BC/YT SECTION SUPER SERIES STARSKATE FINAL



March 23-25, 2012 Fleetwood Arena 16555 Fraser Hwy Surrey, BC V3X 2S3



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Hosted by the BC /YT SECTION at Fleetwood Arena March 23-25, 2012

This competition is the final STARSkate event of 2011-2012 and is open to all skaters who have competed in STARSkate Free Skate and Interpretive categories during the season. Any skaters who competed in free skating categories at the 2012 BC/YT Skate Canada Sectionals in November 2011 are not eligible for entry in STARSkate categories in this competition. The Pre-Juvenile and Juvenile categories will also be offered at this event but will not be awarded points for the Super Series.

In addition to the individual category champions, there will be a Region Team Competition.

Each Region will pre-select 10 skaters whose individual events placement will be valued with a score. The scores will be added together for a Region total score and each Region will be placed in order from the highest to lowest score.

Online registration must be completed by 11:45 pm, Thursday, February 15th, 2012.

DATE: March 23-25, 2012

HOST: BC/YT Section

VENUE: Fleetwood Arena at the Surrey Sport and Leisure Complex

16555 Fraser Hwy. Surrey, BC V3X2S3

HOTEL: Comfort Inn & Suites Quote 'STARSkate' for rate of \$85 per night

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REGISTRAR: BC/YT Section Office Phone 604 205 6960 NO COLLECT CALLS PLEASE

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EVENTS TO BE HELD & ENTRY INFORMATION

As with all Super Series events, an additional \$5 per entry has been added to offset the costs of live streaming.

For event specifications please refer to the 2011-2012 BC/YT Technical Packages for STARSkate and Competitive, posted on the <u>Technical Page</u> of the Skating in BC website. <u>www.skatinginbc.com</u>

Preliminary Free Skate	Women	Men	\$75.00
Junior Bronze Free Skate	Women 12 & Under	Men	\$75.00
	Women 13 & Over		
Senior Bronze Free Skate	Women	Men	\$75.00
Junior Silver Free Skate	Women	Men	\$75.00
Senior Silver Free Skate	Women	Men	\$75.00
Gold Free Skate	Women	Men	\$75.00
Introductory	Interpretive		\$75.00
Bronze	Interpretive		\$75.00
Silver	Interpretive		\$75.00
Gold	Interpretive		\$75.00
Pre-Juvenile Singles	Women	Men	\$80.00
Juvenile Singles	Women	Men	\$80.00

Entry fees shall be refunded only if the competition is not held or if the entry is withdrawn before the closing date of entry.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 15, 2012) FOR ANY REASON WHATSOEVER - SC RULE 7000 B 1.5(2).

LATE ENTRIES 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. Thursday, February 15th, 2012. Instructions for entering online can be found on page 5 of this announcement.

Eligibility for entries is governed by age and tests passed as of February 15, 2012 (closing date of entries) for all categories except Pre-Juvenile and Juvenile where the age shall be as of July 1, 2011

PLANNED PROGRAM SHEETS for ALL Free Skate events may be submitted online with skater entry information or sent to the BC/YT Section office via fax (604 205 6962). Deadline to submit changes to planned program sheets is March 14, 2012

A tentative schedule of events and groups will be posted on the <u>competition page</u> of the BC/YT Section website. Any last minute changes to schedules will be posted on the website and also at the arena. Please note that events may start up to one half hour earlier than scheduled.

Starting orders will be posted a minimum of 24 hours prior to the start of the competition.

GENERAL INFORMATION

- 1. Should entries in a category be exceedingly large, the event will be divided into smaller groups which will 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. Preliminary groups will be divided according to age with medals awarded to the skaters placing first to third in each group.
- 2. MARKING: The CPC Scoring system will be used for all events except Preliminary Free Skate which will be judged using the <a href="https://preliminary/Prelimina

3. REGISTRATION:

Skaters must register at least one hour before their event is scheduled to start.

4. WARM UP TIMES:

Preliminary to Senior Bronze 4 minutes
Junior Silver to Gold Free Skate 5 minutes
Pre-Juvenile 5 minutes
Juvenile to Senior Competitive 6 minutes

All warm-up periods for one event must be equal.

5. MUSIC REQUIREMENTS:

- Only CD's will be accepted. 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.
- Competitors must hand in their music at the registration desk at least one hour prior to the start of their event. The Organizing Committee will accept no responsibility against damage but will take every precaution to safeguard each CD.
- A backup CD is a requirement of each competitor and should be at rinkside during the skater's performance.
- 6. ICE SURFACE: 80' x 200'
- 7. COACHES: It is mandatory for all participating coaches to register at competitions and show their accreditation at all times during the competition in order to be at ice level during the events. Temporary accreditation will be issued for \$25.00 by showing current Skate Canada membership and First Aid information.
- 8. ADMISSION will be free to all.
- 9. AWARDS: A notice will be posted in the arena and on the website with information regarding the time and location of medal presentations.

^{*} At the discretion of the Referee, the warm up periods may be reduced to a minimum of 3 minutes.

10. <u>Protest Policy:</u> Skate Canada Protest Policy for competitions using CPC will be followed. RULE 7301 (6) (4). 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/YT SECTION Online Registration Instructions

Skate Canada-BC/YT Section has an online registration system with the company Karelo.com. All registrations must be completed using this online system. Click here to register.

Using Karelo for the first time

The first time you use Karelo.com to register for an event, you will be asked to choose a <u>log in name & a password</u>, and to enter your contact information. When entering contact information, please use the skater's name and not the parent's name. Skate Canada Number must be entered as per your Skate Canada Card (i.e. 10 digits including all zeros). This is a very short and simple step that will enable you to avoid the hassle of re-entering your information for each event registration! Your contact information is never shared with third parties. Please review Karelo's 'Privacy Policy' for more details.

Entering your registration

<u>If you have never used Karelo.com before</u>, go to '<u>I am new to Karelo.com</u>' and select a login name and a password; enter your contact information. Then follow these steps:

- 1. Log in. Select the event that you want to register for from the Event List
- 2. Enter your registration information.
- 3. Enter your credit card information (Visa or MasterCard). This is a secure transaction. Your credit card is charged immediately.
- 4. You are registered! Check your email for the confirmation email with your registration details.

IMPORTANT: If you DO NOT receive an email confirmation from Karelo.com or receive a confirmation number, then you are NOT REGISTERED for the competition. Please call the BC/YT Section Office if this occurs.

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