



OFSC Newsletter

“For Fun, Fitness & Achievement”



chocolate! Here is some of the fun captured by our roving reporter.

Family Christmas Party

December 20th found many of our skaters and their families on the main ice surface for the annual “Skate With Santa”. It was so cool that Santa took time out of his very busy schedule to enjoy a few laps around the ice with

everyone! A big thank you goes out to SANTA and all of the helpers who put the event together. Thanks also to those parents who brought the yummy goodies we shared afterwards and Tim Horton’s who donated the hot

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Check OFSC Bulletin Boards for ongoing Information.

1. Auxiliary Ice Viewing Area
2. Lower Arena Hallway
3. Upstairs Entrance

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www.oldsfigureskatingclub.com



Olds Figure Skating Club has a locked drop-box located downstairs in the Arena across from the office. This box can be used for comments or concerns, dropping off registration forms, payments and any other communications that may come up throughout the year.

StarSkate Talent Night

Looking for an evening of awesome skating entertainment? Then we have the ideal event for you!

Come out to:

Talent Night
Monday, Jan. 17/11
6:30 - 8:30 p.m.
Main Ice Surface



OFSC hosts STARSkate Talent Night for two reasons: first of all, it provides the STARSkate athletes with the opportunity to perform their solos in front of an audience before they go on to competitions and test days. This can be a daunting task for figure skaters, so it is important that they are able to run through their programs in a low-key, familiar setting first. Secondly, not all of the STARSkaters get the opportunity

to perform a solo at the Carnival due to time limitations. So Talent Night gives everyone the chance to shine and show the community their skills, the effort and the hard work they've put into perfecting their solos.

The STARSkaters can perform Interpretive, Freeskate, Dance, Skills or Elements solos at Talent Night. The solos range from 1-3 minutes,

depending on the stream and the level of the skater.

Talent Night is free to the Public with a silver collection available. There will also be a skater gift draw and 50/50 sales. Please mark this date on your calendar and come out and support our local athletes in their quest for fun, fitness and achievement!



OFSC Minutes

Any club member wishing to receive

OFSC meeting minutes, can contact

Tietsia Huyzer at 556-3420



Volunteer Hours

Don't forget that we will also be looking for volunteers to help with our annual Carnival on March 20th. Lots to look forward to!!

Edge of Excellence Competition



The countdown is on to the **Edge of Excellence** Funskate Competition to be held in Olds, January 28 & 29th!

Hard-working volunteers have been out in our community collecting donations of all kinds to help support our competition. We appreciate their time and efforts! We also appreciate the support of our community's businesses which have so generously donated to our competition.

There will be **many** volunteer jobs to do on the actual days of the competition! We need

each family to check the upstairs bulletin board for the volunteer sign-up lists. On these lists you will find many open shifts for a variety of jobs—anything from working at the raffle table to being an ice captain (checking in and directing skaters in their dressing rooms as well as to the correct ice surface for their events) to announcing the skaters during the competition and **MANY, MANY** more jobs. Please sign up for the ones that interest you. Remember that Moms, Dads, Grandma's, Grandpa's, friends, etc. can all help you to fulfill your volunteer commitment and at the same time, help out the club.

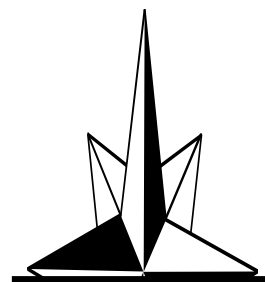
Our competition Volunteer Coordinator is Rosemary Parrott and she will be contacting you once you have signed up for your shifts. She will be meeting volunteers when they arrive at the arena for their shifts on

Jan.28 & 29th, at the registration desk. This desk will be located just inside the second set of doors in the Arena concourse. She will then direct you to the correct location for your job.

If you have any questions about the jobs listed on the volunteer schedule, please feel free to call either Rosemary 507-8870, Shannon Powell 556-8518 or Shannon Mertens 556-1373. There is a list of "job descriptions" posted on the upstairs bulletin board as well.

Thanks in advance for your assistance in hosting the FunSkate Competition. Your time and efforts are what make it possible for our club to keep registration costs down in the seasons to come.

Shannon Powell
Shannon Mertens
Competition
Co-Chairs



To keep up to date visit these web sites!

**Skate Canada
Alberta/NWT/
Nunavut**

www.skateabnwtun.com

Skate Canada
www.skatecanada.ca

Use your Skate Canada membership number to Log In to Members Only Area!

**Remember to
Have your child's
Skates sharpened regularly—
Especially if
They have been
Skating since the
Fall session.
They will be much more successful on the ice!**

***You can donate your
bottles to OFSC at
the bottle depot!
Just leave your
bottles in our
marked bin.***

Coming Events



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We're on the Web
www.oldsfigureskatingclub.com

- ♦ Jan. 5/11 First Day of Winter Session for STARSkate program
- ♦ Jan. 10/11 First Day of Winter Session for CanSkate and PreCanSkate programs
- ♦ Jan. 13/11 OFSC Executive Mtg. @ 7:15 p.m. @ Patsy Ann's
- ♦ Jan. 17/11 Talent Night 6:30 - 8:30 p.m. Main Ice
- ♦ Jan. 28 & 29/11 Edge of Excellence Competition in Olds
- ♦ Jan. 31/11 High/Low Test Day in Sylvan Lake
- ♦ Feb. 17/11 Low Test Day in Innisfail
- ♦ Feb.22/11 High/Low Test Day in Delia
- ♦ Mar. 10/11 Low to Sr. Bronze Test Day in Wetaskiwin
- ♦ Mar. 14/11 OFSC Carnival Dress Rehearsal @ Arena
- ♦ Mar. 20/11 Olds Figure Skating Club Carnival 2 p.m. Main Ice
- ♦ Mar. 21/11 High/Low Test Day in Airdrie
- ♦ April 15 or 16/11 Test Day in Olds

OFSC Executive 2010-2011



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Thanks ladies for all your efforts!

