

Team Saskatchewan

Competitive Team 2019/20

CRITERIA (SINGLES)

(TCS subject to change with well balance program changes)

- Juvenile U12 and U14 skaters who are consistently landing min 3 different double jumps
- Pre-Novice skaters who achieve minimum Total Competition Score of 50.00
- Novice Skaters who achieve minimum Total Competition Score of 60.00

CRITERIA (PAIRS/DANCE)

- Pairs and Ice Dance teams at Juvenile - Novice levels (subject to monitoring, training plan)

TARGETED SKATERS

- Juvenile skaters who are placing in the top groups at summer competitions and our Sectional Championships. This is their introduction to the High Performance pathway which will see an increase in training and development opportunities from the Development Teams.
- Pre-Novice and Novice skaters who have not yet met the High Performance criteria as they continue to develop their technical abilities as part of Team Saskatchewan.
- Newly formed Juvenile-Novice Pairs and Ice Dance teams will be considered but are not guaranteed a spot on the Competitive Team
- Junior and Senior level skaters will not be considered for the Competitive Team.

FUNDING & OPPORTUNITIES

IST (SMSCS)

- Spring Camp- Work with National and International level coaches and experts in our sport. (Group sessions to include mental skills, nutrition, fitness, etc...)
- Performance Camp- Group sessions in all fields.
- Training Days (group sessions to include Mental skills, nutrition, fitness, etc...)

SKATER DEVELOPMENT FUNDED/SUBSIDIZED

- Summer monitoring either training or at a summer competition
- Potential out of province competitions subsidized
- Team Jackets

RATIONALE

- For the 13 and under skaters, this team is hopefully a stop on the way to the High Performance Team and eventually the Sask Elite Team. Skaters will most likely be moving from the Development Team so they'll see an increase in expectation (More camps, higher profile presenters, more opportunities).
- The 14 and over skaters will potentially make up two groups within that age group. Some could potentially be late bloomers who are working their way to the HPT. Others might be not quite strong enough to be on the HPT but still remain great competitors who are continuing to develop and push the sport, remain a positive influence and role model in their respective clubs and want to keep competing.
- Skaters on the Competitive Team will be expected to follow a Competitive Team Training Plan and be committed to their training.
- There will be an exit plan for those skaters not honouring their contract or changing their plans mid season (ie: dance and pair teams who dissolve their partnerships prior to sectionals, skaters retiring mid season).