



STARSkate

WELCOME NEWSLETTER

~ FALL 2018 ~

Welcome to the 2018/2019 STARSkate Session!

Hello IESC members and happy new skating season to everyone! We hope your summer was fabulous and fun with friends and family. We are excited to help your child learn to skate with our certified Skate Canada Programs and Coaches!

Thank you for being a part of the STARSkate Program!

STARSkate Summer Camp

Our STARSkate Summer Camp in August was a great success! Thanks to the volunteers, coaches and our PA's for making the program happen! The skaters had fun and got their ice legs back before the start of the 2018/2019 Season!



News to Note

- We have Sunday ice available for our STARSkaters! Visit our website to register for these spots!
- We still have openings for our Wednesday am ice! Please visit our website to register.
- We are excited to announce we will be placing orders for club jackets! Please keep an eye open for how to order your club jacket with embroidery.
- Coach Heather is booking goal setting meetings with STAR parents. These meetings are not required, but they are a great way to build the coach/parent relationship and also understand what your skater will be working on over the year.

IMPORTANT DATES

SEPTEMBER

- 14 First day CanSkate Friday
- 16 First Day CanSkate Sunday
- 10 JR STARSkate Start
- 11 SR STARSkate Start
- 19 Start of Wed morning ice
- 21 Start of Fri morning ice
- 24 JR STARSkate Parent Meeting 6:00pm, Spartan Room/Bond Cheques Due
- 25 SR STARSkate Parent Meeting 6:00pm, Spartan Room/Bond Cheques Due
- 28 Lethbridge Invitational PreJuv &up
- 31 Halloween!!!

OCTOBER

- 5 No classes
- 5 Friday AM class still running!
- 9 NO Classes
- 21 Photo day

NOVEMBER

- 9 No Classes
- 11 No Classes
- 16 Pub Night Fundraiser at the Brewhouse!!!
- 23-25 St Albert Competition Star 1&up
- 30 No CanSkate
- 30 Friday AM class still running!

DECEMBER

- 2 No Classes
- 7-9 Okotoks Competition Star 1&up
- 14 Last day Friday CanSkate
- 16 Last day Sunday CanSkate
- 22-7 Christmas Break

JANUARY

- 7 Classes Resume
- 9 Energizer
- 11 Friday CanSkate Begins
- 13 Sunday CanSkate Begins
- TBD-Bottle Drive
- TBD-Winter Fundraiser Launch

FEBRUARY

- 8-10 Rocky Mtn House Comp Star1&up
- 9 Calgary Special Olympics
- 18 No Classes
- 20 No Wed AM Class

MARCH

- 1-3 Lethbridge Competition Star 1 &up
- 1 No Classes
- 3 No Classes
- 20 Last Wed AM Ice
- 22 Last Fri AM Ice
- 22 Last Fri CanSkate
- 24 Last Sun CanSkate
- 27 Last day of JR STARSkate
- 28 Last day of SR STARSkate

WELCOME TO ICE EDGE SKATING CLUB

** Parent viewing is available in the bleacher area on the far side of the arena or in the warm viewing area above the rinks. If your child is under 10, you cannot leave the arena without signing a waiver for the season.

Parents are responsible for their children in unsupervised areas. Due to insurance through Skate Canada, parents cannot step onto the ice. Ice Edge is not responsible for stolen or lost items. Ice Edge does not offer make up classes. **



OUR STARSkate Coach Team:

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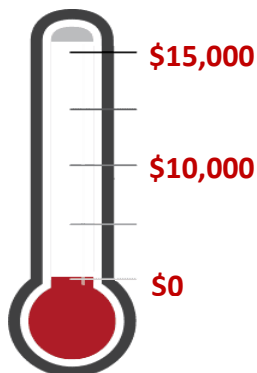


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Fundraising/Volunteering



Our club is a **NONPROFIT SOCIETY** that relies on the support of its members and the community in order to offer these amazing programs for your children! We need your help!

Our fundraising goal this year is \$15,000! Our volunteer roles and current fundraising events are posted on our website. We will also have our fundraising credit values on iceedgeskatingclub.com under parent and

skater information > STARSkate fundraising/Volunteer Program. Feel free to contact our fundraising coordinator for more info: fundraising@iceedgeskatingclub.com

Below is the STARSkate member minimum requirements table for your reference
***Please ensure your bond cheques are submitted ASAP to a board member, or bring to the Parent Meeting September 24,25**

COMMITMENT CATEGORY	MINIMUM REQUIREMENT	BOND CHEQUE \$*	ADDITIONAL INFORMATION
Volunteer Time	3 hours for the first skater and 1.5 hours for each additional skater in the family	ONE(1) \$300 cheque / ONE (1) \$150 cheque for each additional skater in the family.	-Cheques postdated to April.15, 2019
Product Fundraising	\$100 in sales for the first skater and \$50 for each additional skater in the family.	ONE(1) \$100 cheque and ONE(1) \$50 Cheque for each additional skater in the family	-Cheques postdated to April.15, 2019 -Earn product fundraising requirements for donating to our silent auction.
Bottle Drive	One (1) Bottle Drive	\$100 cheque x 1	-Cheques postdated to April.15 -OPT OUT by providing a cheque for \$100 by Jan.14, 2019
Fundraising Event	\$40 in ticket sales for the first skater and \$20 for each additional skater in the family	ONE (1) \$40 cheque and ONE(1) \$20 cheque for each additional skater in the family	-Cheques postdated December 15,2018
AGM Attendance	One (1) parent in attendance each season per family	\$50 cheque x 1	-Cheques postdated to June.25, 2019 -AGM to be held June.24, 2019
Raffle Ticket Sales	Two (2) raffle books for the first skater and 1 raffle book for each additional skater in the family	ONE (1) \$200 Cheque and ONE (1) \$100 Cheque for each additional skater in the family	Cheques postdated March.15, 2019
Program Assistant Time	Attend PA training session and provide program assistance to the CanSkate and PreCanSkate program once per week		Schedule will be agreed to by the Head Coach and the Sr. STARSkaters eligible to participate Training may take place once per Fall and one per Winter on our extra ice o Sunday. Date TBA

Our upcoming fundraising events are:

- We are excited to announce we will be running a **WESTJET** Raffle this Fall. Winner TBA at our PUB Night.
- PUB Night Fundraiser! \$10 a ticket/ includes a beverage! The BEST part, **100%** of proceeds go to **Ice Edge Skating Club!!!**
- Silent auction items would be greatly appreciated to make our Pub Night a HUGE success.
- We are looking for sponsors...if you can secure a sponsor for us, we can use their sponsorship value toward your fundraising requirement! Please contact marketing@iceedgeskatingclub.com

Please visit our website for up to date board contact info, event info, Skate Canada links and updates

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