



RECREATION FALL 2024

DATES TO NOTE, FAQ

Pre CanSkate A thru H CanSkate 1, 2, & 3

*****IMPORTANT*****

Please make note of the following dates for Fall 2024 Sessions. All cancellation dates listed below have already been taken into account in your skater's fees as they were 'known' dates at the time of your registration; members were NOT charged for these dates.

SEPTEMBER Classes:

- **September 5th – Startup date for Thursday Classes – PreCanSkate G/H and CanSkate 3**
- **September 10th – Startup date for Tuesday Classes - PreCanSkate C/D and CanSkate 1**
- **September 11th – Startup date for Wednesday Classes - PreCanSkate E/F and CanSkate 2**
- **September 14th – Startup date for Saturday Classes – PreCanSkate A/B**
- Monday, September 30th – Truth and Reconciliation Day – Club Closed – No classes

OCTOBER Classes:

- **October 3rd – Startup date for Thursday classes – PreCanSkate G/H and CanSkate 3**
- **October 8th – Startup date for Tuesday classes – PreCanSkate C/D and CanSkate 1**
- **October 9th – Startup date for Wednesday classes – PreCanSkate E/F and CanSkate 2**
- Saturday, October 12th – Club Closed for Thanksgiving Weekend – No Classes
- Monday, October 14th – Thanksgiving Day – Club Closed – No classes
- **October 19th – Startup date for Saturday classes – PreCanSkate A/B**
- Thursday, October 31st – Halloween & Sectional Competition – Club Closed – No Classes

NOVEMBER Classes:

- **November 5th – Startup date for Tuesday classes – PreCanSkate C/D and CanSkate 1**
- **November 6th – Startup date for Wednesday classes – PreCanSkate E/F and CanSkate 2**
- **November 7th – Startup date for Thursday classes – PreCanSkate G/H and CanSkate 3**
- Saturday, November 9th – Remembrance Day Weekend - No Classes
- Monday, November 11th – Remembrance Day – Club Closed – No Classes
- Saturday, November 23rd – No Classes
- Saturday, November 30th – No Classes

September Schedule of Class Dates

SEPTEMBER			
PRECAN A/B	PRECAN C/D	PRECAN E/F	PRECAN G/H
<u>Saturdays</u>	<u>Tuesdays</u>	<u>Wednesdays</u>	<u>Thursdays</u>
September 14	September 10	September 11	September 5
September 21	September 17	September 18	September 12
September 28	September 24	September 25	September 19
October 5	October 1	October 2	September 26

SEPTEMBER		
CANSKATE 1	CANSKATE 2	CANSKATE 3
<u>Tuesdays</u>	<u>Wednesdays</u>	<u>Thursdays</u>
September 10	September 11	September 5
September 17	September 18	September 12
September 24	September 25	September 19
October 1	October 2	September 26

October Schedule of Class Dates

OCTOBER			
PRECAN A/B	PRECAN C/D	PRECAN E/F	PRECAN G/H
<u>Saturdays</u>	<u>Tuesdays</u>	<u>Wednesdays</u>	<u>Thursdays</u>
October 19	October 8	October 9	October 3
October 26	October 15	October 16	October 10
November 2	October 22	October 23	October 17
November 16	October 29	October 30	October 24

OCTOBER		
CANSKATE 1	CANSKATE 2	CANSKATE 3
<u>Tuesdays</u>	<u>Wednesdays</u>	<u>Thursdays</u>
October 8	October 9	October 3
October 15	October 16	October 10
October 22	October 23	October 17
October 29	October 30	October 24

November Schedule of Class Dates

NOVEMBER		
PRECAN C/D	PRECAN E/F	PRECAN G/H
<u>Tuesdays</u>	<u>Wednesdays</u>	<u>Thursdays</u>
November 5	November 6	November 7
November 12	November 13	November 14
November 19	November 20	November 21
November 26	November 27	November 28

NOVEMBER		
CANSKATE 1	CANSKATE 2	CANSKATE 3
<u>Tuesdays</u>	<u>Wednesdays</u>	<u>Thursdays</u>
November 5	November 6	November 7
November 12	November 13	November 14
November 19	November 20	November 21
November 26	November 27	November 28

December Schedule of Class Dates

DECEMBER ICE SHOW PRACTICES			
CanSkate and PreCanSkate (Separate registration - TBA)			
<u>Mondays</u>	<u>Tuesdays</u>	<u>Wednesdays</u>	<u>Thursdays</u>
December 2	December 3	December 4	October 3
December 9	December 10	December 11	December 12
Ice Show on December 13, 14 and 15			

**If your child wants to participate in the Ice Show,
please watch for the registration to be posted in November.**

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

1. **How many classes do I get?** (How come there are days when there are no classes?) *Each Pre CanSkate session for Fall Semester is 4 classes each month; however, there are almost always holidays or other user group Special Events that interrupt our ice time. When we calculate fees for each semester, any reduction in classes is accounted for.*
2. **Are the classes above going to be made up?** *Classes noted as not running were known so there is no necessity to make up the classes. Families did not pay for these classes in their registration.*
3. **When is next registration?** *Winter classes will register in mid-December 2024. Online as usual. Please watch the front page of the website (or your email) for the official opening date. All current members will also receive a few 'reminder' emails. You **MUST** Opt-IN to receive our emails to receive important emails from us.*
6. **Do I have to do Fundraising?** *NO Fundraising is required for our Recreation Families.*
7. **Who do I approach with questions regarding class?** *The PROFESSIONAL COACHES (Ben, Tania, Lynn, Christine, or Julie) who are on the ice with your skater. Please do not ask our Assistants. Please ask your questions before or after class or via email to noraltacoaches@shaw.ca*
8. **Is there a place to watch my skater?** *All parents must sit in the stands or you are also permitted to stand by the end of rink (closest to the Leisure Ice). **No one is permitted to sit in the player's boxes.***
9. **Can I leave the rink while my child is in class?** *Parents (or a guardian) must be in the arena watching their skater during class; for bathroom breaks, emergencies etc. **Please do not leave the arena while your child is on the ice.***
10. **Where can I get my skater ready?** *Skaters can get ready for class in the assigned Locker Rooms. When coming to Arena 1 (MAC 1), you will enter the double doors and make a right turn right away to go down the locker room hallway. **There is a whiteboard on the left-hand side of the hallway that is for Arena 1. We are always ASSIGNED a locker room (or 2). Look for your skater's name on the Dressing Room Doors. Please ONLY use the locker room assigned to your skater.** Your skater can indeed enter the ice from the locker rooms. Pre CanSkate, also use the Locker Room assigned.*
11. **What do I wear?** *All skaters must have a CSA approved hockey helmet. **NO BIKE HELMETS**, no exceptions. All skaters must have their own skates (we do not rent). Make sure your skates are sharpened (Sk8 Lab here at MacDonald Island or SportChek). All skaters are encouraged to wear layers (Pre CanSkate, wear splash pants or snow pants to keep your little ones dry). Pre CanSkater's should have a mask on their helmet (cage or clear), and mitts.*

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