



Skate Canada

2024 Skate Canada Challenge Registration Instructions

Introduction

Dear skaters,

Skate Canada's Competition Registration Software is powered by Uplifter Inc.: <https://registration.skatecanada.ca/>

Like previous seasons, your Section will officially register you in the event; but we require a few more details to complete the process. Before beginning your registration, you should ensure that you have your Skate Canada Number, Emergency Contact Information, Competition Music and Music Information, Headshot and Planned Program details. If the athlete is under the age of 18 a parent or guardian must be present to complete the waivers.

Please take your time when completing the registration and ensure all information is accurate and complete (**THIS IS VERY IMPORTANT**). The information that you submit will be used for 2024 Skate Canada Challenge as well as 2024 Canadian National Skating Championships (should you qualify) in starting lists and skater biographies so the information will only be as accurate as your submission. Some information will be included on the stream and scoreboard.

All participants are required to have an Account in Skate Canada's new Event Registration System. If you have already registered as a participant through Skate Canada's new Event Registration System, you do not need to make a new account for each competition – simply log in.

Please Note: Minimum web browser requirements are detailed here:

<https://learn.uplifterinc.com/hc/en-us/articles/213222907#requirements>




Challenge Registration Steps

Each Challenge Participant must have their own Account in order to submit required competitor details for the Challenge event through the online registration system. **If your Challenge Participant is under the age of 18, please ensure that a parent or guardian creates this account and agrees to the waivers on their behalf.** If this is the first time you will be using the Event Registration System, the following three steps will apply:

1. Create your account
2. Add yourself (or your skater if they are under the age of 18) as a Participant in your Account
3. Complete your required competitor details for each Challenge event

There are several parts to the registration process:

Step 1 – Create your account

When you are ready to complete your registration go to <https://registration.skatecanada.ca/login/> or click on  in the top right-hand corner of the Skate Canada Event Registration site or click on the invitation link in the email sent by your Section.

- ◆ Create your account with a valid email address and a password
- ◆ Include the address details for creating your account


As you progress through the registration all items indicated with an asterisk are required and you will not be able to progress through the registration until all required fields are complete.



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Step 2 – Add yourself as a Participant in your Account

Once you've created your account and are logged in, you can add yourself (or your skater if they are under the age of 18) as a participant:

- ◆ Select "My Account" in the top right corner 
- ◆ Select "Participants" in the sub-menu
- ◆ Click "Add New Participant"
- ◆ In the popup dialogue, add your participants' details including first name, last name, birthdate, gender and Skate Canada Number. Please ensure these details are accurate and the same as what your section used to register you for the event
- ◆ Click "Add Participant"
- ◆ If your first name, last name, birthdate, gender and Skate Canada Number do not exactly what is in the Skate Canada Member Database, you may be asked to match your profile to an existing Skater profile. If so, you'll encounter a screen similar to the following:



	Imported Values	Participant Match 1	Create New
First Name	John	Johnathan John	
Last Name	Doe	Doe	
Birthdate	2001-06-01	2001-06-01	
Gender	M	M	

Select Create New

CANCEL SELECT PARTICIPANT

Note: If you are registering on behalf of the Dance or Pair team, you will need to add your partner as a separate participant within your account.



Step 3 – Complete your required Competitor Details

For most Challenge events, you will need to submit Planned Program Content details for three (3) separate elements. Please ensure you have the correct PPC details, the element codes, before beginning the submission process:

- ◆ Go to the Participant registration page for the Challenge event:
<https://registration.skatecanada.ca/pages/participants/Skate-Canada-Challenge/>

Select the following items:

- ◆ Planned Program Content Sheet: Free – select “Single”, “Pair” or “Ice Dance”
- ◆ Planned Program Content Sheet: Short – select “Single”, “Pair” or “Ice Dance”
- ◆ The registration for your discipline – select “Single”, “Pair” or “Ice Dance”. If registering for Pair or Dance, please add both partners to the registration.

IMPORTANT: Information you will require prior to starting your registration

- ◆ Headshot: Must be waist up preferably in your Section Team Jacket or Skating Costume
- ◆ Music: Must be MP3 files of both programs. It is the skater’s responsibility to ensure the music being uploaded is the same as the performance music in the video submission.
- ◆ Bio information for yourself (and partner):
 - ◆ Height & Age
 - ◆ Current Residence & Hometown
 - ◆ Began Skating at Age
 - ◆ Training Club/School & Home Club
 - ◆ Coach/Choreographer Names
 - ◆ Coach Attending Challenge
 - ◆ Music Titles for both programs
 - ◆ School Name & Grade
 - ◆ Other sports you are involved in
 - ◆ Hobbies & Interests
 - ◆ Number of siblings
 - ◆ What got you started in skating
 - ◆ Any other interesting facts about you and your skating journey

NOTE: You will be required to add all three items before proceeding with the completion of your registration

Once selected, click on the Shopping Cart icon at the top of the webpage 

- ◆ Complete any additional requested details.
 - Click “Confirm & Register”
 - Review the policies and waivers by clicking on each link. You will need to open and click “ACCEPT” for each policy to proceed.
 - Review your details and click “Complete Free Order”

Music

Standard Music Specifications

All music used must be in the public domain or covered by the performing rights societies.

Competitors who have music composed specifically for their programs either wholly or in part, are responsible for obtaining a written release from the composer for the use of such music on radio and/or television or appropriate clearance from the performing rights societies.



Music Requirements

- All skaters must submit music online as part of the registration process.
- Music will only be accepted electronically via MP3 format. Do not begin the registration process until you have your music file ready to upload.
- The music submitted online through the registration process must be the same as the music on the submitted performance video.
- Note: It is the individual skaters' responsibilities to ensure the correct music files for both the short/rhythm dance and free programs are uploaded.

IMPORTANT: The music file must follow the following naming configuration:

Skater(s)Name(s),Discipline,Category,Short or Free.mp3

i.e. JohnSmith,Senior,Men,Short.mp3
JohnSmith,Senior,Men,Free.mp3

Skaters will have until end of day **November 17, 2023** to complete their individual skater registration.

If you have any further questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact Skate Canada at eventsinfo@skatecanada.ca

Best of luck in the upcoming competition season!

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