

THE NWT'S COMPETITIVE EDGE

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YELLOWKNIFE IS AN ACTIVE CITY NO MATTER THE TIME OF YEAR.



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EVENTS YELLOWKNIFE HAS HOSTED:

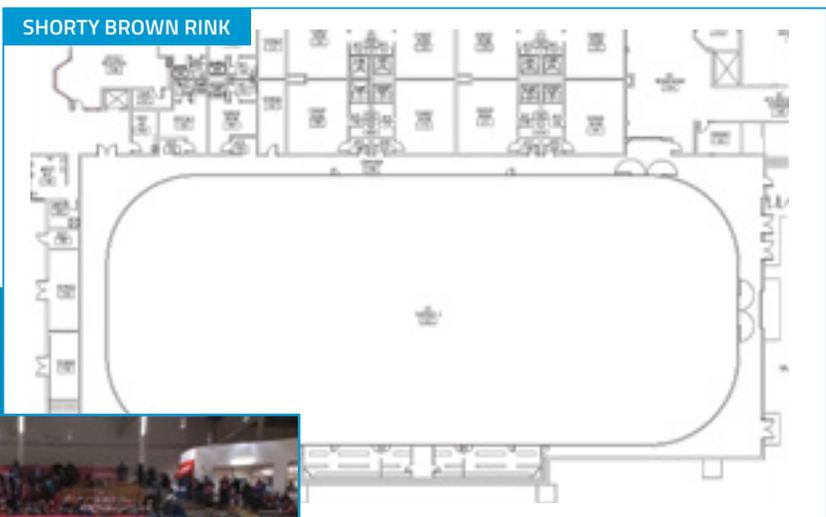
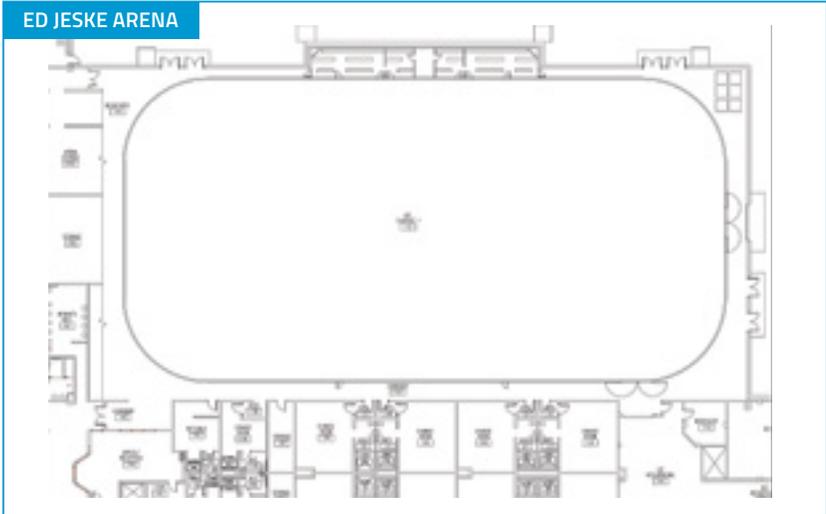
- Canadian Women Para-Hockey Team Camp 2022
- 2020 Hockey Day in Canada
- Arctic Winter Games (multiple)
- Arctic Winter Games NWT trials (biennially)
- 2014 Canadian Senior Curling Championships
- 2007 Edmonton Oilers Rookie Camp
- 2003 Western Canadian Cross-Country Ski Championships

Whether it's a reinvigorating ski under the Northern Lights or a fastball game that goes late into the night under the Midnight Sun, Yellowknifers take full advantage of their enviable recreation facilities. The NWT capital regularly hosts territorial and pan-territorial tournaments, along with a variety of national competitions. With state-of-the-art recreational facilities, capital city amenities and infrastructure and a large, committed base of volunteers, Yellowknife has successfully run weeks-long multi-sport and cultural events like the Arctic Winter Games and the 2020 Scotiabank Hockey Day in Canada.

THE YELLOWKNIFE MULTIPLEX HAS HOSTED AN EDMONTON OILERS ROOKIE CAMP AND SCOTIABANK'S HOCKEY DAY IN CANADA, AS WELL AS MANY ANNUAL NORTHERN HOCKEY TOURNAMENTS.

YELLOWKNIFE MULTIPLEX

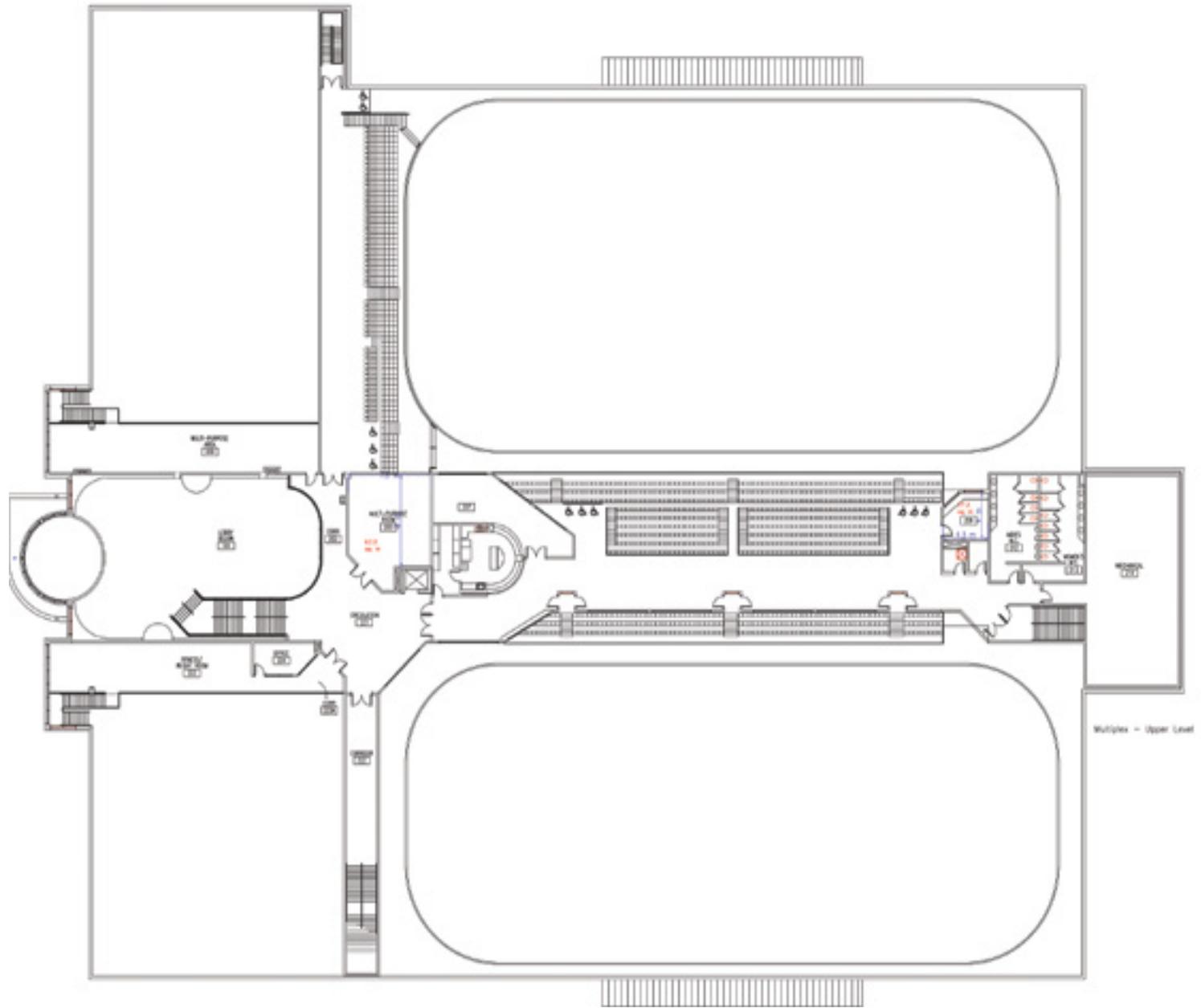
The Yellowknife Multiplex houses two ice pads—one Olympic-sized and one NHL-sized surface. The Multiplex is home to the Yellowknife Speed Skating Club and Yellowknife Skating Club, so both rinks can accommodate speed skating and figure skating events. Each rink features five changerooms and an official's room—all of which include toilet and showers. Combined seating for the two arenas is 1200. The Multiplex is also home to the Yellowknife Gymnastics Club and an all-purpose, 23m-by-24m gymnasium, which hosts a variety of indoor events. A concession operates on weekends and for special events.



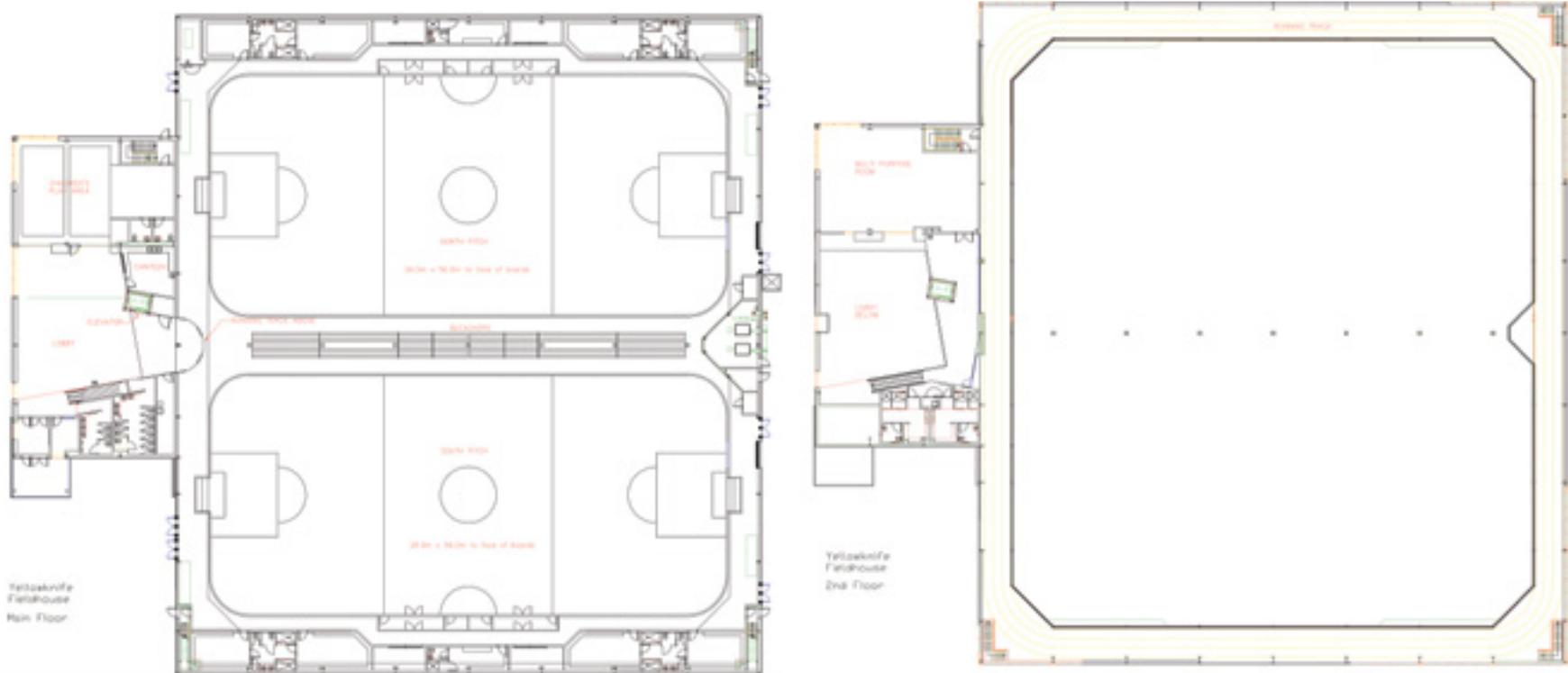
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YELLOWKNIFE FIELDHOUSE FLOOR PLANS



FIELDHOUSE INTERIOR



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YELLOWKNIFE FIELDHOUSE

Located beside the Multiplex, the Yellowknife Fieldhouse includes two, 26m-by-56m indoor multi-use fields, which host indoor soccer, futsal and flag-football tournaments. Each field has four change rooms with showers and toilets. The facility also includes a three-lane, 240-metre indoor track upstairs.

YELLOWKNIFE AQUATIC CENTER OPENING SUMMER OF 2024

The new Aquatic Center will include accessible amenities such as a 25 metre, eight lane pool with two diving boards and a waterslide. It will also feature two meeting rooms, a steam room, a large hot tub, children's splash pad, and a lazy river as well as a leisure pool with three swim lanes and beach access.

NEW AQUATIC CENTRE EXTERIOR VIEW*



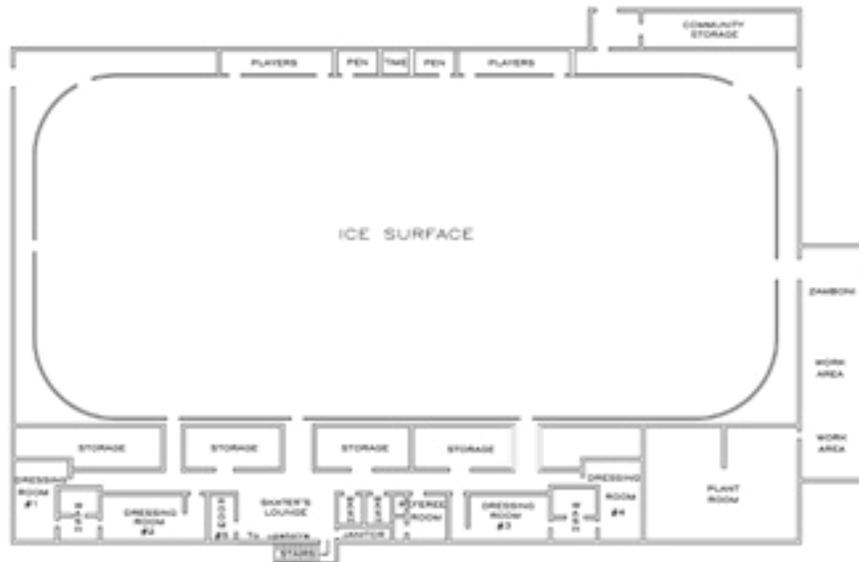
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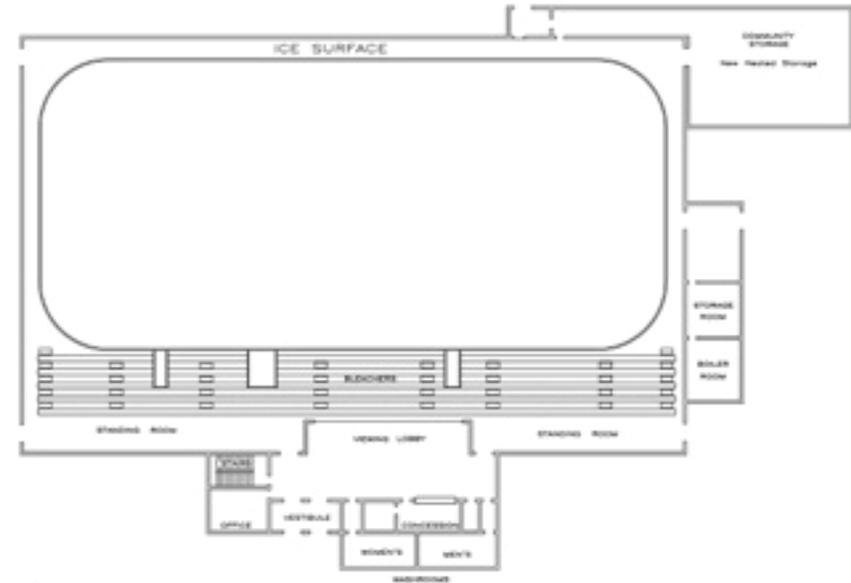
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* ARTIST'S RENDITIONS ONLY



YK Arena – Lower



YK Arena – Upper

YK COMMUNITY ARENA

The Yellowknife Community Arena features one NHL-sized ice surface, which hosts hockey, broomball, ringette and figure skating events. There are four changerooms and an official's room, with showers and toilets. The Yellowknife Community Arena also includes concession facilities and seating for roughly 500.

YELLOWKNIFE CURLING CLUB

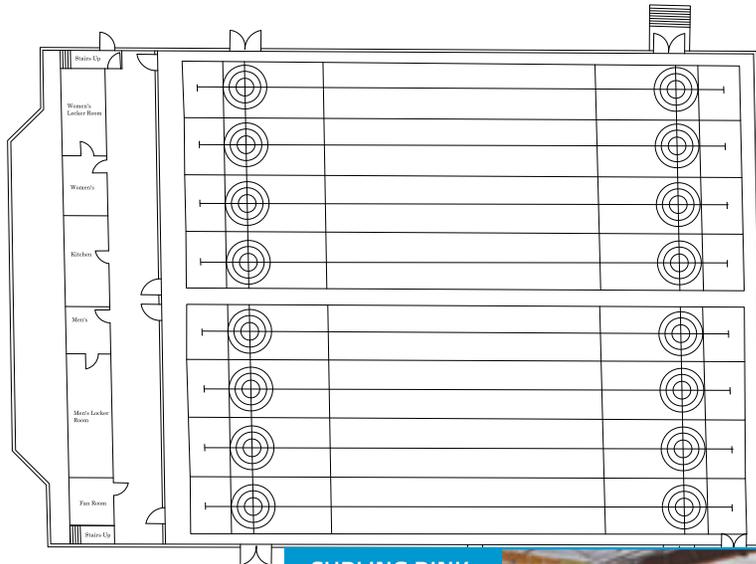
Next door, the Yellowknife Curling Club, where hometown hero and World Champion Kevin Koe first honed his skills, features eight curling sheets. The curling club has multiple changerooms and a heated lounge, which provides a view of all the on-ice action.

CURLING RINK

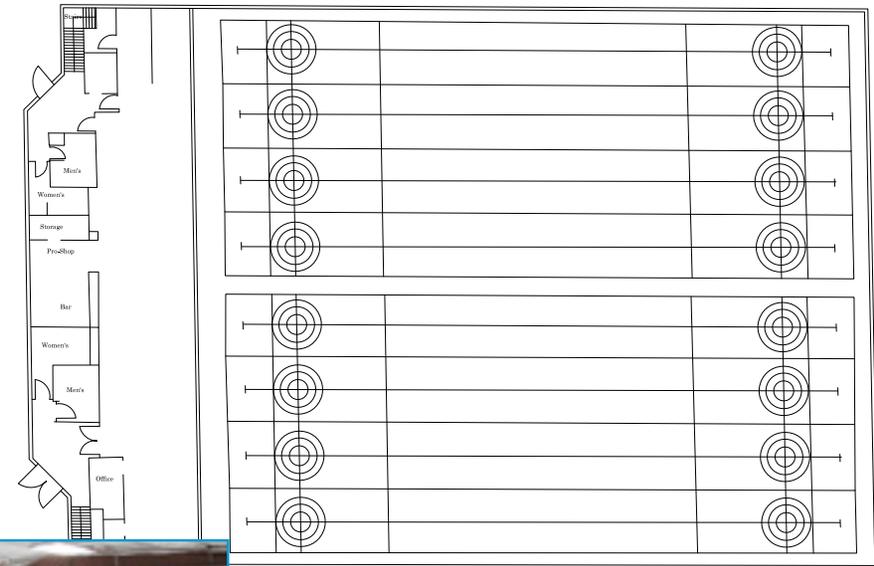


THE YELLOWKNIFE CURLING CLUB HOSTED THE 2014 SENIOR CANADIAN CURLING CHAMPIONSHIPS.

YELLOWKNIFE CURLING CLUB FLOOR PLANS



Lower Floor Plan



Upper Floor Plan

January, 2008



CROSS COUNTRY SKI TRAILS

Just minutes from downtown, the Yellowknife Ski Club boasts an impressive 14-kilometre network of groomed trails, including two kilometres with night-lighting. The club also features a biathlon range and large chalet, with kitchen, lounge and waxing room.

BRISTOL PIT SNOWBOARD PARK

The annual NWT Squash Territorial Championships welcomes between 80 and 120 participants from across the territory, as well as the Yukon, Alberta and B.C. for a week-long tournament, which features an exhibition from eight of the top players in the country.

TOMMY FORREST BALL PARK

A crown jewel of downtown Yellowknife, the newly renovated Tommy Forest Ball Park is a family-friendly diamond that plays hosts to annual men's and junior fastball tournaments.

RACQUET CLUB

Located a short distance from most major hotels, Yellowknife's Racquet Club features four international-sized squash courts, with a central court that includes a glass-back with viewing area. The Racquet Club also has a lounge, hot tub, massage services and full gym facilities.



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**THE YELLOWKNIFE SKI CLUB HOSTED
THE 2003 WESTERN CANADIAN
CROSS-COUNTRY SKI CHAMPIONSHIP.**

NORTHWEST TERRITORIES



YELLOWKNIFE IS CLOSER THAN YOU THINK, WITH DAILY DIRECT FLIGHTS FROM VANCOUVER, CALGARY AND EDMONTON.

The city of 21,000 is also accessible by road, year-round via highways north from Alberta and British Columbia. With tens of thousands of tourists from around the world coming to marvel at our spectacular Northern Lights, Yellowknife is more than able to host large numbers of visitors with our many local hotels and accommodations. Once here, there's no shortage of activities for visiting athletes, officials, family members and delegates. Choose to explore our winter wonderland with a dog-sled tour at a scenic Aurora-viewing lodge. Or head out on Great Slave Lake for some world-class fishing under the Midnight Sun in summer.

When it comes to choosing the next destination for your sporting event, consider Yellowknife's competitive edge.

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