



You are invited!

The inaugural BC Speed Skating Academy Outreach Tour session will be hosted November 7, 2015 in Kamloops. The session will occur immediately after the *Classic Chill Short Track* Interclub (hosted by the Kamloops Long Blades), with a tentative schedule as follows:

17:00-18:30 On-Ice Session with Coach Adam Ingle

18:30-19:30 Off-Ice Education Session with SportMedBC's Colin Wallace

What is the BCSSA Academy? *The Academy is a project to help prepare our 2019 Canada Winter Games age-eligible skaters for the next Games. The concept is that our skaters will have opportunities to train together to practice racing skills, passing skills and team events (relays in short track and team pursuit in long track). This is the first year of the Academy. This season, a pilot of the Academy is being offered in Richmond, BC. The Academy consists of 13 sessions that involve on-ice and off-ice training. To reach skaters outside of the Lower Mainland, there are drop-in opportunities available at the Richmond pilot. There will also be an Academy Outreach Tour visiting clubs around the province throughout the season. The hope is that the Academy will be expanded to more locations and to include both disciplines (short track and long track) in future seasons.*

All skaters who are age-eligible for the 2019 Canada Winter Games are invited to attend the Academy Outreach Tour session. This includes skaters who will be between 14-18 years old as of July 1, 2018. Additionally, any skaters named to the 2015-2016 Provincial Performance Program (regardless of age) are invited.

The cost of the session is \$10/skater- note that skaters who are registered full-time for the Academy Pilot in Richmond are not required to pay the \$10. Payment should be sent to the BCSSA Office. ***Skaters must confirm their attendance at the session by emailing their completed waiver to Chris Acton (chris.acton@speed-skating.bc.ca) by November 1st.***



Skater Waiver

Name: _____

Parent/Guardian: _____

Phone: (_____) _____

Address: _____

City/Town: _____ **Prov:** _____

Emergency Contact Name: _____

Emergency Contact Number : (_____) _____

Care Card #: _____

Major Medical Conditions: _____

Date of Birth: _____ **Age:** _____

WAIVER: By signing this entry form, I hereby, for myself, my heirs, executors, administrators and assigns, waive and release any and all rights and claims for damages I may have against the McArthur Island Sport and Event Centre, BCSSA and all sponsors concerned, their agents, Officers or members, for any and all injuries suffered by me at said Academy to be held November 7, 2015 at the McArthur Island Sport and Event Centre in Kamloops, British Columbia, Canada.

This information is collected under the authority of the Personal Information Protection Act. It is required to register you in the Academy. Organization of events requires that names may appear on posted lists and printouts. Names/images of participants may be published on boards, websites, media, newsletters and promotional material. Alternative contact and medical information will only be used in a medical emergency. If you have questions about the collection of or use of this information, contact the Event Organizer at 250.300.9908 or by email at chris.acton@speed-skating.bc.ca.

Witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal;

THIS _____ DAY OF _____, 2015

SKATER SIGNATURE: _____

PARENT'S SIGNATURE (if the skater is under 18): _____