



# Georgina SC News

Georgina Skating Club

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## Welcome Back!

We hope that everyone had a great summer and enjoyed their time off. We would like to welcome you back and a special welcome to our new members. We have a great season planned for you. Some of the awesome events we have planned are.

Oct—Halloween Party

Dec.— Pancake Breakfast and Family Skate

Feb. - Hearts on Ice Fun competition for all skaters

April—Ice Show

If you have any questions about our club or your session please do not hesitate to ask. You may contact us at.

Phone -905-476-1043

Email: [georginaskatingclub@bellnet.ca](mailto:georginaskatingclub@bellnet.ca)

The coaching staff is also available to assist you in any way.

### 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 [georginaskatingclub@bellnet.ca](mailto:georginaskatingclub@bellnet.ca)

**This is the best place for you child to learn how to skate.**

### Orientation Meetings

Plan to attend your skaters session meeting. It is very important as we will discuss the structure of the session, expectations of the skaters and answer any questions that you may have. Please see the bulletin board for your sessions time and day.

Pre Bronze - Sept. 24 - 6:40 pm

Bronze - Sept 19 - 11:40 am

### Intro and Canskate

This is a very exciting time , many skaters will take the ice for the very first time. We ask that you have patients as each skater develops at their own speed. Our goal for the first few weeks with the beginners is to see them smile and be able to get up all on their own.

**We will be holding information meetings for each session on the second day of their program.**

### Simulation Saturdays

Offered to the Bronze, Silver and Gold skaters. Skaters will have the opportunity to perform their program in a competitive atmosphere. The first simulation will start Oct. 17, 2008 . Each skater will be rotated through a schedule. Skaters will receive a report card after their performance.

### Get The Edge

This program will be offered to skaters by invitation only . This will be for Canskate, Pre Bronze and Bronze skaters. This program will be dedicated to skaters showing a great interest in figure skating with the natural ability for basic skills.

### Silver Off- Ice

**Please note that your off-ice class is from 6:50 - 7:20**

### Ice Show DVD

The DVD is in. If you did not receive yours over registration please see Julia.

### New Coaching staff

We would like to welcome Jennie Marshall , Travis Sherriff—Clayton and Andrea Richards to our coaching staff.

### Revised Schedule:

**Saturday**

**7:30 –8:30 Gold & Diamond**

This schedule will take place until

Oct. 17th

### Coaches Corner:

#### Skating Equipment

Helmets are mandatory for all Intro to Skating levels. We highly recommend that Canskate wear their helmets until they have reached stage four.

Please ensure that your skater has skates that fit properly. They must be able to stand in their skates as they would in their shoes. Proper fitting skates will help in the development of your skater as well as prevent injury.

Starskaters: Please arrive in proper skating attire. All girls with long hair must have it tied back. Skaters will not be able to skate with wide leg pants as it is dangerous. If you have nay questions please see a coach. Come to off ice class with running shoes.