



# ANNOUNCEMENT

# 2013 Manitoba Summer Open Competition

**Dates, Host and Locations:** 

Host: Skate Winnipeg

**Dates:** July 26<sup>th</sup> – 28<sup>th</sup>, 2013

Arena: Jonathan Toews Community Centre (Formerly Dakota Community Centre)

Location: Winnipeg, Manitoba

Sanctioned by: Skate Canada and USFSA

#### **RULES**

Competitions will be conducted in accordance with regulations as outlined by Skate Canada.

#### **ELIGIBILITY TO COMPETE**

Competitors must be eligible skaters as defined in Section 2100 of the Skate Canada Rule Book and be Associate Members in good standing of the Association.

OR

Competitors must be members in good standing of the United States Figure Skating Association.

Be Associate members in good standing of the Association (Rule 5401).

#### **COACHES ELIGIBILITY**

Coaches must be NCCP Level 1 or Primary STARSkate certified or working on the Practical portion of their certification, must hold a valid First Aid Certificate, and must be registered professional coaching members in good standing with Skate Canada. Canadian coaches must carry a valid Coach Photo ID card to be permitted to coach at any event. Coaches failing to provide the proper Coach Photo ID will not be permitted into any restricted or designated coaching areas. US coaches must be a member in good standing of the USFSA.

Coaches MUST be fully NCCP ISPC or Level 2 certified for skaters entered in Competitive Events.

# **MUSIC**

CD's will be the only format used at Manitoba Competitions for the 2013 season

1) REGISTRATION OF MUSIC: Music must be turned in at the time of registration. CD's and their cases must have the competitor's name and event clearly printed on them. The music information as required on the Entry Form must be completed in detail (as applicable). All music used must be in the public domain or covered by the performing rights societies. Competitors who have music composed especially for their program either wholly or in part shall be responsible for obtaining a written release from the composer for the use of such music on radio or television or appropriate clearance from the performing rights society.

2) MUSIC REQUIREMENTS: Each entry must provide 2 CD's for the Competition upon registration. One for competition (marked "Master") and one for back-up (marked "copy"). It is recommended that a backup CD be carried by the skater. Please place phonetic spelling of first and last name on the CD cases to aid the announcer with pronunciation.

# Standard Specifications

- 1. Only one (1) program (using one track only) shall be recorded on each CD.
- 2. Music shall be recorded onto the CD so that it starts within no less than 0.5 seconds and not more than 2 seconds after the play button is pressed on the CD player.
- 3. CD recording level shall be normal consistent listening level. Music shall be recorded at equal levels on both left and right channels in stereo.

# Each Compact Disc shall:

- ❖ Be on a standard CR-R and enclosed in a single transparent plastic case. Do not use CD-RW
- Have the music recorded in Compact disc audio (CDA) or WAV format. (Not MP3, iTunes or DVD format)
- Be in good clean playable condition.

# Labeling:

Skater's name, category name, total music time (not skating time) and Home Club shall be clearly printed on:

- 1. Label on the CD case back insert only. The CD must be visible in front of case.
- 2. Identify CD by writing on the front of the CD using a fine or medium Sharpie type marker. Do not use a ballpoint pen.
- 3. Do not apply stick on labels to the CD
- 4. Label disc with Master or Backup copy clearly on the front.

#### **ACCIDENTS/LIABILITY**

Skate Canada, the host Section/Club and the Local Volunteer Team undertake no responsibility for damages or injuries suffered by skaters. As a condition of and in consideration of their entries in these Championships, all competitors and their parents or guardians shall be deemed to agree to assume all risks or injuries to the competitor's person and property resulting from, or caused by or connected with, the conduct and management of the competitions and to release any and all claims they may have against the officials, the Association, the Section, the Volunteer Team and against their officers and their entries shall be accepted only on these conditions.

#### SKATE CANADA MANITOBA CAMERA POLICY

Flash photography is not permitted. Skate Canada Manitoba restricts the use of cameras and video equipment during Skate Canada sanctioned events out of respect for the safety and to protect the privacy of competing athletes.

<u>Spectators</u> are permitted to use cameras at the event for personal use only and are subject to the following conditions. Anyone who does not abide by these rules risks having their camera confiscated by authorized personnel.

- No flash photography is allowed
- Camera lens must not be larger than 200mm in order to avoid obstructing the view of other spectators

- Any resale of photography or posting photos on websites is strictly prohibited
- Video cameras can only be used by the parent(s) of their own skater during their performance

Coaches are only permitted to video tape their own skater from the boards during that skater's practice or performance. Coaches cannot video tape from the spectator area

# **COMPETITION HOST COMMITTEE**

Competition Chair: Monique Laskovic

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**COMPETITION ARENA Jonathan Toews Community Centre** (Formerly Dakota Community Centre) 1188 Dakota Street Winnipeg, MB R2N 3H4

**Ice Surface Dimensions:** 

85' x 200'

## **QUALIFICATIONS FOR ENTRY**

- 1) COMPETITIVE SKATERS: Skaters registered to compete in any event at the Novice or higher level at a Sectional or Sectional qualifying competition, **do not** qualify to compete in the STARSkate Events in any category at any level. Skaters registered to compete in the Juvenile and Pre-Novice level at a Sectional or Sectional qualifying competition may register to compete in event categories at the STARSkate level other than those competed in at a Sectional or Sectional qualifying competition. Please see the table below for the qualifications for entry.
  - The Pre-Juvenile category is not considered a competitive qualifying event nationally. Skaters competing in these events can register and compete in the STARSkate Events.
- 2) TEST AND AGE PREREQUISITES: Competitors wishing to enter the Manitoba Summer Open shall meet the test requirements as of November 15 and age requirements as of October 1, preceding the competition for STARSkate Events. Competitive Skaters shall meet the test requirements as of October 1 and age requirements are as of July 1, preceding the competition.
- 3) COMPETITIVE SINGLES TEST EQUIVALENCIES IN THE STARSkate PROGRAM: As regulation 4000 –E – 3.1 states, skaters passing Free Skating tests in the competitive test system are granted equivalencies for regular free skating tests as follows:

Juvenile Competitive Singles Test Junior Silver Free Skating Test Pre-Novice Competitive Singles Test = Senior Silver Free Skating Test = = = Novice Competitive Singles Test Gold Free Skating Test

Junior Competitive Singles Test Gold Free Skating Test Senior Competitive Singles Test Gold Free Skate Test

Skaters who have passed any of the competitive test equivalencies must enter the STARSkate Championships at the level corresponding to their highest STARSkate test passed or at the level which they received the equivalency in the STARSkate Program, whichever is higher.

#### LARGE ENTRY EVENTS

- 1) Entry level skaters will be grouped if there are more than 12 entries in the event.
- 2) STARSkate events will be grouped by age when event registration exceeds 16 entries.
- 3) There will be no final rounds for any events.

#### COSTUMING

The clothing for all competitors must be modest, dignified and appropriate for athletic competition – not garish or theatrical in design. Accessories and props are not permitted.

#### **MARKING**

Competitive Free Skates, Competitive Short Programs, and Junior Bronze and Up Free Skate events including Adult events, will be judged using the CPC Scoring System. Closed Marking (OBO system) will be used for all other events.

# **RESULTS CALCULATION (OBO method)**

# EVENT MARKING CRITERIA, TIE BREAKING AND FACTORS

EVENT	MARKING CRITERIA	FACTOR	%	TIE BREAKER
Free Skate	Technical Merit, Presentation	1.0	100	2nd mark
Interpretive	Skating, Performance	1.0	100	2nd mark

<sup>\*</sup>Note: For Interpretive events, ties are broken based on the individual component scores in priority according to the order listed.

## **AWARDS**

Medals will be presented to the top three finalists of each discipline except the STARSkate Short Programs/Compulsory Elements events where each skater will receive a certificate.

#### REGISTRATION

## **Skaters**

Skaters must register at least <u>one hour prior to the scheduled start time</u> of their first event but no earlier than 45 minutes before the first event of the day. Music must be handed in at time of registration. Competitive and Junior Bronze and up skaters must submit a Planned Program Content Sheet <u>at least 1 hour prior to the start of their event.</u>

# **Coaches**

Canadian Coaches must show their valid Skate Canada Coach Photo ID tag. Any Coaches failing to register will not be allowed access to areas restricted to skaters and coaches only. Coaches are required to wear their Coach Photo ID tag at all times during the competition.

# **ENTRY FEES** (Payable in Canadian Funds)

Entry, Pre-Preliminary, Preliminary, \$55.00 for the first event entered

& Interpretive \$20.00 for each subsequent event (except LTAD Jump

Event & Team Event)

Junior Bronze & up, \$95.00 for the first event entered

Pre-Juvenile, Juvenile, \$20.00 for each subsequent event (except LTAD Jump

& Pre-Novice & up Event & Team Event)

LTAD Jump Event \$35.00 per event

Team Event \$30.00 per Team

# **ONLINE REGISTRATION**

To register online, go to <a href="www.karelo.com">www.karelo.com</a> and select the 2013 Manitoba Summer Open event. Please print the steps below so you have a ready reference to help you with the online registration process.

# Using Karelo for the first time:

If you have never used Karelo.com before:

- 1. Select 'Do you want a Login?' on the left side of the screen, or <u>Click Here to go to the Login Registration Screen</u>;
- 2. Select a login name and a password;
- 3. Enter the **skater's** 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 skater's 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 reentering 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:**

- 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/debit information (VISA or MASTERCARD or DEBIT).

This is a secure transaction. Your account is charged immediately.

You are registered! Check your email for the confirmation email with your registration details.

# **NOTES:**

- When entering in your information, make sure to use the skater's name and not the parent's name as the skater is the one that is registering for the competition!
- Make sure to enter in your full ten digit Skate Canada number
- If you do not receive a confirmation email, your registration has not been processed. Please review your registration at Karelo.com to view any incomplete registrations.

Karelo doesn't share your information with third parties - please review their Privacy Policy.

NOTE: There will be a \$25.00 charge for any NSF cheques received.

#### **CLOSING DATE OF ENTRIES**

Entries must be received no later than 11:00pm on June 1<sup>st</sup>, 2013.

#### **REFUNDS**

No refunds after the entry deadline of 11:00pm June 1<sup>st</sup>, 2013. No medical refunds at any time after the deadline.

# All refunds prior to the deadline will be subject to a \$10.00 processing fee.

For single entry events, the skater may request to skate for judges' comments if time permits. If allowed, the host committee shall retain the entry fee.

#### **ADMISSION FEES**

Adults - \$5.00/day Seniors - \$3.00/day Students - \$3.00/day Children (Under 6) - FREE

Programs – \$2.00 each (available at Admission desk)

## **ACCOMODATIONS**

You are responsible for making your own reservations.

#### **TECHNICAL INFORMATION**

## **Qualifications for Entry**

## **Singles**

Competitors may skate up one level for the Manitoba Summer Open. Skaters may compete at one
level only in any skating event but may compete at two different levels in the Free Skate and Short
Program (Compulsory) events.

#### **Tests**

• Tests will be offered during the Competitive Free Skate events of the Manitoba Summer Open.

#### **Practice Ice**

Official practice ice is not being offered, but practice ice will be available for purchase at \$15 per 20 minute session and will be sold on a first-come basis. Skater's music will not be played during practice sessions. A maximum of 25 skaters will be scheduled on practice ice. Unsold practice ice may be purchased at the Registration Desk on a first-come basis. Refunds will not be given for unused practice ice sessions.

Practice Ice will be available July 26<sup>th</sup>, 6:10pm – 9:30pm. Please email <u>info@skatewinnipeg.ca</u> if you would like to purchase Practice Ice.

IMPORTANT NOTE: Registration for Tests / Practice Ice cannot be completed online – these MUST be sent in by mail or email.

# **Technical Notes**

- 1. Upcoming amendments at the ACGM and the ISU congress may change some of the technical requirements. Please keep updated by checking Skate Canada's Website (Member's Only). Contact Skate Canada Manitoba or check the website www.mbskates.ca for further information.
- 2. Where technical requirements between Skate Canada and USFSA events differ, USFSA skaters will be accommodated.
- 3. Well Balanced Program criteria will be in place for all competitive programs and STARSkate events. Coaches and skaters can obtain the criteria for the Well Balanced Program from the Skate Canada web site <a href="https://www.skatecanada.ca">www.skatecanada.ca</a> under Members Only.

# **JUDGES AND REFEREES (FROM RULE 7504)**

- 1. **SELECTION OF OFFICIALS:** Judges, referees and data specialists shall be selected from the official Association Judges and Data Specialists list. Judges and referees must be eligible persons. A panel of at least five judges is recommended for all events.
- 2. COMPOSITION OF THE PANELS: For Interclub or Invitational events of the type listed in Rule 7302, Primary judges may be used for any event requiring no more than a Preliminary test as a prerequisite for entry. For all other events, Juvenile or higher judges must be used and must be qualified at the applicable level of the event (i.e. Juvenile or higher judges for Juvenile/Senior Bronze test or lower events; Pre-Novice judges or higher for Pre-Novice/Junior Silver Gold test events, etc).

#### **EVENT SCHEDULE**

A finalized schedule of events will be posted on the Skate Canada Manitoba website <a href="www.mbskates.ca">www.mbskates.ca</a> and Skate Winnipeg website <a href="www.skatewinnipeg.ca">www.skatewinnipeg.ca</a>.

Information will only be emailed to coaches.

#### **EVENTS TO BE HELD**

Skaters may skate up one category level.

# 1) COMPETITIVE FREE SKATE EVENTS

The Well Balanced Program Criteria and program lengths can be found in the Members Login section of the Skate Canada website.

# **Planned Program Sheets**

All Pre-Juvenile through Senior competitors are required to submit their respective Planned Program Sheets at Registration.

# a) Pre-Juvenile

Must have passed the complete Junior Bronze Free Skating Test or higher. Skaters will be grouped in two categories as follows:

U11 – Skaters must be under the age of 11 as of July 1, 2012.

U14 – Skaters must be under the age of 14 as of July 1, 2012.

# b) Juvenile

Must have passed the complete Junior Bronze Free Skating Test or higher. Skaters will be grouped in two categories as follows:

U11 – Skaters must be under the age of 11 as of July 1, 2012.

U14 – Skaters must be under the age of 14 as of July 1, 2012.

# c) Pre-Novice

Must have passed the complete Junior Bronze Free Skating Test or higher. Skaters must be under the age of 16 as of July 1, 2012.

#### d) **Novice**

Must have passed the complete Gold Free Skating Test. Skaters must be under the age of 17 as of July 1, 2012.

#### e) Junior

Must have passed the complete Gold Free Skating Test. Skaters must be under the age of 19 as of July 1, 2012 per ISU Junior age requirements.

## f) Senior

Must have passed the complete Gold Free Skating Test. There are no age requirements.

## 2) COMPETITIVE SHORT PROGRAM EVENTS

A short program to music containing the required elements and program lengths as outlined in Members Only.

## **Planned Program Sheets**

All Pre-Novice through Senior competitors are required to submit their respective Planned Program Sheets at Registration.

# a) Pre-Novice (Skating time 2:30 minutes - maximum)

Must have passed the complete Junior Bronze Free Skating Test or higher. Skaters must be under the age of 16 as of July 1, 2012.

- 1. One single or double Axel\*
- 2. One double or triple jump (must be a double loop or higher base value jump)\*
- 3. One jump combination including two double jumps or one double and one triple jump\*
  \*Note:
  - The 2A may be repeated but if it is repeated one must be in combination. No more than two Axel type jumps can be included in the program
  - Other than the 2A, no jump can be repeated unless as the first and second jump in the combination
  - Maximum of two different triple jumps may be included in the program
- Women Layback or sideways leaning spin (GOE: minimum 5 revolutions)
   Men Camel Spin with only one change of foot (GOE: minimum 4 revolutions per foot)\*\*
- 5. Spin Combination with one (and only one) change of foot and at least two basic positions (GOE: minimum 4 revolutions per foot)\*\*

# \*\*No flying entry on any spin

6. Maximum of one step sequence (any pattern)

# b) Novice (Skating time 2:30 minutes - maximum)

Must have passed the complete Gold Free Skating Test. Skaters must be under the age of 17 as of July 1, 2012.

- 1. One single or double Axel\*
- 2. One double jump immediately preceded by connecting steps and/or other comparable free skating movements, or triple jump (connecting steps not required).\*
- 3. One jump combination consisting of two double jumps or one double and one triple jump or two triple jumps\*

# \*Note:

- The 2A may be repeated but if it is repeated one must be in combination. No more than two Axel type jumps can be included in the program
- Jump elements must be different however the jump combination may consist of the same jump or another double or triple jump
- Women Layback or sideways leaning spin (minimum of 6 revolutions)
   Men Sit or camel spin with change of foot (GOE: minimum 5 revolutions per foot)\*\*
- 5. Spin combination with one (and only one) change of foot and at least two basic positions (GOE: minimum of 5 revolutions per foot)\*\*

## \*\*No flying entry on any spin

6. Maximum of one step sequence (any pattern)

## c) Junior

Must have passed the complete Gold Free Skating Test. Skaters must be under the age of 19 as of July 1, 2012 per ISU Junior age requirements.

# d) Senior

Must have passed the complete Gold Free Skating Test. There are no age requirements.

# 3) STARSkate FREE SKATE EVENTS

Well Balance Program Criteria can be found on the Skate Canada Members Only website.

# **Planned Program Sheets**

All Junior Bronze and up competitors are required to submit their respective Planned Program Sheets at Registration.

 a) Pre-Preliminary 8 & Under - Must not have passed the complete Skate Canada Preliminary free skating test or must have passed the USFSA Pre-Preliminary free skating test but no higher complete USFSA test.

Women/Men 1:30 minutes (+ or – 10 seconds) to music

b) **Pre-Preliminary 9 & Over -** Must not have passed the complete Skate Canada Preliminary free skating test or must have passed the USFSA Pre-Preliminary free skating test but no higher complete USFSA test.

Women/Men 1:30 minutes (+ or – 10 seconds) to music

c) **Preliminary 9 & under -** May have passed the Skate Canada Preliminary free skating test or the USFSA Preliminary free skating test but no higher complete USFSA test.

Women/Men 1:30 minutes (+ or – 10 seconds) to music

d) **Preliminary 10 & Over -** May have passed the Skate Canada Preliminary free skating test or the USFSA Preliminary free skating test but no higher complete USFSA test.

Women/Men 1:30 minutes (+ or – 10 seconds) to music

e) **Junior Bronze 10 & Under -** May have passed the Skate Canada Junior Bronze free skating test or the USFSA Pre-Juvenile free skating test but no higher complete USFSA test.

Women/Men 2:00 minutes (+ or - 10 seconds) to music

f) **Junior Bronze 11 & Over -** May have passed the Skate Canada Junior Bronze free skating test or the USFSA Pre-Juvenile free skating test but no higher complete USFSA test.

Women/Men 2:00 minutes (+ or – 10 seconds) to music

g) **Senior Bronze -** May have passed the Skate Canada Senior Bronze free skating test or the USFSA Juvenile free skating test but no higher complete USFSA test.

Women/Men 2:30 minutes (+ or – 10 seconds) to music

h) **Junior Silver -** May have passed the Skate Canada Junior Silver free skating test or the USFSA Novice free skating test but no higher complete USFSA test.

Women/Men 3:00 minutes (+ or – 10 seconds) to music

 Senior Silver - May have passed the Skate Canada Senior Silver free skate test or the USFSA Junior free skating test but no higher complete USFSA test.

Women/Men 3:00 minutes (+ or – 10 seconds) to music

 Gold - May have passed the Skate Canada Gold free skate test or the USFSA Senior free skate test.

Women 3:30 minutes (+ or - 10 seconds) to music Men 4:00 minutes (+ or - 10 seconds) to music

# 4) COMPULSORY ELEMENTS

**IMPORTANT NOTE:** For Compulsory Elements, there will be no medals given out. Each participant that competes in these events will receive a certificate and comments from the judges. These events will be judged on a performance based system which follows Skate Canada's Long Term Athlete Development (LTAD) model.

#### **Technical Information:**

- Entry and Pre-Preliminary will use ½ ice surface.
- Preliminary and Junior Bronze will use full ice.
- No music will be used.
- Eligibility for Events is the same as for Free Skating Events.
- The program consists of required elements and may be skated in any order.
- Programs must have an opening and ending pose.
- Connecting steps are permitted to link elements.
- Deductions will be taken for any added or repeated elements.

# a) Pre-Preliminary Element Program (Skating time 1:30 minute - maximum)

- 1. Single Loop jump
- 2. Single Flip jump
- 3. Single Salchow/single Toe Loop jump combination
- 4. Sit spin (minimum of 2 revolutions)
- 5. Change Upright spin (minimum of 2 rotations on each foot)

# b) Preliminary Element Program (Skating time 1:30 minute - maximum)

- 1. Single Flip Jump
- 2. Single Lutz Jump
- 3. Single Loop/Single Loop Combination
- 4. Forward camel spin (minimum of 3 revolutions)
- 5. Change sit spin (minimum of 2 rotations on each foot)

## c) Junior Bronze Element Program (Skating time 1:30 minutes - maximum)

- 1. Single Axel jump
- 2. Double Salchow jump
- 3. Single Flip/single Toe Loop jump combination
- 4. Change combination spin (Minimum 2 rotations in each position)
- 5. Flying camel or flying sit spin (minimum of 3 rotations)

## 5) COMPULSORY SHORT PROGRAMS

**IMPORTANT NOTE:** For Compulsory Short Programs, there will be no medals given out. Each participant that competes in these events will receive a certificate and comments from the judges. These events will be judged on a performance based system which follows Skate Canada's Long Term Athlete Development (LTAD) model.

## **Planned Program Sheets**

All Sr. Bronze and up competitors are required to submit their respective Planned Program Sheets at Registration.

# Components of a compulsory short program:

- Full ice surface
- Programs are to be performed with music
- A program consisting of required elements
- Elements may be skated in any order using connecting steps, strong edges and flow
- Deductions will be taken for any added or repeated elements

# a) Senior Bronze Short Program (Skating time 2:30 minutes - maximum)

Follows Pre-Novice Short Program Requirements

- 1. One single or double axel
- 2. One double or triple jump (must be a double loop or higher base value jump)\*
- 3. One jump combination including two double jumps or one double and one triple jump \*Note:
  - The 2A may be repeated but if it is repeated one must be in combination. No more than two Axel type jumps can be included in the program
  - Other than the 2A, no jump can be repeated unless as the first and second jump in the combination
  - Maximum of two different triple jumps may be included in the program
- Women Layback or sideways leaning spin (GOE: minimum 5 revolutions)
   Men Camel Spin with only one change of foot (GOE: minimum 4 revolutions per foot)\*\*
- 5. Spin Combination with one (and only one) change of foot and at least two basic positions (GOE: minimum 4 revolutions per foot)\*\*

# \*\*No flying entry on any spin

6. Maximum of one step sequence (any pattern)

# b) Junior Silver, Senior Silver & Gold Short Program (Skating time 2:30 minutes - maximum) Follows Novice Short Program Requirements

- 1. One single or double Axel\*
- 2. One double jump immediately preceded by connecting steps and/or other comparable free skating movements, or triple jump (connecting steps not required)\*
- 3. One jump combination consisting of two double jumps or one double and one triple jump or two triple jumps\*

# \*Note:

- The 2A may be repeated but if it is repeated one must be in combination. No more than two Axel type jumps can be included in the program
- Jump elements must be different however the jump combination may consist of the same jump or another double or triple jump
- Women Layback or sideways leaning spin (minimum of 6 revolutions)
   Men Sit or camel spin with change of foot (GOE: minimum 5 revolutions per foot)\*\*
- 5. Spin combination with one (and only one) change of foot and at least two basic positions (GOE: minimum of 5 revolutions per foot)\*\*

# \*\*No flying entry on any spin

6. Maximum of one step sequence (any pattern)

# 6) INTERPRETIVE EVENTS (Skating time 2:00 minutes – 3:00 minutes (+/- 10 seconds)

#### **Technical Information:**

- No penalty will be given if program time is shorter than 2:00 minutes.
- a) Pre-Introductory Interpretive Must not have passed any Skate Canada Interpretive Skating test.
- b) Introductory Interpretive Must have passed the Introductory Interpretive Skating test but no higher.
- c) Bronze Interpretive Must have passed the Bronze Interpretive Skating test but no higher.
- d) Silver Interpretive Must have passed the Silver Interpretive Skating test but no higher.
- e) **Gold Interpretive -** Must have passed the Gold Interpretive test.

# 7) SPINS EVENTS (Skating time 1:30 minutes)

## **Technical Information:**

- Half ice only.
- No music will be used.
- Eligibility for Events is the same as for Free Skating Events.
- Spins shall be skated in a simple program with no extra or repeated elements.
- Connecting moves may include short sequences of footwork such as threes, brackets, rockers, etc. and / or spirals, spread eagles, Ina bauers.
- Connecting moves are for the sole purpose of maneuvering between spins and will not be judged.

## a) Pre-Preliminary Spins

- Forward Upright Spin minimum of 3 revolutions.
- Sit Spin minimum of 3 revolutions.
- Back upright Spin minimum of 3 revolutions.

## b) Preliminary Spin

- Sit spin minimum of 3 revolutions.
- Camel Spin (minimum 3 revolutions.
- Combination Spin (Change of foot optional. Must include all three positions)

## c) Junior Bronze Spins

- Flying Spin one position with no change of foot. Minimum 4 revolutions
- Combination Spin Change of foot mandatory. Must include all three positions. Minimum of 4 revolutions on each foot.
- One position Spin No flying entry, change of foot optional. Minimum 4 revolutions.

# d) Senior Bronze Spins

- Flying Spin one position with no change of foot. Minimum 5 revolutions
- Combination Spin Change of foot mandatory. Must include all three positions. Minimum of 5 revolutions on each foot.
- One position Spin Change of foot optional. Minimum 5 revolutions.

## e) Junior Silver Spins

• Flying Spin one position with no change of foot. Minimum 6 revolutions.

- Combination Spin Change of foot mandatory. Must include all three positions. Minimum of 6 revolutions on each foot.
- One position Spin, Change of foot optional. Minimum 6 revolutions.

# f) Senior Silver / Gold Spins (Combined Event)

- Flying Spin one position with no change of foot. Minimum 6 revolutions.
- Combination Spin Change of foot mandatory. Must include all three positions. Minimum of 6 revolutions on each foot.
- One position Spin Change of foot optional minimum 6 revolutions.

# 8) LTAD JUMP EVENTS

#### **Technical Information:**

The participants will complete jumps according to their category. Each category will complete two rounds. Category C will include a challenge round. Within each round, skaters will execute each required jump (in isolation) three times consecutively.

The jump rounds are defined as follows:

- Round 1: Single Axel, Double Toe Loop, Double Salchow
- Round 2: Double Loop, Double Flip, Double Lutz
- Round 3: Double Axel, Triple Toe Loop, Triple Salchow
- Round 4: Triple Loop, Triple Flip, Triple Lutz + Combo Jump from Round 3

Each category event will be completed when the skaters complete a combination round. For the combination round, skaters execute a two jump combination of their choice (including one jump from round indicated and one double jump). The combination jump is attempted three times. All three attempts must be of the same combination jump.

The rounds are assigned to the categories as follows:

- Category A: Round 1 & Round 2 + one combination jump from Round 1
- Category B: Round 1 & Round 2 + one combination jump from Round 1
- Category C: Round 1 & Round 2 + Challenge: one jump from Round 3 + one combination jump from Round 2
- Category D: Round 2 & Round 3 + one combination jump from Round 2
- Category E: Round 3 & Round 4 + one combination jump from Round 3

\*Note: for the Category C Challenge round: the jump to be executed is the choice of the skater - however all three attempts must be of the same jump. The choice must be communicated to the referee at the start of the Challenge round.

 a) Category A: All skaters who have passed the complete Senior Bronze Free Skating test, but no higher than the complete Junior Silver Free Skating test. Skaters must <u>not</u> have passed a Competitive Singles test.

Note: skaters cannot compete in a category lower than the level competed in the immediately preceding Section Championships where Category B= Juvenile, Category C= Pre-Novice, Category D= Novice.

- b) **Category B:** All skater who have passed the complete Junior Silver Free Skating test (but no higher complete free skating test) OR passed the Juvenile Singles test but no higher than the Pre-Novice Singles test.
- c) Category C: All skater who have passed the complete Senior Silver Free Skating test (but no higher complete free skating test) OR passed the Pre-Novice Singles test but no higher than the Novice Singles test.
- d) **Category D:** All skaters who have passed the Gold Free Skating test OR passed Novice Single test but no higher than the Junior Singles test.
- e) **Category E:** All skaters who have passed the Junior or Senior Singles test. Category E may be split into E1 (Junior) and E2 (Senior) where appropriate.

# 9) TEAM EVENTS

<u>Skaters are to enter as a team; payment is per team not per individual – only 1 skater to register team not both. One payment of \$30.00 per team.</u>

## **Technical Information:**

- Half ice only.
- Eligibility for Events is the same as for Free Skating Events.
- Teams will be comprised of 2 skaters. Team elements will be skated IN THE ORDER LISTED. All
  elements will be scored. Extra choreography and footwork will not be permitted in this event.
  Automatic deductions will be given for added elements.
- The entire flight goes out for a four minute warm-up.
- Once at the boards, the first skater from each team will go and skate all of their elements before returning to the boards. For example, first skater will skate 2 flip jumps, 2 lutz jumps and then skate 2 left forward outside spirals.
- Once all of the first skaters from each team have skated, then the second skaters from each team will go out and skate all of their elements twice before returning to the boards.

# a) Entry

- i. First skater to demonstrate
  - Waltz Jump
  - 2 Foot Sit Spin
  - Forward Spiral outside edge
- ii. Second skater to demonstrate
  - Toe Loop Jump
  - 1 Foot Spin
  - Forward Spiral inside edge
- b) Pre-Preliminary (Entry level skaters may also register at this level if they are able to do the elements)
  - First skater to demonstrate
    - Single Loop Jump
    - Back Upright Spin
    - 2 Fwd Spirals one on each foot
  - ii. Second skater to demonstrate
    - Single Flip Jump
    - Sit Spin
    - Fwd Shoot The Duck

# c) Preliminary (2 skaters at prescribed level)

- . First skater to demonstrate
  - Single Flip
  - Camel Spin
  - Loop/Loop Combination Jump

## ii. Second skater to demonstrate

- Single Lutz
- Back Upright Spin
- Loop/Loop Combination Jump

# d) Junior Bronze (may have 2 skaters at each level)

- i. First skater to demonstrate
  - Single Axel
  - Double Salchow
  - Flying Camel Spin

# ii. Second skater to demonstrate

- Single Axel
- Double Toe Loop
- Sit Change Sit Spin

## e) Senior Bronze

#### i. First skater to demonstrate

- Single Axel
- Double Salchow
- Flying Camel Spin

# ii. Second skater to demonstrate

- Single Axel
- Double Toe Loop
- Sit Change Sit Spin

# f) Junior Silver/Senior Silver/Gold

- i. First skater to demonstrate
- Single Axel
- Double Flip
- Combination Spin Change of foot

# ii. Second skater to demonstrate

- Single Axel
- Double/Double Combination Jump
- Flying Combination Spin

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