



2025 Winter Whirl

CanSkate 1-6

Star 1-3

Saturday, February 1st, 2025

9:00 am - 6:00 pm

Pincher Creek Memorial Arena - 867 Main St, Pincher Creek, AB T0K 1W0

Registration Opens (PCSC MEMBERS ONLY): December 2nd, 2024

Registration Opens (OUT OF CLUB): December 9th, 2024

REGISTRATION DEADLINE – December 22nd, 2024

Sanction #: 3342



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HOST CLUB AND EVENT INFORMATION

Event Name 2025 Winter Whirl

Event Date February 1st, 2025

Host Club Name Pincher Creek Skating Club

Host Club Contact

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Host Club Lead

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Arena Details

Name Pincher Creek Memorial Arena
Address 867 Main St, Pincher Creek, AB T0K 1W0

Registration: All registrations and payments for this event will be completed online.

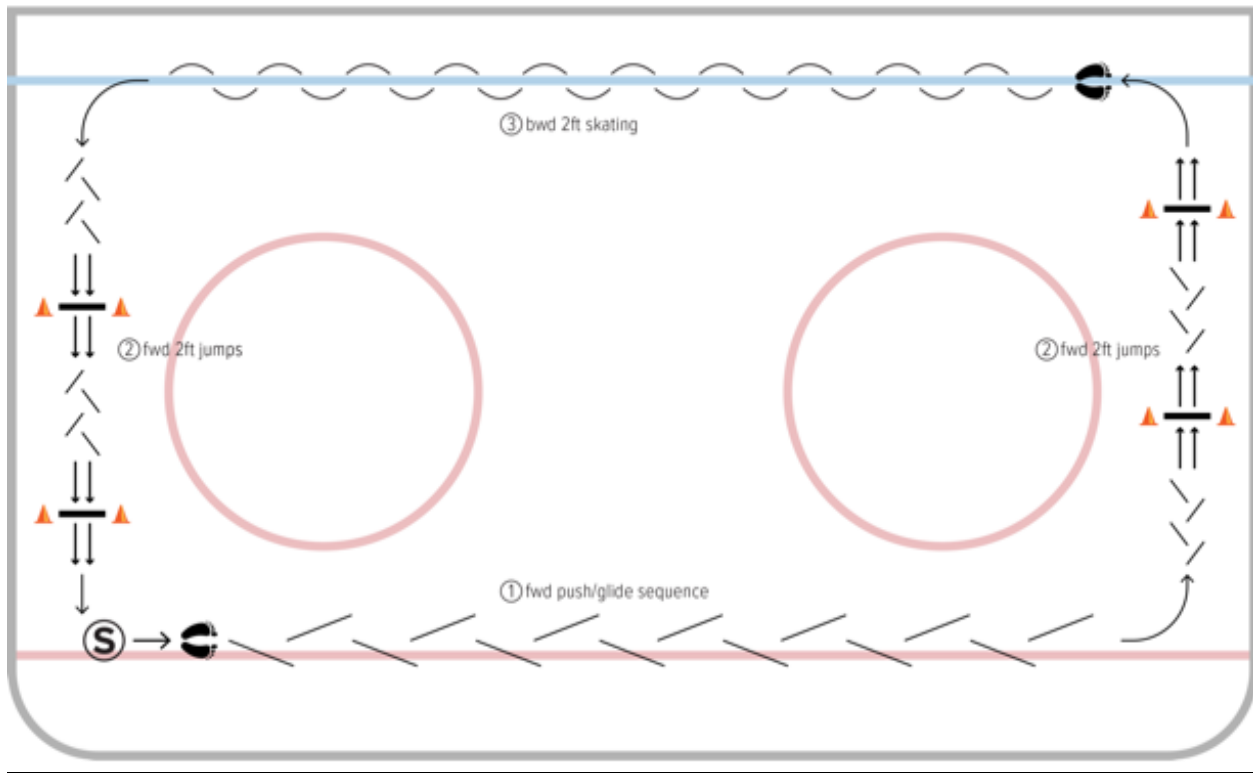
To register: <https://www.cognitoforms.com/pinchercreekskatingclub1/winterwhirlregistration>

GENERAL INFORMATION

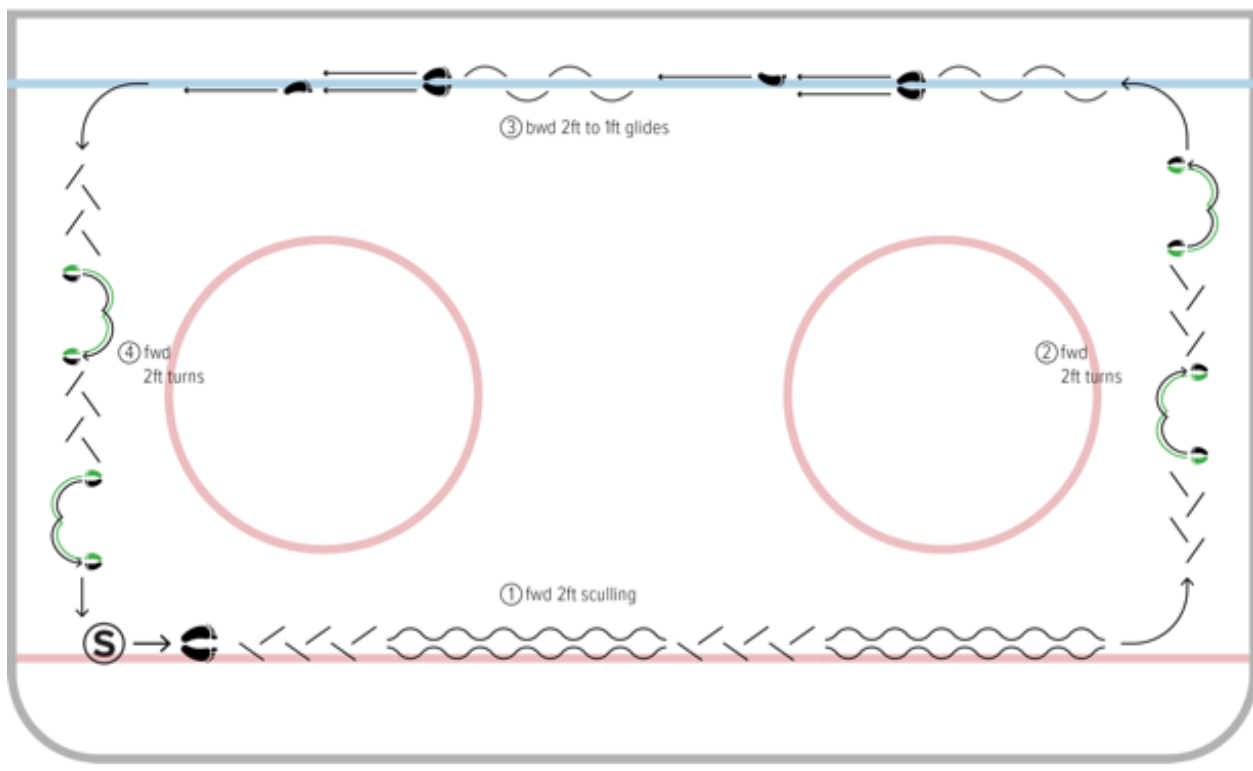
1. **Categories:** The following categories are to be held:
 - a. CanSkate 1-6
 - b. STAR 1 Elements Event
 - c. STAR 1 Creative Improv
 - d. STAR 2 and 3 Freeskate
 - e. STAR 2 and 3 TEAM Events
2. **Entry Fees:**
 - a. CanSkate 1-6 - \$45
 - b. STAR 1 Elements Event - \$65
 - c. STAR 1 Creative Improv - \$45
 - d. STAR 2 and 3 Freeskate - \$65
 - e. STAR 2 and 3 TEAM Events - \$60
3. **Event Schedule:** The schedule will be posted and sent to all participants once finalized.
4. **Entries:** Must be registrants of Skate Canada and in Good Standing.
5. **Closing Date of Entries:** All entries must be registered online no later than midnight on **December 22nd, 2024**. It is the responsibility of the skater to ensure their entry is in to the Host Committee Registration person by the closing date. ***Spaces will be limited so please ensure to register early to avoid disappointment.***
6. **Late Entries:** Late entries may be accepted at the discretion of the Host Committee and if space permits.
7. **Refund of Entry Fees:** ***No refunds will be made after the closing date.*** Entry fees shall be refunded only if the event is not held.
8. **On-Site Registration:** Skaters must register at least 1 hour prior to their scheduled category. Skaters must report to the Ice Captain 30 minutes prior to their scheduled category. All music will be played digitally by iPod or MP3 player and must be submitted at time of registration.
9. **Schedule and Cancellation of Events:** The host club reserves the right to cancel events or limit the number of entries due to time constraints or ice availability. ***Spaces will be limited so please ensure to register early to avoid disappointment.***
10. **Warm-Up Times:** Skate Canada has standardized warm-up times for all events
11. **Awards:** Medals and award sheets will be presented on-site at the event.
12. **Accidents:** The Association and Committee of the Host Club undertake no responsibility for damages or injuries suffered by the skater. As a condition of and in consideration of their entries in this event, all competitors and their parents or guardians shall be deemed to agree to assume all risks or injuries to the competitor's persona and property resulting from, or caused by, or connected with the conduct and management of the competitions. An agreement must also be deemed to release any and all claims they may have against the officials, the Association, the Host Club and their officers. Entries shall be accepted only in accordance with these conditions.

CANSKATE EVENTS

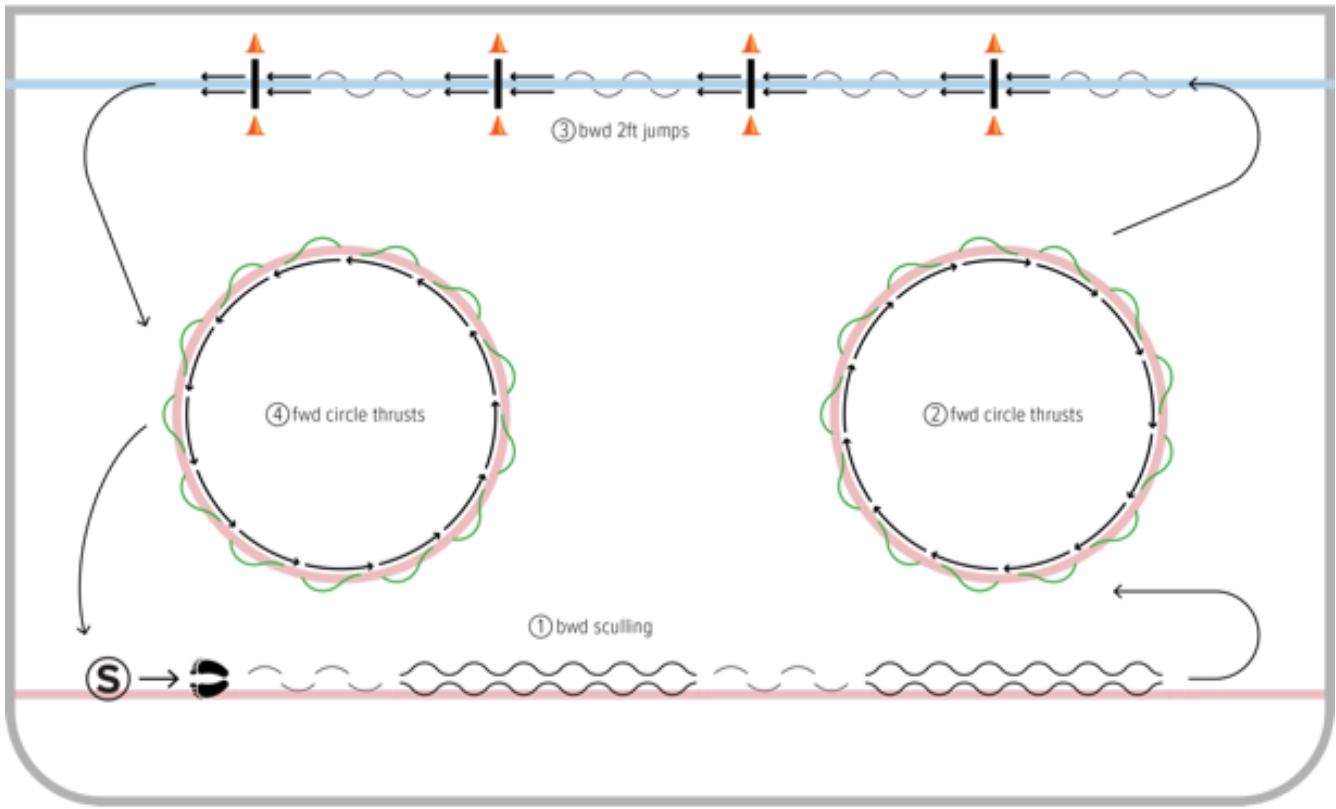
CHALLENGE: STAGE 1 ASSESSMENT



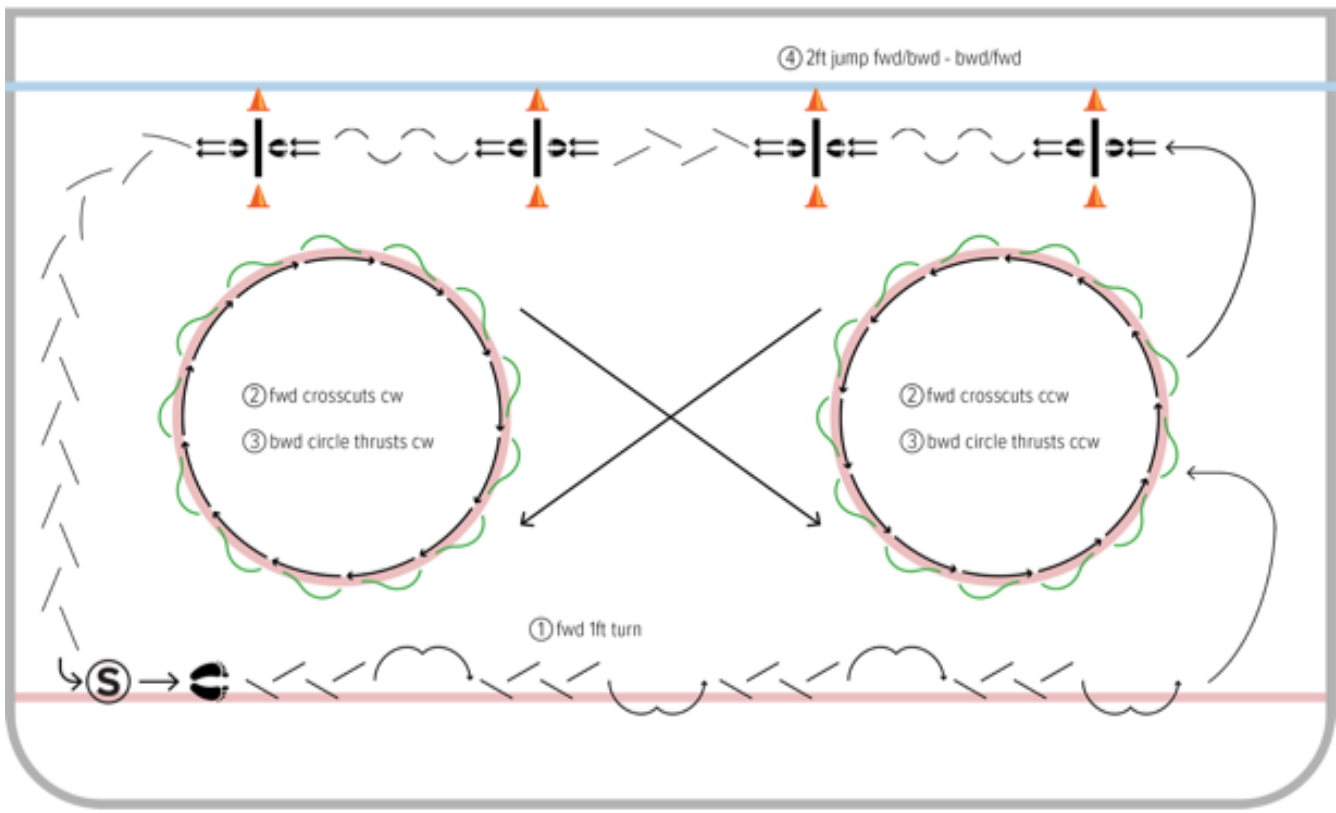
CHALLENGE: STAGE 2 ASSESSMENT



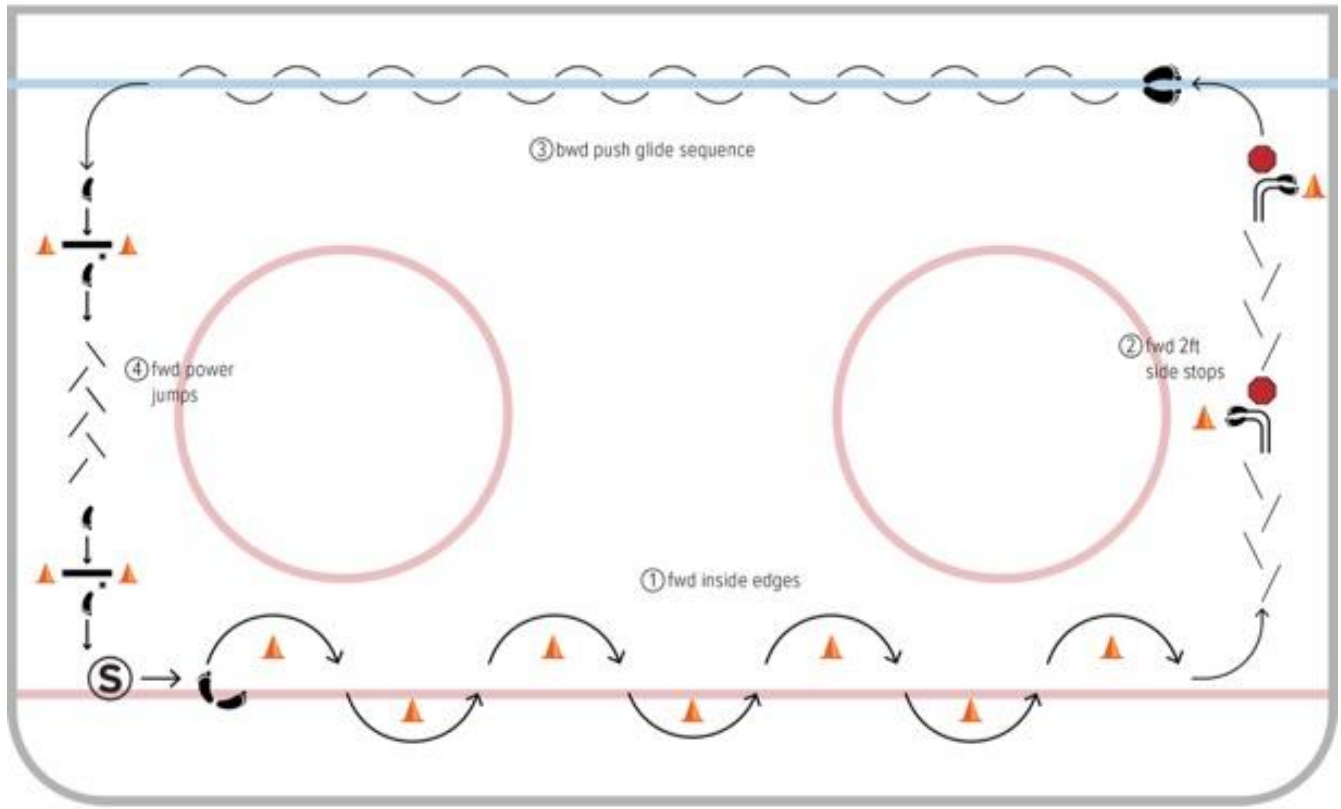
CHALLENGE: STAGE 3 ASSESSMENT



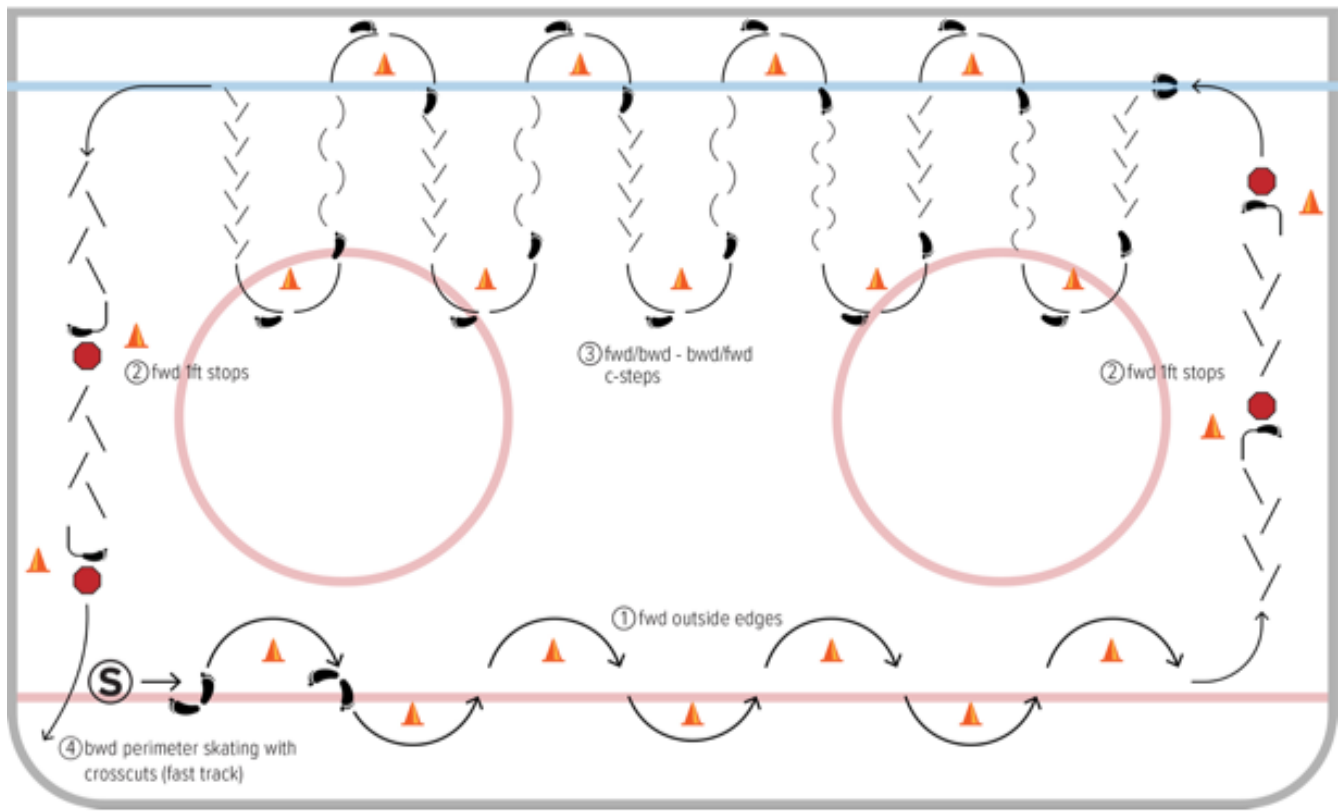
CHALLENGE: STAGE 4 ASSESSMENT



CHALLENGE: STAGE 5 ASSESSMENT



CHALLENGE: STAGE 6 ASSESSMENT



STARSKATE FREESKATE EVENTS

STAR 1 ELEMENTS

Skaters will perform the following skills and will be assessed accordingly. Coaches may be on the ice with their skaters to build confidence and sureness in their performance.

- Circle Stroking
- Waltz Jump
- Salchow
- Toe Loop
- Forward Upright Spin
- Backward Upright Spin
- Forward Spiral Circles
- Creative Expression Routine

STAR 1 CREATIVE IMPROV

Skaters will hear a piece of music selected by the host club twice prior to warm-up. They will hear the music once more during their warm up. They will perform a creative routine on the ice to the music selection. Music will be 45 seconds.

STAR 2 FREESKATE PROGRAM

Skaters will perform their trained STAR 2 Program to their music and will be assessed based on the Skate Canada criteria for Star 2 Freeskate programs. Program music to be submitted at the time of registration.

STAR 3 FREESKATE PROGRAM

Skaters will perform their trained STAR 3 Program to their music and will be assessed based on the Skate Canada criteria for Star 3 Freeskate programs. Program music to be submitted at the time of registration.

STARSKATE TEAM EVENTS

Team Events are an opportunity for groups of up to four skaters to perform together in a fun atmosphere. Skaters will each perform one Freeskate element and will contribute to an overall team assessment. Elements will be performed in the order listed.

STAR 2 TEAM ELEMENTS: (STAR 1 skaters can also register here. Indicate at the time of registration if they are all STAR 1 skaters, all STAR 2 skaters, or a mix of STAR 1 and 2 skaters)

- Waltz + Toe Loop
- Loop Jump
- Backward Upright Spin
- Forward Spiral Sequence

STAR 3 TEAM ELEMENTS:

- Flip jump
- Loop/loop Combination
- Combination Spin
- Forward Spiral Sequence