee (EC). The Chair and EC will then recruit and appoint other members to the committee;
- Committee members must be members in good standing with Judo Nova Scotia;
- Must be Provincial 'A' or higher referee; and
- Must be active as a referee in Nova Scotia.

Meeting Frequency:

- Committee will meet no less than 6 times per-year. Meetings will be called by committee chair.

Strategic Objectives:

- The Officials Committee will endeavour to develop and train officials to the highest standard. These trained officials will have a thorough knowledge of the IJF Refereeing Rules, current rule interpretations, and they officiate according to acceptable standards at competitions for all athletes held within Nova Scotia and other provinces.

Purpose:

- Provide suitable training and development opportunities for referees in Nova Scotia; and
- Obtain current IJF Refereeing Rules as well as any NSO/PSO modifications thereto and provide the provincial membership with updated information.

Activities:

- Maintain and implement the provincial referee policy;
- Maintain a list of active Nova Scotia referees and their activities;
- Assist in developing annual outcomes for JNS officials;
- Liaise with the National Referee Committee, EC, Tournament Committee, and the Kata Committee Chairperson;
- Provide supervision of referees at Judo Nova Scotia sponsored events;
- Educate, evaluate, and examine referees up to Provincial "A";
- Develop an annual budget for the operations of the Committee's activities; and
- Ensure Judo NS website information related to Officials is up to date.
- Assist the EC with creation of annual officiating outcomes as required by SNS

Goals:

- Increase the number of provincial-level referees;
- Increase the number of national-level referees in the province;
- Host an officiating clinic within the Province; and
- Update and maintain our Referee policy.
- Increase female participation. Work with the Womens Committee to develop programmes and seminars to help develop and encourage women to become referees.

Budget:

- As approved on an annual basis by the Judo NS Board of Directors.

Evaluation:

- The EC will evaluate the performance of the Committee annually. The performance of the committee will be assessed based on the accomplishment of yearly objectives/outcomes.

Reporting:

- Reports submitted as per the request of the EC. The Officials Committee also has the duty to report all matters that require full Board consideration to the EC.