

KLA HOW YA COMPETITION ANNOUNCEMENT

December 2- 4th, 2016



HOST: NECHAKO FSC

[Online registration](#) must be completed by 11:45 pm, SUNDAY, OCTOBER 23rd, 2016. Instructions for entering on line can be found on Page 7 of this Announcement.

DATE: Dec 2 – 4th, 2016

HOST: Nechako FSC

VENUE: Vanderhoof Arena
340 East Columbia Street
Vanderhoof, BC

ICE SURFACE Rink Size – 200'x85'

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EVENTS TO BE HELD & ENTRY INFORMATION

STAR 1	Girls	Boys	\$52.00
STAR 2	Girls	Boys	\$67.00
STAR 3	Girls	Boys	\$67.00
STAR 4	Girls U10	Boys	\$77.00
STAR 4	Girls U13		\$77.00
STAR 4	Girls 13&O		\$77.00
STAR 5	Girls U10	Boys	\$77.00
STAR 5	Girls U13		\$77.00
STAR 5	Girls 13&O		\$77.00
STAR 6 (Senior Bronze)	Women	Men	\$77.00
STAR 7 Short Program	Women	Men	\$77.00
STAR 8 (Junior Silver)	Women	Men	\$77.00
STAR 9 Short Program	Women	Men	\$77.00
STAR 10 (Senior Silver)	Women	Men	\$77.00
GOLD	Women	Men	\$77.00
Pre Juvenile	Women U11	Men	\$77.00
Pre Juvenile	Women U13		\$77.00
Juvenile	Women U12	Men	\$77.00
Juvenile	Women U14		\$77.00
Pre Novice	Women U16	Men U16	\$112.00
Novice	Women U17	Men U17	\$112.00
Pre Introductory Interpretive	Combined Women & Men		\$72.00
Introductory Interpretive	Combined Women & Men		\$72.00
Bronze Interpretive	Combined Women & Men		\$77.00
Silver Interpretive	Combined Women & Men		\$77.00
Gold Interpretive	Combined Women & Men		\$77.00
Couples Introductory Interpretive			\$42.00 /per skater
Couples Bronze Interpretive			\$42.00 /per skater
Couples Silver Interpretive			\$42.00 /per skater
Couples Gold Interpretive			\$42.00 /per skater
*STAR 2 Elements	Combined Women & Men		\$37.00
*STAR 3 Elements	Combined Women & Men		\$37.00
*STAR 4 Elements	Combined Women & Men		\$37.00
*STAR 5 Elements	Combined Women & Men		\$37.00
*STAR 6 Elements	Combined Women & Men		\$37.00
*STAR 7/8 Elements	Combined Women & Men		\$37.00
*STAR 9/10 Elements	Combined Women & Men		\$37.00
*Gold Elements	Combined Women & Men		\$37.00
*Open Elements	Combined Women & Men		\$37.00
**STAR 2/3 Solo Pattern Dance	Combined Women & Men		\$47.00
**Pre-Juvenile (STAR 4/5) Solo Pattern Dance	Combined Women & Men		\$47.00

**Juvenile (STAR 6/7) Solo Pattern Dance	Combined Women & Men	\$47.00
**Pre-Novice (STAR 8/9) Solo Pattern Dance	Combined Women & Men	\$47.00
**Novice (STAR 10/Gold) Solo Pattern Dance	Combined Women & Men	\$47.00
*Quad Threat STAR 1	Combined Women & Men	\$47.00
*Quad Threat STAR 2	Combined Women & Men	\$47.00
*Quad Threat STAR 3/4	Combined Women & Men	\$47.00
*Quad Threat STAR 5	Combined Women & Men	\$47.00
*Quad Threat STAR 6- 8	Combined Women & Men	\$47.00
*Quad Threat STAR 9 - Gold	Combined Women & Men	\$47.00
***Team Elements STAR 2		\$10.00
***Team Elements STAR 3		\$10.00
***Team Elements STAR 4		\$10.00
***Team Elements STAR 5		\$10.00
***Team Elements STAR 7/8		\$10.00
***Team Elements STAR 9/10		\$10.00
***Team Elements Gold		\$10.00
***Team Elements Open		\$10.00
Special O Level 1		\$62.00
Special O Level 2		\$62.00
Special O Level 3		\$62.00
Special O Level 4		\$62.00
Special O Level 5		\$62.00
Special O Level 6		\$62.00

- * Skaters may enter either Quad Threat or Elements but not both
- **Refer to the Solo Ice Dance Competitions on the Skating in BC website
- ***If time is a factor – Team Elements will be the first Event to be cancelled.

QUAD THREAT EVENTS - Skaters may enter Quad Threat OR Elements

Quad Threat Events – Required Elements will be performed to a selected piece of music that will be electronically sent to all participating Clubs. Elements are performed in a solo type format. Elements may be performed in any order. STAR 1 and STAR 2 Events are to be choreographed on ½ ice. GOE's will be given for the 3 required Elements and the Program Component "Presentation" will be awarded for the "THEATRICAL ASPECT" of the Program.

Note – the Choreography Sequence Elements may be skated in any order. However, they must be skated consecutively – footwork, crosscuts and steps may be used between the Elements.

STAR 1 and STAR 2 will be assessed.

Spins in STAR 3-Gold will be called to maximum Level Base.

STAR 1 QUAD THREAT

Skating time: 45 secs

Jump: Waltz jump

Spin: 1 foot spin

Choreographed Sequence: FWD Spiral/Drag

STAR 2 QUAD THREAT

Skating time: 45 secs

Jump: Salchow

Spin: Back Spin

Choreographed Sequence: FWD Spiral/FWD Pivot

STAR 3/4 QUAD THREAT

Skating time: 1:00 min

Jump: Lutz/Loop Combination

Spin: Sit Spin or Camel Spin

Choreographed Sequence: Spread Eagle (Inside or Outside) & BWD Spiral (Edge Optional)

STAR 5 QUAD THREAT

Skating time: 1:00 min

Jump: Axel + Single or Double Toe Loop Combination

Spin: Combination Spin (all 3 Positions) – no change of foot

Choreographed Sequence: Spread Eagle/Y Grab

STAR 6-8 QUAD THREAT

Skating time: 1:00 min

Jump: Double Salchow or Double Toe Loop

Spin: Combination Spin (all 3 positions) with change of foot – Flying entry optional

Choreographed Sequence: 1 Spiral of any nature/Split Jump/BWD Pivot

STAR 9 – GOLD QUAD THREAT

Skating time: 1:15 min

Jump: Double Loop/Double Loop Combination

Spin: Back Entry Combination Spin with change of foot

Choreographed Sequence: Change edge spiral (assisted or unassisted), BWD Hydro Glide/FWD Pivot

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 (October 23rd, 2016, FOR ANY REASON WHATSOEVER. (Skate Canada Rule 7000 A 1.5 (2))*

Competition Surcharge is now included in the fees. All payments must be made online at the time of registration.

LATE ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED AT THE DISCRETION OF THE LOC IN CONSULTATION WITH THE CHIEF REFEREE AND WILL BE CHARGED DOUBLE THE ENTRY FEE.

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For all categories age shall be the age of the skater before July 1, 2016 and tests passed shall be as of October 23rd, 2016 (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 2016-2017 Skate Canada Technical Packages for Competitive and STAR posted on the [Technical pages](#) of the [Skating in B.C. website](#). The Solo Dance requirements are posted on the [STAR/STARSkate](#) page of the Skating in B.C. website.

Note: In BC/YK competitions, Pre-Juvenile Singles program time allows the option of 2:00 or 2:30 (+/- 10 seconds). Men and women will compete together in all STAR Supplementary Events and Solo Dance events.

PLANNED PROGRAM SHEETS for ALL Free Skate events except STAR 1, 2, 3 and 4 must be emailed to:

jenniferauston_sk8@hotmail.com no later than November 13, 2016. Skaters arriving to compete who have not submitted a planned program sheet will be required to complete one and charged a **\$20.00** fee when they register their music.

A tentative schedule of events and groups will be posted on the [Competition page](#) of the BC/YT Section and on the [CNCR](#) 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 30 minutes earlier than scheduled.**

GENERAL INFORMATION

1. Skaters may enter only one event per discipline of singles, pairs, dance and interpretive. **If short and free programs are listed as separate events, then one short and one free program category may be entered.** Pre-Juvenile and Juvenile skaters may enter a STAR short program category in addition to the competitive free program. Depending on scheduling, skaters should be prepared to skate two programs on the same day. Skaters choosing to enter more than one event including supplementary STAR events do so with the understanding that there may be scheduling conflicts that are unable to be resolved.
2. All categories: Should entries in an event be exceedingly large, the event will be divided into smaller groups according to age. Each group will be considered a final.
3. 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/STARSkate Free Skating categories. If a technical panel is not available the evaluation will be for Program Components only.
4. MARKING: Please see the STAR Technical Package on the [STAR/STARSkate Technical page](#) of 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.
5. REGISTRATION: Skaters must register at least one hour before their event is scheduled to start.
6. WARM UP TIMES:

STAR 2	3 minutes
STAR 3 -5	4 minutes
STAR 6 -10, Pre Juvenile	5 minutes
Juvenile, Pre Novice, Novice	6 minutes
Interpretive	3 minutes
Elements & Team Elements	3 minutes
Solo Dance	1 minute without music + 1 play through of Skate Canada music
Quad Threat	3 minutes
Special O	6 min

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.

7. MUSIC REQUIREMENTS:

- **ALL SKATERS IN FREE SKATING & INTERPRETIVE EVENTS MUST HAND IN A CD WITH THE EXCEPTION OF STAR 1.**
- **Quad Threat Music will be provided by the Host Club.**
- 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 category, program type – short or free – and music time (not skating time) shall be clearly printed on one side of the CD.
- Each CD shall be enclosed in a plastic case, also marked with the skater's name, home club, category, program type – short or free - 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 must be at rink side during the skater's performance.**

8. COACHES: In order to be at ice level during the events, it is mandatory for all participating coaches to register at the competition and have proof of coach registration & accreditation. Temporary accreditation will be issued by showing current Skate Canada membership and First Aid information for \$25.00 per day (payable to the CNCR Coaches Committee).

9. ADMISSION will be free to all.

10. AWARDS will be presented every hour on the hour.

11. 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.

12. **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.

13. Tests at Competitions: Intermediate & high tests can be tested during the competition and as per the CNCR Test at Competitions Policy this also includes all Interpretive tests. Skaters must be registered to compete in the same event they are testing in. The exception is skaters competing in a competitive category (Juvenile or higher) who may also apply for Junior Silver, Senior Silver or Gold Free Skate. In this case, the skater must pay for both Part 1 and Part 2. If the test is passed, they will be credited with the complete test. The cut-off date for the test requests is the cut-off date for the competition.

Online Registration Instructions

CNC Region has an online registration system with the company Karelo.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's coach. Coaches are encouraged to check the confirmation email to ensure their skater(s) is registered in the correct event.

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 '[Privacy Policy](#)' for more details.

Entering your registration:

If you have never used Karelo.com before, go to '[I am new to Karelo.com](#)' 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. Enter your credit card information (Visa or MasterCard). This is a secure transaction. Your credit card is charged immediately.
3. You are registered! Check your email for the confirmation email with your registration details.

IMPORTANT: If you and your coach DO NOT receive an email confirmation from Karelo.com or receive a confirmation number, then you are NOT REGISTERED for the competition. Please contact Cheryl Walters if this occurs.

REGISTRAR: Jennifer Auston: jenniferauston_sk8@hotmail.com

Technical problems with the online registration please contact:

Cheryl Walters: kcwalters@shaw.ca