

DECEMBER 2016

Red Deer Skating Club

STRUT YOUR STUFF



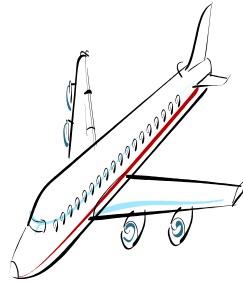
The Red Deer Skating Club is gearing up for the Strut Your Stuff Show. It is an opportunity for the skaters to show off their solo or to do a group number. This show is for the Starskaters. Prestarskaters can participate if they have a solo and receive an invitation from their coach. The event will be held on Friday, December 23rd from approximately 400–6:00PM at the Kinsmen A Arena. There is no cost for this event. Please invite your family and friends. This event is very casual. Sign up on the bulletin board if you are interested.

WESTJET TICKETS

PLEASE PICK UP YOUR TICKETS

Draw date will be MARCH 20TH 2017

Tickets are \$10.00 each or \$100.00 per book. These tickets practically sell themselves. This is the big fundraiser for our club. The expectation is that each family would sell one book. They make an awesome stocking stuffer or teacher gift. The prize is two flights anywhere WestJet flies. There were only 1000 tickets printed. Please contact Patti Somer OR Melissa Materi at (403) 392-8578 tickets.



VOLUNTEERS

Volunteers are the backbone of our club. We truly appreciate all that you do to assist us in making the club and its events enjoyable and rewarding for the skaters!!!

Thanks for all you do!!!

FUN ON ICE

February 10th 12-9pm

Registration forms are due December 19th for our fun competition. We encourage everyone to participate. It is a fun filled event. The children have a chance to show their skills and get a medal on the podium.

TEST DAY NEWS

The **HIGH** test day is set for Monday December 19th from 1130AM-715PM at the Kinsmen A Arena. Please check the bulletin board for a schedule that will be posted later this month. Your coach will also have this information. Please be punctual.

We are still in need of an ice captain to help line the children up to get on and off the ice. And a registration table person to collect the fees. Can you help?

LOW test day is on Thursday December 8th from 4-6PM. We will have a schedule posted shortly with specific times,

P.A. PIZZA PARTY

A special evening is planned for our valued P.A.'s. This is our thank-you to all of you who have dedicated your time and effort to the program. A pizza party has been planned for December 15th from 6:30–8:00 pm at the Kinsmen Arena upstairs in the meeting room. Please bring a \$5 gift for an exchange.

The Red Deer Skating Club would like to wish coaches, skaters & parents and the

Executive a very

Merry Christmas and

Happy New Year!!!

A BIG THANK YOU
To Jill Anderson for sponsoring the Red Deer Skating Club and help us qualify for the WestJet tickets .

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PRESTARSKATE

The skaters are welcome to skate Monday and Wednesday for the month on December in preparation for the Carnival. This is a fun time for the children and an opportunity for them to work together.

This months TIP is to be sure your child's hair is pulled back off their face. It will help their balance and they will be able to see where they are going! So buy extra ponytail holders and clips!!!

Program Assistants Needed

If you are 11 years of age or older and would like to help out by assisting the Coaches during Canskate then let us know. The Program Assistant position was developed to provide a volunteer experience for skaters to assist the club with their CanSkate program. There are specific Canskate sessions that you may select to volunteer for. This would be an opportunity to develop your leadership skills. You would be a helper to the coaches. If you have any questions you can contact Jessica : 780.999.4192

UPCOMING EVENTS:

- January 9 Skating Programs start this week
- January 13 & 27 Off Ice
- January 31 Simulation
- February 10 Fun on Ice-- Red Deer
- February 20 No Regular Skating
- February 28 Low Test Day
- March 20 High Test Day
- March 22 Red Deer Skating Seminar

DUSO'S HELPING HAND

Melissa Materi

DUSO'S

**STARSKATER
Emily Thitchener**

PA'S of the MONTH

MADISON DONAGHY
and
NNYA SCHULTZ
and
PHUONG TRAN



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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
				1	2	3 Bingo
4	5 Partnering	6 630 Executive Meeting	7	8 Low Test Day 4-6PM	9 Off Ice 630-730	10
11	12 Christmas Spirit Day	13	14 Christmas Spirt Day	15 630pm PA Pizza Party & Gift Exchange	16 Off Ice 630-730	17
18	19 High Test Day 1130 -700PM	20	21 Last Prestarskate	22	23 Strut Your Stuff	24 Christmas Eve
25 Merry Christmas 	26 Boxing Day	27	28	29	30	31 Happy New Year!!!