









# Learn to Skate- An Achieved Excellence Program!

CANSKATE is a dynamic learn-to-skate program that focuses on fun, participation and basic skill development. Exciting new features include a fresh new look, new awards, great tools for coaches and most importantly a tested and proven new curriculum and delivery methods that develop stronger basic skills and develop them faster. This program also includes specific skills that pertain to hockey, ringette, speed skating and figure skating. As a skate Ontario CanSkate Excellence recognized program, our program is known for implementing best practices in our learn to skate program.

Prerequisite for Summer Camp 2024: Must be able to skate without assistance. Target Age 5-12\* Includes: On-ice sessions with group lessons and Off-ice technical sessions. Skating Camp starts at 9am. Doors open at 8:30am until 4:30pm. Lunch is not provided. 1/2 Day begins at 12:00pm.

Groups	Day	Time	Dates	Fees	Register
Summer Camp	Full Day	9:00am-4:00pm	July 2-5	\$288.00	LINK
Learn to Skate Ages 5-12*	½ Day	12:00pm-4:00pm	July 2-5	\$208.00	<u>LINK</u>
	Full Day	9:00am-4:00pm	July 8-12	\$360.00	<u>LINK</u>
	½ Day	12:00pm-4:00pm	July 8-12	\$260.00	<u>LINK</u>
	Full Day	9:00am-4:00pm	July 15-19	\$360.00	<u>LINK</u>
	½ Day	12:00pm-4:00pm	July 15-19	\$260.00	<u>LINK</u>
	Full Day ½ Day	9:00am-4:00pm 12:00pm-4:00pm	July 22-26 July 22-26	\$360.00 \$260.00	<u>LINK</u> <u>LINK</u>

No skating Monday July 1 Non-Members – Add non-refundable \$25 annual club membership fee and \$58.70 Skate Canada membership/insurance fee. | Skate Canada fee valid from September 1, 2023 to August 31, 2024 |\*Target age indicates, but not limited to, expected age of camp participants.



# RisingSTAR – All-Inclusive (Instruction, Ice Time, Off Ice classes Included in Fee)

RISINGSTAR Skaters participate in a group-based skating session, learning more advanced figure skating specific skills. RisingSTAR is a transitional program that continues developing the basic fundamentals taught in CanSkate and introduces exercises designed to improve edge control, glide, agility, and precision over the blade as the skater progresses into STARSkate.

Prerequisite for Summer Camp 2024: Must be registered in the RisingSTAR program or approved by the Head Coach. Target Age 5-12\* Includes: On-ice sessions with group lessons and Off-ice technical sessions. Skating Camp starts at 9am. Doors open at 8:30am until 4:30pm. Lunch is not provided. 1/2 Day begins at 12:00pm.

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# STAR - All-Inclusive (Instruction, Ice Time, Off Ice classes Included in Fee)

STAR skaters of all ages develop fundamental figure skating skills in the areas of ice dance, skating skills, free skate and artistic skating. Skaters have the opportunity to take Skate Canada Tests through a nationally standardized testing system.

Prerequisite for Summer Camp 2024: Must be registered in the STAR program or approved by the Head Coach. Includes: On-ice sessions with group lessons and Off-ice technical sessions. Skating Camp starts at 9am. Doors open at 8:30am until 4:30pm. Lunch is not provided. 1/2 Day begins at 12:00pm.

Session	Day	Time	Dates	Fees	Register
Summer Camp	Full Day	9:00am-4:00pm	July 2-5	\$288.00	<u>LINK</u>
STAR	½ Day	12:00pm-4:00pm	July 2-5	\$260.00	<u>LINK</u>
	Full Day	9:00am-4:00pm	July 8-12	\$360.00	<u>LINK</u>
	½ Day	12:00pm-4:00pm	July 8-12	\$325.00	LINK
	Full Day	9:00am-4:00pm	July 15-19	\$360.00	<u>LINK</u>
	½ Day	12:00pm-4:00pm	July 15-19	\$325.00	LINK
	Full Day	9:00am-4:00pm	July 22-26	\$360.00	LINK
	½ Day	12:00pm-4:00pm	July 22-26	\$325.00	LINK

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## SR STAR – All-Inclusive (Instruction, Ice Time, Off Ice classes Included in Fee)

*SR STAR* is for skaters who have completed a STAR 3 test and/or have been approved by the Program Director or Head Coach. Skaters work with a private coach to further develop in the areas of ice dance, skating skills, free skate and artistic skating. Skaters have the opportunity to take Skate Canada Tests through a nationally standardized testing system.

Prerequisite for Summer Camp 2024: Must be registered in the SR STAR program or approved by the Head Coach. Includes: On-ice sessions with semi-private, group lessons and Off-ice technical sessions. Skating Camp starts at 12pm. Lunch/Snacks are not provided.

Session	Day	Time	Dates	Fees	Register
Summer Camp SR STAR	½ Day	12:00pm-4:00pm	July 2-5	\$260.00	<u>LINK</u>
	½ Day	12:00pm-4:00pm	July 8-12	\$325.00	<u>LINK</u>
	½ Day	12:00pm-4:00pm	July 15-19	\$325.00	<u>LINK</u>
	½ Day	12:00pm-4:00pm	July 22-26	\$325.00	<u>LINK</u>

Please email office@wtsc.ca for full day, SRSTAR, options.

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#### **Summer Camp RULES AND REGULATIONS:**

WTSC is NOT responsible for any injury, loss, theft, or damage under any circumstances.

#### WTSC CODE OF CONDUCT POLICY AND PROCEDURES

#### REGISTRATION AND REFUNDS:

- All fees are non-refundable. Registration priority will be reserved for WTSC members.
- All skaters must be registered and paid in full prior to their first day of the session with WTSC and Skate Canada. Memberships are non-transferable between skaters and/or sessions. Requests for credits will be considered due to medical reasons, and must be made in writing to the Board of Directors.
- · Gift Certificates and credits have an expiry date of 2 years from date of issue.

#### FEES:

Non-Members – **Add non-refundable \$25 annual club membership fee and \$58.70 Skate Canada membership/insurance fee.** The Skate Canada membership/insurance fee applies to club sessions from September 1, 2023 to August 31, 2024.

#### FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE:

WTSC accepts payment from youth sport assistance programs. Examples are, but not limited to, KidSport Canada and Canadian Tire's JumpStart Program. If you would like to learn more please visit <a href="https://kidsportcanada.ca/">https://kidsportcanada.ca/</a> and <a href="https://iumpstart.canadiantire.ca/">https://iumpstart.canadiantire.ca/</a>

#### SUMMER DISCOUNTS:

- Summer Camp Family Discount: The first highest-cost skater is to be paid in full and then a 15% discount will be applied for each sibling skater thereafter.
- Multi-Day Discount: There are no multi-day discounts from July 2 to August 31, 2024.
- Early bird registration: Register before March 1, 2024 and receive 15% off each summer camp registration

#### SUMMER GUEST FEES & GUEST SKATING:

Guest skaters must receive approval from the Program Director, Head Coach or Club manager and be registered prior to the start of the session. Email office@wtsc.ca for any guest skating request.

### Guest Fees are as follows:

Learn to Skate \$27.00 per session Power Skating \$30.50 per session RisingSTAR/STAR \$28.00 per session SR STAR \$25.50 per session OPEN \$25.50 per session

#### **CLASSIFICATION OF SKATERS:**

• Ice time for each skating activity is allocated according to the ice schedule and the stated classifications of skaters. Skaters may use the ice surface only in accordance with the ice schedules, appropriate sessions, and their paid membership periods.

#### APPAREL:

- Learn to Skate- CSA APPROVED HOCKEY HELMETS ARE MANDATORY FOR ALL SKATERS up to and including CanSkate Stage 5. We recommend that CanSkate members dress warmly, in layers, with a waterproof jacket and waterproof pants and mittens. Snowsuits are not recommended, as they restrict movement. Long coats, scarves and dangling earrings are not permitted.
- STARSkate Suitable skating attire (pants, skirts, dresses, one-piece unitards, leggings, etc.). Long hair should be tied back. Jeans should not be worn on the ice.
- Power Skating A CSA approved hockey helmet required for all participants. Participants must be in hockey skates, **full equipment** and use of hockey/ringette sticks.
- Off-Ice Please bring your own water bottle and make sure you are in proper athletic gear. Bring a sweater or thin jacket on

cooler days. Skates, skate bags, coats, sweaters and other items must not be stored in the club office.

#### SAFETY ON AND OFF THE ICE:

- Whenever on the ice surface, skaters must remain aware of and show due regard for the safety of all other persons on the ice. Any skater misbehaving (racing, tag, rough house) or deliberately interfering with the flow of the session will be removed for the duration of the session. Food and/or beverages must not be taken onto the ice surface, with the exception of water.
- Parents/Guardians/Spectators Parents of skaters 12 and under must be easily accessible during summer skating sessions. Please ensure your phone contact info has been updated in your online account.
- The club's goal is to create a safe, caring environment. Any act or conduct to the detriment of the good of all or contrary to the established standards outlined above and with respect to behaviour and sportsmanship within the Club is not permitted. This includes, but is not limited to, bullying, verbal abuse, intimidation, swearing, insults, sarcasm or harassment.

  Any complaint about the conduct or behaviour of members or concerning the management of the Club shall be made in writing to the Board of Directors and must be signed by the member issuing the complaint.

Any complaint about the coaching staff of the club shall be made in writing to the Program Director and the President. Procedures for inappropriate behaviour may include:

- Verbal warning from Program Director / Head Coach / Club Manager / Supervisor on Session
- Written warning from Board of Directors
- Short term suspension or expulsion from the club, to be determined by Board of Directors

#### **SESSION ETIQUETTE:**

- All skaters and coaches MUST leave the ice surface immediately upon the announcement for the commencement of the floods. **Courtesy:** Courtesy is first and foremost. It is essential to respect the rights of other skaters and be aware of who is around you at all times. Right of Way: First priority is given to skaters who are skating to their solo or dance music. Second priority is given to skaters in a group lesson. Give these skaters the right of way at all times. Skaters with the right of way must also remember to keep an alert eye open to avoid collisions and may respectfully remind others of right of way (e.g. "excuse me").
- Spins should be performed at the centre of the ice surface, and jumps should be at the ends and in the corners. Do not spend most of your time in the corners. Skaters who are practicing the Lutz may not see you as they enter their jump.
- If you fall down, get up as quickly as possible. If someone falls and does not get up on their own, do not move them. Get a coach to assess the injured skater. In the meantime, have someone stand "guard" over them to make sure other skaters avoid collisions with them. When you are practicing elements like camel spins and back spirals be especially aware of the danger your exposed blade poses to other skaters.
- Take a good look at your expected "space" before you start the element, and do not proceed with the element if it looks like you could cause a problem for yourself or other skaters on the ice..
- Don't stand around on the ice to "chitchat". You interfere with and/or present a hazard to other skaters, and you are wasting your practice time. Skaters are expected to be skating at all times while on the ice. Wearing earbuds/headphones is not permitted while on the ice.

#### LESSONS:

• The Program Director / Head Coach / Club manager reserves the right to rearrange group lessons according to level, age and numbers of skaters. All skaters and coaches give the right of way to group lessons.

#### USE OF PHOTOGRAPHY OR VIDEO:

• Members grant WTSC permission to copyright, publish and/or use photographic portraits, pictures, or videos of them in which they are included in whole or part, for advertising, trade, web and multimedia or any other lawful purpose. Members waive the right to approve the finished products, for advertising, new media or printed, that might be used in connection with their images.
• Members may choose to 'opt out' of our Media policy during online registration.

#### SEASON CALENDAR:

No skating Monday July 1

# 2024 Summer Skating Camps

Tuesday July 2 to Friday July 26, 2024

Week 1 - Week 2 - Week 3 - Week 4 - Tuesday July 2 Monday July 8 Monday July 15 Monday July 22 to Friday July 5 to Friday July 12 to Friday July 19 to Friday July 26

8:30-9:00am Drop-Off

9:00-12:00 Learn to Skate/RisingSTAR/STAR Morning Sessions

> 11:00-12:00 Lunch Break

12:00-4:00 Learn to Skate/RisingSTAR Afternoon Sessions

> 12:00-4:00 STAR Afternoon Sessions

12:00-4:00 SR STAR Afternoon Sessions

> 4:00-4:30 Pick-Up

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