

Cariboo North Central Region **REGION DEVELOPMENT TEAM 2010**

Mission Statement: The Regional Development Teams provide a vehicle to help identify, encourage and develop young BC/YT skaters within a 'team' environment.

WELCOME to the 'Regional Development Team' Program!!

A Regional Development Team is formed every year in each of the five Regions of the BC/YT Section-Skate Canada. These Regional Teams, which are part of the BC/YT Section's skater development program, enhance the development of the skating athlete by offering the opportunity to participate in skating-related events within a team environment.

In addition to the camaraderie that develops among the Team skaters throughout the competitive season, the RDT program provides an avenue for skaters to be more involved in talent identification, evaluation and developmental activities.

The CNCR is now accepting registrations for skaters to participate in the 2010 RDT program.

Attached are the skater qualifications, the participant requirements, and the Registration & Medical Forms. All applicants who meet the listed qualifications will be accepted onto a Regional Development Team. The selection process for the Region Select Team and the BC/YT Teams are also included.

*****Please note the following changes to our registration procedure.*****

To register for the RDT Team you must:

- 1) Complete the registration and medical forms. ***YOU MUST GET COACH SIGNATURE*** on the the registration form.
- 2) Submit forms and fee (\$25.00) to your ***HOME CLUB RDT CONTACT*** or ***HOME CLUB COMPETITION CHAIR***.
- 3) **** We are no longer accepting personal cheques, so you must register through your club.****
- 4) Deadline to have forms in to NICOLE, is **Wednesday November 25th**.
- 5) Late registrations will be accepted until Wednesday December 2nd.
{***Late registration fee is \$40.00***}
- 6) Skaters wishing to join the team after the deadline will not receive an evaluation until the competitions in Fall 2010. {***Late registration fee is \$40.00***}

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ALL TEAM COMMUNICATIONS WILL BE SENT BY EMAIL, SO YOU MUST INCLUDE CORRECT AND LEGIBLE EMAIL ADDRESS ON YOUR REGISTRATION FORM.

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SKATER QUALIFICATIONS:

- ➔ All applicants who meet the requirements listed below as of November 30, 2009, will be accepted for participation on the CNC Regional Development Team.
- ➔ Skaters who think they might make the Provincial Development Team (based on results at the Sectional Championships in November), please wait before sending in your forms for RDT.

Singles – Ladies & Men

- StarSkate Stream – competing in the Pre-Preliminary Event, or higher.
- **** StarSkate Stream**** - skaters competing in Elementary may be accepted onto the team, if they meet the following requirements: Can successfully land a LOOP jump (every time) and has started the flip and lutz jumps, can perform a good quality sit spin and starting the camel spin, INTENDS to move into Pre-Preliminary by March 2010.
- Competitive Stream – competing as Pre-Juvenile, up to Junior.

PARTICIPANT REQUIREMENTS:

Following are the requirements all participants should be prepared to complete:

- ➔ **Attend a 2010 Summer School** for a minimum of three weeks.
- ➔ Participate in **one of the following competitions:**
 - 1) Regionals {Prince George – December 2009}
 - 2) Sectionals {Richmond – 2009}
 - 3) Pacific Skate {must qualify for this by competing at Regionals}
- ➔ Participate in a second competition, **one of the following:**
 - 1) Cariboots’N Blades
 - 2) Kla-How-Ya/Nizutnee Interclub
 - 3) Totem Competition
- ➔ Attend at least **one of the following:**
 - 1) Regional High Performance Seminar {Sept. 2010}
 - 2) Regional Field Training/Grassroots Seminar {anytime between Dec. 2009 & Nov. 2010}
 - 3) Provincial RDT Camp/RST Camp {Kelowna, April 2010}
 - 4) Rising Stars Camp/Competitive Development Camp {August 2010}

MEMBERS RECEIVE:

- ☺ A written evaluation of your performance at Regionals or at your second indicated competition. – to be emailed out within 2 weeks of competition.
- ☺ A personalized, laminated 2010 luggage tag. – to be picked up at Regionals.
- ☺ A Team Building Event at Regionals.
- ☺ RDT Buzzzz Monthly Newsletter. – will be emailed.
- ☺ Entered in monthly skater draws.
- ☺ Reduced registration fees at seminars.
- ☺ Possible funding for seminars & the opportunity to earn a Skaters Bursary.
- ☺ The opportunity to attend the Provincial RDT Seminar in Kelowna.
- ☺ The opportunity to order team T-Shirts and/or Jackets.
- ☺ The chance to meet other skaters and make new friends!

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BC/YT TEAMS Selection Process

BC/YT Provincial Development Team (PDT)

Skaters will qualify for the BC/YT Provincial Development Team (PDT) based on protocol at the 2010 BC/YT Section Championships:

1 st – 4 th placing	Pre-Juvenile Men & Ladies
1 st – 4 th placing	Juvenile Men, Ladies, Pairs & Dance
5 th – 8 th placing	Pre-Novice Men, Ladies, Pairs & Dance
5 th – 8 th placing	Novice Men, Ladies, Pairs & Dance
5 th – 8 th placing	Junior Men, Ladies, Pairs & Dance
5 th + placing	Senior Men, Ladies, Pairs & Dance

Region Select Teams

The Region Select Team is a provincial team which is comprised of young identified skaters, within each region in the BC/YT Section, who have the talent and potential to be successful competitive skaters. All skaters selected to this team will have been identified by one of BC/YT Section's talent scouts at their Regional Competition. Skaters meeting a preset criteria which is based on Skating Skills, Performance, Interpretation and Technical Skill (not on placings), may be chosen for their Region's Select Team. Selection of skaters for the Select Teams is for a **one year** period only. (*Please refer to the attached Selection Criteria sheet*)

Skaters registered in the Regional Development Team program who are placed on the Region Select Teams will not be charged an additional fee, while non-RDT members placed on the Region Select Teams will be required to pay a monitoring fee.

If selected to a Region Select Team, skaters will be required to follow the rules and guidelines as determined by the BC/YT Region Skater Development Committee, may purchase a jacket and should participate in all Regional Development Team/Region Select Team functions.

Questions regarding the BC/YT Region Select Teams should be directed to either:

- Marilyn Kreuzinger, BC/YT Section Coaches' Committee Chairman
Phone: (250) 782-5683 or kreuzfam@telus.net
- Yvette Delcourt, BC/YT Section RDT Coordinator
Phone: (250) 764-4577 or delcourt@shaw.ca

SELECTION CRITERIA – 2009-2010 BC/YT TEAMS

BC Team

Skaters who qualify to Challenge, Canadian Championship and or Junior Nationals will automatically qualify for the BC Team.

BC/YT Provincial Development Team (PDT)

Skaters who meet the following criteria will qualify to the BC/YT Provincial Development Team:

Level	Placement Criteria	Additional Guidelines
Junior	5 th to 8 th place	Have a minimum of one year Junior age eligibility after the competitive season, not reached the age of 18 (single & ladies in Pairs and Dance) or 20 (men in Pair & Dance), July 1 preceding the event.
Novice	5 th to 8 th place	Have a minimum of two years Junior age eligibility after the competitive season, not reached the age of 17 (single & ladies in Pairs and Dance) or 19 (men in Pair & Dance), July 1 preceding the event.
Pre-Novice	5 th to 8 th place	Have a minimum of three years Junior age eligibility after the competitive season, not reached the age of 16 (single & ladies in Pairs and Dance) or 18 (men in Pair & Dance), July 1 preceding the event
Juvenile	1 st to 4 th place	Have a minimum of five years Junior age eligibility after the competitive season, not reached the age of 14 (ladies in Pairs and Dance) or 16 (men in Pair & Dance), July 1 preceding the event. Single skaters already have an age requirement to compete in Juvenile Single events.
Pre-Juvenile	1 st to 4 th place	

The Skater Development Committee may add additional skaters to the team who meet the age criteria and have demonstrated that they are capable of achieving the same skill level in a competitive environment as skaters on the BC Team.

BC/YT Region Select Team (RST)

Skaters selected to the Region Select Team will reflect the best developing single skaters in their region who meet the below criteria or guidelines, and who are not currently on the BC Team or Provincial Development Team.

Level	Skill Criteria	Additional Guidelines
Primary events in which skaters will be considered for the Region Select Team		
Pre-Novice	Double Lutz Strong Skating & spins Good basic technique	If skaters placed in the top 18 at Section Championships, skater must not have reached the age of 15, July 1 preceding the event. If skater did not place top 18 at Section Championships, must not reached the age of 14, July 1 preceding the event.
Juvenile	Double Flip Strong Skating & spins Good basic technique	
Pre-Juvenile	Double Toe-Loop Strong Skating & spins Good basic technique	
Preliminary	Axel Strong Skating Good basic technique	Skater must not have reached the age of 10, July 1 preceding the event and commit to competitive skating within 18 months if age and test eligible.
Pre. Prelim.	All single jumps Strong Skating	Skater must not have reached the age of 9, July 1 preceding the event and commit to competitive skating within 24 months if age and test eligible.
Secondary events in which skaters MAY be considered for the Region Select Team		
Sr. Bronze	Double Flip Strong Skating & spins Good basic technique	Skater must not have reached the age of 12, July 1 preceding the event and commit to competitive skating the following year if age and test eligible.
Jr. Bronze	Double Toe-Loop Strong Skating Good basic technique	Skater must not have reached the age of 11, July 1 preceding the event and commit to competitive skating the following year if age and test eligible.

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