



# ANNOUNCEMENT

## 2020 PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND ADL STAR 1-3 CHAMPIONSHIPS

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**Dates:** February 22, 2020 (storm date February 23, 2020)

**Location:** Credit Union Centre, Kensington

**Hosted by:** Kensington Skating Club

**Sanctioned by:** Skate Canada Prince Edward Island

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## GENERAL INFORMATION

The 2020 Prince Edward Island ADL STARSkate Championships will be conducted in accordance with the regulations as set forth in the [Skate Canada Technical guidelines](#).

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### ARENA TO BE USED

#### Credit Union Centre

25 Garden Dr, Kensington, PE  
(902) 836-3509

Ice Surface Size: 193' x 86'

### REGISTRATION

Skaters must be registered online, [www.skatecanadapei.ca](http://www.skatecanadapei.ca) between **January 3-17, 2020** for all events desired. The acceptance of late entries is at the discretion of the Section in consultation with the Technical Representative.

**IMPORTANT:** This competition is held in alignment with the PEI STARSkate Championships (February 29) and therefore a skater cannot skate in the same discipline at both competitions.

All skaters must check-in on competition day, at least one hour prior to event time.

### REGISTRATION FEES

Registration fees for all events must be paid to the skater's home club or online. Please follow your home club directions. All payments must be received by February 21, 2020.

Free Skate Events	\$40.00
Solo Dance Events	\$40.00
Couples Dance Events	\$40.00/team
Element Events	\$20.00
Team Events	\$20.00/team

### REFUND POLICY

After the registration closing date, refunds will only be issued for medical reasons with a doctor's note.

### ACCREDITATION FOR COACHES

Coaches must meet the following accreditation standards:

- be a current professional coaching member in Good Standing with Skate Canada
- hold a Regional in-training certification or higher

## **MUSIC**

All programs must be skated to music. Programs are to be skated in harmony with the music chosen by the competitor. Music for all disciplines may contain vocals.

Skate Canada Series 8 music will be used for all pattern dance events. However, skaters have the option to use a selection from the ISU Ice Dance music (only tunes 1-5) or from the Skate Canada approved list of contemporary music. If skaters chose to use either an ISU or contemporary music selection, they must upload their selection online by February 7, 2020. Skate Canada Series 8 will be used during the ice dance warm-up period.

## **Music Requirements**

Each program entry, including all contemporary dance entries, must upload one MP3 file to their registration file by February 7, 2020. All entries must also supply one USB or CD at the competition registration desk as a back-up copy. Only one program shall be recorded on each CD or USB.

## **AWARDS**

For Star 1-3 events, Ribbons will be presented based on the standard achieved. The awards presentation schedule will be available at registration.

## **ACCIDENTS / LIABILITY**

Skate Canada, Skate Canada PEI and the Volunteer Team of the Kensington Skating Club undertake no responsibility for damages or injuries suffered by skaters. As a condition of and in consideration of their entries in these Championships, all competitors 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 competitions and to release any and all claims they may have against the officials, the Association, the Section, the Volunteer Team and against their officers and their entries shall be accepted only on these conditions.

## **EVENT SCHEDULE**

A finalized schedule of events and start orders will be published on the Skate Canada PEI section website ([www.skatecanadapei.com](http://www.skatecanadapei.com)) and a notification will be provided to club representatives.

# **GENERAL REGULATIONS**

## **ELIGIBILITY TO COMPETE**

- (1) Be Skate Canada PEI registrants in good standing.
- (2) **TEST AND AGE PRE-REQUISITES:** Competitors shall meet the test requirements to compete before **October 1** preceding the competition. Age requirements shall be met before **July 1** preceding the competition.
- (3) Skaters may skate up if desired.

## EVENT SPECIFICATIONS

- (1) **EVENT COMPOSITION:** In normal circumstances, each category at the competition must be held for men and women separately. The decision to combine events is at the discretion of the technical representative and the host committee. Categories may be combined – only with full prior knowledge and agreement of all competitors affected.
- (2) **GROUPING SKATERS BY AGE:** Age group guidelines are outlined in the Technical Program Requirements document.
- (3) **COMPOSITION OF DANCE TEAMS:** Dance teams can be formed from two clubs but they can only represent one club

## EVENTS TO BE HELD

The following events will be offered:

### (1) **FREE SKATE EVENTS**

The following sections contain ONLY the specifications and eligibility requirements. For specific technical information please refer to the 2019-20 STAR Program Requirements Guide on the Skate Canada PEI website.

#### (a) **STAR 1 Element Assessment**

May not have passed any part of the Senior Bronze (STAR 6) Free Skating Test. Elements assessed to standard. A DRAW for Circle Stroking exercise will be made for each group at ice level.

#### (b) **STAR 2 Compulsory Assessment Program**

May not have passed any part of the Senior Bronze (STAR 6) Free Skating Test. One free program maximum 2:10 minutes in length.

#### (c) **STAR 3 Free Skating Program**

May not have passed any part of the Senior Bronze (STAR 6) Free Skating Test. One free program of 2:00 minutes in length (+/- 10 seconds).

### (2) **SOLO PATTERN DANCE EVENT**

#### (a) **STAR 2/3 DANCE**

##### (i) **TEST:** Skaters may have passed the complete STAR 5 Dance Assessment.

**A DRAW WAS MADE on DECEMBER 6, 2019:**

Canasta Tango (2 sequences, 1 full pattern on the ice)

**(3) COUPLES PATTERN DANCE EVENT**

Dance teams must be composed of two skaters. Competitors may enter only one couples pattern dance event.

**(a) STAR 2/3 DANCE**

- (i) **TEST:** Neither partner may have passed the complete Sr. Bronze (STAR 6) Dance test.  
**DANCE #1:** Dutch Waltz (2 sequences, one round of the ice) and  
**DANCE #2:** Baby Blues (2 Sequences, one round of the ice)

**(4) ELEMENTS EVENTS**

Element Events are an opportunity for skaters to perform free skate elements in a competition format without the constraints of a performance or musical interpretation associated with the use of music. Skaters are able to focus on proper technique and quality while challenging themselves to attempt more difficult elements.

**TEAM Elements**

Entry MUST be consistent with the skaters' registered FreeSkate Event, may skate up one level if they choose. Teams will consist of 2-4 skaters, more than 50% of skaters must have passed the required test for entry. Each skater will perform one element. If a team consists of less than 4 skaters, no skater may perform more than 2 elements. Elements will be skated in the order listed. The first element will be performed by every team in the event before the second element is performed, and so on. Each element may only be attempted once. Spins will be assessed on quality.

**Elements by one Individual**

Entry MUST be consistent with the skater's registered FreeSkate event, may skate up one level if they choose. Each skater will perform 4 elements in isolation in the order listed. Each element may only be attempted once. STAR 2 and 3 events will use half-ice to perform their elements. All skaters will perform element 1, before performing element 2, and so on.

	<b>Element 1</b>	<b>Element 2</b>	<b>Element 3</b>	<b>Element 4</b>
<b>STAR 2</b>	Loop Jump	Waltz/Toe Loop Combination	Backward Upright Spin	Forward Spiral Sequence*
<b>STAR 3</b>	Flip Jump	Loop/Loop Combination	Combination Spin*	Forward Spiral Sequence*

\*See accompanying table for element requirements

**Requirement for Elements:**

<b>Element</b>	<b>Level</b>	<b>Requirements</b>
Backward Upright Spin	STAR 2	<u>Minimum of 3 revs</u>
Forward Spiral Sequence	STAR 2	Two forward spirals, one on each foot performed on either an outside or inside edges. No more than eight steps between. Both spirals must be unassisted.
Forward Spiral Sequence	STAR 3 & 4	Two forward spirals, one on each foot performed on either an outside or inside edges. No more than four steps between. Both spirals must be unassisted.
Combination Spin	STAR 3 to 5	Must include at least one camel position and one sit position and may include change of foot. Forward entry only. No flying entry or difficult variations. <u>Combination Spin – minimum of 4 revs</u> <u>Change Combination Spin – minimum of 3/3 revs</u>

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