



2017 WINTERSKATE

January 27 to 29, 2017

Hosted by:

Oshawa Skating Club



UOIT Campus Ice Centre
2200 Simcoe St. N.,
Oshawa, ON
L1H 7K4

SANCTIONED BY:



Entry Deadline: Friday, December 16, 2016



REGISTRAR CONTACT INFORMATION:

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GENERAL REGULATIONS:

Eligibility:

Skate Canada rules and regulations will apply throughout the competition except where otherwise provided in this Announcement. Rule amendments passed at Skate Canada ACGM as well as changes which may be made in ISU regulations and which are applicable to Skate Canada sanctioned competitions shall also apply. See Rule 1602 (8) (a) & (b). Rule numbers throughout are from the 2002 Rulebook using 2001 through to 2016 amendments.

Qualifications:

Pre-Juvenile and Juvenile Test Qualifications shall apply as of November 15, 2016.

Pre-Juvenile and Juvenile Age Qualifications shall apply as of July 1, 2016.

STAR Test Qualifications shall apply as of November 15, 2016.

STAR Age Qualifications shall apply as of July 1, 2016.

Age and Test Qualifications for Pre-Novice and Novice events shall apply as of July 1, 2016. Program Requirements will be the same as those identified for the 2016-2017 Competitive Season.

Except for Triathlon events where skating up is **not** permitted, all skaters are permitted to “skate up” one level; that is to say, enter an event one level above the level for which they are actually qualified to enter and they may compete at either of these levels but not both.

Competitive Skaters: Skaters **registered** to compete in any event at the Novice or higher level at a Sectional or Sectional qualifying competition, do not qualify to compete in STARSkate events in any category at any level.

Planned Program Sheets:

Planned Program Sheets can be accessed on the “Events>Sectioned Partnered Competitions” tab on the Skate Canada-Eastern Ontario website. You are required to print your Planned Program sheet and submit at on-site registration. One program per page (short and Free Programs require one sheet for each segment –two sheets total)

Results:

The Cumulative Points System (CPC) will be used for STAR 5 & up.

Draws – Starting Orders:

The skating order shall be determined by random draw in each event. The starting order for the first segment of the event will be available prior to the start of the competition on the “Events >Sectioned Partnered Competitions” tab on the Skate Canada-Eastern Ontario website www.skate-eos.on.ca.

Registration:

Registration may be limited if entries exceed the amount of ice time available.

OnLine Registration:

- All registrations must be completed online by **Friday, December 16, 2016 at 11:59 pm.**
- It is important to note that once the deadline date and time has been reached **online registration/payment** will not be available.
- **No Entries** will be accepted after **Friday, December 16, 2016 at 11:59 pm.**
- \$15.00 fee for all incomplete entries – upon notification by Section payment to be made by contacting our office with either Visa or MasterCard information.

ONLINE REGISTRATION LINK: KARELO.COM

REGISTRATIONS FEES:

SINGLES:

STAR 1	\$ 60.00
STAR 2 and 3	\$ 75.00
STAR 4	\$ 80.00
STAR 5, 6, 8, 10, Gold	
Free Program	\$100.00
Short Program (STAR 7, 9)	\$ 80.00
Pre-Juvenile and Juvenile	
Free Program	\$100.00
Short Program (STAR 7, 9)	\$ 80.00
Pre-Novice to Novice	
Free Program	\$110.00
Short Program	\$ 90.00

TRIATHLON:

Triathlon Event	\$180.00
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DANCE & PAIR – PER COUPLE:

STAR 4/5 to Gold	\$135.00
Pre-Juvenile Dance or Pair	\$135.00
STAR Open Pair	\$135.00

An event will be cancelled if there is only one entry. The EO Competition Event Committee (CEC) Liaison and the EO Officials Chair reserve the right to limit the number of entries in any event as well as to combine or subdivide events as numbers may warrant. Late entries will be accepted at the discretion of the CEC Liaison and the Technical Representative.

Refunds of Entry Fees for Section Partnered Events:

When skaters are advised prior to departing for a Section partnered competition that the event that they have registered in has been cancelled, the skaters may be given the option of either skating an exhibition (time permitting) and use of a practice session at the discretion of the Tech Rep for half the entry fee or withdraw from the event and receive a full refund.

If the skaters choose to skate an exhibition and, due to unforeseen circumstances, after arriving at the competition are denied the opportunity to do so, they shall receive a full refund.

When, due to unforeseen circumstances, skaters are advised at a competition that their event has been cancelled, they may be offered the opportunity to skate an exhibition (time permitting) and use of a practice session at the discretion of the Tech Rep and receive a full refund.

If an entry is withdrawn before the closing date of entry, a refund of the full entry fee less a \$25.00 administration fee will be given. The administration fee for all refunds will be set at \$25.00 per event (singles, dance or pairs) to a maximum of \$50.00 per person, dance, or pair team. No refunds will be given after the closing date of entry.

ACCREDITATION FOR EVENTS – COACHES:

In order to receive accreditation at the competition, all coaches must meet the standards for coaches set out in Rule 2402 and 2408 as outlined below.

Coaches Must:

- Be NCCP Coach – Primary STARSkate Certified minimum
- Be a current coaching member of Skate Canada
- Hold a valid First Aid Certificate
- Register in person and provide photo ID
- Wear event accreditation provided

New Coaches or foreign coaches, who do not meet the above criteria, will be accredited only if they qualify in accordance with Skate Canada Policies and Procedures.

Use of an Individuals Likeness or Performance:

Any person who enters competitions, either sanctioned by the Association or under the control and/or supervision of the Association, or who takes Association tests, by entering such competitions or by taking such tests, grants to the Association the right to use, in such form and for such time period as the Association may, in its sole discretion choose, without payment of any fee or charge, any photographs, images, likenesses, videotapes or any other recordings or reproductions of the

person or his/her performance for the purpose of furthering the objectives of the Association, including, without limiting the generality of the foregoing:

- For the training, education and development of skaters, coaches and officials; and
- For Association promotional purposes.

Music:

- All Music used must be in the public domain or covered by the Performing Rights Society.
- Teams that have music composed especially for their programs, either in wholly or in part shall be responsible for obtaining a written release from the composer for the use of such music on radio and television, or appropriate clearance from the Performing Rights Society.
- Music must be registered at Music Registration at least one hour before the event.

TECHNICAL ADVISEMENT FROM THE EO MUSIC & ANNOUNCING COMMITTEE:

- For optimum playback of the music recorded on CDs it is recommended that the music be recorded (written) to the CD in either Compact Disc Audio (CDA) or Wave file (wav) format. Music recorded in MP3 or I-Tune format may not play from the EO music playback equipment.
- **Standard Specifications for CDs:** Each entry must provide 2 CDs for the competition upon registration.
- One for Competition (Marked 'Master') and one for back up (marked 'copy').
- Only one (1) program shall be recorded on each CD
- The start of the music shall be recorded on the CD with less than 2 seconds of lead in
- Team's name followed by music time (not skating time) shall be clearly printed on side one of the CD
- Each CD shall be enclosed in its plastic container and marked as noted below:
- Skater's name
- Club
- Event
- Actual music playing time (not skating time nor the event time)

Awards:

Awards will be presented as per Regulation 7000-E-1.5 of the Skate Canada Event Management Handbook and the Skate Canada-Eastern Ontario Policy Book Section 5. Skaters must be in skating attire and skates for all presentations.

Event Schedule:

A finalized schedule of events, Skater List, and, Starting Order (first event only) will be provided at registration on-site and will be posted at the "Competition *Event+" web page on the Skate Canada-Eastern Ontario website www.skate-eos.on.ca prior to the competition. Events may proceed up to one-half hour prior to the published schedule.

Liability:

Skate Canada, the Section and the Host Committee accept no liability for bodily or personal injury, or for property loss or damage incurred by participants and officials. As a condition of and in consideration of their entries in the competition, all participants and their parents or guardians, shall be deemed to agree to assume all risks or injuries to the competitor's person and property resulting from, or caused by, or connected with, the conduct and management of the competition and to release any and all claims they may have against the officials, Skate Canada, the Section and the Volunteer Team and their officers and their entries shall be accepted on these conditions.

Concussion in Sport:

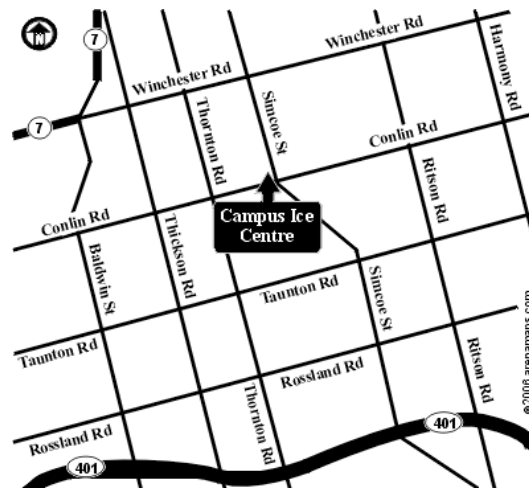
There has been an increasing recognition of severity of concussions in sport. Skate Canada and its medical team recognize this importance and the need for athletes, parents, coaches, officials and other team members to rapidly and appropriately recognize and respond to a concussion injury. We further recognize the need for our rules and procedures to support the appropriate response to a concussion injury.

For that reason, a decision has been made for all Skate Canada qualifying and non-qualifying competitions, effective immediately, that in the case of a **head injury or possible concussion during a program that is then stopped by the event medical personnel and/or the referee** the 5-point penalty for program stoppage will not be applied.

Venue Information:

UOIT Campus Ice Centre –
2200 Simcoe St. N., Oshawa,
ON L1H 7K4

Ice Surface Dimensions:
PAD #1 – 200' X 85' PAD #2
– 200' X 85'



Directions:

From the East – Highway 401 Exit at Simcoe St – Drive approx. 10 km pass the UOIT Campus. Arena on left.

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From the North – Highway 400 – 407 – Exit at Simcoe St. South. Arena on the right – or – Highway #7-12 turn right on Simcoe St. South. Arena is on the right.

TECHNICAL INFORMATION FOR EVENTS

FREESKATE EVENTS - STAR and COMPETITIVE

Skaters may enter **ONE OF STAR 1-4 OR STARSkate Singles Events OR PreNovice or Novice Competitive Singles Events, BUT NOT ALL THREE NOR ANY TWO OF THREE.**

When entering STAR 5-GOLD OR Pre-Juvenile/Juvenile Singles Categories, skaters may enter one Free Program Format (STAR 5, 6, 8, 10, GOLD, Pre-Juvenile or Juvenile) and one prescribed program (short) format (STAR 7 & 9)

TEST ELIGIBILITY: As of November 15, 2016, unless otherwise stated

AGE ELIGIBILITY: As of July 1, 2016

TECHNICAL: As listed in the 2016-2017 Skate Canada STAR Competition Technical Program Requirements.

STAR 1

Test Eligibility: **May not** have passed any part of the STAR 6 (Sr. Bronze) Free Skate Test

STAR 2

Test Eligibility: **May not** have passed any part of the STAR 6 (Sr. Bronze) Free Skate Test

STAR 3

Test Eligibility: **May not** have passed any part of the STAR 6 (Sr. Bronze) Free Skate Test

STAR 4 WOMEN UNDER 10

Test Eligibility: **May not** have passed any part of the STAR 6 (Sr. Bronze) Free Skate Test

STAR 4 MEN UNDER 10

Test Eligibility: **May not** have passed any part of the STAR 6 (Sr. Bronze) Free Skate Test

STAR 4 WOMEN UNDER 13

Test Eligibility: **May not** have passed any part of the STAR 6 (Sr. Bronze) Free Skate Test

STAR 4 MEN UNDER 13

Test Eligibility: **May not** have passed any part of the STAR 6 (Sr. Bronze) Free Skate Test

STAR 4 WOMEN 13 and OVER

Test Eligibility: **May not** have passed any part of the STAR 6 (Sr. Bronze) Free Skate Test

STAR 4 MEN 13 and OVER

Test Eligibility: **May not** have passed any part of the STAR 6 (Sr. Bronze) Free Skate Test

STAR 5 WOMEN UNDER 10

Test Eligibility: **May not** have passed any part of the STAR 8 (Junior Silver) Free Skating Test

STAR 5 MEN UNDER 10

Test Eligibility: **May not** have passed any part of the STAR 8 (Junior Silver) Free Skating Test

STAR 5 WOMEN UNDER 13

Test Eligibility: **May not** have passed any part of the STAR 8 (Junior Silver) Free Skating Test

STAR 5 MEN UNDER 13

Test Eligibility: **May not** have passed any part of the STAR 8 (Junior Silver) Free Skating test

STAR 5 WOMEN 13 and OVER

Test Eligibility: **May not** have passed any part of the STAR 8 (Junior Silver) Free Skating test

STAR 5 MEN 13 and OVER

Test Eligibility: **May not** have passed any part of the STAR 8 (Junior Silver) Free Skating test

STAR 6 WOMEN (previously Senior Bronze)

Test Eligibility: **May have** passed the STAR 5 (Junior Bronze) Free Skate Test

STAR 6 MEN (previously Senior Bronze)

Test Eligibility: **May have** passed the STAR 5 (Junior Bronze) Free Skate Test

STAR 7 WOMEN - NEW

Test Eligibility: **May have** passed the STAR 5 (Junior Bronze) Free Skate Test

STAR 7 MEN - NEW

Test Eligibility: **May have** passed the STAR 5 (Junior Bronze) Free Skate Test

STAR 8 WOMEN (previously Junior Silver)

Test Eligibility: **May have** passed the STAR 5 (Junior Bronze) Free Skate Test

STAR 8 MEN (previously Junior Silver)

Test Eligibility: **May have** passed the STAR 5 (Junior Bronze) Free Skate Test

STAR 9 WOMEN- NEW

Test Eligibility: **May have** passed the STAR 5 (Junior Bronze) Free Skate Test

STAR 9 MEN - NEW

Test Eligibility: **May have** passed the STAR 5 (Junior Bronze) Free Skate Test

STAR 10 WOMEN (previously Senior Silver)

Test Eligibility: **May have** passed the STAR 5 (Junior Bronze) Free Skate Test

STAR 10 MEN (previously Senior Silver)

Test Eligibility: **May have** passed the STAR 5 (Junior Bronze) Free Skate Test

GOLD WOMEN

Test Eligibility: **May** have passed the STAR 5 (Junior Bronze) Free Skate Test

GOLD MEN

Test Eligibility: **May** have passed the STAR 5 (Junior Bronze) Free Skate Test

PRE-JUVENILE: Skaters may enter EITHER Pre- Juvenile U11 OR U13 but not both and may not enter Juvenile U12 or U14 events.

PRE-JUVENILE WOMEN U11

Test Eligibility: **Must have** passed the complete Junior Bronze Free Skate test.

PRE-JUVENILE MEN U11

Test Eligibility: **Must have** passed the complete Junior Bronze Free Skate test.

PRE-JUVENILE WOMEN U13

Test Eligibility: **Must have** passed the complete Junior Bronze Free Skate test.

PRE-JUVENILE MEN U13

Test Eligibility: **Must have** passed the complete Junior Bronze Free Skate test.

JUVENILE: Skaters may enter EITHER Juvenile U12 OR U14 but not both and may not enter Pre-Juvenile U11 or U13 events.

JUVENILE WOMEN U12

Test Eligibility: **Must have** passed the Junior Bronze Free Skate test.

JUVENILE MEN U12

Test Eligibility: **Must have** passed the Junior Bronze Free Skate test.

JUVENILE WOMEN U14

Test Eligibility: **Must have** passed the Junior Bronze Free Skate test or higher.

JUVENILE MEN U14

Test Eligibility: **Must have** passed the Junior Bronze Free Skate test or higher.

PRE-NOVICE WOMEN SHORT

Test Eligibility: **Must have** passed the Junior Bronze Free Skate test or higher as of July 1, 2016

Age Eligibility: Under the age of 16 as of July 1, 2016

PRE-NOVICE WOMEN FREE

Test Eligibility: **Must have** passed the Junior Bronze Free Skate test or higher as of July 1, 2016.
Age Eligibility: Under the age of 16 as of July 1, 2016

PRE-NOVICE MEN SHORT

Test Eligibility: **Must have** passed the Junior Bronze Free Skate test or higher as of July 1, 2016.
Age Eligibility: Under the age of 16 as of July 1, 2016

PRE-NOVICE MEN FREE

Test Eligibility: **Must have** passed the Junior Bronze Free Skate test or higher as of July 1, 2016.
Age Eligibility: Under the age of 16 as of July 1, 2016

NOVICE WOMEN SHORT

Test Eligibility: **Must have** passed the Gold Free Skate test as of July 1, 2016.
Age Eligibility: Under the age of 17 as of July 1, 2016

NOVICE WOMEN FREE

Test Eligibility: **Must have** passed the Gold Free Skate test as of July 1, 2016.
Age Eligibility: Under the age of 17 as of July 1, 2016

NOVICE MEN SHORT

Test Eligibility: **Must have** passed the Gold Free Skate test as of July 1, 2016.
Age Eligibility: Under the age of 17 as of July 1, 2016

NOVICE MEN FREE

Test Eligibility: **Must have** passed the Gold Free Skate test as of July 1, 2016.
Age Eligibility: Under the age of 17 as of July 1, 2016

STAR TRIATHLON EVENTS:

Test Qualification: November 15, 2016

TECHNICAL: For Triathlon – Program Length and Specifications – As listed in the 2016-2017 Skate Canada STAR Competition Technical Program Requirements Package

BRONZE TRIATHLON **Must have** passed at least two of the following tests: Junior Silver Free Skate test, and/or Junior Silver skating skills test, and/or Bronze interpretive test

SILVER TRIATHLON **Must have** passed at least two of the following tests: Senior Silver free skate test, and/or Senior Silver skating skills test, and/or Silver Interpretive test

GOLD TRIATHLON **Must have** passed at least two of the following tests: Gold free skate test, and/or Gold Skills test and /or Gold interpretive test

Note: Skaters must register to compete in the highest Triathlon level that their test qualifications qualify them for.

DANCE EVENTS:

TECHNICAL:

Program Length and Specifications: As listed in the 2016-2017 Skate Canada STAR Technical Program Requirements, which can be accessed on the Skate Canada Info Centre – info@skatecanada.ca.

TEST QUALIFICATION: November 15, 2016

STAR 4/5 (Junior Bronze Dance)

Test Eligibility: At least one partner must have passed the complete Junior Bronze Dance test (STAR 5) and not the complete Senior Bronze Dance test.

Pattern Dances: Fiesta Tango (2 sequences) and Willow Waltz (2 sequences)

STAR 6/7 (Senior Bronze Dance)

Test Eligibility: At least one partner must have passed the complete Senior Bronze Dance test and not the complete Junior Silver Dance test.

Pattern Dances: Ten Fox (2 sequences) and European Waltz (2 sequences)

STAR 8/9 (Junior Silver Dance)

Test Eligibility: At least one partner must have passed the complete Junior Silver Dance test and not the complete Senior Silver Dance test.

Pattern Dances: Rocker Foxtrot (3 sequences) and Starlight Waltz (2 sequences)

STAR 10 (Senior Silver Dance)

Test Eligibility: At least one partner must have passed the complete Senior Silver Dance test and not the complete Gold Dance test.

Pattern Dances: Blues (2 sequences) and Quickstep (3 sequences)

GOLD DANCE

Test Eligibility: At least one partner must have passed the complete Gold Dance test and not the complete Diamond Dance test.

Pattern Dances: Viennese (2 sequences) and Argentine (2 sequences)

PRE-JUVENILE DANCE:

TECHNICAL:

Program Length and Specifications: As listed in the 2016-2017 Skate Canada Ice Dance Competition Technical Package which can be accessed on the Skate Canada Info Centre – info@skatecanada.ca
Pre-Juvenile Dance events shall use Skate Canada Series 8 Music.

Age Eligibility: Under the age of 14 as of July 1, 2016

Test Eligibility: Each competitor must have passed Junior Bronze Dance test (no ceiling) before November 15, 2016

Pattern Dances: Fiesta Tango and Willow Waltz



PAIR EVENTS:

STAR OPEN PAIR

TECHNICAL:

Program Length and Specifications: As listed in the 2016-2017 Skate Canada STAR Technical Program Requirements

TEST QUALIFICATION: Each Partner must have passed at least the STAR 5 (Junior Bronze) Free Skate Test as of November 15, 2016

PRE-JUVENILE PAIR

TECHNICAL:

Program Length and specifications: **As listed in the 2016-2017 Skate Canada Pair Technical Program Requirements.**

TEST QUALIFICATION: **Must have** passed the Junior Bronze Free Skate Test as of November 15, 2016

AGE QUALIFICATION: Must be under the age of 14 as of July 1, 2016

ACCOMODATIONS – HOTEL INFOMATION:

HOST HOTEL		
Holiday Inn Express & Suites 67 Simcoe St. N., Oshawa ON L1G 4S3 T: 905-434-3666		
ALTERNATE HOTELS		
Quality Suites 1700 Champlain Ave., Whitby, ON 905-432-8800	LaQuinte Inn & Suites 63 King St. E., Oshawa, L1H 1B4 1-905-571-1333	Holiday Inn Express & Suites 37 Spicer Square Bowmanville, ON 1-877-660-8550



ADMISSION & PROGRAM SALES:

DAILY ADMISSION FEES:

Adults (<i>19 years and older</i>)	\$ 6.00
Seniors and Students (<i>60 and older, 6 to 18 or Student ID</i>)	\$ 4.00
Children (<i>under 6</i>)	\$ 1.00

3-DAY EVENT PASS:

Adults (<i>19 years and older</i>)	\$15.00
Seniors and Students (<i>60 and older, 6 to 18 or Student ID</i>)	\$10.00
Children (<i>under 6</i>)	\$ 3.00

Program Sales:	\$ 5.00
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MEDICAL AND SECURITY SERVICES:

Emergency medical services for all competitors and officials during the practice and competition times on the event dates will be provided.

CAMERA & VIDEO POLICY:

Skate Canada-Eastern Ontario adopts Skate Canada's policy on the use of cameras at Section Partnered skating competitions:

- Ticket holders are only permitted to use cameras or video cameras at an event for personal use only.
- Taping of athletes/teams other than family members without express written permission from the parent/guardian/age of majority athlete is prohibited.
- Taping of entire flights and/or events is not permitted.
- The camera's lens must not be larger than 200mm.
- No flash photography is allowed.
- Any resale of photography or video is strictly prohibited.
- Use of an unauthorized image on social media platforms is strictly prohibited.



MEDIA POLICY:

At least two (2) weeks prior to the event individuals wishing to obtain appropriate accreditation must contact:

SUSAN RIVINGTON-CHAPMAN

Skate Canada-Eastern Ontario Public Relations/Marketing Chair

Email: susan@rivington-chapman.ca Phone: 613-591-0086

Individuals will need prior approval to attend and photograph skaters at Section Partnered events. Accredited individuals will be given access to the boards, the location to be at the discretion and under the direct supervision of the Technical representative for the event. Accredited individuals will not interfere with coach skater communications during warm-up periods. Pictures of skaters and or coaches will not be allowed prior to or after the performance. Any written complaints of interference will result in the loss of accreditation for future events.

The following is a guideline for appropriate accreditation:

- Individuals from News media must submit appropriate accreditation for review
- An Individual representing skating club parents must submit written permission from these parents with request.
- Pictures of skaters will not be made available for sale.

VIDEO AND PHOTOGRAPHY:



JB Video Productions

John Beaugrand, President

Phone: (519) 898-2897

Email: info@jbvideoproductions.ca



Danielle Earl Photography

Danielle Earl, Owner

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