



Age Eligibility Amendment for AJTRS Points

Curling Alberta and the Alberta Junior Curling Tour (AJCT) have made an amendment to an Alberta Junior Team Ranking System (AJTRS) rule pertaining to U20 teams with overage players. Prior to today, teams training to compete in the World Junior Qualification Event, composed of a combination of U20 and U21 curlers, were unable to earn AJTRS points in any event for this season unless they met U20 age eligibility criteria. Curling Alberta and the AJCT recognized that in this unique season, teams with this makeup of curlers should be encouraged to compete with their World Junior Qualification Event lineup in men's and women's events.

As such, the following amendment has been made to the age eligibility requirements for AJTRS points:

"Any team registered for the World Junior Qualification event may compete as a team in men's or women's events for the 2021-22 season and accumulate Alberta Junior Team Ranking System (AJTRS) points in the U20 category, as long as 3 out of the 4 curlers listed on the U20 AJTRS points list are on the ice at all times. These points will be earned as the U20 team listed on the AJTRS."

In an announcement last week, Curling Alberta moved the registration date for the World Junior Qualification Event to August 18, 2021 to ensure all World Junior Qualification Event teams competing in Alberta Curling Tour events have the ability to earn AJTRS points throughout the season.

All questions regarding this age eligibility change can be directed to info@curlingalberta.ca

Visit the following links to register for the [World Junior Men's Team Qualification Event](#) and [World Junior Women's Team Qualification Event](#).