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Skate Canada: Alberta-NWT/Nunavut Expands Partnership with Alberta Figure Skating Foundation

EDMONTON, AB: Skate Canada: Alberta-NWT/Nunavut (Section) is proud to announce an enhanced partnership with the Alberta Figure Skating Foundation (AFSF). Since 2014, the AFSF has been the presenting sponsor for the Skate Canada: Alberta-NWT/Nunavut STARSkate and Adult Championships. In 2016, the AFSF will continue to be the presenting sponsor for the 2016 Alberta-NWT/Nunavut STARSkate and Adult Championships and will expand their partnership with the Section as the presenting sponsor for the 2016 Skate Canada: Alberta-NWT/Nunavut Sectional Championships.

Since 1975 the AFSF has been a strong supporter of figure skating in Alberta, promoting the development of figure skaters at all levels through scholarships, sponsorships, and awards. This year marks their 40th anniversary of providing athlete and organization support throughout the province.

“Skate Canada: Alberta-NWT/Nunavut is thrilled to extend our partnership with the Alberta Figure Skating Foundation to include the 2016 Skate Canada: Alberta-NWT/Nunavut Sectional Championships and the 2016 STARSkate and Adult Championships. The Alberta Figure Skating Foundation has a long standing tradition of supporting the Section. It is wonderful to have the Foundation as part of these prestigious events.” said Donna Moses, Skate Canada: Alberta-NWT/Nunavut Chair.

“The Alberta Figure Skating Foundation is proud to be the presenting partner for these two championship events. This partnership aligns with the Alberta Figure Skating Foundation’s mandate of promoting the sport of figure skating within our Section” said Mary Ann McDonald, AFSF Chair. “These competitions are also a great way to celebrate the Alberta Figure Skating Foundation’s 40th Anniversary of supporting athletes across the province”.

The 2016 Skate Canada: Alberta-NWT/Nunavut Sectional Championships takes place November 5-8, 2015 at the Don Hartman North East Sportsplex in Calgary, Alberta. The 2016 STARSkate and Adult Championships takes place February 26-28, 2016 at the Leduc Recreation Center in Leduc, Alberta.

For more information on the Alberta Figure Skating Foundation please visit
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