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**2022**

**BC/YK SECTION STARSKATE  
COMPETITION-LIVE**

Also including ADULT categories



**SKATECANADA**  
BRITISH COLUMBIA/YUKON

March 4-6, 2022  
Capital News Centre  
4105 Gordon Drive  
Kelowna, BC  
V1W 4Z1

Deadline to register: Wednesday, February 9, 2022  
Sanctioned by and held under the Rules of Skate Canada



**2022 [belairdirect](#) BC/YK SECTION  
STARSKATE COMPETITION-LIVE**  
Hosted by the BC /YK SECTION at Capital News Centre  
March 4-6, 2022

Entry is open to all skaters in STAR Free Skate and Artistic categories, Pre-Juvenile and Juvenile Singles. Any skaters who competed in Pre-Novice and higher at the 2022 BC/YK Skate Canada Sectionals in November 2021 are not eligible for entry in STARSkate categories in this competition. Adult events will also be offered.

**DATE:** March 4-6, 2022

**VENUE:** Capital News Centre 4105 Gordon Drive Kelowna, BC V1W4Z1

**HOTEL:** Info will be posted on the 2022 BC/YK Section STARSkate Competition-Live Competition page when it is finalized.

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**TECHNICAL INQUIRIES:** Janice Hunter [janicedhunter@gmail.com](mailto:janicedhunter@gmail.com)

**Please do not contact Janice with registration questions.**

**EVENTS TO BE HELD & ENTRY INFORMATION**

As with all Super Series events, an additional \$7.50 per entry has been added to offset the costs of live streaming. Skaters may enter up to three events in total. Pre-Juvenile and Juvenile categories will be cancelled if there is not enough ice time, followed by Artistic categories.

For event specifications please refer to the 2021-2022 Skate Canada STAR Competition Program Requirements posted on the [STAR Competition Technical page](#) of the Skating in BC website.  
[www.skatinginbc.com](http://www.skatinginbc.com)

**Please note that the 2019-2020 assessment standards for STAR 2-4 will be used.**

Adult category specifications and age will follow the [2021-2022 Skate Canada Adult Technical Requirements Guide](#)

Adult Introductory 18-24 years  
 Adult Class 1 25-35 years  
 Adult Class 2 36-45 years  
 Adult Class 3 46-55 years  
 Adult Class 4 56 years and older

In all events, age categories may be combined if there are insufficient entries in individual categories.

STAR 2*			\$85.00
STAR 3*			\$85.00
STAR 4	Girls U10 Girls U13 Girls 13 & Over	Boys	\$90.00
STAR 5	Girls U10 Girls U13 Girls 13 & Over	Boys	\$95.00
STAR 6 Free Skate	Women	Men	\$95.00
STAR 7 Short Program	Women	Men	\$95.00
STAR 8 Free Skate	Women	Men	\$95.00
STAR 9 Short Program	Women	Men	\$95.00
STAR 10 Free Skate	Women	Men	\$95.00
Gold Free Skate	Women	Men	\$95.00
Pre-Juvenile Singles	Women U11 Women U13	Men U13	\$95.00
Juvenile Singles	Women U12 Women U15	Men U15	\$95.00
STAR 5 Artistic	Women and Men Combined		\$95.00
STAR 7 Artistic	Women and Men Combined		\$95.00
STAR 9 Artistic	Women and Men Combined		\$95.00
Gold Artistic	Women and Men Combined		\$95.00
Adult Introductory Interpretive	Women and Men Combined		\$95.00
Adult Bronze Interpretive	Women and Men Combined		\$95.00
Adult Silver Interpretive	Women and Men Combined		\$95.00
Adult Gold Interpretive	Women and Men Combined		\$95.00
Adult Elite Interpretive	Women and Men Combined		\$95.00
Adult Open Couples Interpretive	Couples		
Adult Open Masters Couples Interpretive	Couples		
Adult Free Skate Intro Open	Women	Men	\$95.00
Adult Free Skate Bronze	Women	Men	\$95.00
Adult Free Skate Silver	Women	Men	\$95.00
Adult Free Skate Gold	Women	Men	\$95.00
Adult Free Skate Masters	Women	Men	\$95.00
Adult Free Skate Masters Elite	Women	Men	\$95.00

\*As per the Skate Canada EDI Working Group, STAR 2-3 events are no longer separated by gender.

Entry fees shall be refunded only if the competition is not held or if the entry is withdrawn before the closing date of entry. NO REFUNDS WILL BE GIVEN AFTER THE CLOSING DATE OF ENTRIES OF THE COMPETITION (February 9, 2022)

**Note:** All single event entries will be contacted the next business day following the close of entries. Single event entries must contact the BC/YK Section office within three business days to indicate whether they wish to withdraw, \*skate for evaluation or change categories (if applicable), otherwise the event will be cancelled with refund. \* Skating for evaluation is only applicable to Free Skating categories.

**LATE ENTRIES MAY BE TAKEN AT THE DISCRETION OF THE COMPETITION COMMITTEE AND WILL BE CHARGED DOUBLE THE ENTRY FEE. All payments must be made online at the time of registration.**

[Online Registration](#) must be completed by 11:45 p.m. Wednesday, February 9, 2022. Instructions for entering online can be found on page 7 of this announcement.

For all categories age shall be the age of the skater before July 1, 2021 and assessments/tests passed shall be as of February 9, 2022 (closing date of entries). **Please note that age categories may be combined if there are insufficient entries in an individual category.**

**PLANNED PROGRAM SHEETS** for ALL Free Skate and Artistic events STAR 5 and higher must be completed online no later than Wednesday, February 23, 2022. A \$25 fee will be assessed to those skaters failing to register their planned program content by the deadline. [Click here](#) to register your planned program. (see p.7)

A tentative schedule of events and groups will be posted on the [2022 BC/YK Section STARSkate Competition-Live](#) page of the BC/YK Section website. Any last-minute changes to schedules will be posted on the website and also at the arena. Events may start up to one half hour earlier than scheduled.

#### ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

1. The competition will be adhering to the BC/YK Section Vaccination Policy at this event, which can be found [HERE](#).
2. We are actively following the COVID-19 situation and information in this announcement may change at any time due to facility, regional, provincial and/or national restrictions or guidelines. Specific requirements will be posted on the BC/YK Section website and communicated to participants via email closer to the event.
3. **BC/YK SAFESPORT POLICY:** Phone, video, and/or mobile devices must be turned off and put away in bags while in dressing rooms.
4. **Skaters may enter a maximum of three events.** Skaters choosing to enter more than one event do so with the understanding that there may be scheduling conflicts resulting in less than ideal scheduling, or that are unable to be resolved. Pre-Juvenile and Juvenile categories will be cancelled if there is not enough ice time, followed by Artistic categories.

5. Should entries in a category be exceedingly large, the event will be divided into smaller groups which will be determined by random draw. Each group will be considered a final and the highest total score from all competitors in the event will determine the winner. STAR 2 & 3 groups will be divided according to age.
6. Should there be only one entry in any event, the competitor may skate for an evaluation\*, skate up one level, or withdraw and the entry fee will be refunded. \*Skating for an evaluation is only applicable to competitive categories and STAR Free Skate categories.
7. **One Club Entries:** If all entries in a category are from the same club, the skaters and coaches will be contacted the next business day following the close of entries. Skaters must contact the BC/YK Section office within three business days to indicate if they wish to change categories or withdraw with a refund.
8. **MARKING:** Please see the STAR Competition Program Requirements on the Section website for the marking criteria for each of the STAR and Supplementary Event categories. Note that the lower levels are all assessed with ribbons awarded. Competitive categories are all marked in CPC.
9. **REGISTRATION:**  
Skaters must register at least one hour before their warm-up is scheduled to start.
10. **SIZE OF WARM-UP GROUPS:** The maximum number of skaters on warm-up for all STAR categories except STAR 1, will be 8.
11. **WARM-UP TIMES:**

STAR 2	3 minutes
STAR 3,4 & 5	4 minutes
Pre-Juvenile, STAR 6 to Gold Free Skate	5 minutes
Juvenile	6 minutes
Artistic	3 minutes
Adult Free Skate	5 minutes

\* At the discretion of the Referee, the warm-up periods may be reduced to a minimum of 3 minutes.  
All warm-up periods for one event must be equal.
12. **Music Requirements:** All skaters must submit music online as part of the registration process.
  - Music will only be accepted electronically via MP3 format. Do not begin the registration process until you have your music file ready to load. Questions can be directed to Haley Adams at [bcyksection@skatinginbc.com](mailto:bcyksection@skatinginbc.com)
  - Music files are not kept for the next competition. Skaters must submit their music for each individual competition.
  - A backup USB flash drive or CD must be at the boards with the coach when the skater is competing.
  - Alternate electronic items such as iPhones, tablets, mp3 players etc. will not be accepted for playing music.

- The preferred backup format is a USB flash drive. If using a back-up CD, the following requirements must be met:
  - Only one program shall be recorded on each CD.
  - The start of the music shall be recorded on the CD with less than two seconds of lead in.
  - Competitor's name followed by music time (not skating time) shall be clearly printed on one side of the CD.
  - Each CD shall be enclosed in its plastic container, also marked with the skater's name, home club, event, and total music time.

13. ICE SURFACE: 80' x 200'

14. COACHES: In order to be at ice level during the events, it is mandatory for all participating coaches to be wearing their 2021/22 BC/YK Section Coach Card Accreditation and register in person at the competition. 2021/22 BC/YK Section Coach Card Accreditations can be purchased through the BC/YK Section Office and must be purchased at least 2 weeks prior to the competition. Temporary accreditation will be issued by showing current Skate Canada membership and First Aid information for \$25 per day. At this time, only one coach per skater will be permitted at the boards.

15. ADMISSION will be free to all. **Information regarding spectator capacity and vaccination status requirements will be communicated closer to the date of the event.**

16. AWARDS: More information regarding awards will be communicated closer to the event.

17. Protests: [Skate Canada Protest Rule](#) for competitions using CPC will be followed. In addition, if there is an event using manual calculation where the results are not posted within one hour of the completion of the last event of the day, the protest must be made to the Event Referee within the first hour of the following day's competition. If the Event Referee is unavailable, the protest may be made to the Technical Representative

## BC/YK SECTION Online Registration & Planned Program Instructions

Skate Canada BC/YK Section uses an online registration system with the company [Wufoo.com](http://Wufoo.com). All registrations must be completed using this online system.

[Click here](#) to register.

**The registration system will generate an automatic email to the skater. Skaters should forward this confirmation to their primary coach. Coaches are encouraged to check the confirmation email to ensure their skater(s) is registered in the correct event.**

There is no login required to fill out the Wufoo competition form. Skaters enter their information in all of the required fields and then click "Submit". After clicking the submit button skaters will be taken to PayPal to pay their competition registration fee. All skaters must pay their competition entry fee through PayPal. Please note that it is not necessary to have a PayPal account to complete the registration process.

### Online Planned Program Instructions

[Click here](#) to register planned program content. There is no login required. As with the entry registration, skaters enter their information in all of the required fields. When taken to Step 2, simply type in the elements in the order they appear in your program. If possible, use the abbreviation codes for the individual elements but this is not mandatory. If you have questions, please contact the BC/YK Section office [bcyksection@skatinginbc.com](mailto:bcyksection@skatinginbc.com)

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