



SKATECANADA
EASTERN ONTARIO



Autumn Skate

September 16th to 18th, 2011

JIM DURRELL ARENA

1265 Walkley Road, Ottawa, ON

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Skate Canada - Eastern Ontario extends this invitation to all eligible persons in figure skating in Canada and the United States. U.S.F.S.A. members must hold U.S.F.S.A. test qualifications equivalent to the Skate Canada test qualifications specified in this Announcement. Skate Canada rules and regulations will apply throughout the competition except where otherwise provided in this Announcement. The Host Committee is prepared to attempt to accommodate U.S.F.S.A. members by modifying the content for specific events as set out below where the required content for such events differs from the required content for equivalent U.S.F.S.A. events. Specific requests should be made to the competition registrar.

Rule amendments passed at this year's Skate Canada A.C.G.M. as well as changes which may be made in I.S.U. 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 2011 amendments.

DEADLINE FOR ENTRIES – IMPORTANT INFORMATION:



- Registration may be limited if entries exceed the amount of ice time available.
- Regardless of which type of payment option is used - Entry Forms will be accepted on a first serve basis, therefore skaters should register as soon as possible
- Entry Forms & Fees, including any required supporting documentation, must be completed in FULL or they will not be processed and will be returned
- All Entry Forms must be received no later than 4.00 pm on **Friday, August 12th, 2011** regardless of postmark, courier date, or, if using PayPal, scanned (email) or Fax – it is important to note that once the deadline date & time has been reached PayPal will be closed down for this event on the EOS Website.
- A separate Entry Form must be completed for each event
- Payment through PayPal without completing the applicable Entry/Test Form is NOT considered a registration.**
- Entry/Test Forms, along with a cheque or money order and proof of age (if applicable) may be mailed or couriered as has been the standard. Entry/Test forms & proof of age (if applicable) may be scanned or faxed only if PayPal is used as the payment option
- Late entries may be accepted at the discretion of the EOS Championship Chair and Officials Chair

ENTRY FEES:

Singles Events:	Entry Fees:
STARSkate- Junior Bronze to Gold	\$90.00
Competitive – Pre-Juvenile & Juvenile	\$90.00
Combined Competitive Singles Events:	Entry Fees:
Pre-Novice to Senior	\$150.00
Dance & Pairs Events:	Entry Fees: (Fee is per couple)
Pre-Juvenile Dance or Pair	\$115.00
Juvenile Pair	\$115.00
Junior & Senior Dance or Pair (Each Segment)	\$100.00
Combined Dance & Pairs Events:	Entry Fees: (Fee is per couple)
Juvenile Dance	\$175.00
Pre-Novice Dance or Pair	\$175.00
Novice Dance or Pair	\$175.00

PAYMENT PAYABLE TO: AUTUMN SKATE 2011

MUST BE RECEIVED BY August 12th, 2011

Skate Canada – Eastern Ontario
276 King Street West
P.O. Box 2209
Prescott, ON K0E 1T0

Tel: 613-925-1441
Email: eos@bellnet.ca
Website: www.skate-eos.on.ca

For further information please contact the Registrar at 613-925-1441 or by Email: eos@bellnet.ca



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TEST FORMS: Competitive Testing will be available at this event. Tests will be judged using the CPC Scoring System. ****Skaters wishing to be tested in "Combined" Events MUST compete in both parts of the event to be tested.** PayPal will also be offered for this service; however, the separate Testing Entry Forms for on-site competitive testing **must** be used. If the option to forward the Test Forms to the Registrar via Canada Post is used, then all supporting documentation must be completed in FULL or they will not be accepted or processed. Separate cheques must be sent, one for the competition and one for the test. **Closing Date: 12 Aug 11– Withdrawal date: 2 Sep 11**

CONFIRMATIONS AND SCHEDULE OF EVENTS: The Event Schedule, Skater Confirmations and Starting Order (first event only) will be posted on the Section Website www.skate-eos.on.ca they will not be mailed out via Canada Post. Events may proceed up to one-half hour prior to the published schedule

AGE REQUIREMENTS: Age qualifications shall apply as of **July 1, 2011**. Where relevant, a photocopy of the skater's birth certificate or other acceptable proof of age **MUST ACCOMPANY** the Entry Form. **NOTE:** If using PayPal a copy of the skater's birth certificate may be faxed along with the entry form, or scanned and emailed

TEST REQUIREMENTS: Test qualifications shall apply as of **July 1, 2011**. **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 or both of these levels

CANCELLATION OF EVENTS/NUMBER OF ENTRIES: An event will be cancelled if there is only one entry. The EOS Championship Chair and 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.

REFUNDS AND WITHDRAWALS:

- Entries withdrawn **by August 12, 2011** will be given full refunds.
- A full refund will also be given if an event is cancelled.
- **After August 12, 2011** refunds will be granted only for withdrawals for medical reasons and then only if the Host Committee is notified of such medical withdrawals **prior to the start of the event** and if a **medical certificate** is received by the Competition Registrar **by September 30th, 2011**.
- **A \$25.00 administration fee per event** with a maximum of \$50.00 per skater, dance, or pair team will be charged for all such withdrawals **after August 12, 2011**.

RETURNED CHEQUES: A **\$25.00 administration fee** will be charged for each **NSF or other returned cheque**. **The amount of the returned cheque and the \$25.00 administration fee** must be paid in cash or by certified cheque, bank draft, money order or similar form of guaranteed payment **prior to the skater being permitted to compete**. Skaters will not be permitted to register for the competition if they have not paid all outstanding registration fees in full. If outstanding fees are being paid at registration, only certified cheques or cash will be accepted.

PRACTICE ICE: Practice ice will not be provided.

ICE SURFACES: Both the Walkley and Peplinski ice surfaces are 85 feet by 200 feet

REGISTRATION: All competitors are required to register at **least one hour** before the **start** of an event **regardless of the 'order of skate'**.

PLANNED PROGRAM CONTENT SHEET: The Planned Program Content Sheet must be handed in at the time of registration. If you register **after** your event has started your PPC Sheet **may** not be delivered to the Officials Panel Rinkside. Planned Program Sheets can be filled in 'on-line' on the Section Website – www.skate-eos.on.ca link 'Competitions' – once completed they can be printed and brought to the Registration Desk on the day of the event.

WELL BALANCED PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS: all Programs shall meet the requirements of the Well Balanced Program Criteria. This may be found on the Skate Canada (www.skatecanada.ca) and the Skate Canada – Eastern Ontario (www.skate-eos.on.ca) websites.



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COACHES – CHOREOGRAPHERS ACCREDITATION: All coaches/choreographers must meet the standards for coaches/choreographers set out in Rule 2402 and Rule 2408 in order to be accredited at 2011 Autumn Skate.

All coaches shall be paid Skate Canada coaching members, hold a valid first aid certificate, and hold Primary STARSkate Coach NCCP Level 1 certification or higher.

Section Coach Photo ID's are no longer accepted - Coaches must carry the "New" Skate Canada Coach Membership Photo ID Card in order to have board access, temporary coach passes will no longer be available at the competition.

MUSIC REQUIREMENTS:

- Each entry must provide 2 cassettes or CD's for the Competition upon registration. If 2 CD's are provided, it is recommended that a back-up cassette be available.
- **Technical Advisement (from the EOS 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 EOS music playback equipment.
- Music **must be registered** at Music Registration **at least one hour before the event.**
- Each cassette or CD shall be enclosed in its plastic container. Damaged or missing CD case or Cassette case - a replacement fee of up to \$1.00 will be charged.
- Each cassette or CD and its **container** must be **clearly marked** with the following:
 1. One for competition (marked "Master") and one for back up (marked "copy")
 2. Skater's name
 3. Club
 4. Event
 5. Actual music playing time, **not the skating time**, nor the event time.
 6. Only one program shall be recorded on each cassette or CD.

RESULTS: Results will be determined using the Cumulative Point Calculation (CPC) for all events.

AWARDS: Medals will be awarded in accordance with Rule 7000B (1.13). **Skaters must be in skating attire and skates for all presentations.**

ADMISSION:

GENERAL ADMISSION:

ADULT		
STUDENT/SENIORS (65 & over)		
Children (12 & under)		

ALL EVENT:

\$15
\$10
\$3

DAILY:

\$6
\$4
\$1

Chaperone passes will NOT be provided

CAMERA & VIDEO POLICY:

1. An authorized videotaping service will be available for the purchase of a DVD.
2. Ticket holders are permitted to use cameras or video cameras at an event for personal use ONLY. Taping of entire flights and/or events is not permitted. The camera's lens must not be larger than 200mm.
3. STRICTLY PROHIBITED:
 - Videotaping of complete events
 - Flash photography
 - Any resale of photography or videos by ticket holders

MEDIA POLICY:

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

Carole Lefebvre Johnson

EOS Public Relations-Marketing Chair

Email: carolej@sympatico.ca Phone: 613-836-1235

4. Individuals will need prior approval to attend and photograph skaters at Section Partnered events. Individuals will be given access to the boards near the skaters' entry to the ice. Accredited individuals will not interfere with coach/skater communications during warm-up periods. Pictures of skater 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.
5. The following is a guideline for approving accreditation:
 - Individuals from News media must submit appropriate accreditation for review.
 - An individual representing skating club parent must submit written permission from these parents with request
 - Pictures of skaters will not be made available for sale.

ACCIDENTS: Rule 7000 B (1.11) will apply. Organizers of this Competition undertake no responsibility for damages or injuries suffered by skaters. As a condition of and in consideration of the acceptance of their entries, competitors and their parents and/or guardians thereby agree to assume all risks of injury to the competitor's person and/or damage to the competitor's property, and release all persons in any way connected with the management and/or conduct of this competition from any and all liability in connection therewith.



STARSKATE SINGLES EVENTS



- Skaters may enter EITHER STARSSkate Singles Events OR Competitive Events BUT NOT BOTH.
- All skaters are permitted to "skate up" one level, that is to say enter an event one level above the level they are actually qualified to enter and they may compete at either or both of these levels.
- Results will be determined using the Cumulative Point Calculation (CPC) for all events.

TECHNICAL:

- Programs should meet the requirements of the 2011/2012 Skate Canada Well Balanced Program Criteria.
- PROGRAM LENGTH/ SPECIFICATIONS—As listed in the 2011/2012 Skate Canada STARSSkate Competition Technical Package.

Event #	Name of Event	Age Eligibility	Test Eligibility
1	Junior Bronze Women	No age division	May have passed the Junior Bronze Free Skate Test but no higher complete free skate test.
2	Junior Bronze Men	No age division	May have passed the Junior Bronze Free Skate Test but no higher complete free skate test.
3	Senior Bronze Women	No age division	May have passed Senior Bronze Free Skate Test but no higher complete free skate test.
4	Senior Bronze Men	No age division	May have passed the Senior Bronze Free Skate Test but no higher complete free skate test.
5	Junior Silver Women	No age division	May have passed the Junior Silver Free Skate Test but no higher complete free skate test.
6	Junior Silver Men	No age division	May have passed the Junior Silver Free Skate Test but no higher complete free skate test.
7	Senior Silver Women	No age division	May have passed the Senior Silver Free Skate Test but no higher complete free skate test.
8	Senior Silver Men	No age division	May have passed the Senior Silver Free Skate Test but no higher complete free skate test.
9	Gold Women	No age division	May have passed the Gold Free Skate Test.
10	Gold Men	No age division	May have passed the Gold Free Skate Test.



COMPETITIVE SINGLES EVENT



- All skaters are permitted to “skate up” one level, that is to say enter an event one level above the level they are actually qualified to enter and they may compete at either or both of these levels.
- Skaters may enter EITHER STARSkate Singles Events OR Competitive Singles Events BUT NOT BOTH.
- Combined Events - Skaters must compete in the short program to be eligible to compete in the Free Program
- Results will be determined using the Cumulative Point Calculation (CPC) for all events.

TECHNICAL:

- Programs should meet the requirements of the 2011/2012 Skate Canada Well Balanced Program Criteria.
- PROGRAM LENGTH/SPECIFICATIONS—As listed in the 2011/2012 Skate Canada Competition Technical Package.
- Please refer to the Skate Canada website regarding Group Elements. (Members Log-in, Events, Short Program Groups)

Event #	Name of Event	Age Eligibility	Test Eligibility <i>as of July 1, 2011</i>
11	Pre-Juvenile Women	Under the age of 11 as of July 1, 2011	Must have passed the complete Junior Bronze Free Skate Test.
12	Pre-Juvenile Men	Under the age of 12 as of July 1, 2011	Must have passed the complete Junior Bronze Free Skate Test.
13	Juvenile Women	Under the age of 12 before July 1, 2011	Must have passed the Juvenile Competitive Singles Test.
14	Juvenile Men	Under the age of 13 before July 1, 2011	Must have passed the Juvenile Competitive Singles Test.
15	Pre-Novice Women Combined		Must have passed the Pre-Novice Competitive Singles Test.
16	Pre-Novice Men Combined		Must have passed the Pre-Novice Competitive Singles Test.
17	Novice Women Combined		Must have passed the Novice Competitive Singles Test.
18	Novice Men Combined		Must have passed the Novice Competitive Singles Test.
19	Junior Women Combined	Under the age of 19 years as of July 1, 2011	Must have passed the Junior Competitive Singles Test.
20	Junior Men Combined	Under the age of 19 years as of July 1, 2011	Must have passed the Junior Competitive Singles Test.
21	Senior Women Combined		Must have passed the Senior Competitive Singles Test.
22	Senior Men Combined		Must have passed the Senior Competitive Singles Test.



COMPETITIVE DANCE EVENTS

- Official music is Strauser Tauber.
- All skaters are permitted to “skate up” one level, that is to say enter an event one level above the level they are actually qualified to enter and they may compete at either or both of these levels.
- Each part of a Dance event is a separate event for Junior & Senior Competitive dance categories only.

TECHNICAL:

- Programs should meet the requirements of the 2011/2012 Skate Canada Well Balanced Program Criteria.
- PROGRAM LENGTH/SPECIFICATIONS—As listed in the 2011/2012 Skate Canada Competition Technical Package.
- Please refer to the Skate Canada website regarding Group Elements. (Members Log-in, Events, Short Program Groups)

Event #	Name of Event	Age Eligibility	Test Eligibility as of July 1, 2011	Program Length (+/- 10 seconds) and Specifications
23	Pre-Juvenile Compulsory Dance	Under the age of 14 as of July 1, 2011	Each competitor must have passed Preliminary Dance Test (no ceiling).	Swing and Fiesta Tango
24	Juvenile Dance Combined		Must have passed the complete Junior Bronze Dance Test.	Compulsory Dance - As announced for Sectionals by Skate Canada (Fiesta Tango & European Waltz) Free Dance Length 2:00 minutes
25	Pre-Novice Dance Combined		Must have passed the Pre-Novice Competitive Dance Test and the complete Senior Bronze Dance Test.	Compulsory Dance - As announced for Sectionals by Skate Canada (Keats Foxtrot Harris Tango) Free Dance Length 2:30 minutes
26	Novice Dance Combined		Must have passed the Novice Competitive Dance Test	Compulsory Dance - As announced for Sectionals by Skate Canada (Starlight Waltz and Silver Samba) Free Dance Length 3:00 minutes
27	Junior Short Dance	Women under the age of 19 as of July 1, 2011 Men under the age of 21 as of July 1, 2011	Must have passed the Junior Competitive Dance Test	As announced by the ISU for the 2011/2012 Season (see ISU Communication #1670 Dated April 5th 2011)
28	Junior Free Dance	Women under the age of 19 as of July 1, 2011 Men under the age of 21 as of July 1, 2011	Must have passed the Junior Competitive Dance Test	Length: 3.00 minutes
29	Senior Short Dance		Must have passed Senior Competitive Dance Test.	As announced by the ISU for the 2011/2012 Season (see ISU Communication #1670 Dated April 5th 2011)
30	Senior Free Dance		Must have passed the Senior Competitive Dance Test.	Length: 4.00 minutes.



COMPETITIVE PAIR EVENTS

- All skaters are permitted to “skate up” one level, that is to say enter an event one level above the level they are actually qualified to enter and they may compete at either or both of these levels.
- Each part of the Pair event is a separate event for Junior & Senior Competitive Pair categories only.

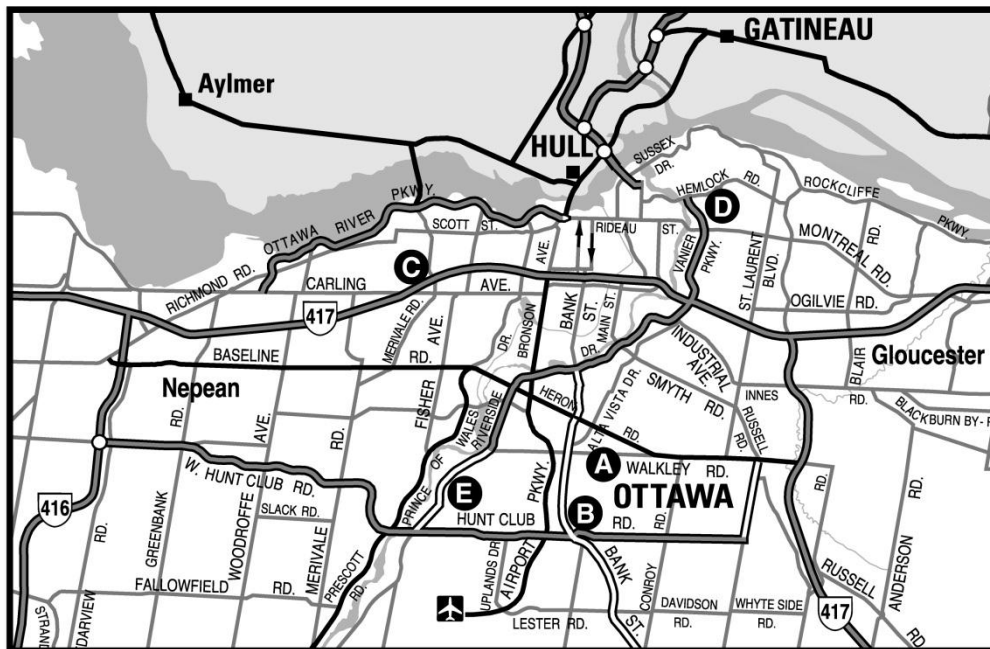
TECHNICAL:

- Programs should meet the requirements of the 2011/2012 Skate Canada Well Balanced Program Criteria.
- PROGRAM LENGTH/SPECIFICATIONS—As listed in the 2011/2012 Skate Canada Competition Technical Package.
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Event #	Name of Event	Age Eligibility	Test Eligibility as of July 1, 2011
31	Pre-Juvenile Pairs	Under the age of 14 as of July 1, 2011	Must have passed the complete Preliminary Free Skate Test (no ceiling) and must not have passed any Pairs Test.
32	Juvenile Pairs		Must have passed the Juvenile Competitive Pairs Test.
33	Pre-Novice Pairs Combined		Must have passed the Pre-Novice Competitive Pairs Test.
34	Novice Pairs Combined		Must have passed the Novice Competitive Pairs Test.
35	Junior Pairs Short Program	No age requirements	Must have passed the Junior Competitive Pairs Test.
36	Junior Pairs Free Program	No age requirements	Must have passed the Junior Competitive Pairs Test.
37	Senior Pairs Short Program		Must have passed the Senior Competitive Pairs Test.
38	Senior Pairs Free Program		Must have passed the Senior Competitive Pairs Test.

Location & Directions

<p>OFFICIAL HOTEL</p>	<p>Southway Inn 2431 Bank Street (at Hunt Club) Ottawa, ON K1V 8R9 613-737-0811 Rate: \$140.00 – (before taxes) please quote “2011 Autumn Skate”</p>	
<p>Travelodge Hotel 1376 Carling Avenue Ottawa, ON 613-722-7600</p>	<p>Hampton Inn 100 Coventry Road Ottawa, ON 613-741-2300</p>	<p>Days Inn 366 Hunt Club Road Ottawa, ON K1V 1C1 613-739-7555</p>



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 1265 Walkley Rd.

B - Southway Inn
 2431 Bank St. (at Hunt Club Rd.)

C - Travelodge Hotel

D - Hampton Inn

E - Days Inn