

NORALTA SKATING CLUB

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1st Semester Fall / Winter 2017

RECREATION PROGRAMS

Proudly offering RMWB youth superior Learn To Skate programming for over 40 years.



ALL SESSIONS HELD ON
OUR HOME ARENA MAC 2 @
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Our son began skating at 3 with Noralta and we couldn't have been happier! His skating excelled, especially when they introduced a Power Skating program for preschoolers. He did the entire program as well as skated in the evening sessions, eventually wearing out his instructors!! Our 4 years with Noralta was time and money well spent as our son is now an excellent skater which makes playing hockey and ringette so much easier for him!

The Boe Family

What We Do

Noralta offers learn to skate programs for most age levels and all skill levels—Three years old and up.

- Pre CanSkate—For our youngest skaters (beginning at 3 years old) - this is for 3-5 year olds and is their introduction to skating—done through play, repetition and fun!
- CanSkate—Skate Canada's *Learn To Skate* program—this is for ages 5 & Up; the foundation for all skating sports—figure skating, hockey, ringette. All fundamentals of skating will be taught—*Forward, Backward, Stop, Turn* etc taught in stages. Ribbons/Badges/Report Cards awarded at the conclusion of each semester.



Our story

Noralta is the *only* Learn To Skate and Figure Skating club in the Regional Municipality of Wood Buffalo. We have been offering superior quality programs for over 40 years to Fort McMurray youth. There are programs for everyone, 3 years old and up!

Noralta's programs are taught by Nationally Certified Professional Coaches. Our competitive figure skaters, give back to their sport by *assisting* on our Pre CanSkate and CanSkate programs as Program Assistants, passing on their love of the sport to the youth of Fort McMurray!

Whether a future figure skating superstar, hockey/ringette or just want to learn how to skate for the fun of it, we are your first stop!

Proud Member of:





Recreation Class Structure

- Pre CanSkate classes are 1/2 hour classes *once* per week.
- Pre CanSkate classes are held on the last 1/3 of MAC 2
- CanSkate classes are 1 hour classes *two* times per week.
- CanSkate classes are held on the same ice as the Pre CanSkate, on the remaining 2/3 of the ice. Skaters are grouped according to last ribbon (s) or badge(s) successfully passed OR skill level. *Not by age.*

What To Wear?

- All skaters are required to wear a **CSA approved hockey helmet**. NO bike helmets will be permitted. Face *shield* or *cage* is recommended, especially for our Pre CanSkaters. *Skaters will not be permitted on the ice without a helmet.*
- Skaters are required to wear skates (*avoid the plastic molded skates*) - hockey, beginner figure skate or recreation boot mix are recommended
- Please ensure you have taken your skater's skates to be sharpened before class. (*Habitual Sports or SportChek*)
- Dress your skater in light layers— snow or splash pants; mitts; hoody or light jacket.

PROGRAMS & FEES—

September 26 — December 21

Pre CanSkate A—Tuesdays 6:15pm **\$294 (12 classes)**

Pre CanSkate B—Tuesdays 6:45pm **\$294 (12 classes)**

Pre CanSkate C—Thursdays 6:15pm **\$269.50 (11)**

Pre CanSkate D—Thursdays 6:45pm **\$269.50 (11)**

Pre CanSkate E—H—Saturdays. Not being offered this semester due to limited ice available.

CanSkate 1 \$392

Tuesdays (6:15pm) & Saturdays (8:45am)
17 classes

CanSkate 2 \$392

Thursdays (6:15pm) & Saturdays (10:00am)
16 classes

Sessions begin the week of September 26 on your designated day and time of the week.

A **\$35.65 Skate Canada** fee will be required at the time of registration. *All Noralta skaters are required to be members of Skate Canada, our governing body.*



ICE SHOW!

We are so excited to be doing another December ice show this year. Each year, Noralta's Ice Shows are a **celebration**; bringing skaters and **community** together under one roof and it will be even more so this year. Noralta is a very proud community member, we **love** the work we do with local youth on the ice each season and are excited to showcase them again this year.

THEME: **Wizard of Oz**

SAVE THE DATES: *December 14, 15 & 16.*

More information will be forthcoming from the Ice Show Chairs—*Melanie Schneider & Mitchell Kennedy* during the start weeks of class!

All registered skaters will perform on a designated night with their class!

Fundraising Requirement—

CanSkate 1 & CanSkate 2

Each semester, our recreation skaters are required to fulfill a Fundraising or Volunteer requirement. It is part of your registration process. ***This semester we will be selling Purdy's chocolate for our Spring fundraiser.***

Option 1: Each member will sell ONE case of delicious Purdy's chocolate bars; cost during registration is **\$200**. SELL your chocolate and recoup all funds paid out.

OR

Option 2: You may choose a Buy Out. A Buy Out means you are waiving the above fundraising obligation; cost during registration is **\$150**.

EVERY CanSkate member MUST choose one of the above options . Click YES to only one of the options when prompted during the online registration process. Whichever you choose, fees will be payable at the time of registration.

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