

HONORARY MEMBERSHIP

PURPOSE

The purpose of awarding honorary membership is to give recognition to a person for distinguished achievement or service to skating.

1. ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

- a. A nominee for honorary membership must have obtained 10 years of service as a Director.
- b. The nominee should, by past performance and behavior, demonstrated his/her adherence to the concepts and principles of the directors "Code of Ethics" and defined by Skate Canada and the Chatham Figure Skating Club Constitution and By-Laws.
- c. The nominee for honorary membership should have made significant contribution to skating by achievements in skating or through public service activities which have benefited the skating community.
- d. The nominee must be committed to continuing service once term as board member is up.

PROCEDURES

1. Nomination and Selection:

- a. Nominations may be submitted by any member of the Chatham Skating Club to the Nominations Committee.
- b. Nominations should include a narrative statement of the nominee's contribution to skating and/or the nature of his/her distinguished service to skating.
- c. The Committee will review all nominations and submit a recommendation to the Board of Directors for final approval.
- d. The Board of Directors, in unusual circumstances, may award an Honorary Membership without review by the Nominations Committee. In such cases, the Board shall subsequently provide to the Nominations Committee a copy of any related materials, used in the decision or presentation of the award, for its records.

2. Award Specifications: A plaque of Honorary Membership will be issued to each recipient. An example would be:

Chatham Figure Skating Club

Presented To

John Smith

In recognition of significant contribution,
and 10 years of service as a Director.

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