

PAN AM at a GLANCE

XIII Pan American Games

July 23 - August 8, 1999

- The 1999 Games will be the largest celebration of sport and culture ever staged in Canada.
- 5000 athletes and 2000 coaches, trainers, and mission staff from the 42 countries of North, South, and Central America and the Caribbean will participate in 41 sport competitions. About 2,500 technical officials (1500 assigned by International Federations and 1,000 local) will take part.
- The XIII Pan Am Games will be the third-largest athletic competition ever held in North America. They are eclipsed only by the Summer Olympics in Los Angeles and Atlanta.
- The Games are expected to attract 100,000 visitors.
- The Games will be hosted by Winnipeg in partnership with the three levels of government and the corporate community, under the auspices of the Canadian Olympic Association.
- Winnipeg is the host of the Games. Some sports will be staged in other Manitoba cities and towns such as Gimli, Minnedosa, Stonewall, and the Birch Ski Area near Roseisle.
- Primary athletes villages will be located in Winnipeg and Portage la Prairie. Satellite villages will be located in Brandon and Gimli.
- Community spirit will make the 1999 Games a success. The goal of 15,000 volunteers needed to deliver the Games was reached in October 1998; recruitment continues to ensure an active volunteer pool at Games time.
- For more information about the Games, call headquarters at (204) 985-1900 or visit our web site at www.panamgames.org.

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