

2023 BC/YT Section Fall Competition Super Series



September 22-24, 2023 Oceanside Place 830 W Island Hwy W, Parksville, BC V9P 2X4

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2023 BC/YT FALL COMPETITION SUPER SERIES

Hosted by the BC /YT SECTION at Oceanside Place in Parksville, BC September 22-24, 2023

This competition is the third Super Series event of 2023-2024 and is open to all skaters who are registered members in good standing with Skate Canada or other ISU Member clubs. Super Series services provided at the competition are: LIVE STREAMING OF ALL EVENTS, FEEDBACK ASSESSMENT OPPORTUNITY FOR ALL PODIUM PATHWAY & STARSkate FREE SKATE CATEGORIES, SUPER SERIES POINTS FOR ALL FREE SKATING CATEGORIES.

Online registration must be completed by 11:45 pm, Wednesday, August 23, 2023.

DATE: September 22-24, 2023

HOST: BC/YT Section

VENUE: Oceanside Place

830 W Island Hwy W, Parksville, BC V9P 2X4

ICE SURFACE: Rink 1 - 85' x 200'

Rink 2 - 85' x 200'

REGISTRAR: BC/YT Section Office Phone 604 205 6960 NO COLLECT CALLS PLEASE

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(Janice only answers technical inquires and not logistics regarding the competition. Coaches can contact Janice with their technical questions. All other inquiries are to be sent to bcytsection@skatinginbc.com)

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.

| Pre-Juvenile | Dance | | \$65.00 per skater |
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| Juvenile | Women U10 | Men | \$105 |
| | Women U12 | | |
| | Women U14 | | |
| Juvenile | Dance | | \$120.00 per skater |
| Juvenile | Pairs | | \$65.00 per skater |
| Pre-Novice | Women U14 | Men | \$210.00 |
| | Women U16 | | |
| Pre-Novice | Dance | | \$120.00 per skater |
| Pre-Novice | Pairs | | \$120.00 per skater |
| Novice | Women | Men | \$210.00 |
| Novice | Dance | | \$120.00 per skater |
| Novice | Pairs | | \$120.00 per skater |
| Junior | Women | Men | \$210.00 |
| Junior | Dance | | \$120.00 per skater |
| Senior | Women | Men | \$210.00 |
| Senior | Dance | | \$120.00 per skater |
| STAR 2 | | | \$95.00 |
| STAR 3 | | | \$95.00 |
| STAR 4 | Girls U10 | Boys | \$100.00 |
| | Girls U13 | | |
| | Girls 13&O | | |
| STAR 5 | Women U10 | Men | \$105.00 |
| | Women U13 | | |
| | Women 13&O | | |
| STAR 6 Free Skate | Women | Men | \$105.00 |
| STAR 7 Short Program | Women | Men | \$105.00 |
| STAR 8 Free Skate | Women | Men | \$105.00 |
| STAR 9 Short Program | Women | Men | \$105.00 |
| STAR 10 Free Skate | Women | Men | \$105.00 |
| Gold Free Skate | Women | Men | \$105.00 |

For event requirements and specifications, please refer to the 2023-2024 Skate Canada Podium Pathway and STAR Technical Requirements Guides, posted on the Technical page of the Skating in BC website.

2023-2024 assessment standards for STAR 1-4 will be used.

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 (August 23, 2023) FOR ANY REASON WHATSOEVER

Single Entries: All single event entries will be contacted the next business day following the close of entries. Single event entries must contact the BC/YT 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. Skating for an evaluation is only applicable to Podium Pathway categories and STAR Free Skating categories. If a technical panel is not available, the evaluation will be for Program Components only.

One Club Entries: If <u>all</u> entries in a category are from the same club, the skaters and coaches will be contacted the next business day following the close of entries. Skaters must contact the BC/YT Section office within three business days to indicate if they wish to change categories or withdraw with a refund.

All payments must be made online at the time of registration.

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

Online Registration must be completed by 11:45 p.m. Wednesday, August 23, 2023. Instructions for entering online can be found on page 6 of this announcement.

For all categories age shall be the age of the skater before July 1, 2023; tests passed shall be as of August 23, 2023 (closing date of entries). Age categories may be combined if there are insufficient entries in an individual category.

PLANNED PROGRAM SHEETS FOR ALL FREE SKATE EVENTS EXCEPT STAR 2,3 & 4 MUST BE SUBMITTED ONLINE BY WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 13, 2023. Click here to enter planned program information.

Note: there will be a \$25 fee assessed for failing to register planned program elements online by the September 13 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.

A tentative schedule of events and groups will be posted on the <u>Fall Competition Webpage</u> of the BC/YT Section 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.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

- 1. **BC/YT SAFESPORT POLICY**: Phone, video, and/or mobile devices must be turned off and put away in bags while in dressing rooms.
- 2. Should entries in a category be exceedingly large, the event will be divided into smaller groups determined by random draw. Each group will be considered a final. STAR groups will be divided according to age. Age categories may be combined when there are less than 6 entries in a category.
- 3. In BC/YT Section competitions, men and women will compete together in all STAR Events except STAR 5 to Gold free skating.
- 4. REGISTRATION: Skaters must register/check-in at least one hour before they are scheduled to skate. Please note that events may start up to 30 minutes earlier than scheduled. More information regarding registration will be communicated closer to the competition.
- 5. SIZE of WARM-UP GROUPS: The maximum number of skaters on warm-up for all STAR categories, will be 8.
- 6. WARM-UP TIMES:

STAR 2 3 minutes
STAR 3, 4 & 5 4 minutes
STAR 6 to Gold Free Skate 5 minutes
Juvenile to Senior 6 minutes
Pattern Dance 3 minutes
Rhythm Dance/Free Dance 5 minutes

7. MUSIC REQUIREMENTS:

- ALL SKATERS must submit music online when they register.
- Music will only be accepted electronically via MP3 format. Do not begin the registration
 process until you have your music file ready to load. Questions can be directed to
 bcytsection@skatinginbc.com
- Music files are not kept for the next competition. Skaters must submit their music for each individual competition.
- A backup USB flash drive (CDs will not be accepted) must be at the boards with the coach when the skater is competing.
- Alternate electronic items such as iPhones, tablets, mp3 players etc. will not be accepted.
- 8. COACHES: To be at ice level during the events, it is mandatory for all participating coaches to be wearing their 2023/24 BC/YT Section Coach Card Accreditation and register in person at the competition. These Coach Card Accreditations can be purchased through the BC/YT Section Office and must be purchased at least 2 weeks prior to the competition. Temporary accreditation will be issued for \$25 per day by showing current Skate Canada membership and First Aid information.
- 9. ADMISSION will be free to all. Information regarding spectator capacity will be communicated

^{*} 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.

closer to the date of the event.

- 10. AWARDS: Information regarding awards will be communicated closer to the competition.
- 11. 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. <u>Protests: Skate Canada Protest Rule</u> for competitions using CPC will be followed. 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, or to the Technical Representative if the Event Referee is unavailable.
- 13. ASSESSMENTS: Assessments will not be offered at this competition.

BC/YT SECTION Online Registration Instructions

Skate Canada-BC/YT Section's online registration is 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. Coaches are encouraged to ask to see 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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