

2016 YUKON GOLD NUGGET INTERCLUB COMPETITION

Hosted by the
Arctic Edge Skating Club

Please check this announcement carefully and enter events accordingly.

PLEASE PRINT ALL INFORMATION ON ENTRY FORMS AND COMPLETE ALL BLANKS.

DATE: December 9 - 11, 2016

HOST: Arctic Edge Skating Club

VENUE: WHITEHORSE CANADA GAMES CENTRE
200 Hamilton Blvd Whitehorse Y1A 0A6 Phone 867-668-8360
ATCO Ice Surface

ICE SURFACE: 100' x 200' with slightly rounded corners

HOTEL: The official hotel for the competition is the Westmark Whitehorse. To make reservations for the event please contact the Competition Registrar.

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EVENTS TO BE HELD & ENTRY INFORMATION

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| STAR 1 | Girls | Boys | \$ | 45.00 |
| STAR 2 | Girls | Boys | \$ | 65.00 |
| STAR 3 | Girls | Boys | \$ | 65.00 |
| STAR 4 | Girls U10 | Boys | \$ | 65.00 |
| STAR 4 | Girls U13 | | \$ | 65.00 |
| STAR 4 | Girls 13&O | | \$ | 65.00 |
| STAR 5 | Girls U10 | Boys | \$ | 65.00 |
| STAR 5 | Girls U13 | | \$ | 65.00 |
| STAR 5 | Girls 13&O | | \$ | 65.00 |
| STAR 6 (Senior Bronze) Free Skate | Women | Men | \$ | 65.00 |
| STAR 7 Short Program NEW | Women | Men | \$ | 65.00 |
| STAR 8 (Junior Silver) Free Skate | Women | Men | \$ | 65.00 |
| STAR 9 Short Program NEW | Women | Men | \$ | 65.00 |
| STAR 10 (Senior Silver) Free Skate | Women | Men | \$ | 65.00 |
| Gold Free Skate | Women | Men | \$ | 65.00 |
| Pre-Juvenile | Women U11 | Men U11 | \$ | 65.00 |
| Pre-Juvenile | Women U13 | Men U13 | \$ | 65.00 |
| Juvenile | Women U12 | Men U12 | \$ | 65.00 |
| Juvenile | Women U14 | Men U14 | \$ | 65.00 |
| Pre-Introductory Interpretive | Combined Women & Men | | \$ | 65.00 |
| Introductory Interpretive | Combined Women & Men | | \$ | 65.00 |
| Bronze Interpretive | Combined Women & Men | | \$ | 65.00 |
| Silver Interpretive | Combined Women & Men | | \$ | 65.00 |
| Gold Interpretive | Combined Women & Men | | \$ | 65.00 |
| Pre-Introductory Interpretive Couples | Couple | | \$ | 65.00 |
| Introductory Interpretive Couples | Couple | | \$ | 65.00 |
| Bronze Interpretive Couples | Couple | | \$ | 65.00 |
| Silver Interpretive Couples | Couple | | \$ | 65.00 |
| Gold Interpretive Couples | Couple | | \$ | 65.00 |
| STAR 2/STAR 3 Solo Pattern Dance | Combined Women & Men | | \$ | 65.00 |
| Pre-Juvenile (STAR 4-5) Solo Pattern Dance | Combined Women & Men | | \$ | 65.00 |
| Juvenile (STAR 6 -7) Solo Pattern Dance | Combined Women & Men | | \$ | 65.00 |
| Pre-Novice (STAR 8 - 9) Solo Pattern Dance | Combined Women & Men | | \$ | 65.00 |
| Novice (STAR 10 - Gold) Solo Pattern Dance | Combined Women & Men | | \$ | 65.00 |
| Creative Improve 1 | Combined Women & Men | | \$ | 65.00 |
| Creative Improve 2 | Combined Women & Men | | \$ | 65.00 |

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| Creative Improve 3 | Combined Women & Men | \$ | 65.00 |
| Creative Improve 4 | Combined Women & Men | \$ | 65.00 |
| STAR 2 Elements | Combined Women & Men | \$ | 65.00 |
| STAR 3 Elements | Combined Women & Men | \$ | 65.00 |
| STAR 4 Elements | Combined Women & Men | \$ | 65.00 |
| STAR 5 Elements | Combined Women & Men | \$ | 65.00 |
| STAR 6 (Senior Bronze) Elements | Combined Women & Men | \$ | 65.00 |
| STAR 7/8 (Junior Silver) Elements | Combined Women & Men | \$ | 65.00 |
| STAR 9/10 (Senior Silver) Elements | Combined Women & Men | \$ | 65.00 |
| Gold Elements | Combined Women & Men | \$ | 65.00 |
| Special Olympics | Women Men | \$ | 65.00 |

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 (NOVEMBER 4, 2016) FOR ANY REASON WHATSOEVER - SC RULE 7000 A 1.5(2).
LATE ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED AT THE DISCRETION OF THE LOC AND WILL BE CHARGED DOUBLE THE ENTRY FEE.

On-line registration must be completed by 11:45 pm Friday, November 4, 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, 2016 and tests passed shall be as of November 4, 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 BC website](#). The Solo Dance requirements are posted on the [STAR/STARSkate](#) page of the [Skating in BC website](#)

NOTE: In BC/YK competitions, Pre-Juvenile Singles program time allows the option of 2:00 or 2:30 (+/- 10 seconds).

PLANNED PROGRAM SHEETS FOR ALL FREE SKATE EVENTS EXCEPT STAR 1,2,3 & 4 MUST BE SUBMITTED ONLINE ON THE COAST REGISTRY WEBSITE BY FRIDAY, November 25, 2016. THERE WILL BE A \$20 FEE ASSESSED FOR FAILING TO REGISTER PLANNED PROGRAM ELEMENTS ONLINE BY THE NOVEMBER 25TH 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 Yukon Gold Nugget Competition so your planned program info is provided to the Technical Officials. (Please save your confirmation email).

A tentative schedule of events and groups will be posted on the Arctic Edge Skating Club website

www.arcticedge.ca, on the arena bulletin board and emailed to all competitors. 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.**

GENERAL INFORMATION

1. Skaters may enter only one event per discipline of singles and interpretive. If short and free programs are listed as separate events, skaters may enter one short program and one free program. Pre-Juvenile skaters may also enter a STAR 7 or 9 short program category in addition to the competitive category. 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. 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. If there is a last minute withdrawal in an event that had only 2 entries, that same options apply for the remaining skater. *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.
 - a. Note that in BC/YK Section competitions, men and women will compete together in all STAR Supplementary Events and Solo Dance events.
4. MARKING: Please see the STAR Technical Package on 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. WARM UP TIMES:
 - a. STAR 2 3 minutes
 - b. STAR 3 -5 4 minutes
 - c. Star6 to Gold Free Skate 5 minutes
 - d. Pre-Juvenile Singles 5 minutes
 - e. Juvenile Singes 6 minutes
 - f. Interpretive 3 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.
6. MUSIC REQUIREMENTS: **ALL SKATERS with the exception of STAR 1 must submit an individual CD when they register at the competition.**

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. **THERE ARE TO BE NO LABELS OR STICKERS ON THE CD'S.**

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 rinkside during the skater's performance.

7. 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 BC Coast Region Coaches Committee).
8. ADMISSION will be free to all.
9. AWARDS will be presented immediately following the posting of results for each category.
10. 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.

SPECIAL OLYMPICS

The SOC Figure Skating rules are based upon the Skate Canada CanSkate and STAR programs. ISU or the SC rules shall be employed except when they are in conflict with the Official Special Olympics Canada Sports Rules. In such cases, the Official Special Olympics Canada Figure Skating Rules shall apply.

Events to be offered:

Singles Categories Levels 1-6 & Open - Female & Male, including the Pilot Masters categories
Couples & Solo Dance – Introductory & Levels 1-6

For eligibility and program requirements please refer to the 2016-2017 Special Olympics Figure Skating Technical Requirements (Skate Canada Domestic) posted on the Skating in BC website:

<http://www.skatinginbc.com/special-olympics>

Online Registration Instructions & Planned Program Instructions

Arctic Edge Skating club will use a new online registration system with the company Wufoo.com for competition registrations. All registrations must be completed using this online system. The link to the on-line registration system is www.wufoo.com.

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.

Online Planned Program Instructions

1. Go to <http://www.coastregistry.com/competitions/plannedprogram>
2. Click on Submit your Planned Program
3. Click Login or Create an Account box
4. Click on Register now
5. Create a user name and complete the registration information
6. Click on Identify the Skater box
7. Enter information as requested on screen. Please make sure you are using standard name rules (capitalize first letter of each name only! Please do not use CAP Lock). Click OK - The base skater profile is setup!
8. Click on Submit Planned Program box, using the drop down box to choose the event that the skater has been entered in. If the skater is entered in an event that only has one portion only a Free Program entry box will be available; if the skater is entered in an event that has both a short and a free skate program both boxes will be available.
9. Using the drop down options choose the elements that the skater is planning to execute. Do not click okay until both programs have been entered if your skater has both a short and a free skate program (but don't worry... if you did you were brought back to the original screen, just start the process again choosing your skater from the pop menu and choose Edit to bring the entry screen back up).
10. Once everything is entered click OK - You're done!

If you have any questions or require some assistance please email support@coastregistry.com