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### **Jingle Blades Competition**



**November 24 – 26, 2023**  
**North Surrey Sport & Ice Complex**  
**10950 126A Street**  
**Surrey, BC**  
**V3V 0E5**

**Sanctioned by and held under the rules of Skate Canada**



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**Co-hosted by the BC Coast Region & Cloverdale Skating Club**

Online Registration must be completed by 23:45 pm, Sunday October 15, 2023.

[Click here](#) to register.

**DATE:** November 24 – 26, 2023

**HOST:** BC Coast Region (BCCR) & Cloverdale Skating Club (CSC)

**VENUE:** North Surrey Sport & Ice Complex  
10950 126A Street, Surrey, BC. V3V 0E5

**ICE SURFACE:** Rink 2 - 85'x200' with slightly rounded corners  
Rink 3 - 85'x200' with slightly rounded corners

**REGISTRAR:** BC Coast Region - [bccoastregion@gmail.com](mailto:bccoastregion@gmail.com)  
Please contact registrar for all registration, music and withdrawal inquiries.

**TECHNICAL INQUIRIES:** [janicedhunter@gmail.com](mailto:janicedhunter@gmail.com)

(Janice only answers technical inquiries and not logistics regarding the competition. Coaches can contact Janice with their technical questions. All other inquiries are to be sent to [bccoastregion@gmail.com](mailto:bccoastregion@gmail.com)).

## EVENTS TO BE HELD

STAR 1	Combined		\$75.00
STAR 2	Combined		\$95.00
STAR 3	Combined		\$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
STAR 2/3 Dance	Partnered (per partner)		\$52.50
STAR 4/5 Dance	Partnered (per partner)		\$52.50
STAR 2/3 Solo Dance	Lead	Follow	\$52.50
STAR 4/5 Solo Dance	Lead	Follow	\$105.00
STAR 6/7 Solo Dance	Lead	Follow	\$105.00
STAR 8/9 Solo Dance	Lead	Follow	\$105.00
STAR 10/GOLD Solo Dance	Lead	Follow	\$105.00
STAR 5 Artistic	Combined		\$95.00
STAR 7 Artistic	Combined		\$95.00
STAR 9 Artistic	Combined		\$95.00
Gold Artistic	Combined		\$100.00
Individual Showcase 1	Combined		\$95.00
Individual Showcase 2	Combined		\$95.00
Individual Showcase 3	Combined		\$95.00
Individual Showcase 4	Combined		\$95.00
STAR 2 Individual Elements	Combined		\$45.00
STAR 3 Individual Elements	Combined		\$45.00
STAR 4 Individual Elements	Combined		\$45.00
STAR 5 Individual Elements	Combined		\$45.00
STAR 6 Individual Elements	Combined		\$45.00
STAR 7/8 Individual Elements	Combined		\$45.00
STAR 9/10 Individual Elements	Combined		\$45.00

Open Individual Elements	Combined		\$45.00
Introductory Pairs	Partnered (per partner)		\$65.00
Juvenile Pairs	Partnered (per partner)		\$65.00
Synchro STAR 3	Per Team		No Fee
Synchro STAR 4	Per Team		No Fee
Special Olympics Level 1-6 + Open Singles	Women	Men	\$87.50
Special Olympics Intro Dance	Combined		\$87.50
Special Olympics 1-6 Dance	Partnered (per partner)		\$43.75
	Lead	Follow	\$87.50
Special Olympics Level 1-3 Pairs	Team (per partner)		\$43.75
Adult STAR 4/5 Solo Dance (Bronze)	Lead	Follow	\$105.00
Adult STAR 6/7 Solo Dance (Silver)	Lead	Follow	\$105.00
Adult STAR 8/9 Solo Dance (Gold)	Lead	Follow	\$105.00
Adult STAR 10/Gold Solo Dance (Elite)	Lead	Follow	\$105.00
Adult Solo Rhythm Dance	Lead	Follow	\$105.00
Adult Introductory Showcase			\$95.00
Adult Bronze Showcase			\$95.00
Adult Silver Showcase			\$95.00
Adult Gold Showcase			\$95.00
Adult Elite Showcase			\$95.00
Adult Open Partner Showcase	Partnered (per partner)		\$42.50
Adult Open Masters Partner Showcase	Partnered (per partner)		\$42.50

## ENTRY INFORMATION

For event requirements and specifications, please refer to the 2023-2024 Skate Canada STARSkate and Adult Technical Requirements Guides, posted on the technical pages of the BC/YT Section website ([skatinginbc.com](http://skatinginbc.com)).

**PAYMENT:** All payments must be made online at the time of registration. Online registration must be completed by 23:45 Sunday October 15, 2023.

**REFUNDS:** 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 (October 15, 2023) for any reason whatsoever.***

**LIVE-STREAMING:** An additional \$7.50 per entry has been added to offset the costs of live-streaming the competition.

**SINGLE EVENT ENTRIES:** All single event entries will be contacted the next business day following the close of entries. Skaters contacted must then respond to the Competition Registrar within 3 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 evaluation is only applicable to STAR Free Skating events. If a technical panel is not available, the evaluation will be for Program Components only. Skaters may skate up one category higher than they are qualified for.

**LATE ENTRIES:** Late entries will be accepted at the discretion of the BCCR Competition Committee and will be charged double the entry fee.

**CHANGES/CORRECTIONS:** 48 hours following the closing of online registration, a list of all registrants will be posted on the competition pages of the BC Coast Region and BC/YT Section websites. Registrants then have 48 hours to notify the BCCR Pre-Event Registrar of any changes or corrections. Beyond this time, no changes will be permitted.

**AGE CATEGORIES:** For all categories, age shall be the age of the skater before July 1, 2023 and assessments passed shall be as of October 15, 2023 (closing date of entries). Please note that age categories may be combined if there are insufficient entries in an individual category. Please refer to the 2023-2024 Adult Program Requirements Guide for age categories for adult events.

**PLANNED PROGRAM SHEETS:** Planned Program sheets must be submitted online for all Freeskate and Artistic events for STAR 5-Gold and Special Olympics Singles. No Planned Program sheets are required for STAR 1-4 or Supplementary events. **The deadline for online submission of Planned Program Sheets is Wednesday November 15, 2023.** There will be a \$25 fee assessed for failing to register Planned Program Sheet by the November 15 deadline. Skaters will not be permitted to register at the competition until this fee has been paid and a Planned Program Sheet has been submitted. [Click here](#) to enter Planned Program Sheets.

**SCHEDULE:** A tentative schedule of events and groups will be posted on the competition pages of the BC Coast Region and BC/YT Section websites. Any last minute changes to the schedule will be posted on both websites and at the arena. Please note that events may start up to one half hour earlier than scheduled.

## 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. Parents and coaches are not permitted in dressing rooms; a family area will be provided for skaters who require assistance.
2. Skaters choosing to enter multiple events do so with the understanding that there may be scheduling conflicts that are unable to be resolved.
3. 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.
4. Skaters may enter a maximum of two (2) events.
5. In the event of schedule time constraints, events will be cancelled in the following order: Adult Showcase, Adult Dance, STAR Individual Showcase.
6. In BC Coast Region competitions, men and women will compete together in all STAR Events except free skating.
7. 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.
8. The maximum number of skaters on warm-up for all STAR categories except STAR 1, will be 8.
9. Warm-Up Times:

STAR 2	3 minutes
STAR 3,4, & 5	4 minutes
STAR 6-Gold	5 minutes
Artistic	3 minutes
Elements	3 minutes
Pattern Dance	3 minutes
Showcase	1 minute
Special Olympics Singles & Pairs	5 minutes
Pairs	6 minutes

10. 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 [bccoastregion@gmail.com](mailto:bccoastregion@gmail.com).
- Solo dance competitors who choose to use Skate Canada Contemporary music selections must also submit the music electronically.
- Music files are not kept for the next competition. Skaters must submit their music for each individual competition.
- A backup USB flash drive 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.

11. Coach Accreditation: To be at ice level during the events, it is mandatory for all participating coaches to wear 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.

12. Admission will be free to all.

13. Information regarding awards is posted on the BC Coast Region website.

14. 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.

15. Skate Canada Protest Rule 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.

16. Assessments will not be available at this competition.

## REGISTRATION INSTRUCTIONS

The BC Coast Region's online registration system is with the company Wufoo.com. All registrations must be completed using this online system including music submission. Please do not begin the registration process until you have the following information:

1. You have your Skate Canada registration number
2. You have confirmed with your coach the events you should be entering
3. You have your music file ready for submission

[CLICK HERE](#) to register.

There is no login required to fill out the Wufoo Competition form. Skaters enter their information, including music files, in all the required fields and then click "Submit". A new page then opens in PayPal. All competition entry fees will be processed through PayPal. (it is not necessary to have a PayPal account to complete the registration process)

Upon successful completion of the registration, the registration system will generate an automatic email to the skater. Coaches do not receive an email confirmation. If you do not receive a confirmation email from Wufoo, you have not successfully registered. Please ensure you have filled in all required fields and submitted music as required.

If you have any questions about the registration process, please contact your coach. If they are unable to resolve your questions, please contact the BC Coast Region at [bccoastregion@gmail.com](mailto:bccoastregion@gmail.com).