



NB Open Fencing Results

The second annual New Brunswick Open Fencing competition held on October 22 & 23 at Arnold H. McLeod School in Moncton was the season opener for competitions in the Atlantic Fencing League. Over 75 fencers from PEI, Nova Scotia, Quebec and five New Brunswick clubs took part.

In the senior events, **Anne Bardou** of the Renforth Fencing Club earned gold in women's foil over **Sylvan Greyson** of Halifax. Renforth clubmates, **Diane Raiche-Phillips** and **Elena Redkina** finished with bronze medals. **Marc Landry** of Moncton took gold in men's foil over clubmate, **Guy Gautreau**. **Eric McLeod** and **Andrew Willison** of Halifax earned bronze medals. In senior epee, **Marc Landry** earned his second gold medal, over **Felipe Chibante** of Damocles Fencing Club in Fredericton. Bronze medals went to **Scott MacGregor** of Fundy Fencing Club and **Aidan Matchett** of South Shore Duellists in Bridgewater, NS. In senior sabre, Fredericton's **Jim Stevens** from Damocles club was the gold medallist over **Cedric Richard** of Fundy Fencing Club. Damocles competitor, **Gabriel Lemay** finished with bronze along with **Luke McDearmid** from PEI.

In the cadet (under 17) events, **Andrew Willison** of Halifax captured gold in cadet foil over **Owen Preeper** of Fundy Fencing club, while **Thomas Garagan** of Halifax and **Will Dobson** of Renforth took bronze. In cadet epee, **Kyle Whittaker** of Renforth took gold over **Michael Malek** of Halifax, while **Joel LeBlanc** and **Cedric Richard** of Fundy Fencing club finished with bronze. In cadet sabre, **Cedric Richard** of Fundy was the gold medallist. **Alex Bischoff** of Damocles club in Fredericton won silver with bronze medals going to **Steven McGrath** of PEI and **Andrew Willison** of Halifax.

In under 13 foil, **Gavin Kerr** of PEI earned gold over **Josh DeJong** of Fundy Fencing club. Bronze medals went to **Will Marshall** of Fredericton's Damocles club and **Zoe Richard** of Fundy Fencing club. The under 13 epee honours went to **Ylenor Cote** of Rimouski, QC. **Will Dobson** of Renforth took silver and bronze medals went to **Neomie Couture** of Rimouski and **Nigel Sood** of Fredericton's Damocles club.

The next competition of the Atlantic Fencing League, the Tri-Sword Tournament will take place in Halifax on the weekend of November 12.

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