



SKATE CANADA – CENTRAL ONTARIO FIGURE SKATING BOUTIQUE OCTOBERFEST



October 13 – 16, 2011

Allandale Recreation Centre
190 Bayview Drive
Barrie, Ontario

Co-hosted by the Barrie Figure Skating Club, Mariposa Winter Club and Skate Canada - Central Ontario
Sanctioned by Skate Canada and USFSA

An invitation is extended to all eligible figure skaters to participate in the 20th annual COS Figure Skating Boutique Octoberfest Competition. Skate Canada rules and regulations will apply throughout the competition unless otherwise specified.

**Cumulative Points Calculation System (CPC) will be used at this competition.
All officials at this competition have been trained in the Cumulative Points Calculation System (CPC).**

EARLY BIRD ENTRY FEES RECEIVED ON OR PRIOR TO AUGUST 24, 2011

SINGLES	\$ 85.00 per person for Pre-Juvenile and Juvenile categories \$150.00 per person for Pre-Novice, Novice, Junior and Senior categories
PAIR	\$115.00 per couple for first category \$ 75.00 per couple for additional pair category \$190.00 per couple for combined categories (up to and including Novice)
DANCE	\$115.00 per couple for first category \$ 75.00 per couple for second category \$190.00 per couple for combined categories (up to and including Novice)

ENTRY FEES RECEIVED ON OR AFTER AUGUST 25, 2011 (DOES NOT INCLUDE LATE FEES, IF APPLICABLE)

SINGLES	\$ 95.00 per person for Pre-Juvenile and Juvenile categories \$160.00 per person for Pre-Novice, Novice, Junior and Senior categories
PAIR	\$125.00 per couple for first category \$ 85.00 per couple for additional pair category \$210.00 per couple for combined categories (up to and including Novice)
DANCE	\$125.00 per couple for first category \$ 85.00 per couple for second category \$210.00 per couple for combined categories (up to and including Novice)

**Singles categories (Short and Free Programs) are offered as combined categories only.
Dance and Pairs (up to and including Novice) are offered as combined categories only.
Dance and Pairs (Junior and Senior) categories will be offered as separate categories only.**

A portion of the entry fee has been assigned to assist with the cost of the equipment for the Cumulative Points Calculation System as well as the training for all officials.

SKATING UP: Skaters are permitted to skate at a higher level than their qualification (i.e. qualified for Pre-Novice, may skate up to Novice). Skaters in every discipline must meet the minimum test requirement for Pre-Juvenile in that discipline.

RESTRICTIONS: In the case of a very large entry in any category the entries will be drawn into groups. All drawn groups are final and cannot be changed. Categories with only one entry will be given the option of skating an exhibition or skating in a higher category if it is available. The decision is to be made by the Technical representative based on availability of the ice time. Singles skaters are permitted to enter only one singles category, Dance & Pairs skaters are permitted to enter only one category of a similar type, i.e. one free program + one short program, or one compulsory + one original dance + one free dance.

QUALIFICATION FOR ENTRY: Competitors wishing to enter shall have passed the tests for the various categories by **October 1, 2011**.

Qualifying Test Days: Skate Canada – Central Ontario recognizes that some skaters may be trying competitive tests after the close of entries. Please be aware that skaters **MUST** skate in the category for which they register, **REGARDLESS** of their test result; skaters will not be moved.

AGE REQUIREMENTS: As on July 1, 2011.

CLOSING DATE OF ENTRIES: All fully completed entry forms, including Skate Canada numbers, must be received at the Skate Canada - Central Ontario office by **September 7, 2011** prior to the close of business (4:30 p.m.) regardless of postmark or courier date. Cheques are to be made payable to: **SKATE CANADA - CENTRAL ONTARIO**. Entries with post-dated cheques will not be accepted. A service charge of \$35.00 will be applied to cheques returned by your bank. Registrations will be accepted on first come first served basis with restrictions in certain categories to accommodate the scheduling of categories. **Late entries may be accepted at the discretion 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.**

MAIL, E-MAIL OR FAX ENTRIES TO:

Irma Orzeck, Registrar	
Skate Canada - Central Ontario	
111 Snidercroft Road, Unit A	Telephone: 905-760-9100 ext. 229
Concord, ON L4K 2J8	Toll Free: 1-877-267-0081 ext. 229
FAX: 905-760-9104	
E-MAIL: octoberfest@skatecanada-centralontario.com	

No skater will be registered until all money owing is properly paid by the September 7th closing date. The Committee reserves the right to limit entries in categories.

REFUNDS AND WITHDRAWALS: Full refunds will be given for any cancelled categories. If an entry is withdrawn prior to September 7, 2011, a refund (less an administrative fee of \$35.00 per skater) will be granted. **NOTE: NO REFUNDS will be granted after September 7, 2011.**

ICE DIMENSIONS: BLUE RINK 100' x 200' RED RINK 85' x 185'

REGISTRATION: All competitors and coaches are required to register upon arrival at the arena. Registration and music registration will commence one hour prior to the first category of the day. Each competitor and his/her coach will receive an identification tag that must be retained and used as a pass for the duration of the competition. All skaters **MUST** have their music and planned program content sheet when registering.

MARKING: The CPC (Cumulative Points Calculation) system will be used.

AWARDS: Medals for 1st, 2nd and 3rd place will be awarded for each category. There will be groups for categories with more than 15 competitors. Where groups are required, each group will be a final category with medals presented to first, second and third place winners. Winners will receive their medals after the results have been posted. There will be no formal medal presentations.

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.

COACH ACCREDITATION: In order to be accredited at the 2011 Figure Skating Boutique Octoberfest Competition, Skate Canada - Central Ontario coaches must be enrolled in the National Coach Photo ID Program and **must bring the Photo ID** with them to registration. Up to two certified coaches per entry will be accredited.

<p style="text-align: center;">If a coach does not have their up to date Photo ID but are accredited to enter, a Temporary ID will be provided at a cost of \$25.00. No Refund, No Exceptions.</p>

PRACTICE ICE: There will be no official practice ice.

SCHEDULE: Schedule, Entries and Start Orders will be posted on the website at www.skatecanada-centralontario.com as they become available and no later than Friday October 7, 2011.

REFRESHMENTS: Concession booth will be open during the competition.

GENERAL Daily Pass: \$6.00 or All-Event Pass - \$20.00
ADMISSION: Children (under 12) and Seniors: \$4.00 per day or All-event tickets \$12.00

VIDEO TAPING: A professional video taping service will be available. Private videotaping of your own competitor only is permitted - see Rule 5111 (b).

FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION CONTACT: Irma Orzeck 905-760-9100 ex. 229
ALLANDALE RECREATION CENTRE (Mariposa Skating Office): For extra ice time only - 705-721-1223

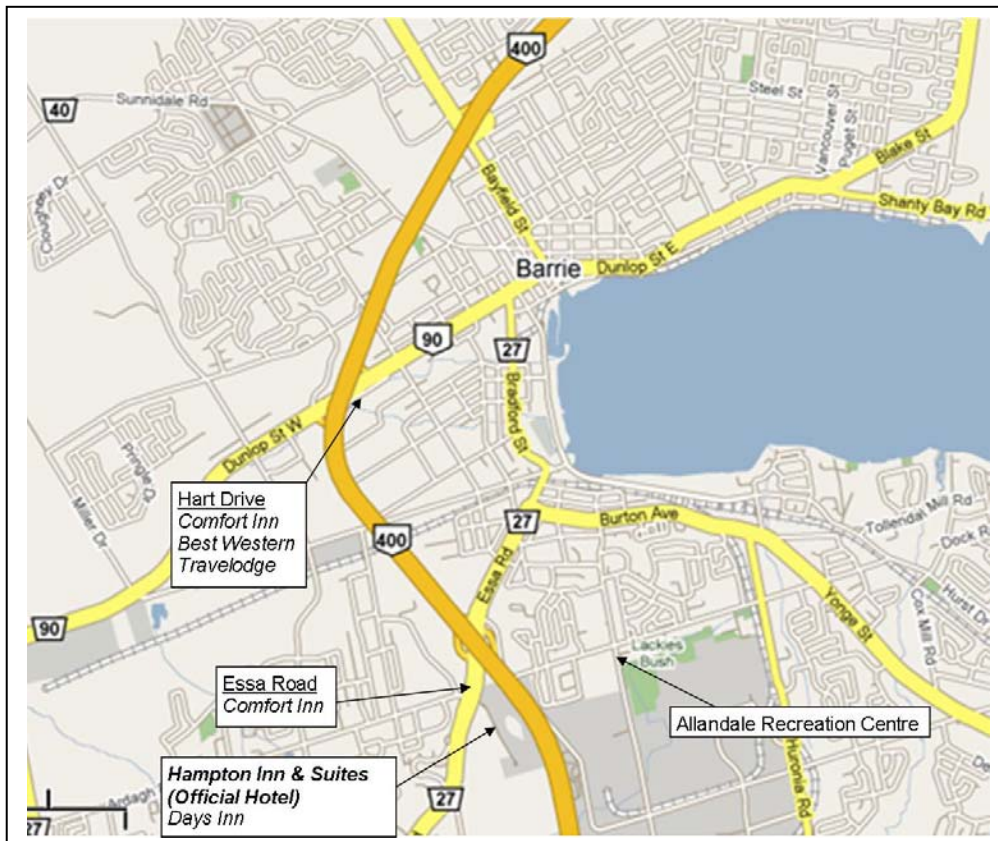
Official Hotel: HAMPTON INN & SUITES BY HILTON BARRIE
705.719.7203 or Toll Free 866.613.0066
74 Bryne Drive
Barrie, ON, L4N-9Y4
Traditional Guestrooms (2 queen beds or 1 king bed) \$94.00 per night (plus taxes)
Studio Suites (2 queen beds) \$115.00 per night (plus taxes)

Reservations must be made before September 21st, and can be made by the following two options:
Option 1 - Call the hotel direct toll free (866) 613-0066 and quote the Mariposa Negotiated Rate when making their reservations.
Option 2 - Book via the Hampton Inn Octoberfest personalized Website
http://hamptoninn.hilton.com/en/hp/groups/personalized/O/ONTBRHX-OKT-20111012/index.html?WT.mc_id=POG
(Scroll down to reserve online)

Alternates: DAYS INN BARRIE
60 Bryne Drive,
BARRIE, ON, L4N 9Y4
1-866-335-8989 / 705-733-8989 / Fax # 705-725-0982
Quote the Mariposa Octoberfest Competition to receive the following rates:
\$89.00 per weekday night
\$99.00 per weekend night

OR :

Comfort Inn 75 Hart Drive Barrie, ON (705) 722-3600	Best Western Royal Oak Inn 35 Hart Dr. Barrie, ON (705) 721-4848	Comfort Inn & Suites 210 Essa Rd. Barrie, ON (705) 721-1122	Carriage Ridge Resort at Horseshoe Valley 90 Highland Drive, RR#1 Shanty Bay, ON (705) 835-5919
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SINGLES CATEGORIES

NOTE: Short and Free Programs are offered as combined categories only. 2011 ISU approved amendments will be applicable. For event requirements and specifications, please refer to the 2011-2012 Skate Canada Technical handbook and the 2011-2012 Singles, Pairs, Ice Dance Program Requirements. All free programs in the 2011/2012 competitive season must meet the well-balanced program content requirements established by Skate Canada. Figure Skating Boutique Octoberfest will be judged under the CPC system.

SENIOR	Qualifying test requirement: SHORT PROGRAM FREE PROGRAM	Senior Competitive test (USFSA Senior Free Skating test). Maximum time: 2 Minutes 50 Seconds WOMEN: 4 Minutes MEN: 4 Minutes 30 Seconds
JUNIOR	Qualifying test requirement: SHORT PROGRAM FREE PROGRAM	Junior Competitive test. (USFSA Junior Free Skating test) Shall meet ISU Junior Age Criteria – Must have reached the age of 13 but be under the age of 19 as of July 1, 2011 Maximum time: 2 Minutes 50 Seconds WOMEN: 3 Minutes 30 Seconds MEN: 4 Minutes
NOVICE	Qualifying test requirement: SHORT PROGRAM FREE PROGRAM	Novice Competitive test. (USFSA Novice Free Skating test) Maximum time: 2 Minutes 30 Seconds WOMEN: 3 Minutes MEN: 3 Minutes 30 Seconds
PRE-NOVICE	Qualifying test requirement: SHORT PROGRAM FREE PROGRAM	Pre-Novice Competitive test. (USFSA Intermediate test) Maximum time: 2 Minutes 30 Seconds WOMEN: 3 Minutes MEN: 3 Minutes
JUVENILE	Qualifying test requirement: FREE PROGRAM	Juvenile Competitive Test. (USFSA Juvenile Free Skating test). Must not have reached the age of 12 (women) and 13 (men) on July 1, 2011. WOMEN: 2 Minutes 30 Seconds MEN: 2 Minutes 30 Seconds
PRE-JUVENILE	Qualifying test requirement: FREE PROGRAM	Complete Junior Bronze Free Skating test. Must not have reached the age of 11 (women) and 12 (Men) on July 1, 2011. WOMEN: 2 Minutes 30 Seconds MEN: 2 Minutes 30 Seconds

PAIR CATEGORIES

NOTE: Pre-Novice and Novice Pair categories are offered as combined categories only. Junior and Senior are offered as separate categories only. 2011 ISU approved amendments will be applicable. For event requirements and specifications, please refer to the 2011-2012 Skate Canada Technical handbook and the 2011-2012 Singles, Pairs, Ice Dance Program Requirements. All free programs in the 2011/2012 competitive season must meet the well-balanced program content requirements established by Skate Canada. Figure Skating Boutique Octoberfest will be judged under the CPC system.

SENIOR PAIR SHORT PROGRAM	Qualifying test requirement: Senior Competitive Pair test. Maximum time: 2 Minutes 50 Seconds
SENIOR PAIR FREE PROGRAM	Qualifying test requirement: Senior Competitive Pair test Free Skating Program time: 4 Minutes 30 Seconds
JUNIOR PAIR SHORT PROGRAM	Qualifying test requirement: Junior Competitive Pair test or higher. Maximum time: 2 Minutes 50 Seconds
JUNIOR PAIR FREE PROGRAM	Qualifying test requirement: Junior Competitive Pair test or higher. Free Skating Program time: 4 Minutes
NOVICE PAIR SHORT PROGRAM	Qualifying test requirement: Novice Competitive Pair test or higher. Maximum time: 2 Minutes 40 Seconds
NOVICE PAIR FREE PROGRAM	Qualifying test requirement: Novice Competitive Pair test or higher. Free Skating Program time: 3 Minutes 30 Seconds
PRE-NOVICE PAIR SHORT PROGRAM	Qualifying test requirement: Pre-Novice Competitive Pair test or higher. Maximum time: 2 Minutes 40 Seconds

PRE-NOVICE PAIR FREE PROGRAM	Qualifying test requirement: Pre-Novice Competitive Pair test or higher. Free Skating Program time: 3 Minutes
JUVENILE PAIR FREE PROGRAM	Qualifying test requirement: Juvenile Competitive Pair test or higher. Free Skating Program time: 2 Minutes 30 Seconds
PRE-JUVENILE PAIR FREE PROGRAM	Qualifying test requirement: Each partner must <u>not</u> 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. <u>Overhead lifts are not allowed.</u> Free Skating Program time: 2 Minutes 30 Seconds

DANCE CATEGORIES

NOTE: Juvenile to Novice will be offered as combined categories only. Junior and Senior will be offered as separate categories only. 2011 ISU approved amendments will be applicable. For event requirements and specifications, please refer to the 2011-2012 Skate Canada Technical handbook and the 2011-2012 Singles, Pairs, Ice Dance Program Requirements. All free programs in the 2011/2012 competitive season must meet the well-balanced program content requirements established by Skate Canada. Figure Skating Boutique Octoberfest will be judged under the CPC system.

SENIOR SHORT DANCE	Qualifying test requirement: The Senior Competitive Dance Test.
SENIOR FREE DANCE	Qualifying test requirement: The Senior Competitive Dance Test. Free Dance Program: 4 Minutes
JUNIOR SHORT DANCE	Qualifying test requirement: The Junior Competitive Dance Test or higher.
JUNIOR FREE DANCE	Qualifying test requirement: The Junior Competitive Dance Test or higher. Free Dance Program: 3 Minutes 30 Seconds
NOVICE PATTERN DANCE:	Qualifying test requirement: The Novice Competitive Dance Test or higher. <i>Starlight Waltz, Silver Samba</i>
NOVICE FREE DANCE:	Qualifying test requirement: The Novice Competitive Dance Test or higher. Free Dance Program: 3 Minutes
PRE-NOVICE PATTERN DANCE:	Qualifying test requirement: Must have passed the Pre-Novice Competitive Dance test and the complete Senior Bronze Dance test or higher. <i>Keats Foxtrot, Harris Tango</i>
PRE-NOVICE FREE DANCE:	Qualifying test requirement: Must have passed the Pre-Novice Competitive Dance test and the complete Senior Bronze Dance test or higher. Free Dance Program: 2 Minutes 30 Seconds
JUVENILE PATTERN DANCE:	Qualifying test requirement: Each partner must have passed the complete Junior Bronze Dance test or higher. <i>Fiesta Tango, European Waltz</i>
JUVENILE FREE DANCE:	Qualifying test requirement: Each partner must have passed the complete Junior Bronze Dance test or higher. Free Dance Program: 2 Minutes
PRE-JUVENILE PATTERN DANCE	Qualifying test requirement: Each partner must have passed the complete Preliminary Dance test and must <u>not</u> have reached the age of 14 on July 1, 2011. <i>Fiesta Tango, Willow Waltz</i>