

The Olympic Oval invites you to the:
2017 Fall Classic Speed Skating Competition

at the Olympic Oval, Calgary, Alberta, Canada

September 21, 22, 23, 24, 2017

ANNOUNCEMENT

Program

Wednesday, 19:00 September 20	Coaches meeting, Olympic Oval
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Thursday, September 21	13:00*	Mass Start Races - Junior and Senior Distances
Friday, September 22	09:00*	500m – 1000m - 5000m (time standard) Men and Ladies
Saturday, September 23	09:00*	500m – 1000m – 3000m (time standard) Men and Ladies
Sunday, September 24	09:00*	500m – 1500m Men and Ladies

General Regulations

The 2017 Fall Classic Speed Skating competition will be held in accordance with the 2016 International Skating Union Regulations and is open to all skaters who belong to an ISU member country. It is listed on the International Skating Union Calendar and sanctioned by Speed Skating Canada and Alberta Speed Skating.

The Track

The Olympic Oval is a standard speed skating track of 400 meters to the lap. The refrigerated ice track has a 5 meter wide warmup lane. The radii of the inner and outer competition lanes are 26 and 30 meters respectively. The width of the racing track is 4 meters.

Entries

Any bonafide member of the International Skating Union may compete in the Summer Classic Competition, provided that the member is **properly registered with the Olympic Oval approved by their member country.**

Skaters must be Junior C2 or older to compete. Ie. Born before July 1, 2003.

Citizenship/Residence requirements and Clearance Procedure

In accordance with Rule 109 of the ISU Regulations and the current ISU Communication, all skaters who do not have the nationality of the Member by which they have been entered or who, although having such nationality, have in the past represented another Member, must produce an ISU Clearance Certificate.

Composition and the Starting Order of Pairs

The draw is conducted under the current SSC rules and ISU rules where applicable. The Coaches Meeting will be held at the Olympic Oval Lounge on Wednesday , September 20, 2017. The Pairings for Day Two will be available after the Mass Start.

Liability

In accordance with ISU Rule 119; the International Skating Union, Speed Skating Canada, Alberta Speed Skating Association, the Olympic Oval, and the University of Calgary assume no responsibility for, or liability with respect to bodily or personal injury or loss of property or damage incurred in connection with the 2017 Olympic Oval Fall Classic Speed Skating Competition. **Each Skater is solely responsible for providing insurance coverage thereto.**

Transportation

Each skater is responsible for his/her own transportation.

Training Times

All skaters will be charged for their ice training to the competition. The day prior to the competition is free for training. For Training Times and costs please contact the Olympic Oval Front Office (ovalguestservices@ucalgary.ca)

Official Hotels Calgary:

<i>Best Western Village Park Inn</i> <i>1804 Crowchild Trail NW</i> <i>Calgary, AB</i> Individual Bookings: Phone: 1-403-289-0241 Booking code: L-OVAL Group reservations: sara@villageparkinn.com	<i>Hotel Alma</i> <i>169 University Gate NW</i> <i>Calgary, AB</i> Bookings: Phone : 1-403-220-5443 Esinitzky@ucalgary.ca Booking code: OVAL
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Submission of Entries

Entries for the 2017 Fall Classic must be submitted to the address on the entry form or submitted electronically by the entry deadline. All entries must contain season best times skated in 2016/2017 season or 2017/2018 season.

Anti-Doping

Tests may be made in accordance with Rule 139 and the current ISU Doping Communication. **Any skater breaking a World Record will be tested.**

Mass Start

All skaters must have all Safety Equipment as outlined in the current ISU Communication.

Entry Fees

The entry fee is \$17 per race (CDN) (includes GST)

Note: There is no restriction for the number of races for each participant.

Late Fee: **Double entry fee after Thursday September 14, 2017***

Entry Deadline: 16:00 p.m., THURSDAY, September 14, 2017

Olympic Oval Waiver Form: Skaters in their first competition of the season in the Olympic Oval must fill out the Waiver Form.

Send entries to:

Olympic Oval, Fall Classic Competition

The University of Calgary

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