



# Georgina SC News

Georgina Skating Club

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## October News

### Dates to Remember:

**Happy Thanksgiving:** No skating Oct. 13th.

**October 23rd: Starskate test day**

Your coach will notify you if you are taking a test. Please check bulletin board for test times.

**October 29th: Halloween Party**

This is for all skaters in the Intro and Canskate programs: Please check bulletin board for times.

**Oct. 30th: Halloween Party:**

Pre bronze & bronze Party

**Oct. 31 : Halloween**

No skating in Sutton

**Nov. 22nd & 23rd - Keswick Invitational**

Registration forms are due Oct. 24th .

Please check with coach if you should be entering this event.

No lessons will take place on this weekend

**Nov. 27, 28, & 29th - No skating**

There will only be skating Thursday morning.

### Registration

There are still spaces available in our Intro to Skating and our Canskate programs. If you know of anyone still interested have them contact the office at 905-476-1043 or email [georginaskaing-club@bellnet.ca](mailto:georginaskaing-club@bellnet.ca)

### Volunteers needed!

Please sign up for your volunteer time for the KIS competition. Schedules and jobs have been posted on the bulletin boards. If you have any questions please talk to Sabine Dolby or Julia Wilson

It is imperative that we have volunteers for this event. We cannot do it without you. If you have a skater in the Starskate programs we require that you volunteer at least 4 hours at KIS.

### Message from the President

GSC is proud to be involved with this year's Special Olympic Competition being held Saturday November 29<sup>th</sup> in Alliston.

For our part we are putting together the "loot bags" that skaters receive at registration on the day of the event. We have 100 bags to put together, and are asking you, our membership for help. If you have a connection, or means to obtain a donation of 100 of an item that we can put into the bags, please let us know. We can also accept donations of non-perishable items, such as soups, cereals, cookies, crackers, etc. to help feed the skaters and officials. And last, but not least, an event this special cannot happen without the help of volunteers. If you are interested in volunteering, please let us know.

If you are able to help out in any way for this very worthwhile event, please contact Sabine Dolby at [sabine.dolby@sympatico.ca](mailto:sabine.dolby@sympatico.ca)

Thank you

### Coaches Corner:

When is my skater ready for Figure Skating or Hockey?

The Canskate program teaches all fundamental of skating:

Forwards, backwards, turning, stopping, jumping and spinning. All these skills are required for your skater to move on to the sport of their choice. It is recommended that they finish this program. When they have passed all 6 stages they will have the skills to compete with other athletes in their sport.

We will teach the skills today needed to make the champions of tomorrow.

### Intro to Canskate & Canskate

#### Way to Go!

The coaches are very impressed with your skating. Almost all of our Intro skaters can get up all on their own. You have come a long way in a short time.

#### Canskate

Every week you get faster and stronger  
Keep up the great work.

If you have any questions about these programs please see Julia Wilson

