

# NFSA Awards Criteria

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## **CanSkater of the Year (For each 4 sessions):**

- Talent and skill achievement coupled with passion for skating. These skaters will have the desire to continue and succeed in skating

## **CanSkate Champions (For each 4 sessions):**

- “Spirit of a Champion” – demonstrate the values of determination, discipline, perseverance, and a positive attitude
- Personal achievement or accomplishments. The skater embodies the qualities considered to be the essence of skating – commitment, perseverance and dedication.
- Physical fitness. The skater pursues an active lifestyle off-ice, gaining the physical literacy needed to enhance their on-ice skating skills and abilities.

## **Powerskater of the Year Award (For Pre-Power 2 sessions, Junior, Senior and Sessions):**

- Talent and skill achievement coupled with passion for skating. These skaters will have the desire to continue and succeed in skating

## **STARSkater of the Year Award (For each Pre-Junior, Junior, Intermediate and Senior):**

- Talent and skill achievement coupled with passion for skating. These skaters will have the desire to continue and succeed in skating

## **STARSkate Spirit of Skating Awards (For each Pre-Junior, Junior, Intermediate and Senior):**

- “Spirit of a Champion” – demonstrate the values of determination, discipline, perseverance, and a positive attitude
- Personal achievement or accomplishments. The skater embodies the qualities considered to be the essence of skating – commitment, perseverance and dedication.

- Physical fitness. The skater pursues an active lifestyle off-ice, gaining the physical literacy needed to enhance their on-ice skating skills and abilities

**Most Improved STARSkater Awards (For each Pre-Junior, Junior, Intermediate and Senior):**

- A skater who has demonstrated significant improvement throughout the season.

**Program Assistant of the Year Award:**

- An award for a program assistant who has demonstrated commitment and a passion for volunteering throughout the season.

**Program Assistant Leadership Award:**

- An award for a program assistant who has demonstrated leadership and initiative while volunteering throughout the season.

**NFSA Achievement Award:**

- This high achievement award is presented to the STARSkater who accumulates the most amount of points throughout the regular season. Point values are as follows:(1<sup>st</sup> place is the trophy, 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> place are small tokens)

**TESTS**

<b>Base Values:</b>	Dance	1 point
	Skill	2 points
	Freeskate Part 1	1 point
	Freeskate Part 2	2 points

<b>Weighted Score:</b>	Preliminary	.25
	Jr. Bronze	.25
	Sr. Bronze	.50
	Jr. Silver	.75
	Sr. Silver	.75
	Gold	1.00

<b>Base Value:</b>	Interpretive	1 point
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<b>Weighted Score:</b>	Intro	.25
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Bronze	.50
Silver	.75
Gold	1.00

**Program Assistant Volunteer**                      1 point + # day completed ratio

- Criteria: must have committed to a day per week for the season for 1 point. An additional factor of number of days completed over the skating days will be added.

**Competitions**

**Base value:** for each competition                      1 point

**Weighted Score:**

1st place	.75
2nd place	.50
3rd place	.25