

# West Kootenay Invitational COMPETITION

Hosted by  
Rossland Figure Skating Club  
Rossland, BC



Sanctioned  
By Skate Canada & US Figure Skating  
**OPEN TO ALL SKATERS**

January 17<sup>th</sup> – 19<sup>th</sup>, 2014  
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**Registrations must be received by 11:45 pm, Tuesday, December 17<sup>th</sup>, 2013.**

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**HOST:** Rossland Figure Skating Club

**VENUE:** Rossland Arena  
1860 Second Ave.  
Rossland, BC

**ICE SURFACE:** 85' by 185'

**REGISTRAR:** Jackie Neale  
Box 123  
Rossland, BC V0G 1Y0  
250-362-7625  
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**COMPETITION**

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**TECHNICAL INQUIRIES:**

Ethan Swinburnson  
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## EVENTS TO BE HELD & ENTRY INFORMATION

Pre-Juvenile	Women	Men	\$65.00
Juvenile	Women	Men	\$65.00
STAR 1	Combined Women & Men		\$30.00
STAR 2	Combined Women & Men		\$35.00
STAR 3	Combined Women & Men		\$40.00
STAR 4 (formerly STAR 3B)	Women U10	Men U10	\$55.00
STAR 4 (formerly STAR 3B)	Women U13	Men U13	\$55.00
STAR 4 (formerly STAR 3B)	Women 13&O	Men 13&O	\$55.00
STAR 5 (formerly STAR 4)	Women U10	Men U10	\$60.00
STAR 5 (formerly STAR 4)	Women U13	Men U13	\$60.00
STAR 5 (formerly STAR 4)	Women 13&O	Men 13&O	\$60.00
Senior Bronze Free Skate	Women	Men	\$60.00
Junior Silver Free Skate	Women	Men	\$60.00
Senior Silver Free Skate	Women	Men	\$60.00
Gold Free Skate	Women	Men	\$60.00
Pre-Introductory Interpretive	Combined Women & Men		\$50.00
Introductory Interpretive	Combined Women & Men		\$60.00
Couples Introductory Interpretive	*		\$60.00
Bronze Interpretive	Combined Women & Men		\$60.00
Couples Bronze Interpretive	*		\$60.00
Silver Interpretive	Combined Women & Men		\$60.00
Couples Silver Interpretive	*		\$60.00
Gold Interpretive	Combined Women & Men		\$60.00
Couples Gold Interpretive	*		\$60.00
Elements – Level 1	Combined Women & Men		\$35.00
Elements – Level 2	Combined Women & Men		\$35.00
Elements – Level 3	Combined Women & Men		\$35.00
Elements – Level 4	Combined Women & Men		\$35.00
Elements – Level 5	Combined Women & Men		\$35.00
Solo Dance – Junior Bronze	Combined Women & Men	Adult	\$60.00
Solo Dance – Senior Bronze	Combined Women & Men	Adult	\$60.00
Solo Dance – Junior Silver	Combined Women & Men	Adult	\$60.00
Solo Dance – Senior Silver	Combined Women & Men	Adult	\$60.00
Solo Dance – Gold	Combined Women & Men	Adult	\$60.00

\* **Couples Interpretive Categories** (new this season to replace Introductory Pairs) – a couple may consist of 2 women, 1 woman and 1 man or 2 men. Note rules relating to STARSkate illegal elements/movements apply to this new category.

### **Additional LOC Category to be offered for Adult Skaters: Adult Open Interpretive**

No test pre-requisites. Women and Men Combined  
 Program time maximum 3 minutes; no minimum time  
 Fee \$60

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 17<sup>th</sup>, 2013) FOR ANY REASON WHATSOEVER - SC RULE 7000 B 1.5(2).**

**YOUR ENTRY FEE MUST ACCOMPANY THE ENTRY FORM.** Please make all cheques or money orders payable to the **ROSSLAND FIGURE SKATING CLUB** and forward with your entry form to the Registrar.

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

**Entries will close at 11:45 pm, Tuesday, December 17<sup>th</sup>, 2013.**

For all categories age shall be the age of the skater before July 1, 2013 and tests passed shall be as of December 17<sup>th</sup>, 2013 (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 2013-2014 BC/YK Technical Packages for STARSkate and Competitive, posted on the Technical page of the [Skating in BC website](#). Solo Dances to be skated are also posted on the [Skating in BC website](#) (Officials & Judges Page/Technical Information/Dance Info) as are the requirements for the 5 levels of the Elements events.

**PLANNED PROGRAM SHEETS** for ALL Free Skate events except STAR 1, 2, 3 & 4 should be submitted to the registrar with the registration. Skaters arriving to compete who have not submitted a planned program sheet or have changes, must complete one when they register their music.

A tentative schedule of events and groups will be sent to your club via email. 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 at the arena prior to the start of the competition.

#### **GENERAL INFORMATION**

1. Skaters may enter only one event per discipline.
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. If an event has only one competitor, the skater will be informed and have the option of skating up an event or withdrawing with a refund. Competitors may skate up one category higher than they are qualified.
4. **MARKING:** The CPC Scoring system will be used for all events with the exception of STAR 1, 2, 3 & 4. These categories are assessed. Skaters in STAR 1, 2 & 3 will receive a ribbon and a report card corresponding to their achievement. STAR 4 skaters will be ranked and skaters placing 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> will receive medals. All skaters in STAR 4 will receive a report card showing individual element assessments.

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 to Senior Bronze	4 minutes
Pre Juvenile, Junior Silver to Gold Free Skate	5 minutes
Juvenile	6 minutes
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.

7. 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.**

**New: Skaters registering in STAR 2, 3 & 4 may choose their own choice of music or one of the Section provided music selections; however, all skaters must submit a CD of their music (even if using Section music selections). STAR 1 skaters are not required to submit a CD.**

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.

8. ADMISSION will be free to all.

9. AWARDS ceremonies, times and place, will be posted at the arena. All STAR 1, 2 and 3 skaters will receive ribbons and report cards corresponding to their final assessment. Medals for 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> place will be awarded in all other events.

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.



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ENTRY DEADLINE: December 17<sup>th</sup>, 2013  
 MAIL OR DELIVER REGISTRATION FORMS TO:

**NO REFUNDS GIVEN AFTER THE CLOSING DATE OF ENTRY**  
**Skate Canada Rule 7000 B 1.5 (2)**

**Jackie Neale**  
**Box 123**  
**ROSSLAND, BC VOG 1Y0**

MAKE CHEQUES PAYABLE TO: Rossland Figure Skating Club  
 DATED NO LATER THAN December 17<sup>th</sup>, 2013

**ENTRY FEES: PLEASE SEE ANNOUNCEMENT**

<b>EVENT ENTERED</b>			
NAME		HOME CLUB	SKATE CANADA NUMBER
BIRTHDATE (MM/DD/YY) / /	AGE before July 1, 2013		GENDER (M or F)
ADDRESS		CITY	POSTAL CODE
PHONE		EMAIL	
COACH	COACH PHONE	COACH EMAIL	
HIGHEST FREESKATE TEST (OR PORTION) PASSED	<b>REGISTRATION RESTRICTIONS</b>		
HIGHEST DANCE TEST (OR PORTION) PASSED	<b>SKATING UP ONE TEST LEVEL PERMITTED IN FOLLOWING EVENTS</b>		<b>NO SKATING UP PERMITTED IN THESE EVENTS</b>
HIGHEST INTERPRETIVE TEST PASSED	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• All Freeskate events</li> <li>• All Interpretive events</li> <li>• All Solo Dance events</li> <li>• All Elements events</li> </ul>		
HIGHEST COMPETITIVE FREESKATE TEST PASSED			
ARE YOU A REGISTERED SPECIAL OLYMPICS ATHLETE? (YES/NO)	ARE YOU SKATING IN MORE THAN ONE EVENT? (YES/NO)		
<b>CERTIFICATION OF CLUB OFFICER AND PARENT/GUARDIAN</b>			
I hereby approve of the entry of the above named competitor and certify that:			
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. He/she is a member of my club in good standing</li> <li>2. To the best of my knowledge, he/she is eligible to enter the specified event</li> <li>3. The Rossland FSC will not be liable for any loss or injury</li> </ol>			
_____ Signature of Home Club Official		_____ Signature of Parent/Guardian	
Home Club Official Email: _____			