



OFSC Newsletter

“For Fun, Fitness & Achievement”

Year-End Family Skating Party

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Check OFSC Bulletin Boards for ongoing

Information.

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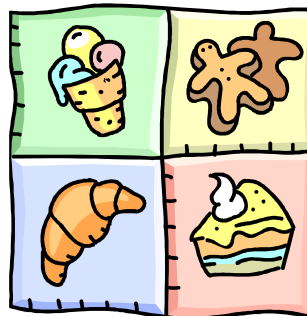
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It hardly seems possible that we are in our last month of the skating season. What better way to celebrate the completion of another super year, than to have a **Family Skating Party!** The party will be held on **Wednesday, March 24th from 4:00–4:45p.m.** on the main ice surface. All **Pre-CanSkate and Can-Skate** skaters and their families are welcome to attend. We would really like Monday skaters to join us as well! Report cards

will be handed out during this time as this is the last skating day for these programs.

After the skating party, we invite everyone to join us upstairs in the concourse for treats and juice. This is where we need your help—we are asking parents to supply **one plate of cookies, squares, muffins or whatever.** The club will be supplying the juice for everyone.



While everyone is enjoying the goodies, we ask that parents attend the **ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING**

which will take place in the concourse. Our program assistants will be on hand to supervise the little ones while the parents have a **VERY** short, but important meeting. We aim to be done in half an hour or less! At the **AGM** you can pick up your child’s carnival photo.

We are currently seeking volunteers to sit on the club’s executive for next year. Please consider helping us out and having lots of fun at the same time. Thanks for your support in advance!



Ice Show “Spirit of the Olympics” is HERE!

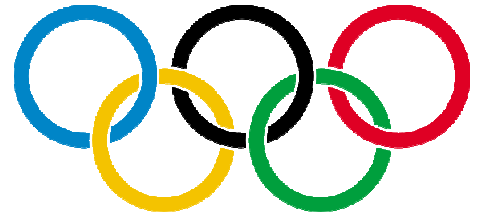
If you haven't already done so, Mark your calendars:

Monday, March 15th is DRESS REHEARSAL AND PHOTO Night!

Sunday, March 21st- is the BIG DAY!

*Carnival is from 2:00 p.m.-4:00 p.m- ALL skaters are asked to be at the arena by 1:30 p.m.

*Decorating will occur from 12:00-1:00 p.m



1. Skating Groups



OFSC Minutes

Any club member wishing to receive OFSC meeting minutes, can contact Lisa Bauer at 556- 8623

Skate Group	Theme	Group Parent
CanSkate 1&2	Team Work (Chitty, Chitty Bang Bang)	Krystal Hodge
CanSkate 3&4	The Hockey Song (Stompin' Tom)	Kim Fedeshyn
CanSkate 5&6	Reach (Gloria Estefan)	Sue Lawton
StarSkate Jr./Int.	Winter Games (1988 Olympics)	Diane Wolf
StarSkate Int./Sr.	Believe (2010 Olympics)	Tietzia Huyzer

***All skaters will be involved in the Opening and Closing Ceremony Skate.

Items required for these numbers include the following:

- * A Canada fleece/hoodie (preferable red&white)
- * Black top and bottoms
- * A flashlight (labeled with family name)

Please make sure your skater(s) have these items for the March 15th DRESS REHEARSAL!!! All other costuming items will be taken care of by the GROUP PARENT!

Carnival Update (con't)

2. Group Parents-These are the people that will get you organized for the main event. Your group parent will be contacting you this week to provide you with information regarding costumes, and rehearsal time. Groups and group names will be posted on the OFSC bulletin board at the bottom of the stairs.

3. Dress Rehearsal and Ice Show Photos- Monday, March 15th

The following is our schedule for dress rehearsal, we ask that you have your child(ren) at the rink in enough time to change into costumes and be ready for practice and photos.



Group Name	On Ice Practice	Photo Time	Finale Practice
CanSkate 1&2	4:10 p.m.	3:45 p.m.	4:30 p.m.
CanSkate 3&4	4:30 p.m.	4:10 p.m.	3:45 p.m.
CanSkate 4&5	3:45 p.m.	4:30 p.m.	4:10 p.m.
StarSkate Jr/Int.	TBA	5:00 p.m.	TBA
StarSkate Int/Sr.	TBA	5:20 p.m.	TBA

*Do you have
your
red/white
Canada
fleece or
hoodie yet?*

The Ice Show team will be using the group photos for the production of the "Spirit of the Olympics" program. Each child will receive a group photo and an individual pose, in costume, as a memento. Please note the cost of these photos have been included in your registration fee. We are thankful to Tim Kelly Photography for providing his services to our club once again.

- ◆ **CANSKATE parents** please ensure your little skater remains for the ENTIRE program. We have an exciting Finale planned that will require ALL of our skaters participation.

Carnival Update (con't)

4. Sugar Rose Floral Studio will be AT the ICE SHOW to offer, for purchase, a variety of flower gifts for your special skater(s). This is a special way to recognize their hard work in preparing for the carnival.

5. Any parent wishing to take pictures of their child(ren) during the ice show, do so at the SOUTH side of the rink, near the exit. Unfortunately, it is difficult to coordinate the groups of skaters with extra people in the ice

entrance area. Thank you for your attention to detail.

6. Decorating- Preparing the ice and arena for Carnival is a very large task.

Your carnival co-chairs are seeking ANY assistance on the day of the event and prior to, to make sure we are 'Olympic Ready.' A work bee will be taking place on Saturday, March 13th at Horizon School in Jamie Petersen's classroom. We will be

enlarging and painting some images to cover the boards. Work will go from 10:00 a.m-12:00 p.m., coffee and snacks will be provided if you can be enticed by food!!! The day of carnival we have a tight timeline in which to transform the space, regardless of whether you require hours or not, we would love as many hands on deck as possible from 12:00-1:00 p.m. and once again at the end of the

event. We are grateful for all the people who can turn out to make this year's Ice Show a great success.

If you have any further questions or concerns regarding the Ice Show, please do not hesitate to call either one of the Co-Chairs:

Jamie Petersen (556-6913) or Jennifer Isaac (559-8410)

OFSC Carnival

Mar. 21st

2p.m.

Olds Arena



Coming Events



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We're on the Web
www.oldsfigureskatingclub.com

Mar. 12 & 13/10 Casino Fundraiser in Red Deer

Mar. 15/10 OFSC Carnival Dress Rehearsal @ Arena

Mar. 19/10 High/Low Test Day @ Airdrie

Mar. 21/10 Olds Figure Skating Club Carnival 2 p.m. Main Ice

Mar.24/10 OFSC Annual General Meeting 5 p.m. @ Arena

Mar.24/10 Last Day of skating for PreCanSkate and CanSkate Programs

Mar. 24/10 Family Skating Party 4:00–4:45 p.m. on Main Ice

Apr. 9 -11/10 Chinook Invitational Competition @ Lethbridge

Apr. 16/10 High/Low Test Day @ Olds

Apr.23 - 25/10 Spring Sunsational Invitational @ Edmonton

Apr. 25/10 Spring Tea and Fashion Show 1 p.m. @ Olds Evergreen Centre

Spring Tea and Fashion Show

Set aside the afternoon of **April 25th** to get together with friends and family at the Olds Figure Skating Club's:

“Spring Tea and Fashion Show”
1 p.m.

Olds Evergreen Centre

Tickets for this fundraiser/year end celebration are \$10.00 each, which includes: tea/coffee, taste of sandwiches & desserts and last but certainly not least—an entertaining fashion show! The models for the fashion show will be Olds Figure Skating Club's very own StarSkate

members! These fun-loving and energetic girls will be modeling fashions from local merchants so come out and support them in their “debut”.

