

## Tournament Hosting Eligibility and Preferences

### 4.1.4 Eligibility to host tournaments

#### 4.1.4.1 Supported and sanctioned competitions:

Clubs must be members in good standing as defined elsewhere in this manual.

#### 4.1.4.2 Alberta Cups and Provincial Championships:

Clubs must be members in good standing as defined elsewhere in this manual.

Clubs must have filled at least 5 volunteer shifts at the most recent nearby AFA Casino fundraiser in Edmonton or Calgary.

Red Deer may combine the most recent Edmonton and Calgary casino's.

This does not apply to clubs outside the Calgary or Edmonton metropolitan areas. The AFA Board will determine whether a club is outside the metro areas on a case-by-case basis.

### 4.1.5 Preference for Hosting Alberta Cups or Provincial Championships.

4.1.5.1 Alberta Cups and Provincial Championships should be equitably distributed around the province and among eligible clubs.

4.1.5.2 Where 2 or more eligible clubs from the same city have submitted a bid for an Alberta Cup or Provincial Championships, preference should be given to the club which has demonstrated greater support to the AFA and its objectives, as long as the principle of equitability is maintained. Support may be determined by assessing the following aspects:

- Providing volunteers to AFA Casino's
- Participation in AFA programs (referee development, coach development, etc)
- Registration of members in a timely manner
- Providing the Executive Director with tournament data in a timely manner
- Any other factor that the Executive Director can justify to the Board as reasonable