

MEMORANDUM

To	Eastern Ontario Section Clubs
Date	January 21, 2011
Reference	2011 – 2012 Interclub Competitions

The EOS Board of Directors, in part, to support Skate Canada's Long Term Athlete Development Plan is in the process of restructuring the Competition format for the 2011-2012 season.

Given that LTAD promotes skill development under their Learn to Skate & Learn to Train categories (CanSkate through Preliminary) the Board has determined that part of the first phase of restructuring will see our Interclub events realigned so that for the 2011-2012 season there will only be one Interclub Competition per Region across the Section.

The Section Region Reps will work with the Clubs in their Region to develop a plan of action especially for those Interclubs that incorporated clubs from more than one region.

It is recommended that for the 2011–2012 Season Clubs should still follow the hosting rotation for their Interclubs. With respect to Regions One, Two & Three who in the past hosted Victoria Brock, Shining Waters & Trent Interclubs that bridged more than one Region, we suggest that you follow the rotation established by the Interclubs specific to each Region in the past, i.e., Toni Carr Interclub for Region One, PineRidge Interclub for Region Two and Trillium Interclub for Region Three. Region Five who have never hosted an Interclub before will have to liaise with their Region Rep to decide who should bid for the event for 2011/12. Regions Four and Six already have a rotation in place.

The type of events to be held at the new Interclubs will be included on the Sanction Application Form and the recommendation and approval process for the competition sanctions will remain the same – through the Championship Meeting in April. The deadline for submission of the application will be the end of March 2011. We are also hoping to develop an Interclub Announcement template for sanctioned clubs to use.

Attached to this Memo is a document listing the Clubs per region as well as a list showing the Interclub listing for 2010/11.

We understand that many of the Interclubs will have Trophies and medals that will have to be written off; however, with the change to the new Skate Canada Logo, this is also true at the Section Level with respect to our Section Partnered Events.

Further information regarding the changes to the Competition Structure will be made available as they are developed.

If you have any questions or concerns please contact your Region Rep who will then bring them to the attention of the Section Board.

Yours in skating,



Ann Monaghan
EOS Championship Chair