



# MINTO SUMMER SKATE 2016

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International Summer Skating Championship  
Skate Canada National Summer Series  
Solo Dance Competition  
July 28-July 31, 2016  
Hosted by The Minto Skating Club

**REVISED JUNE 13, 2016**

**Deadline for Skate Canada National Summer Series: Thursday, June 16, 2016 at 11:59 pm**  
**Deadline for all other entries: Sunday, June 26, 2016 at 11:59pm**

## REGISTRAR CONTACT INFORMATION:

Colleen Karam - [colleen@mintoskatingclub.com](mailto:colleen@mintoskatingclub.com)

## VENUE INFORMATION:

Minto Skating Centre  
2571 Lancaster Rd  
Ottawa, Ontario  
K1B 4L5

200' x 100' Don Jackson  
200' x 85' North American  
65' x 85' Studio Ice

## GENERAL REGULATIONS

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**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 2014 amendments.

## QUALIFICATIONS:

- All Skaters must be eligible persons as defined in Skate Canada Rule Book 2100
- Age Qualifications shall apply as of **July 1, 2016**

- Where relevant, a photocopy of the skater's birth certificate or other acceptable proof of age must be on hand at registration if asked to be shown.
- Test Qualification unless otherwise stated shall apply as of **July 1, 2016**.
- Skaters may enter **ONE OF STAR 1-5 OR STARSkate Singles Events OR Competitive Events, BUT NOT ALL THREE NOR ANY TWO OF THREE**
- All skaters are permitted to "skate up" one level. Skaters may enter an event one level above the level they are actually qualified to skate, or may enter the level for which they are qualified but not both.
- **PRE-JUVENILE SKATERS: *Pre-Juvenile skaters may enter a STARSkate event of a different discipline. They may not enter the same discipline in a STARskate event.***

#### **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 at [www.mintoskatingclub.com](http://www.mintoskatingclub.com)

#### **RESULTS:**

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

#### **REGISTRATION:**

Registration for Minto Summer Skate must be completed on-line, and must be completed in full in order for the entry to be accepted. Late entries may be accepted at the discretion of the Tech Rep and Chief Data Specialist, at an additional cost of \$50.00 per event.

#### **ENTRY FORMS and Practice Ice purchase links will be ONLINE**

@ [www.mintoskatingclub.com](http://www.mintoskatingclub.com)

<b>ENTRY FEES:</b>	<b>On-line</b>	<b>Visa/Mastercard</b>
<b>STAR 1-2</b>	<b>\$75.00</b>	<b>STAR 3-5 \$110.00</b>
<b>Singles:</b>	<b>\$110.00 first event (includes souvenir program)</b>	
	\$75.00 each additional single event	

Skaters entering **Skate Canada National Summer Series** events will pay \$185.00 for combined event. There is a \$50.00 fee payable to Skate Canada on their website.

**Pair/Dance: \$140.00 per couple first event (includes two souvenir programs)**  
\$110.00 per couple each additional event.

Skaters entering **Skate Canada National Summer Series** events will pay \$250.00 for combined event.

There is a \$50.00 fee payable to Skate Canada on their website.

**Solo Dance: \$110.00 first event (includes souvenir program)**

In Singles and Pair events, the Short and Free programs are two separate events. In Dance events, the Pattern Dances, Short Dance and the Free Dance are all separate events. Skaters entering both singles and dance/pair events shall pay the lower fee for second or subsequent events with the singles event counting as the FIRST event.

**Please note skaters entering Skate Canada National Summer Series events will receive combined results.**

**Minto Summer Skate 2016**  
**c/o Colleen Karam, Chairperson**  
**2571 Lancaster Rd Ottawa, ON**  
**K1B 4L5 613-733-5292 ext 21**  
**colleen@mintoskatingclub.com**

**Refunds and Withdrawals:**

***Refunds per Skater/Team will be granted for withdrawals prior to the deadline date for entries. Refunds will be given for events that have been cancelled. However, NO REFUNDS will be given for any other reason, after the deadline date.***

**PLANNED PROGRAM:**

Planned Program Sheets can be accessed on the Competition Event Page at the Skate Canada-Eastern Ontario Website [www.skate-eos.on.ca](http://www.skate-eos.on.ca). If there are any changes to the Planned Program they should be handed in at Skater Registration on the weekend of the event. They are to be handed in at the Registration desk no later than one hour prior to the beginning of the event.

**PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT – HELMET POLICY:**

As of July 1, 2011 Skate Canada issued a policy statement as follows “All Skate Canada member clubs and skating schools ***must*** ensure that participants up to and including Stage 5 wear a CSA approved hockey helmet while on the ice – this policy ***must*** be enforced during competitions”. Skaters/teams will NOT be penalized for the use of helmets during competition. Regardless if the skater has passed Stage 5 at the time of competition, if the skater is participating in a Stage 5 category or lower the skater must wear a helmet.

**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 (Level 1) minimum
- Be a current coaching member of Skate Canada
- Hold a valid First Aid Certificate
- Register in person and show their Professional Coach Membership Card which includes their picture

Coaches must wear their Professional Coach Membership Card at all times.

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.

Any skater that has 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 iTunes format may not play from the 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
- Skater'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 on the [www.mintoskatingclub.com](http://www.mintoskatingclub.com) prior to the competition. Events may proceed up to one-half hour prior to the published schedule.

**LIABILITY:**

Skate Canada, Skate Canada Eastern Ontario, The Minto Skating Club 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, Skate Canada Eastern Ontario, The Minto Skating Club and the Volunteer Team and their officers and their entries shall be accepted on these conditions.

# TECHNICAL INFORMATION & EVENTS

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## STAR SINGLES EVENTS

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Skaters may enter **ONE OF STAR 1-6 OR Competitive Events, BUT NOT BOTH**

**TEST QUALIFICATION:** July 1, 2016

**AGE QUALIFICATION:** July 1, 2016

**TECHNICAL:** For STAR 1 to 5 Program Length & Specifications - - As listed in the 2016-17 Skate Canada STAR Technical Package.

LEVEL	QUALIFICATION
STAR 1	<b>May not</b> have passed any part of the <b>Senior Bronze (STAR 6) Free Skate Test Elements scored to Standard (Gold, Silver, Bronze or Merit)</b> . Skaters may be grouped by age. Male and Female may be grouped together
STAR 2	<b>May not</b> have passed any part of the <b>Senior Bronze (STAR 6) Free Skate Test</b> . Skaters are assessed to Standard. Skaters may be grouped by age. Male and Female may be grouped together.
STAR 3	<b>May not</b> have passed any part of the <b>Senior Bronze (STAR 6) Free Skate Test</b> . Skaters are assessed to Standard. Skaters may be grouped by age. standard. Skaters may be grouped by age.
STAR 4 U10	<b>May not</b> have passed any part of the <b>Senior Bronze (STAR 6) Free Skate Test</b> . Skaters are assessed to Standard and ranked.
STAR 4 U13	<b>May not</b> have passed any part of the <b>Senior Bronze (STAR 6) Free Skate Test</b> . Skaters are assessed to Standard and ranked.
STAR 4 13 & OVER	<b>May not</b> have passed any part of the <b>Senior Bronze (STAR 6) Free Skate Test</b> . Skaters are assessed to Standard and ranked.
STAR 5 U10	<b>May not</b> have passed any part of the <b>Junior Silver (STAR 8) Free Skating Test</b> . Skaters are judged according to CPC and Skaters are ranked
STAR 5 U 13	<b>May not</b> have passed any part of the <b>Junior Silver (STAR 8) Free Skating Test</b> . Skaters are judged according to CPC and Skaters are ranked
STAR 5 13 & OVER	<b>May not</b> have passed any part of the <b>Junior Silver (STAR 8) Free Skating Test</b> . Skaters are judged according to CPC and Skaters are ranked

LEVEL	QUALIFICATION
<b>STAR 6 WOMEN</b>	<b>May</b> have passed the STAR 5 (Junior Bronze) Free Skate Test
<b>STAR 6 MEN</b>	<b>May</b> have passed the STAR 5 (Junior Bronze) Free Skate Test

All skaters are permitted to “skate up” one level. Skaters may enter an event one level above the level they are actually qualified to skate, or may enter the level for which they are qualified. They may enter either one of these levels but not both.

### **PRE-JUVENILE SKATERS**

*Pre-Juvenile skaters may only compete in the Pre-Juvenile event of the same discipline. They may not enter any other STAR event in the same discipline.*

# PRE-JUVENILE & JUVENILE EVENTS

Skaters may enter **ONE OF STAR 1-6 OR Competitive Events, BUT NOT BOTH**

Pre-Juvenile and Juvenile Skaters may enter either Pre-Juvenile or Juvenile Events **BUT NOT BOTH**

Competitors may not compete in any other **STAR** event/category of the same discipline.

## PRE-JUVENILE SINGLES

**TEST QUALIFICATION:** July 1, 2016

**AGE QUALIFICATION:** July 1, 2016

**TECHNICAL: Program Length and Specifications** – As listed in the 2016-17 Skate Canada Competition Technical Package.

***Skaters may enter EITHER Pre-Juvenile U11 OR U13 but not both.***

LEVEL	QUALIFICATION
Pre-Juvenile Women U11	<b>Must have</b> passed the complete Junior Bronze Free Skate Test
Pre-Juvenile Men U11	<b>Must have</b> passed the complete Junior Bronze Free Skate Test
Pre-Juvenile Women U13	<b>Must have</b> passed the complete Junior Bronze Free Skate Test
Pre-Juvenile Men U13	<b>Must have</b> passed the complete Junior Bronze Free Skate Test

## JUVENILE SINGLES

**TEST QUALIFICATION:** July 1, 2016

**AGE QUALIFICATION:** July 1, 2016

**TECHNICAL: Program Length and Specifications** – As listed in the 2016-17 Skate Canada Competition Technical Package.

***Skaters may enter EITHER Juvenile U12 OR U14 but not both.***

LEVEL	QUALIFICATION
Juvenile Women U12	<b>Must have</b> passed the Junior Bronze Free Skate Test
Juvenile Men U12	<b>Must have</b> passed the Junior Bronze Free Skate Test
Juvenile Women U14	<b>Must have</b> passed the Junior Bronze Free Skate Test or higher
Juvenile Men U14	<b>Must have</b> passed the Junior Bronze Free Skate Test or higher



# COMPETITIVE EVENTS

**Test Qualification:** July 1<sup>st</sup>, 2016

**Age Qualification:** as of July 1<sup>st</sup>, 2016

- This document can be found on the websites of Skate Canada Info Centre 'Technical' and Skate Canada-Eastern Ontario 'Technical' pages  
PROGRAM LENGTH/SPECIFICATIONS—As listed in the 2016/2017 Singles, Pair, Ice Dance Technical Package
- Junior and Senior PROGRAM LENGTH/SPECIFICATIONS are as outlined by the ISU for the 2016-2017 season

## PRE-NOVICE SINGLES MEN AND WOMEN

**TEST QUALIFICATION:** July 1, 2016

**AGE QUALIFICATION:** Must be under 16 as of July 1, 2016

**TECHNICAL: Program Length and Specifications** – As listed in the 2016-17 Skate Canada Competition Technical Package.

LEVEL	QUALIFICATION
Pre-Novice Women Short	Must have passed the Junior Bronze Free Skate Test
Pre-Novice Women Free	Must have passed the Junior Bronze Free Skate Test
Pre-Novice Men Short	Must have passed the Junior Bronze Free Skate Test
Pre-Novice Men Free	Must have passed the Junior Bronze Free Skate Test
Pre-Novice Women Skate Canada National Summer Series Combined Event	Must have passed the Junior Bronze Free Skate Test
Pre-Novice Men Skate Canada National Summer Series Combined Event	Must have passed the Junior Bronze Free Skate Test

## NOVICE SINGLES MEN AND WOMEN

**TEST QUALIFICATION:** July 1, 2016

**AGE QUALIFICATION:** Must be under 17 as of July 1, 2016

**TECHNICAL: Program Length and Specifications** – As listed in the 2016-17 Skate Canada Competition Technical Package.

LEVEL	QUALIFICATION
Novice Women Short	Must have passed the Gold Free Skate Test
Novice Women Free	Must have passed the Gold Free Skate Test
Novice Men Short	Must have passed the Gold Free Skate Test
Novice Men Free	Must have passed the Gold Free Skate Test

<b>Novice Women Skate Canada National Summer Series Combined Event</b>	<b>Must have</b> passed the Gold Free Skate Test
<b>Novice Men Skate Canada National Summer Series Combined Event</b>	<b>Must have</b> passed the Gold Free Skate Test

## JUNIOR SINGLES MEN AND WOMEN

**TEST QUALIFICATION:** July 1, 2016

**AGE QUALIFICATION:** Must be under 19 as of July 1, 2016

**TECHNICAL: Program Length and Specifications** – As listed in the 2016-17 Skate Canada Competition Technical Package.

LEVEL	QUALIFICATION
Junior Women Short	Must have passed the Gold Free Skate Test
Junior Women Free	Must have passed the Gold Free Skate Test
Junior Men Short	Must have passed the Gold Free Skate Test
Junior Men Free	Must have passed the Gold Free Skate Test
Junior Women Skate Canada National Summer Series Combined Event	Must have passed the Gold Free Skate Test
Junior Men Skate Canada National Summer Series Combined Event	Must have passed the Gold Free Skate Test

## SENIOR SINGLES MEN AND WOMEN

**TEST QUALIFICATION:** July 1, 2016

**AGE QUALIFICATION:** No age restriction

**TECHNICAL: Program Length and Specifications** – As listed in the 2016-17 Skate Canada Competition Technical Package.

LEVEL	QUALIFICATION
Senior Women Short	Must have passed the Gold Free Skate Test
Senior Women Free	Must have passed the Gold Free Skate Test
Senior Men Short	Must have passed the Gold Free Skate Test
Senior Men Free	Must have passed the Gold Free Skate Test
Senior Women Skate Canada National Summer Series Combined Event	Must have passed the Gold Free Skate Test
Senior Men Skate Canada National Summer Series Combined Event	Must have passed the Gold Free Skate Test

# COMPETITIVE DANCE EVENTS

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- ❑ Official Music for Pre-Juvenile and Juvenile Pattern Dance is Skate Canada Series 8
- ❑ Official music for Pre-Novice and Novice Pattern Dance is Strasser 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 but not both of these levels.
- ❑ Each segment of a Dance event is a separate event.
- ❑ PATTERN DANCES/PROGRAM LENGTH/SPECIFICATIONS–As listed in the Skate Canada 2016-2017 Technical Package
- ❑ This document can be found on the websites of Skate Canada Info Centre ‘Technical’ and Skate Canada – Eastern Ontario ‘Technical’ pages.
- ❑ Junior and Senior Categories PROGRAM LENGTH/SPECIFICATIONS are as outlined by the ISU for the 2016-2017 Season.

## PRE-JUVENILE DANCE

**TEST QUALIFICATION:** Must have passed the complete Junior Bronze Dance test as of July 1, 2016

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

**TECHNICAL: Program Length and Specifications** – As listed in the 2016-17 Skate Canada Competition Technical Package.

LEVEL	Program Length & Dances To Be Skated (+/- 10 seconds)
Pre-Juvenile Pattern Dance	As Identified by Skate Ontario for the 2016-2017 Season

## JUVENILE DANCE

**TEST QUALIFICATION:** Must have passed the complete Junior Bronze Dance test as of July 1, 2016

**AGE QUALIFICATION:** Must be under the age of 16 as of July 1, 2016

**TECHNICAL: Program Length and Specifications** – As listed in the 2016-17 Skate Canada Competition Technical Package

LEVEL	Program Length & Dances To Be Skated (+/- 10 seconds)
Juvenile Pattern Dance	Ten Fox (3) & European Waltz (2)
Juvenile Free Dance	2:00 +/- 0.10

## PRE-NOVICE DANCE

**TEST QUALIFICATION:** Must have passed the complete Junior Bronze Dance test as of July 1, 2016

**AGE QUALIFICATION:** Must be under the age of 18 as of July 1, 2016

**TECHNICAL: Program Length and Specifications** – As listed in the 2016-17 Skate Canada Competition Technical Package

LEVEL	Program Length & Dances To Be Skated (+/- 10 seconds)
Pre-Novice Pattern Dance	Starlight Waltz (2) & Blues (3)
Pre-Novice Free Dance	2:30 +/- 0.10
Pre-Novice Skate Canada National Summer Series Combined Event	As Above

## NOVICE DANCE

**TEST QUALIFICATION:** Must have at least two pattern dances from the Gold Dance test as of July 1, 2016

**AGE QUALIFICATION:** Woman must be under age of 19 and Man must be under the age of 21 as of July 1, 2016

**TECHNICAL: Program Length and Specifications** – As listed in the 2016-17 Skate Canada Competition Technical Package

LEVEL	Program Length & Dances To Be Skated (+/- 10 seconds)
Novice Pattern Dance	Westminster Waltz (2) & Quickstep (4)
Novice Free Dance	3:00 +/- 0.10
Novice Skate Canada National Summer Series Combined Event	As Above

## JUNIOR DANCE

**TEST QUALIFICATION:** Must have passed the complete Gold Dance test as of July 1, 2016

**AGE QUALIFICATION:** Woman must be under age of 19 and Man must be under the age of 21 as of July 1, 2016

**TECHNICAL: Program Length and Specifications** – As listed in the 2016-17 Skate Canada Competition Technical Package

LEVEL	Program Length & Dances To Be Skated (+/- 10 seconds)
Junior Short Dance	As set out by Skate Canada & ISU for 2016-2017 Season
Junior Free Dance	3:30 +/- 0.10
Junior Skate Canada National Summer Series Combined Event	As Above

## SENIOR DANCE

**TEST QUALIFICATION:** Must have passed the complete Gold Dance test as of July 1, 2016

**AGE QUALIFICATION:** No age restriction

**TECHNICAL: Program Length and Specifications** – As listed in the 2016-17 Skate Canada Competition Technical Package

LEVEL	Program Length & Dances To Be Skated (+/- 10 seconds)
Senior Short Dance	As set out by Skate Canada & ISU for 2016-2017 Season
Senior Free Dance	4:00 +/- 0.10
Senior Skate Canada National Summer Series Combined Event	As Above

# COMPETITIVE PAIR EVENTS

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- **PROGRAM LENGTH/ SPECIFICATIONS**—As listed in the 2016/2017 Singles, Pair and Ice Dance Program Requirements Summary.
- This document can be found on the websites of Skate Canada Info Centre ‘Technical’ and Skate Canada-Eastern Ontario ‘Technical’ pages

## PRE-JUVENILE PAIR

**TEST QUALIFICATION:** July 1, 2016  
**AGE QUALIFICATION:** Must be under the age of 14 as of July 1, 2016  
**TECHNICAL: Program Length and Specifications** – As listed in the 2016-17 Skate Canada Competition Technical Package.

LEVEL	QUALIFICATION
Pre-Juvenile Pair	Must have passed the complete Junior Bronze Free Skate Test

## JUVENILE PAIR

**TEST QUALIFICATION:** July 1, 2016  
**AGE QUALIFICATION:** Must be under the age of 16 as of July 1, 2016  
**TECHNICAL: Program Length and Specifications** – As listed in the 2016-17 Skate Canada Competition Technical Package.

LEVEL	QUALIFICATION
Juvenile Pair	Must have passed the complete Junior Bronze Free Skate Test

## PRE-NOVICE PAIR

**TEST QUALIFICATION:** July 1, 2016  
**AGE QUALIFICATION:** Must be under 18 as of July 1, 2016  
**TECHNICAL: Program Length and Specifications** – As listed in the 2016-17 Skate Canada Competition Technical Package.

LEVEL	QUALIFICATION
Pre-Novice Pair Short	Must have passed the Junior Bronze Free Skate Test
Pre-Novice Pair Free	Must have passed the Junior Bronze Free Skate Test
Pre-Novice Skate Canada National Summer Series Combined Event	Must have passed the Junior Bronze Free Skate Test

## NOVICE PAIR

**TEST QUALIFICATION:** July 1, 2016

**AGE QUALIFICATION:** No age restriction

**TECHNICAL: Program Length and Specifications** – As listed in the 2016-17 Skate Canada Competition Technical Package.

LEVEL	QUALIFICATION
Novice Pair Short	<b>Must have</b> passed the Gold Free Skate Test
Novice Pair Free	<b>Must have</b> passed the Gold Free Skate Test
Novice Skate Canada National Summer Series Combined Event	<b>Must have</b> passed the Gold Free Skate Test

## JUNIOR PAIR

**TEST QUALIFICATION:** July 1, 2016

**AGE QUALIFICATION:** No age restriction

**TECHNICAL: Program Length and Specifications** – As listed in the 2016-17 Skate Canada Competition Technical Package.

LEVEL	QUALIFICATION
Junior Pair Short	<b>Must have</b> passed the Gold Free Skate Test
Junior Pair Free	<b>Must have</b> passed the Gold Free Skate Test
Junior Skate Canada National Summer Series Combined Event	<b>Must have</b> passed the Gold Free Skate Test

## SENIOR PAIR

**TEST QUALIFICATION:** July 1, 2016

**AGE QUALIFICATION:** No age restriction

**TECHNICAL: Program Length and Specifications** – As listed in the 2016-17 Skate Canada Competition Technical Package.

LEVEL	QUALIFICATION
Senior Pair Short	<b>Must have</b> passed the Gold Free Skate Test
Senior Pair Free	<b>Must have</b> passed the Gold Free Skate Test
Senior Skate Canada National Summer Series Combined Event	<b>Must have</b> passed the Gold Free Skate Test





# SOLO DANCE COMPETITION

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- Official Music for Pre-Juvenile and Juvenile Pattern Dance is Skate Canada Series 8 Official music for Pre-Novice and Novice Pattern Dance is Strasser Tauber.
- Skaters will complete two pattern dances. Results will be the average score of the two dances (i.e.,  $0.5 \times (\text{dance 1 score}) + 0.5 \times (\text{dance 2 score})$ ).

## PRE-JUVENILE (STAR 4-5) SOLO DANCE

**TEST QUALIFICATION:** Must have passed the complete Junior Bronze Dance (STAR 5a) test or higher as of July 1, 2016

**AGE QUALIFICATION:** No age requirement

**TECHNICAL: Program Length and Specifications** – As listed in the 2016-17 Skate Canada Solo Ice Dance Requirements.

Skaters will complete two pattern dances. Results will be the average score of the two dances (i.e.,  $0.5 \times (\text{dance 1 score}) + 0.5 \times (\text{dance 2 score})$ ).

LEVEL	Program Length & Dances To Be Skated (+/- 10 seconds)
Pre-Juvenile Solo Dance	Swing Dance (1) & Fourteenstep (3)

## JUVENILE (STAR 6-7) SOLO DANCE

**TEST QUALIFICATION:** Must have passed the complete Junior Bronze Dance (STAR 5a) test or higher as of July 1, 2016

**AGE QUALIFICATION:** No age requirement

**TECHNICAL: Program Length and Specifications** – As listed in the 2016-17 Skate Canada Solo Ice Dance Requirements.

Skaters will complete two pattern dances. Results will be the average score of the two dances (i.e.,  $0.5 \times (\text{dance 1 score}) + 0.5 \times (\text{dance 2 score})$ ).

LEVEL	Program Length & Dances To Be Skated (+/- 10 seconds)
Juvenile Solo Dance	Ten Fox (2) & European Waltz (2)

## PRE-NOVICE (STAR8-9) SOLO DANCE

**TEST QUALIFICATION:** Must have passed the complete Junior Bronze Dance (STAR 5a) test or higher as of July 1, 2016

**AGE QUALIFICATION:** No age requirement

**TECHNICAL: Program Length and Specifications** – As listed in the 2016-17 Skate Canada Solo Ice Dance Requirements.

Skaters will complete two pattern dances. Results will be the average score of the two dances (i.e.,  $0.5 \times (\text{dance 1 score}) + 0.5 \times (\text{dance 2 score})$ ).

LEVEL	Program Length & Dances To Be Skated (+/- 10 seconds)
Pre-Novice Solo Dance	Rocker Foxtrot (3) & Starlight Waltz (2)

## NOVICE (STAR 10-Gold) SOLO DANCE

**TEST QUALIFICATION:** Must have passed at least two pattern dances from the Gold Dance test or higher as of July 1, 2016

**AGE QUALIFICATION:** No age requirement

**TECHNICAL: Program Length and Specifications** – As listed in the 2015-16 Skate Canada Solo Ice Dance Requirements.

Skaters will complete two pattern dances. Results will be the average score of the two dances (i.e.,  $0.5 \times (\text{dance 1 score}) + 0.5 \times (\text{dance 2 score})$ ).

LEVEL	Program Length & Dances To Be Skated (+/- 10 seconds)
Novice Solo Dance	Blues (2) Quickstep (3)

NOTE: Key Points will not be used for Pattern Dances in the categories listed above

## OPEN SOLO DANCE

**TEST QUALIFICATION:** Must have passed the complete Senior Silver Dance test as of July 1, 2016

**AGE QUALIFICATION:** Under 21 as of July 1, 2016

**TECHNICAL: Program Length and Specifications** – As listed in the 2015-16 Skate Canada Solo Ice Dance Requirements.

<b>OPEN Solo Short Dance</b>	
<b>Time</b>	2:40+/-10 sec
<b>Rhythm Specifications</b>	Blues plus any number of the following rhythms: Swing and Hip Hop
<b>Elements</b>	1 Midline, Diagonal or Circular Step Sequence which must be skated on one of the other rhythms, Swing or Hip Hop 1 set of Sequential Twizzles 1 Dance Spin which will follow features and levels for Junior Dance Spin as per ISU requirements
<b>Required Pattern Dance Elements*</b>	2 Sequences of Blues, either skated one after the other or separately. Step #1 of each sequence must be skated on a different side of the ice surface. The start of the first Step of each Pattern Dance Element must be skated on beat 1 of a musical phrase
*Key points will be used for the Pattern Dance elements of the Open Short Dance.	

The tempo of the chosen rhythm(s) must meet the following specifications:

<b>OPEN SOLO SHORT DANCE</b>	
<b>Specified Pattern Dance Rhythm</b>	Blues: The tempo must be constant and in accordance with the required Tempo and character of the Pattern Dance Blues: 22 measures of 4 beats or 88 BPM + or – 2 beats per minute
<b>Optional Second Rhythm</b>	Swing, Hip Hop, Blues and Swing rhythms are as described in the ISU Dance Rhythms Booklet 1995. Hip Hop is described in the additions to the ISU Ice Dance Music Rhythms Booklet 1995 (See ISU website)

# GENERAL SERVICES

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## **ADMISSION & PROGRAM SALES:**

**Tickets may be purchased at the event.**

**Chaperone passes will not be provided.**

**Adult- \$5.00**

**Children (12 and under)- \$3.00**

**All-event pass - \$15.00 Adults, \$9.00 for Children**

## **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:

Colleen Karam –email: [colleen@mintoskatingclub.com](mailto:colleen@mintoskatingclub.com)

- 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.

**Contact Info: Colleen Karam**  
**Minto Summer Skate Competition**  
**Chair Minto Skating Club**  
**2571 Lancaster Rd, Ottawa, ON, K1B 4L5**  
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**DIRECTIONS TO ARENA:**

**Driving directions from Montreal:**

**Take Highway 40 West, follow signs to Ottawa. Highway 40 becomes Highway 417. Take Exit 110 (Walkley Road) and turn left onto Walkley Road. Turn right at second set of lights onto Lancaster Road. The club is at 2571 Lancaster.**

**Driving directions from Toronto:**

**Take Highway 401 East to Highway 416 to Ottawa. Take Highway 417 East. Drive through Ottawa and stay on Highway 417 Cornwall/Montreal. Take Exit 110 (Walkley Road) and turn right onto Walkley Road. Turn right at second set of lights onto Lancaster Road. The club is at 2571 Lancaster.**

**VIDEO &/OR PHOTOGRAPHY: Will be available onsite.**

**Hotel Accommodations: Blocks of rooms are under Minto Skating Club/Minto Summer Skate**

More Information to come.

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**ANNOUNCEMENT IS SUBJECT TO CHANGE**

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