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Oceanside Place Arena
830 West Island Hwy
Parksville, BC
V9P 2X4



Hosted by the BC/YK Section &Vancouver Island Region Sanctioned by and held under the Rules of Skate Canada







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This competition is the first Super Series event of 2016-2017 and is open to all skaters who are registered members in good standing with Skate Canada or other ISU Member club. Super Series services provided at the competition are: LIVE STREAMING OF ALL EVENTS, FEEDBACK ASSESSMENT OPPORTUNITY FOR ALL COMPETITIVE CATEGORIES, and SUPER SERIES POINTS

Online registration must be completed by 11:45 pm, Wednesday, March 2nd, 2016.

DATE: April 8-10, 2016
HOST: BC/YK Section

VENUE: Oceanside Place Arena

830 West Island Hwy. Parksville, BC V9P 2X4

HOTEL: Sunrise Ridge Studio room- \$107.00 1 Bedroom - \$155.00

1175 Resort Drive1 Bed 1 Bedroom - \$155.00 2 Bedroom - \$179.00

Parksville, BC V4N 5R8 2 Bedroom - \$179.00 Phone: 1 877 977 8669 3 Bedroom - \$219.00

Minimum 2 nights stay; rack rate for 1 night stay. All rooms have full kitchen.

REGISTRAR: BC/YKSection 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 \$7.50 per entry has been added to offset the costs of live streaming. Junior and Senior Singles categories are being offered as Short and Free Programs separately. Skaters must enter both the short and the free for points to count towards Super Series Standings.

Please note that all competitive categories will be marked according to the 2016-2017 Skate Canada Competitive Program Requirements, which will be posted as soon as they become available.

STAR 1	Girls	Boys	\$60.00
STAR 2	Girls	Boys	\$80.00
STAR 3	Girls	Boys	\$80.00
STAR 4	Girls U10	Boys	\$85.00
	Girls U13		
	Girls 13 & Over		
STAR 5	Girls U10	Boys	\$90.00
	Girls U13		
	Girls 13 & Over		
Senior Bronze Free Skate	Women	Men	\$90.00
Junior Silver Free Skate	Women	Men	\$90.00
Senior Silver Free Skate	Women	Men	\$90.00
Gold Free Skate	Women	Men	\$90.00
Pre-Juvenile Singles	Women U11	Men U13	\$90.00
	Women U13		
Pre-Juvenile Dance	Pattern Dance		\$47.50 per skater
Juvenile Singles	Women U12	Men U14	\$90.00
	Women U14		
Juvenile Dance	Pattern Dance		\$47.50 per skater
Juvenile Dance	Free Dance		\$47.50 per skater
Juvenile Pairs			\$47.50 per skater
Pre-Novice Singles	Women U14	Men U16	\$180.00
	Women U16		
Pre-Novice Dance	Pattern Dance		\$47.50 per skater
Pre-Novice Dance	Free Dance		\$47.50 per skater
Pre-Novice Pairs	Short Program		\$47.50 per skater
Pre-Novice Pairs	Free Program		\$47.50 per skater
Novice Singles	Women	Men	\$180.00
Novice Dance	Pattern Dance		\$47.50 per skater
Novice Dance	Free Dance		\$47.50 per skater
Novice Pairs	Short Program		\$47.50 per skater
Novice Pairs	Free Program		\$47.50 per skater
Junior Singles –Short Program	Women	Men	\$90.00
Junior Singles – Free Program	Women	Men	\$90.00
Senior Singles–Short Program	Women	Men	\$90.00
Senior Singles –Free Program	Women	Men	\$90.00
Pre-Introductory Interpretive	Women and Men Combined		\$80.00

Introductory Interpretive	Women and Men Combined		\$80.00
Bronze Interpretive	Women and Men Combined		\$90.00
Silver Interpretive	Women and Men Combined		\$90.00
Gold Interpretive	Women and Men Combined		\$90.00
*Junior Bronze Solo Dance	Women and Men Combined		\$90.00
*Senior Bronze Solo Dance	Women and Men Combined		\$90.00
*Junior Silver Solo Dance	Women and Men Combined		\$90.00
*Senior Silver Solo Dance	Women and Men Combined		\$90.00
*Gold Solo Dance	Women and Men Combined		\$90.00
Elements 1	Women and Men Combined		\$50.00
Elements 2	Women and Men Combined		\$50.00
Elements 3	Women and Men Combined		\$50.00
Open Elements	Women and Men Combined		\$50.00
**Special Olympics Singles:	Women	Men	\$60.00
Levels 1-6 & Open			
**Special Olympics Pairs:			\$60.00
Levels 1-3			
**Special Olympics Solo	Women	Men	\$60.00
Dance: Levels 1-6			
**Special Olympics Solo	Women	Men	\$60.00

^{*} Skaters choosing to use Skate Canada Contemporary music must provide the music on an individual CD

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 (March 2, 2016) FOR ANY REASON WHATSOEVER - SC RULE 7000 A 1.5(2).

LATE ENTRIES WILL BE CHARGED DOUBLE THE ENTRY FEE. All payments must be made online at the time of registration.

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. (see General Information #3).

Online Registration must be completed by 11:45 p.m. Wednesday, March 2nd, 2016. 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, 2015 and tests passed shall be as of March 2nd, 2016 (closing date of entries). Please note that age categories may be combined if there are insufficient entries in an individual category.

^{**} Special Olympics events will be conducted in accordance with the 2015-2016 Special Olympics Technical Package posted on the Skating in BC website under Technical/Special Olympics

PLANNED PROGRAM SHEETS FOR ALL FREE SKATE EVENTS EXCEPT STAR 1,2,3 & 4 MUST BE SUBMITTED ONLINE ON THE COAST REGISTRY WEBSITE. Deadline to submit changes to planned program sheets is Wednesday, March 30th, 2016.

NOTE: There will be a \$20 fee assessed for failing to register planned program elements online by the March 30th deadline. Skaters will not be permitted to register at the competition until this fee has been paid and a planned program sheet has been completed.

http://www.coastregistry.com/competitions/plannedprogram. If you have any questions or require some assistance please email support@coastregistry.com If your planned program does not need updating, you must still log in and select the Super Series Vancouver Island Competition so your planned program info is provided to the Technical Officials. Special Oympics athletes should complete the planned program sheet posted on the Super Series Vancouver Island competition page on the Skating in BC website.

A tentative schedule of events and groups will be posted on the <u>Super Series Vancouver Island</u> competition page on the Skating in BC 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.

TESTS: STARSkate Free Skate Part Two tests, Senior Bronze to Gold and Interpretive will be offered. Skaters must be registered to compete in the same event they are testing in. The exception is skaters competing in a competitive category who may also apply for Junior Silver, Senior Silver or Gold Free Skate Part Two. In this case, if the test is passed, the skater will receive credit for both Parts 1 and 2 of the test. As such, skaters will need to pay for both parts when registering, regardless of the outcome of the test. If a skater has already passed Part 1, they will not need to pay again. Deadline to receive test applications is Friday, March 25th, 2016. Refer to the Test Application form on the <u>competition page</u> for further information.

GENERAL INFORMATION

- 1. Skaters may enter only one event per discipline of singles, pairs, dance and interpretive. Junior and Senior Singles points will only count for Super Series standings if you enter both the short and free program.
- 2. Should entries in a category be exceedingly large, the event will be divided into smaller groups, which will determined by random draw. STAR 1-3 groups will be divided according to age. Interpretive events will be divided by free skate test level first and then if further grouping is required, by age. Age categories may be combined when there are less than 6 entries in a category.
- 3. 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. When skating for an evaluation, feedback may be in the form of judges' comments only, if a technical panel is not available to assess technical content. Competitors may skate up one category higher than they are qualified.

4. MARKING: STAR 1,2, 3 & 4 and Pre-Introductory & Introductory Interpretive categories are assessed. Skaters in STAR 1, 2 & 3 & the two Interpretive categories will receive a ribbon and a report card corresponding to their achievement. STAR 4 skaters will be ranked and skaters placing 1st, 2nd and 3rd will receive medals. All skaters in STAR 4 will receive a report card showing individual element assessments. Special O categories will be assessed and ranked with the exception of Level 6 & Open Singles and Levels 1-6 Dance, which will be marked in CPC. All other categories will be marked using the CPC Scoring system.

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 & 4	4 minutes
Pre-Juvenile, Senior Bronze to Gold Free Skate	5 minutes
Juvenile to Senior Competitive	6 minutes
Interpretive	3 minutes
Competitive Pattern Dance	4 minutes
Short Dance/Free Dance	5 minutes

STARSkate Solo Dance 30 seconds without music & one full play

through of Skate Canada music

Special Olympics 6 minutes

Dance events will be conducted in accordance with Skate Canada regulations.

7. MUSIC REQUIREMENTS:

- Music will be accepted electronically via MP3 format or submitted on CD at the competition. Please refer to the <u>Super Series Vancouver Island</u> competition page for information on submitting music electronically.
- A backup CD is a requirement of each competitor and should be at rinkside during the skater's performance.
- 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.
- Solo Dance competitors who choose to use Skate Canada Contemporary Dance Music must provide this music on an individual CD when they register onsite at the competition.
- 8. ICE SURFACE: 80' x 200'

^{*} 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.

- 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. NOTE: NO MORE THAN TWO COACHES PER SKATER WILL BE PERMITTED AT THE BOARDS FOR WARM-UP AND COMPETITION
- 10. ADMISSION will be free to all.
- 11. AWARDS: A notice will be posted in the arena with information regarding the time and location of medal presentations.
- 12. 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.
- 13. <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/YK SECTION Online Registration Instructions

Skate Canada-BC/YK Section uses an online registration system with the company Wufoo.com. All registrations must be completed using this online system. <u>Click here</u> to register.

The registration system will generate an automatic email to the skater and the 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 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.

If skaters are unsure of what to enter in the various entry form fields, please contact your coach.

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