

BROCKVILLE - MINI EDGES – Jan. 19th, 2008



In the back: Amy Fedorko and Erin Campbell.

In Front: Laura Gray, Danielle Dziubaniuk, Myhkaila Cushing, Erika Hall, Megan Gagnon and Megan McMullen.

Rideau's young skaters went to Brockville last weekend to compete in the annual Mini Edges Canskate Recreational Competition. This

competition is a great event for the young skaters and was very exciting as many of our skaters were attending their first competition ever.

Our skaters were very successful all around and came home with medals in twenty events, including freeskate, elements, spins, jumps and team events. This gave the Rideau Skating Club an overall fifth place at the event. Among the gold medal winners were Anik Chayko in Canskate Stage 2 Free, Mykhaila Cushing in Canskate Stage 5 Free, Anik Chayko, Evan Hopkins and Megan McMullen in Canskate Stage 1/2 Elements, and Amy Fedorko in Introductory A Elements.

Silver medals came from Vanessa Morin in Stage 4 Free, Jaclyn Morin in Stage 3 Elements, Nadia Chayko and Vanessa Morin in Stage 4 Elements, Michaela Cushing in Stage 5 Elements, Erin Campbell in Introductory B Elements, and Megan Gagnon in Introductory Field Moves and Introductory B Spins. The club also won silver medals in the Stage 2/3, (made up of Anik Chayko, Megan Gagnon, Evan Hopkins and Jaclyn Morin) and the Stage 6/Intro (made up of Danielle Dziubaniuk, Megan Gagnon, Laura Gray and Grace Warren) Team Elements.

Third place medals went to Jaclyn Morin in Stage 3 Free, Megan Gagnon and Grace Warren in Introductory B Free, and another to Grace Warren in Introductory B Jumps.

Fourth place finishers included Nadia Chayko in Stage 4 Free, Erin Campbell and Gillian Campbell in Intro B Free, Danielle Dziubaniuk in both Introductory A Spins and Introductory A Jumps, and the Stage 4/5 Team Elements (made up of Nadia Chayko, Mykhaila Cushing and Vanessa Morin).

Congratulations to all our skaters on their strong performances.

The next big event for the Club is the annual E.O.S.I.C. Competition to be held Feb 15th-17th in Napanee. This is the biggest event of the year for many StarSkaters, and are very busy getting ready for it.