

Youth LEAD Nationals

May 18-19, 2026 – Lead – Canyon Escalade, La Prairie, QC

Monday, May 18 – Lead Qualifiers (Canyon Escalade)

Heat 1 –YBF, YAF, YAM (6 routes simultaneously)

6:00am Warm up area opens for YBF, YAF, YAM athletes
6:00am to 7:30am Athlete check-in
7:30am to 1:00pm YBF, YAF, YAM Qualifiers (*Qualifiers = flashed format, 2 routes*)

Heat 2 –YBM, JF, JM (6 routes simultaneously)

12:30pm Warm up area opens for YBM, JF, JM athletes
12:30pm to 2:00pm Athlete check-in
2:00pm to 7:00pm YBM, JF, JM Qualifiers (*Qualifiers = flashed format, 2 routes*)

7:30pm Gym closes for change over

Quotas to Semi-finals = 24

Tuesday, May 19 – Lead Semi-Finals & Finals (Canyon Escalade)

Semi-Finals (3 routes simultaneously)

6:30am - 7:30am Isolation opens and closes for all **semi-finalists**
8:00am – 2:00pm Semi-finals (*onsight format, 1 route*)

- 8:00am – observation for YBF, YAM and YAF athletes
 - Semi-finals begin immediately after observation
- 11:00am –observation for YBM, JM and JF athletes
 - Semi-finals begin immediately after observation

Quotas to Finals = 8

2:00pm - 6:00pm Gym closed for changeover

Finals (3 routes simultaneously)

4:30pm to 5:30pm Isolation opens and closes for all **finalists**
6:00pm to 8:30pm Finals (*onsight format, 1 route*)

- 6:00pm – presentation and observation for YBF, YAM and YAF athletes
 - Finals begin immediately after observation
- 7:00pm – presentation and observation for YBM, JM and JF athletes
 - Finals begin immediately after observation
- Awards to follow