

# TRANS CANADA Coach Certification Tour

## “Ontario and West” Leg

### CALL FOR INTEREST

Table Tennis Canada is launching the first edition of the Trans-Canada Coach Certification Tour. A certified Master Learning Facilitator will offer coach education workshops throughout Ontario and the Western provinces, all the way to Whitehorse, YK.

**WHY:**

There has been little activity concerning certification of coaches under the new NCCP. Mario Potvin – a teacher and coach from Granby, QC, who has certified in excess of 100 coaches under the new NCCP - has been engaged to ‘jump start’ coaching certification for interested coaches and for those who are interested in becoming NCCP certified coaches.

The courses will provide an opportunity for coaches who work in clubs to become certified in the Canadian system. The workshops will be tailored to the needs of the candidates – a brief online survey will let Mario know who his students will be and where he will need to place his focus in the workshops.

This is an opportunity to increase the number of coaches in your club and the number of Learning Facilitators in your area.

**Available Workshops:**

Community Sport – Initiation to Table Tennis workshop (1 day)  
 Competition-Introduction workshop (2 days)  
 See attached Coach Certification Pathways for both courses.

**Who:**

Clubs, Schools, Provincial/Territorial Associations

**Where:** 8 major cities have been identified as potential hosts. It may be possible to organize more than one workshop in each city. The proposed schedule is subject to change. Smaller cities may be considered on a ‘need’ basis.

**Proposed Schedule:**

City	Dates
Ottawa	Mai 5-8, 2016
Toronto (GTA)	Mai 12-15, 2016
Winnipeg	Mai 19-22, 2016
Saskatoon/Regina	Mai 26-29, 2016
Calgary	Juin 9-12, 2016
Edmonton	Juin 16-19, 2016
Vancouver	Juin 23-26, 2016*
Whitehorse	Juin 30 - Juillet 1, 2016
Vancouver	Juillet 28-31, 2016
Calgary/Edmonton	Août 4-7, 2016
Winnipeg/Saskatoon/Regina	Août 11-14, 2016
Toronto (GTA)	Août 18-21, 2016

\*ITTF North America Cup – Juin 24-26, 2016

**ACTION ITEMS:**

- 1 Please reply to [Mireillet@ttcan.ca](mailto:Mireillet@ttcan.ca) if you are interested in hosting a workshop
- 2 Identify which workshop(s) best suit the needs of your potential participants
- 3 Identify how many participants you think would attend (14 max per workshop)
- 4 Indicate the potential venue (club, school, community centre, etc.)

This is a unique opportunity to increase the number of certified coaches in your club, school, association in a short time period. All those interested in coaching – who are not yet NCCP certified are encouraged to participate.

**DEADLINE TO INDICATE INTEREST:  
MARCH 8, 2016**