



**2012**  
**FIGURE SKATING BOUTIQUE**  
**SKATE CANADA – CENTRAL ONTARIO**



**STAR**  
**Skate** CHAMPIONSHIPS

**February 17 - 19, 2012**

Sanctioned by Skate Canada

Hosted by Skate Canada Brampton-Chinguacousy and Skate Canada - Central Ontario

**CASSIE CAMPBELL COMMUNITY CENTRE**

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*The 2012 Figure Skating Boutique Skate Canada - Central Ontario STARSkate Championships is the only qualifying competition for the 2012 Trillium STARSkate Championships (all Ontario Event). Please note: Pre-Preliminary STARSkate, Preliminary STARSkate and Juvenile categories (Singles, Pair and Dance) are non-qualifying categories.*

*Skaters placing first to third in all STARSkate Freeskate categories (Junior Bronze thru Gold), STARSkate Dance categories (Junior Bronze thru Diamond), Pair category (open only), Pre-Juvenile categories (Singles, Pair and Dance) and Triathlon categories (Bronze, Silver and Gold) at the 2012 Figure Skating Boutique Skate Canada - Central Ontario STARSkate Championships will advance to represent the Section at the **2012 Trillium STARSkate Championships at Memorial Gardens, North Bay, Ontario, March 16 – 18, 2012.***

**EARLY BIRD ENTRY FEES RECEIVED ON OR BEFORE DECEMBER 28, 2011:**

- \$ 70.00 per person for Pre-Preliminary & Preliminary Single categories (*NON-QUALIFYING*)
- \$ 85.00 per person for all other Single categories
- \$ 90.00 per couple for Preliminary Dance category (*NON-QUALIFYING*)
- \$ 100.00 per couple for all other Dance categories
- \$ 100.00 per couple for all other Pair category
- \$ 120.00 per person for Triathlon category

**ENTRY FEES RECEIVED AFTER DECEMBER 28, 2011 (DOES NOT INCLUDE LATE FEES, IF APPLICABLE)**

- \$ 80.00 per person for Pre-Preliminary & Preliminary Single categories (*NON-QUALIFYING*)
- \$ 95.00 per person for all other Single categories
- \$ 100.00 per couple for Preliminary Dance category (*NON-QUALIFYING*)
- \$ 110.00 per couple for all other Dance categories
- \$ 110.00 per couple for all other Pair category
- \$ 130.00 per person for Triathlon category

Please make cheques payable to "Skate Canada - Central Ontario". Post-dated cheques will not be accepted. A \$35.00 service charge will apply to cheques returned by your bank. A \$15.00 incomplete charge will be applied if your registration form is not filled in correctly.

**THIS ANNOUNCEMENT IS SUBJECT TO CHANGE**

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[www.skatecanada-centralontario.com](http://www.skatecanada-centralontario.com)

**REGISTRATION:** Each competitor is entitled to be accompanied by an accredited coach/choreographer. All competitors and coaches/choreographers must register onsite at Cassie Campbell Community Centre. Registration will commence Friday, February 17, 2012, one hour before the first scheduled category.

**COACH/CHOREOGRAPHER ACCREDITATION:** In order to be accredited at 2012 Figure Skating Boutique Skate Canada – Central Ontario STARSkate Championships, all coaches/choreographers must meet the standards for coaches/choreographers set out in Skate Canada Rule 2402 and in the Skate Canada Policies and Procedures. All coaches must be a paid 2011-2012 Skate Canada coaching member, hold a valid First Aid certificate and Primary STARSkate Coach (NCCP Level 1) certification

(ISPC Provincial Coach or Level 2 or higher for Pre-Juvenile) or higher. All coaches must be enrolled in the National Coach Photo ID program. Only two coaches may be accredited per entry.

**If a coach does not have their Photo ID but are accredited to enter a Temporary ID will be provided at a cost of \$25.00.  
No Refund, No Exceptions.**

**ICE SIZE:** 200 x 85

**PRACTICE ICE:** There will be no official practice ice.

**ADMISSION:** Adults: \$6.00 per day or All-Event tickets \$15.00  
Children (under 12) and Seniors: \$4.00 per day or All-Event tickets \$10.00

**PRESENTATION OF AWARDS:** Medals will be presented upon completion of categories periodically throughout the day of competition in accordance with Rule 7000 B 1.13.

**MEALS:** Snack bar will be open in the arena lobby.

**VIDEO TAPING:** Professional video taping services will be available. Private videotaping of your own competitor only is permitted. Cellular phones are not permitted in the dressing room area or at ice level.

**PHOTOGRAPHY:** Private photography of your own competitor only is permitted.

**CONCESSIONS:** There will be a videographer (JB VIDEO) and a boutique (FIGURE SKATING BOUTIQUE) available on-site.

2012 Figure Skating Boutique Skate Canada - Central Ontario STARSkate Championships will be conducted in accordance with the regulations set forth in the Skate Canada Rulebook Section 7000.

**ELIGIBILITY TO COMPETE (From Skate Canada Rule 5401):** Entrants in events in the 2012 Figure Skating Boutique Skate Canada - Central Ontario STARSkate Championships shall:

- 1) **Be eligible persons** as defined in Skate Canada Rule Book Section 2100.
- 2) **Be Associate members** in good standing of the Association whose home club is in Skate Canada - Central Ontario.

**QUALIFICATIONS FOR ENTRY:**

- 1) **COMPETITIVE SKATERS** - Skaters who are registered with Skate Canada in the current year at the Novice, Junior or Senior categories at the 2012 Skate Canada Central Ontario Sectionals Championships (in November 2011) are **not eligible to compete** at the 2012 Figure Skating Boutique Skate Canada - Central Ontario STARSkate Championships in any category at any level. For the purposes of interpretation of this regulation, registration for a Sectional event is defined as the submission of a registration form for such event.

Skaters registered to compete in the Pre-Novice level at a Sectional or Sectional qualifying competition may register to compete in event categories at the 2012 Figure Skating Boutique Skate Canada - Central Ontario STARSkate Championships other than those competed in at a Sectional Competition. Please see the table below for the qualifications for entry.

<b>Competitive Category (competed in at Sectionals)</b>	<b>Categories that may be entered at the 2012 Figure Skating Boutique SKATE CANADA - CENTRAL ONTARIO STARSkate Championships</b>
Novice and higher in Singles, Pair and Dance	NO CATEGORIES
Pre-Novice Competitive Dance	Singles, Pair and Triathlon
Pre-Novice Competitive Singles	Pair and Dance
Pre-Novice Competitive Pair	Singles, Triathlon and Dance

***\*Skaters who competed in Pre-Juvenile and Juvenile categories at Sectionals Championships are permitted to compete in those categories only in the 2012 Figure Skating Boutique Skate Canada - Central Ontario STARSkate Championships***

2) **Previous Winners:**

A previous winner of a **Trillium STARSkate** category is **not eligible** to re-enter the same category.

3) **Test Prerequisites** – Competitors wishing to enter the 2012 Figure Skating Boutique Skate Canada - Central Ontario STARSkate Championships shall meet the **test requirements** to compete as of **November 15** preceding the competition.

3) **Competitive Single Test Equivalencies in the STARSkate Program** – As regulation 4000 states, skaters passing Free Skating tests in the competitive test system are granted equivalencies for regular free skating tests as follows:

**Pre July 1, 2011**

Juvenile Competitive Singles Test = Senior Bronze Free Skating Test

Pre-Novice Competitive Singles Test = Junior Silver Free Skating Test

Novice Competitive Singles Test = Senior Silver Free Skating Test

Junior Competitive Singles Test = Gold Free Skating Test

**Post July 1, 2011**

Juvenile Competitive Singles Test = Junior Silver Free Skating Test

Pre-Novice Competitive Singles Test = Senior Silver Free Skating Test

Novice Competitive Singles Test = Gold Free Skating Test

Junior Competitive Singles Test = Gold Free Skating Test

Skaters who have passed any of the competitive test equivalencies **must** enter the 2012 Figure Skating Boutique Skate Canada - Central Ontario STARSkate Championships at the level corresponding to their highest STARSkate test passed or at the level which they received the equivalency in the STARSkate Program, whichever is higher.

5) **SKATING UP:** Skaters may skate up in the Freeskate and Dance categories, if desired.

6) **Composition of Partners:** Couples for Pair and Dance categories must be comprised of one woman and one man. Each individual in the partnership must satisfy all eligibility requirements.

**COSTUMING:** The clothing for all competitors must be modest, dignified and appropriate for athletic competition – not garish or theatrical in design. Accessories and props are not permitted.

**CLOSING DATE OF ENTRIES:** Entries must be received by **Wednesday, January 11, 2012**, prior to the close of business (4:30pm) regardless of postmark, courier date, date of e-mail or fax. **Late entries may be accepted at the discretion (schedule permitting) of the Technical Representative in charge and will be subject to a \$50.00 late fee. The \$50.00 late fee must be included with the application and the entry fee when submitted. A \$15.00 incomplete charge will be applied if your registration form is not filled in correctly.**

**REFUNDS AND WITHDRAWALS:** Full refunds will be given for any cancelled categories. If an entry is withdrawn prior to January 11, 2012, a refund (less an administrative fee of \$35.00 per skater) will be granted. **NOTE: NO REFUNDS will be granted after January 11, 2012.**

**MAIL, E-MAIL OR FAX ENTRIES TO:**

**Irma Orzeck, Registrar**

**Skate Canada - Central Ontario**

**111 Snidercroft Road, Unit A**

**Concord, ON L4K 2J8**

**FAX: 905-760-9104**

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**Telephone: 905-760-9100 ext. 229**

**Toll Free: 1-877-267-0081 ext. 229**

No skater will be registered until all money owing is properly paid by the January 11<sup>th</sup> closing date. The Committee reserves the right to limit entries in categories.

**MUSIC:** Both arenas will be equipped with variable speed cassette tape players and CD players. **TWO** cassettes, **TWO** CDs or a combination of **ONE** tape cassette and **ONE** CD will be accepted. These **MUST** be registered with music registration at least one hour prior to the posted start time of the category and may not be removed for any reason until after the category is completed. It is recommended that if 2 CDs are registered for the category, the skater should also carry a back-up tape cassette in case the CDs do not play properly. Music must be picked up within 30 minutes after completion of the category. Exact timing of cassettes cannot be guaranteed.

**Standard Specifications for Music**

1. Only one (1) program shall be recorded on each cassette or CD.
2. Cassettes and/or CDs must be marked with the skater's name, the category name and total music time.
3. Each cassette or CD shall be enclosed in a plastic case which also must be marked with the skater's name, the category name and the total music time.

**SELECTION OF DANCE MUSIC:** All dance categories will be skated to Skate Canada Dance Records Series 8.

**PLANNED PROGRAM SHEETS:** Planned program sheets are to be handed in on the day of the competition at music registration.

**RESULTS CALCULATION**

1) **OBO:** The "OBO" (one-by-one) results calculation method will be used for Pre-Preliminary and Preliminary categories.

2) **CPC:** All other categories will use the CPC results calculation method.

**3) EVENT MARKING CRITERIA, TIE BREAKING AND FACTORS**

CATEGORIES	MARKING CRITERIA	FACTOR	%	TIE BREAKER
<b>STARSkate CATEGORIES</b>				
Freestyle – OBO (Pre-Prelim and Prelim)	Technical Merit, Presentation	1.0	100	2 <sup>nd</sup> mark
Freestyle – CPC (Junior Bronze thru Gold) (Pre-Juvenile and Juvenile)	Technical Score, Program Components	1.0	100	Components
	Technical Score, Program Components	1.0	100	Components
Pair – CPC				
Dance – OBO (Preliminary only) Pattern Dance 1 Pattern Dance 2	Technique, Timing/Expression	0.5	50	1st mark
	Technique, Timing/Expression	0.5	50	1st mark
Dance – CPC (Junior Bronze thru Gold) (Pre-Juvenile and Juvenile) Pattern Dance 1 Pattern Dance 2	Technical Score, Program Components	0.5	50	Technical
		0.5	50	Technical
<b>TRIATHLON CATEGORIES – CPC</b>				
Freestyle	Technical Score, Program Components	1.0	33.3	Components
Skating Skills	Technical Score, Program Components	1.0	33.3	Technical
Interpretive **	Program Components	1.0	33.3	IN,PE,CH,SS,TR **

\* **Triathlon Categories:** A tie will be broken after each category part. For example, after the Interpretive program the tie is broken by the Interpretive Program, and after the Freestyle, the Freestyle program result breaks the tie.

**\*\* Interpretive Categories:** Ties are broken based on the individual component scores in priority according to order listed.

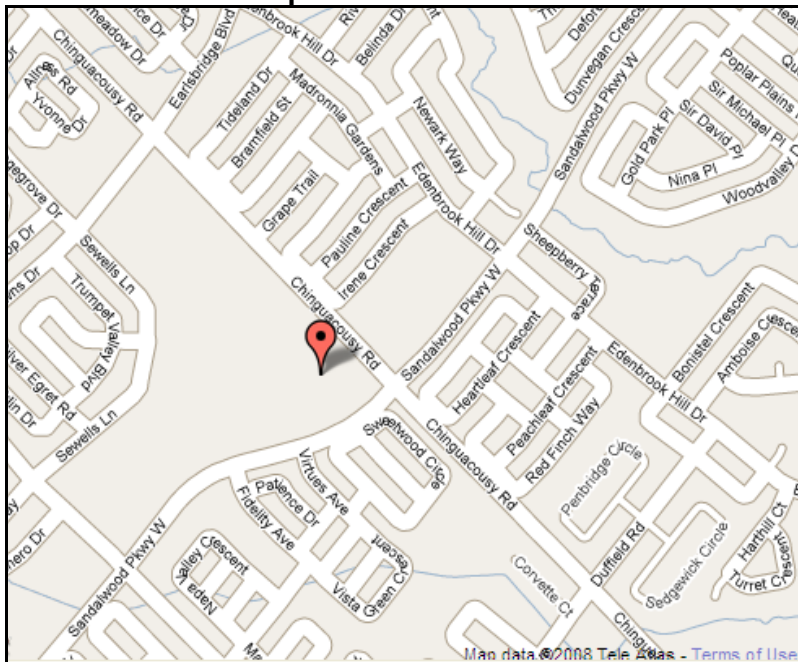
**ACCOMMODATIONS:**

**Official Hotel:**           **COMFORT INN**  
**905-452-0600**  
**\$84.99/night**  
**Quote “Skate Canada” when booking**

**5 Rutherford Road, South**  
**Brampton, Ontario**  
**L6W 3J3**

**MAP:**

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## SINGLES CATEGORIES

Competitors may enter only one category in a discipline (i.e. only one single category but may also enter one pair and/or dance category).

**Free skating programs should meet the requirements as outlined in the Skate Canada STARSkate Competition Technical Package 2011-2012. This package may be found in the Members only section of the Skate Canada website [www.skatecanada.ca](http://www.skatecanada.ca) .**

**TEST QUALIFICATION:** as of **November 15** preceding the competition.

### **PRE-PRELIMINARY - NON QUALIFYING CATEGORY**

Must not have passed the complete Preliminary Freeskate test.

Program length: 1.30 minutes (+/- 10 seconds)

### **PRELIMINARY - NON QUALIFYING CATEGORY**

May have passed the Preliminary Freeskate test but no higher complete Freeskate test.

Program length: 1.30 minutes (+/- 10 seconds)

### **JUNIOR BRONZE**

May have passed Junior Bronze Freeskate test but no higher complete Freeskate test.

Program length: 2.00 minutes (+/- 10 seconds)

### **SENIOR BRONZE**

May have passed Senior Bronze Freeskate test but no higher complete Freeskate test.

Program length: 2.30 minutes (+/- 10 seconds)

### **JUNIOR SILVER**

May have passed Junior Silver Freeskate test but no higher complete Freeskate test.

Program length: 3.00 minutes (+/- 10 seconds)

### **SENIOR SILVER**

May have passed the Senior Silver Freeskate test but no higher complete Freeskate test.

Program length: 3.00 minutes (+/- 10 seconds)

### **GOLD**

May have passed the Gold Freeskate test.

Program length: Women - 3.30 minutes (+/- 10 seconds)    Men - 4.00 minutes (+/- 10 seconds)

### **PRE-JUVENILE**

Qualifying test requirement: Complete Junior Bronze Free Skating test.

Must have not reached the age of 11 (Women) and 12 (Men) on July 1, 2011.

Program length: Women – 2:30 minutes (+/- 10 seconds)    Men – 2:30 minutes (+/- 10 seconds)

### **JUVENILE - NON QUALIFYING CATEGORY**

Qualifying test requirement: Juvenile Competitive Test.

Must not have reached the age of 12 (Women) and 13 (Men) on July 1, 2011.

Program length: Women - 2:30 minutes (+/- 10 seconds)    Men - 2:30 minutes (+/- 10 seconds)

## PAIR CATEGORY

Competitors may enter only one category in a discipline (i.e. only one single category but may also enter one pair and/or dance category). **Mixed Couples Only.**

**TEST QUALIFICATION:** as of November 15 preceding the competition

### OPEN PAIR

Each partner must have passed at least the Preliminary Freeskate test. There are no other restrictions.  
Program Length: 2.30 minutes (+/- 10 seconds)

### PRE-JUVENILE PAIR

Qualifying test requirement: Each partner must not have passed any Pair test. Each partner must have passed the complete Preliminary Free Skating test but not higher than the complete Junior Bronze Free Skating test and must not have reached the age of 14 on July 1, 2011. Overhead lifts are not allowed.  
Program Length: 2.30 minutes (+/- 10 seconds)

### JUVENILE PAIR - *NON QUALIFYING CATEGORY*

Qualifying test requirement: Juvenile Competitive Pair test or higher.  
Program Length: 2.30 minutes (+/- 10 seconds)

## DANCE CATEGORIES

Competitors may enter only one category in a discipline (i.e. only one single event but may also enter one pair and/or dance event). **Mixed Couples Only.**

**TEST QUALIFICATION:** as of November 15 preceding the competition

**Dances are to be skated in the order listed. The Number of dance patterns to be skated shall be the same as for Evaluated Tests. Please refer to the Skate Canada Technical Handbook Figure Skating Terms Defined – 3.15(2). Also, please note that dances are to be started such that the first pattern of the dance is on the judges' side of the ice surface.**

### PRELIMINARY DANCE – *NON QUALIFYING CATEGORY*

At least one partner must have passed the complete Preliminary Dance test and not the complete Junior Bronze Dance test. .  
*Dutch Waltz and Baby Blues*

### JUNIOR BRONZE DANCE

At least one partner must have passed the complete Junior Bronze Dance test and not the complete Senior Bronze Dance test.  
*Swing Dance and Fiesta Tango*

### SENIOR BRONZE DANCE

At least one partner must have passed the complete Senior Bronze Dance test and not the complete Junior Silver Dance test.  
*Ten Fox and Fourteenstep*

### JUNIOR SILVER DANCE

At least one partner must have passed the complete Junior Silver Dance test and not the complete Senior Silver Dance test.  
*Harris Tango and Rocker Foxtrot*

### SENIOR SILVER DANCE

At least one partner must have passed the complete Senior Silver Dance test and not the complete Gold Dance test.  
*Starlight Waltz and Kilian*

### GOLD DANCE

At least one partner must have passed the complete Gold Dance test and not the complete Diamond Dance test.  
*Blues and Quickstep*

**DIAMOND DANCE**

At least one partner must have passed the complete Diamond Dance test.  
*Viennese Waltz and Argentine Tango*

**PRE-JUVENILE PATTERN DANCE**

Qualifying test requirement: Each partner must have passed the complete Preliminary Dance test and must not have reached the age of 14 on July 1, 2011.  
Swing Dance and Fiesta Tango

**JUVENILE DANCE (Combined Category) – NON QUALIFYING CATEGORY**

Must have passed the complete Junior Bronze Dance test or higher.

This competition will consist of two parts:

**PATTERN DANCES:** The two pattern dances drawn are:  
*Fiesta Tango and European Waltz*

**FREE DANCE:** A free dance to music of 2.0 minutes (+ or – 10 seconds) in duration. The composition of the free program and the requirements for a well-balanced program are available on the Members Only section of the Skate Canada website.

## TRIATHLON

*Entrants in the Triathlon categories must register to compete in the highest level that their test qualification qualifies them for. For example, a skater who has passed the Senior Silver Skating Skills, Bronze Interpretive and Senior Silver Freeskate must compete in Silver Triathlon and cannot skate in Bronze Triathlon.*

The specifications for each part of the Triathlon categories are outlined in the Skate Canada STARSkate Competition Technical Package 2011-2012. This package may be found in the Members Login of the Skate Canada website [www.skatecanada.ca](http://www.skatecanada.ca).

### BRONZE TRIATHLON

- (i) **TEST:** 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
- (ii) **SPECIFICATIONS FOR EVENT:** The Bronze Triathlon shall consist of 3 parts:
- One Bronze Creative Skating Skills Exercise (technical requirements available on the Skate Canada Members Only website) (2:00 minutes maximum)
  - One Bronze Interpretive Program (2:00 to 3:00 minutes +/- 10 seconds in length)
  - One Freeskate program as per the Junior Silver Well Balanced Program requirements (3:00 minutes +/- 10 seconds)

### SILVER TRIATHLON

- (i) **TEST:** Must have passed at least two of the following tests: Senior Silver Freeskate test, and/or Senior Silver Skating Skills test and/or Silver Interpretive Test.
- (iii) **SPECIFICATIONS FOR EVENT:** The Silver Triathlon shall consist of 3 parts:
- One Silver Creative Skating Skills Exercise (technical requirements available on the Skate Canada Members Only website) (2:00 minutes maximum)
  - One Silver Interpretive program (2:00 to 3:00 minutes +/- 10 seconds in length)
  - One Freeskate program as per the Senior Silver Well Balanced Program requirements (3:00 minutes in length +/- 10 seconds)

### GOLD TRIATHLON

- (i) **TEST:** Must have passed at least two of the following tests: Gold Freeskate test, and/or Gold Skating Skills test and/or Gold Interpretive Test.
- (ii) **SPECIFICATIONS FOR EVENT:** The Gold Triathlon shall consist of 3 parts:
- One Gold Creative Skating Skills Exercise (technical requirements available on the Skate Canada Members Only website) (2:00 minutes maximum)
  - One Gold Interpretive program (2:00 to 3:00 minutes +/- 10 seconds in length)
  - One Freeskate program as per the Gold Well Balanced Program requirements (Women - 3:30 min +/- 10 seconds, Men 4:00 min +/-10 seconds)