BC Coast Regionals & WinterSkate

February 1 - 3, 2013 Sungod Arena 7825 – 112 Street Delta, BC V4C 4V9



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Hosted by the Sungod Skating Club

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- **DATE:** February 1 3, 2013
- HOST: Sungod Skating Club
- VENUE: Sungod Arena 7825 – 112th Street Delta, BC, V4C 4V9
- ICE SURFACE: 80' x 176' with slightly rounded corners
- **HOTEL:** See page 7 for a list of hotels and rates
- **REGISTRAR:** Cora Deane info@sungodskatingclub.com

TECHNICAL INQUIRIES: Janice Hunter

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EVENTS TO BE HELD & ENTRY INFORMATION

Stream	Category	Disciplines			Fee
STARSkate	STAR 1	Girls	Boys	\$	50.00
	STAR 2	Girls	Boys	\$	65.00
	STAR 3A & STAR3B	Girls	Boys	\$	65.00
	STAR 4	Girls U10	Boys U10	\$	75.00
	STAR 4	Girls U13	Boys U13	\$	75.00
	STAR 4	Girls 13&O	Boys 13&0	\$	75.00
	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 Skate	Women	Men	\$	75.00
	Pre-Juvenile	Women U11	Men U11	\$	75.00
	Pre-Juvenile	Women U14	Men U14	\$	75.00
	Juvenile	Women U11	Men U11	\$	75.00
	Juvenile	Women U14	Men U14	\$	75.00
				\$	45.00
	Juvenile	Dance		•	r skate
				\$	37.50
	Juvenile Pairs	Pairs			r skate
Competitive	Pre-Novice Short Program	Women U16	Men U16	Ş	75.00
	Pre-Novice Free Program	Women U16	Men U16	\$	75.00
	Novice Short Program	Women U17	Men U17	\$	75.00
	Novice Free Program	Women U17	Men U17	\$	75.00
Interpretive	Pre-Introductory	Combined Women & Men		\$	75.00
	Introductory	Combined Women & Men		\$	75.00
	Bronze	Combined Women & Men		\$	75.00
	Silver	Combined Women & Men		\$	75.00
	Gold	Combined Women & Men		\$	75.00
Solo Dance	*Jr. Bronze	Combined Women & Men		\$	75.00
	*Sr. Bronze	Combined Women & Men		\$	75.00
	*Junior Silver	Combined Women & Men		\$	75.00
	*Senior Silver	Combined Women & Men		\$	75.00
	*Gold	Combined Women & Men		\$	75.00
Special Olympics **	Level 1	Women, Men, Pairs, Dance		\$	65.00
	Level 2	Women, Men, Pairs, Dance		\$	65.00
	Level 3	Women, Men, Pairs, Dance		\$	65.00
	Level 4	Women, Men, Dance		\$	65.00
	Level 5	Women, Men		\$	65.00

Special Olympics Pairs are for 1 male and 1 female only

Special Olympics Ice Dance is split into

- 1) Solo- Male and Female in separate categories or
- 2) Couples 1 male and 1 female or similar couples in the same category

*Note that the Solo Dance events are the STARSkate Dance categories – not the Skate Canada Pilot Solo Dance categories. Test requirements and dances to be skated for Junior Bronze to Gold are posted on the <u>WinterSkate Competition</u> page of the Skating in BC website.

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 (December 20th, 2012) FOR ANY REASON WHATSOEVER - SC RULE 7000 A 1.5(2). All payments must be made online at the time of registration. A MAXIMUM OF 500 ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED SO ENTRIES WILL CLOSE PRIOR TO DECEMBER 20TH, 2012 IF THE MAXIMUM NUMBER OF ENTRIES IS REACHED

LATE ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED AT THE DISCRETION OF THE LOC AND WILL BE CHARGED DOUBLE THE ENTRY FEE.

<u>Online Registration</u> must be completed by 11:45 p.m. Thursday, December 20th, 2012. 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, 2012 and tests passed shall be as of December 20th, 2012 (closing date of entries). Age categories may be combined if there are insufficient entries in an individual category.

For event requirements and specifications, please refer to the 2012-2013 BC/YT Technical Packages for STARSkate and Competitive, posted on the Technical page of the <u>Skating in BC website</u>.

PLANNED PROGRAM SHEETS for ALL Free Skate events except STAR 1, 2 & 3 should be emailed to <u>skatebccr@live.ca</u> no later than January 24th, 2013. Skaters arriving to compete who have not submitted a planned program sheet will be required to complete one when they register their music.

A tentative schedule of events and groups will be posted on the <u>competition page</u> of the BC/YT Section and on the <u>BC Coast Region</u> website. Any last minute changes to schedules will be posted on the websites 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. Previous winners of a Pre-Preliminary event at WinterSkate must enter STAR 3 or higher. There are no restrictions for other categories that a skater may have won previously.
- 2. Skaters may enter only one event per discipline of singles and interpretive.
- 3. All categories: Should entries in an event be exceedingly large, the event will be divided into smaller groups. Each group will be considered a final. Region Champions will be determined on total points from each of the groups.

- 4. If an event has only one competitor, the skater will be informed and have the option of skating up an event, skating for an evaluation only, or withdrawing with a refund. Competitors may skate up one category higher than they are qualified.
- 5. MARKING: The CPC Scoring system will be used for all events. STAR 1-3 categories are assessed and skaters will receive a ribbon and a report card corresponding to their achievement.
- 6. REGISTRATION: Skaters must register at least one hour before their event is scheduled to start.
- 7. WARM UP TIMES:

STAR 2	3 minutes		
STAR 3 to Senior Bronze	4 minutes		
Pre-Juvenile, Junior Silver to Gold Free Skate	5 minutes		
Juvenile	6 minutes		
Interpretive	3 minutes		
Special Olympics	6 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.

8. 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.
- 9. 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.
- 10. ADMISSION will be free to all.
- 11. AWARDS will be presented immediately following the posting of results for each category.
- 12. There will be a photographer at this competition for official and action shots. Persons wishing to take photographs of on ice performances are reminded that use of flash cameras is forbidden. The use of video cameras must be restricted to areas that do not hamper the skaters or officials. **PLEASE NOTE:** you may only take pictures or videos of your own skater.

Protest Policy: 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 or Chief Referee.

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. <u>Click here</u> 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 log in name & a password, 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 <u>'Privacy Policy'</u> 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. Please remember that if you are registering in STAR 2 you also need to choose a music selection from the drop down menu.
- 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 contact the registrar if this occurs.

REGISTRAR: Cora Deane info@sungodskatingclub.com

Hotel Information

Aston Pacific Inn Resort and Conference Centre	Rate: \$89.00 + tax
1160 King George Boulevard (South) Surrey, BC V4A 4Z2	Note: This is a preferred rate. Mention BC Coast WinterSkate Competition and the Sungod SC at the time of booking.
604-535-1432 1-800-667-2248	
www.pacificinn.com	