2024 SPRING VIRTUAL PERFORMANCE SERIES FINALE EVENT ANNOUNCEMENT

April 20-21, 2024



Hosted by the BC/YT Section

Competition will be held virtually.

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Online registration must be completed by 11:45 pm Friday March 15, 2024

NOTE: 48 hours following the closing of online registration, a list of all registrants will be posted on the Spring Virtual Performance Series Finale Event competition page of Skating in BC website. Everyone then has 48 hours to notify the Registrar of any changes. **Beyond this time, no changes will be permitted**. This is to facilitate a faster turnaround time for the competition schedule to be published and for the organization of officials for the competition.

DATE: April 20-21, 2024

HOST: BC/YT Section

VENUE: Virtual Competition

REGISTRAR: Skate Canada BC/YT Section (all registration, music and video inquiries are to be sent to the BC/YT Section Office at the below email.)

bcytsection@skatinginbc.com

EVENTS TO BE HELD & ENTRY INFORMATION

Star 5 Artistic		\$105.00
Star 7 Artistic		\$105.00
Star 9 Artistic		\$105.00
Gold Artistic		\$105.00
Showcase 3 Individual		\$105.00
Showcase 4 Individual		\$105.00
Showcase 3 Group		\$105.00
Showcase 4 Group		\$105.00
Showcase 3 Production		\$105.00
Showcase 4 Production		\$105.00
Adult Introductory Artistic		\$105.00
Adult Bronze Artistic		\$105.00
Adult Silver Artistic		\$105.00
Adult Gold Artistic		\$105.00
Adult Elite Artistic		\$105.00
Adult Open Partner Artistic	Couples	\$55.00 per skater
Adult Open Masters Partner Artistic	Couples	\$55.00 per skater
Adult Introductory Showcase		\$105.00
Adult Bronze Showcase		\$105.00
Adult Silver Showcase		\$105.00
Adult Gold Showcase		\$105.00
Adult Elite Showcase		\$105.00
Adult Open Partner Showcase	Couples	\$55.00 per skater
Adult Open Masters Partner Showcase	Couples	\$55.00 per skater
STAR 3 Synchro		\$150 per team and \$25.00 per skater
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Entry fees shall be refunded only if the competition is not held or if the entry is withdrawn before the closing date of entry.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 (March 15, 2024) FOR ANY REASON WHATSOEVER. 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.

<u>Online Registration</u> must be completed by 11:45 p.m. Friday March 15, 2024. Instructions for entering online can be found on page 5 of this announcement.

For all categories, age shall be the age of the skater before July 1, 2023 and assessments/tests passed shall be as of March 15, 2024 (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 2023-2024 Skate Canada Technical Requirements Guides for STAR and Adult, posted on the Technical page of the Skating in BC website.

PLANNED PROGRAM SHEETS FOR ARTISTIC EVENTS MUST BE SUBMITTED ONLINE BY Wednesday, April 10, 2024. The TIME each element begins must be included on the planned program sheet. A planned program sheet is not required for Adult Artistic categories. 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 April 10, 2024, deadline. Skaters will not be permitted to compete 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>Spring Virtual Performance Series Finale</u> <u>Event</u> competition page on Skating in BC website. Any last-minute changes to schedules will be posted on the website.

ADDITIONAL 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. Note that in BC/YK Section competitions, men and women will compete together in all Artistic & Showcase events.
- 3. Should there be only one entry in any event, the competitor may skate for an evaluation only*, skate up one level, or withdraw and the entry fee for that event will be refunded. If there is a last-minute withdrawal in an event that had only 2 entries, the options apply for the remaining skater. *Skating for an evaluation is only applicable to competitive categories and STAR Free Skate categories. If a technical panel is not available, the evaluation will be for Program Components only.
- 4. ONLINE VIDEO SUBMISSIONS-a separate document will be provided with instructions for the online video submission process. Videos must be submitted by April 10, 2024 at 11:45pm to the Dropbox link provided to each club.
- 5. MUSIC REQUIREMENTS:
 - All skaters must submit music online as part of the registration process. Registration will
 not be accepted without
 - 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.

- 6. AWARDS-information regarding awards will be sent out prior to the competition.
- 7. PROTESTS: Skate Canada Protest Rule will be followed. 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 BC/YT Section Office at bcytsection@skatinginbc.com within the first hour of the following day's competition.
- 8. 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.

Click here 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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