



Skate Canada Newfoundland and Labrador

2023 Western Divisionals

Local Volunteer Team: Silver Jets Skating Club
Sanctioned by: Skate Canada Newfoundland and Labrador

Steele Community Centre, Gander, NL

January 21-22, 2023



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DATE: January 21-22, 2023

LOCATION: Steele Community Centre, Gander, NL Ice Surface 200x85

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ENTRY FEES:

Category	Discipline	Fee
STAR 4 – Gold	Singles	\$74 + \$8 ODF = \$82
PreJuvenile – Juvenile	Singles	\$74 + \$8 ODF = \$82
PreNovice – Senior	Singles	\$117 + \$8 ODF = \$125
AdultSkate	Singles	\$74 + \$8 ODF = \$82
Special Olympics	Singles	\$74 + \$8 ODF = \$82

There is an \$8.00 officials and technology development fee (ODF) per skater.

Additional categories may be offered as an exhibition. Please contact scnljennifer@sportnl.ca by

Thursday, December 8, 2022.

All categories are subject to the availability of officials.

ONLINE REGISTRATION:

Registration will take place on the Skate Canada NL Registration website:

<https://skatenf.uplifterinc.com>.

Methods of payment include: VISA, MasterCard and Discover Card. PrePaid VISA/MasterCard gift cards are also accepted.

Registration Opens: Tuesday, November 29, 2022, at NOON

Registration Deadline: Thursday, December 8, 2022

Late entries will NOT be accepted.

REFUND POLICY:

Refund requests must be made by **Thursday, December 8, 2022**. After this date, all refunds will require a medical note and are subject to a \$25 administration fee. Medical notes must be submitted within **14 days** following the Event.

ASSESSMENT QUALIFYING DEADLINE:

Assessment requirements must be met at the time of online registration.

AGE RESTRICTIONS:

Age is considered to be the age of the skater before July 1, preceding the Event. **NOTE:** There is no upper age limit for STARSkate categories.



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ELIGIBILITY:

Skaters who participated in a qualifying category (PreNovice and higher) at the SCNL Sectional Championships, in the current year, are ineligible for a STARSkate category, in the same discipline, at Divisionals and Provincials.

MUSIC:

All music must be submitted electronically with online registration. ***Please ensure correct music files are uploaded.*** Music file changes and mislabeled music files will be charged a \$25 administrative fee.

Skaters should have a **USB** copy of music available at ice level, during the Event. CD's, phones, or other personal devices will **NOT** be accepted.

MUSIC UPLOAD INFORMATION:

- Music must be submitted for **all** categories/segments (ie: short program, free program etc.).
- Music files **must** be MP3.
- Music uploads **must** be named in the following format: **First Name Last Name - Category Program Type**
- First and Last Name **must** match the athlete's name as written on their Uplifter profile.

Category Program Type includes:

- **Category** (ie: STAR 5)
- **Discipline** (ie: Women/Girls, Men/Boys)
- **Segment** (ie: Short Program or Free Program, if applicable)
- **Age category** (ie: U10, if applicable)

Examples:

John Smith - STAR 5 Men 13&Over

Suzie Smith - PreNovice Women Short Program

COACHES ACCREDITATION:

Coaches must be a minimum of NCCP Regional Coach In-Training and be a current Professional Coaching Member of Skate Canada, in Good Standing.

SCHEDULE:

A schedule will be posted on the SCNL website ([SCNL Divisional Qualifying Events \(Eastern, Western & Labrador\) – Skate Canada – Newfoundland & Labrador \(skatenl.com\)](http://www.skatenl.com)) as soon as possible after the registration deadline.

MEDALS:

Medals shall be awarded to the top three placements in each category. In a category where there are less than three entries, the number of medals awarded shall equal the number of entries.

MEDAL PRESENTATIONS:

Medals presentation times will be posted at the Arena. **Skaters are asked to wear competition outfits and skates.**



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PROVINCIALS QUALIFYING CATEGORIES:

- Girls/Women – Labrador Divisionals (Top three placements)
- Girls/Women – Eastern & Western Divisionals (Top eight placements)

In the event that any of the qualifying placements do not enter the Provincial Championships, the next placed skater in the category shall be considered eligible and will be notified.

Skaters qualifying to go to the Skate Canada Newfoundland and Labrador Provincial Championships must register online, immediately following the completion of their Divisional Event, and no later than **Wednesday, January 25, 2023**.

Skaters who participate in a qualifying category at Divisionals are ineligible to enter a byed category, in the same discipline, at the Provincial Championships.

BYED CATEGORIES:

All STAR 8, 9, 10 and Gold FreeSkate; CompetitiveSkate; Special Olympics, ADULTSkate, Boys/Men, Pairs and Dance competitors shall receive a bye through the Divisional Championships. Registration for the SCNL Provincials Championships must be completed online (<https://skatenf.uplifterinc.com>) no later than **Wednesday, January 25, 2023**.

Byes may also be granted in single entry categories at Divisionals. SCNL will inform skaters if they are eligible for a bye within 48 hours of the registration deadline. Skaters then have 48 hours, from the date of notice, to accept a bye and withdraw without penalty. Additional byes may be granted in extenuating circumstances and must be made in writing with supporting documents to the Executive Committee of Skate Canada Newfoundland and Labrador.

The Skate Canada Newfoundland and Labrador Provincial Championships is a qualifying Event for the Atlantic Canada Skating Championships.

HOTELS:

Please call to book and quote “Western Divisionals”, “Silver Jets Skating Club” or “Skate Canada NL” to receive the rates below.

- **Albatross Hotel** (\$119.00 single/double): 709-256-3956
- **Sinbad’s Hotel and Suites** (\$129.00 single/\$139.00 double): 709-651-2678 *breakfast for 2 included
- **Quality Hotel** (\$139.00 single/\$149.00 double): 709-256-3931 *breakfast for 2 included

ACCIDENTS / LIABILITY:

Skate Canada, Skate Canada NL and the Local Volunteer Team undertake no responsibility for damages or injuries suffered by skaters. As a condition of and in consideration of their entries in this competition, 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.

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