

TEAM NUNAVIK-QUÉBEC 2012

Sunday
March 4, 2012
Issue 1

Today's Weather



- 6 C

Tomorrow's Weather



- 8 C

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Message from Maggie Emudluk Chairperson, Kativik Regional Government

I would like to welcome everyone to the 22nd Arctic Winter Games, here in Whitehorse, Yukon. I am extremely proud of our Team Nunavik-Quebec participants and wish you every success in your events. The Games will celebrate sport, social exchange and cultures. Please enjoy your week, play hard, make friends and build lasting memories of this wonderful opportunity ahead of you. Alianait!

Welcome to Whitehorse!!



Jean Dupuis, Chef de Mission, and Valerie Rykhoff, Assistant Chef de Mission, want everyone to have a great time this week at the 2012 Arctic Winter Games. Go Team Nunavik-Québec!!

Our New Team Colours



The parkas have silver fox trimmed hoods and include elements of the shape of traditional Inuit clothing – the woman's parka is semi-fitted with a longer curved apron in the back; the men's parka is looser-fitting and straight across the bottom with a drawstring. The TNQ logo is on the back of the parka and the AWG logo is on the right upper arm. The straight-legged pants are black with a bright green panel down the outside of the leg.

TNQ Pin Set for 2012



Official unveiling of the TNQ clothing in Ottawa, Ontario February 4, 2012

The Snowy Owl is the official bird of Quebec. It is typically found in the northern circumpolar region, and it makes its summer home north of 60 degrees latitude; however, it is a nomadic bird. The Snowy Owl is admired and respected and represents the North. It is the official mascot for TNQ.

Opening Ceremonies

Sunday, March 4, 2012, at 6 p.m.
Canada Winter Games Centre

A wonderful show to celebrate the circumpolar world and youth of participating nations!

TNQ athletes, coaches and Mission Staff need to be ready in their walk-out gear (parkas/pants) by **5:00 p.m.** for pick up at their athletes' villages of Porter Creek and F.H. Collins.

The bus will leave at 5:30 p.m.

Note: Only the Chef de Mission and athletes will be on the main floor. Coaches and Mission Staff will watch from the upper level track.

After the Opening Ceremonies, TNQ participants will take the bus back to Porter Creek and F.H. Collins for their evening meal by 7:30 p.m..

Flag Bearer for Opening Ceremonies



TNQ is proud to announce that Minnie Molly Snowball from Kangiqsualujuaq in the sport of Snowshoeing will be our TNQ Flag Bearer during the Opening Ceremonies. Minnie Molly's dedication to her sport, commitment to training and outgoing personality all led to her to being selected. Congratulations Minnie Molly!



Check out our Facebook Page! Visit us @ Team Nunavik-Québec



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On Sunday, March 4



Arctic Sports – Open Practice
9:30 a.m. – 5p.m.
Mandatory coaches meeting
12:30 – 2p.m.
Vanier Catholic Secondary
School



Badminton –Nunavik Practice
11a.m. – 12p.m.
Porter Creek Secondary
School – Gym



Dene Games – Day off
Venue walk thru for coaches -
10a.m. –12 p.m.
Kwalin Dunn Cultural Centre



Snowshoeing – Day Off
Mandatory coaches meeting –
11 a.m.
Frank Slims Building



Table Tennis - Team
Practice 10a.m. – 3p.m.
Selkirk Elementary School

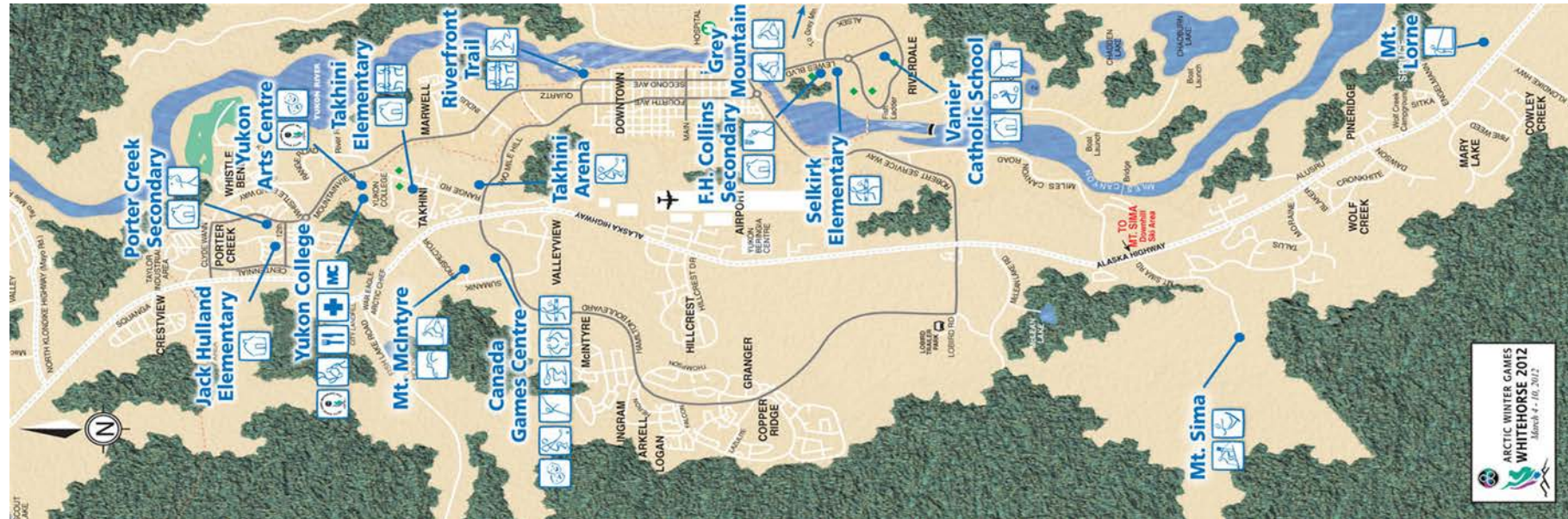


Cultural – Orientation
9a.m. – 12p.m.
Old Fire Hall (Downtown)

AWG Opening Ceremonies

6 p.m. Canada Games Centre

Map of Venues



Coming up on Monday, March 5



Arctic Sports – Open Ceremonies 9:30 a.m.
Competition – all day Awards 5:30 p.m.
Vanier Catholic Secondary School



Dene Games – Opening Ceremonies 10 a.m.
Snow Snake – all day Awards 4:30 p.m.
Kwalin Dunn Cultural Centre



Table Tennis – Team Events 9 a.m. – 6 p.m.
Selkirk Elementary School



Badminton –TNQ vs Yukon 10:30 a.m.
TNQ vs Nunavut 2 p.m.
Porter Creek Secondary School - Gym



Snowshoeing – Opening Ceremonies 8:30 a.m.
Short X-country – 9 a.m. Awards 10 a.m.
Shipyards Park



Cultural – Nunavik Rehearsal – 2-3 p.m.
1st Gala Rehearsal – 7-10 p.m.
Old Fire Hall (Downtown)