

JANUARY 2016 NEWSLETTER

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WELCOME BACK!

Welcome back to all skaters, coaches and parents. We hope that everyone had a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year!

As we gear up for the rest of the season, please continue to read the bulletin board, read the newsletters and check your email. I would also like to ask that if you have had an email change that you update it with the club.



SKATING THROUGH THE DECADES

Our CARNIVAL was a huge success. Thank you to all those people who donated their time and energy. Your efforts are greatly appreciated. And a BIG thanks to all the skaters who participated. You were awesome! And we appreciate all our coaches efforts. Thanks everyone! Remember to return your costumes if you still have them. And congratulations to the winner of the 50/50 draw, Gerri Burge.

Skating Pictures

Email Alicia to sign up for skating pictures:
brittonratk@shaw.ca

You can check out Veronica Moore's website and see some of her amazing work.

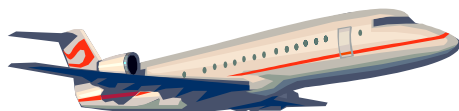
2016 FUN ON ICE

Kinsmen Arena January 29 & 30

Come out and watch the action. This is a great opportunity to support our skaters. We are looking for any DONATIONS people would like to give to our RAFFLE table at the competition. No gift is too small.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

We are in need of volunteers for the Fun On Ice event at the Kinsmen Arena in January. Registration Table, Music Person, MC, Ice Captain, Dressing Room Captain, Raffle Table Workers, Runners, Judges, Podium Presenters. Please let us know how you would like to help out.



DRAW FOR WEST JET TICKETS

We are selling raffle tickets for a **Free Trip for two anywhere WestJet Flies!!!** Be sure to come and buy some tickets. It only takes one to win. We would love to see someone from Red Deer WIN!! The draw will be on March 11, 2016 Tickets are \$10.00 each and there have been only 1000 printed for a chance at 2 tickets wherever WestJet flies!!

BELIEVE YOU CAN AND YOU ARE
HALFWAY THERE....

Theodore Roosevelt

UPCOMING EVENTS & INFO

- JAN 8 NO SKATING
- JAN 18 Simulation
- JAN 22 NO SKATING
- JAN 29&30 Fun On Ice
- FEB 1 & 29 Partnering
- FEB 5 NO SKATING
- FEB 4 Low Test Day
- FEB 8 Skating Pictures
- FEB 15 Spin2win Seminar
- FEB 15 NO SKATING
- FEB 13-16 Alberta Winter Games
- FEB 26-28 Starskate Championships
- MAR 14 High Test Day
- MAR 11-13 Combined Invitational
- MAR-TBA Low Test Day



FROM THE CLUB ADMINISTRATOR

Happy New Year!!!

I hope everyone had a wonderful Christmas and Happy New Year!!!

SPRING SCHOOL

It is already that time to be thinking about spring school. Registration information will be ready the end of February. Spring school will run April and May.

CONGRATULATIONS

The Red Deer Skating Club is proud to announce that **Melissa Materi** is our DUSO HELPING HAND of the month. We appreciate all that you do. And **Zoe Thompson** is our DUSO STARSKATER of the month. Way to go!!!

P.A. CORNER

PROGRAM ASSISTANTS

The club would like to thank all of the skater's who were program assistants this season. Without you, we wouldn't be able to have the number of kids we do! THANK YOU FOR ALL YOUR HARD WORK!

PA of the Month

Congratulations to **Emerson Rose, Dana Im and Nnya Schultz**—our PA's of the month. Great job girls!!

TEST DAYS

TO BE ANNOUNCED. *Please watch bulletin board for schedules and changes. We are planning a Low test on February 4th from 4-6PM and one in March TBA and a High Test on March 14th from 1130-7PM*

PRESTARSKATE CORNER

The Disciplines of Skating:

Free Skate: develops jumps, spins and footwork. When skaters choose to have private lessons they will get a solo with jumps and spins choreographed to music.

Skating Skills: develops turns, edges, power, agility and balance through a series of set pattern exercises.

Dance: develops posture, poise and extension through practicing a set pattern of steps set to music.

Please let us know if you have any questions.

OFF-ICE CLASSES

January 8th – Off Ice Jumping 5-6PM

January 22nd – Sports Phsyc & Nutrition 5-630PM

February 5th – Sports Phsyc & Nutrition 5-630PM

March 18th - Sports Phsyc & Nutrition 5-630PM

Please sign up on the Bulletin Board!!!

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
					1 NEW YEAR'S DAY	2
3	4 WELCOME BACK Programs begin	5	6	7	8 NO SKATING ***** Individual and club photo deadline	9
10	11 EXECUTIVE MEETING 1030 Collicutt	12 Spin2win registration Deadline	13	14	15	16
17	18 Simulation 5-6PM	19	20	21	22 NO SKATING	23
24	25 Tie & Mustache Day	26	27 Tie & Mustached Day	28	29 FUN ON ICE	30 FUN ON ICE ***** Registration deadline for Starskate Championships