



2015 Australian Senior Paracanoe Sprint Team

Following the completion of selection trials and national classification according to new ICF guidelines, the following athletes have been selected to the Team to compete in Paracanoe events at the 2015 canoe sprint world championships in Milan as follows:

Paralympic Men Primary Entry	Paralympic Women Primary Entry
Curtis McGrath (QLD) KL2	Sam Bloom (NSW) KL1
Dylan Littlehales (NSW) KL3	Susan Seipel (QLD) KL2
	Amanda Reynolds (VIC) KL3

AC funding and performance support will be focused on the primary entry Paralympic athletes with the aim of achieving podium performances and Paralympic qualification quotas for Rio 2016.

In addition, AC determined to select athletes to the Team to compete in non Paralympic events and/or as second entries in Paralympic events to foster the promotion and development of Paracanoeing at a national and international level as follows.

Non Paralympic Men / Second Entry	Non Paralympic Women / Second Entry
Colin Sieders (NSW) KL2	Susan Seipel (QLD) VL2
Curtis McGrath (QLD) VL2	Melissa Sullivan (QLD) VL3 – KL3
Sam Germein (SA) KL3 – VL3	

Where the schedule permits, selected athletes may compete in secondary events at the world championships, e.g. a K1 athlete may compete in V1 and vice versa subject to agreement with the Head Coach and in accordance with the selection criteria regarding selection to multiple events.

Note that the classification listed against each athlete is a national classification only and subject to validation as an international classification by the ICF prior to the world championships.

Australian Canoeing Selection Panel

Richard Fox (chair)
Christine Bain
Andrea King
Glenn Pyne

Ratified by Australian Canoeing Board Member, Martin Clancy Lowe

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