

Multiple important issues, please review carefully...

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### **1. Email Issues**

As many of you are aware, we are having technical issues with our email system. This is through our registration provider, and they are aware of the issue and investigating.

In the meantime, we will try to post to our Facebook Page with any important updates.

We also ask you to inform any skating families when you receive an important email. All updates are via the website, so if your checking the web regularly you will have access to the information as we release it.

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### **2. Club Logo**

Effective immediately, there is to be absolutely no unauthorized use of Noralta Skating Club's LOGO. In the future, any unauthorized use of our logo will constitute a copy right infringement.

There is no longer to be any use of Noralta's club logo in any way, for individuals or personal use.

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### **3. Club Gear**

We are currently working to develop a new line of club clothing that will be available to all members and their families in fall 2018. More information will be released soon.

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### **4. Spring - Skater Level**

As skaters are retiring this spring, we have coaching availability in some advanced levels of our figure skating programs.

A few selected skaters may be moving into different programs. Your coach will inform you directly if they would like your skater to transition into a different program, otherwise all skaters should plan to be in the same program in spring 2018.

Any skater moving into a different program is at the sole discretion of the Director of Operations in consultation with our full time staff.

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### **5. June - Guest Instructor Seminar**

We are planning to bring in a guest instructor on June 9 and 10 for a special guest coach seminar. Please make plans to attend, this is a huge learning opportunity. More information will be released as we get it.

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### **6. Summer - Program Questions**

We have had many questions about summer skating. A few are answered below...

"How are we deciding who gets accepted into summer school if there are too many wanting to skate?"

All skaters will be considered, but acceptance will depend on several factors. Main priority will go to skaters doing all 5 weeks of summer skating. Other factors to be considered will be who can best progress given the opportunity, commitment level to all yearly skating activities including dryland training and competitions, ability to succeed at higher levels of skating, and coaching availability considering we are trying to hire additional coaches specifically for summer.

The Director of Operations in consultation with the staff will have final approval of summer skating registration.

"Is the schedule final?"

The schedule is still open to change, but we currently have no plans to do so. Depending on registration numbers we could look at making changes in the future. If this happens we will inform membership as soon as humanly possible.

"What about dryland training for Intermediate Session and Senior Session?"

We are planning to have a separate dryland session through ASDC at Keyano. This will be an option for skaters in the Intermediate and Senior sessions for summer school, and will be very strongly encouraged by your coaches.

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Regards,

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Noralta Skating Club