

Vidosa Memorial Ontario Cadet Championships April 5–6, 2008



Beaches Sabre Club and the Ontario Fencing Association are pleased to announce the Vidosa Memorial, honouring a great figure in Canadian fencing, Christian Vidosa. Christian was undoubtedly Canada's best international referee, rated FIE-A in all three weapons. He judged in three Olympics Games and ten World Championships. He was a proud supporter of Canadian fencing, and youth fencing in particular. In his memory, we will be assisting the top fencer in each event to attend this year's Cadet/Junior Nationals in Eastern Canada.

Close of Registration

| Saturday April 5th | |
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| Men's Epee | 9:30 am |
| Women's Foil | 12:00 pm |
| Women's Epee | 3:00 pm |
| Sunday April 6th | |
| Men's Foil | 9:30 am |
| Women's Sabre | 12:00 pm |
| Men's Sabre | 2:00 pm |

Registration

Register online at http://askfred.net before **March 29**. The registration fee can be paid at the tournament. Search under "Vidosa" or go to http://askfred.net/ Events/Prereg/prereg.php?tournament_id=3440.

If pre-registered, the registration fee is \$30.00. Late registration will result in double entry fees that will not be waived. You must have an OFA competitive membership (and CFF licence) in order to participate. Youth memberships can be upgraded for \$25.00.

General Regulations

Your birthdate must be after January 1, 1991 in order to compete. Mask check will be done at registration. A sous plastron/FIE jacket and fencing pants are required.

This tournament will be run in accordance with FIE and CFF rules and regulations, subject to the interpretations of the Directoire Technique. All participants are subject to Section t.15 of the FIE rules. This is an OFA/CFF sanctioned event. Results will count toward the cadet national rankings.

Christian Vidosa Excellence Award

The Ontario Fencing Association and the Beaches Sabre Club proudly introduce this annual award, which will be given to the Gold Medallist in each weapon at the Vidosa Memorial Cadet competition. This partnership between the Ontario Fencing Association (\$500) and Beaches Sabre Club (\$150) will help cover costs to Cadet/Junior National Championships in the current season.

The Award will be given subject to the following conditions:

- The athlete must be an Ontario resident and OFA Competitive member (including CFF licence) for the entire current competitive season.
- There must be at least 8 participants in an event for the winner to be eligible for the Award.
- The winner of each event will receive reimbursement of their expenses (travel, lodging, food, registration fees) to participate at the Cadet/Junior Nationals up to the entire amount of the prize. Receipts will be required.
- Athletes will be required to compete in both Cadet and Junior events.
- Athletes will be responsible for their own arrangements and supervision.
- Athletes will be required to wear identifying clothing (to be supplied).
- The Award is intended for attendance to Nationals only. Forfeited awards will be returned to Beaches and OFA for use in other athlete programs.

Venue: Salle d'Armes: 45 Densley Avenue, Toronto

Please visit our website at **www.beachesfencing.com/findus/findus.html** for detailed directions.



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