

# Welcome



We would like to take this time to welcome everyone to our **2025/2026** winter skating session. This session will run from Saturday, September 27<sup>th</sup>, 2025 to Thursday, March 5, 2026.

With the renovations still occurring at Brian Orser Arena, all programs at this time will be running out of Rotary Place.

We are excited to announce that this year is the Orillia Figure Skating Club's 75<sup>th</sup> Anniversary. Not only are we celebrating 75 years in business but we are also hosting our bi-annual CARNIVAL Ice Show on Saturday March 7, 2025. Please watch your inbox for further information regarding this event.

All PreCanSkate and CanSkate skaters **MUST** wear a CSA approved helmet until they have completed their Stage 5 badge.

Important dates;

- Saturday September 27<sup>th</sup> – First day of skating for Saturday programs
- Monday September 29<sup>th</sup> – First day of skating for Monday programs
- Thursday October 2<sup>nd</sup> – First day of skating for Thursday programs
- Saturday October 11<sup>th</sup> – no skating
- Monday October 13<sup>th</sup> – Thanksgiving, no skating
- Monday December 22<sup>nd</sup> – Thursday January 1<sup>st</sup> – Holiday Break, no skating
- Saturday January 10<sup>th</sup> – no skating
- Saturday January 24<sup>th</sup> – no skating
- Monday February 16<sup>th</sup> – Family Day, no skating
- Saturday February 21<sup>st</sup> – no skating
- Saturday February 28<sup>th</sup> – Last day of skating for Saturday programs
- Monday March 2<sup>nd</sup> – Last day of skating for Monday programs
- Thursday March 5<sup>th</sup> – Last day of skating for Thursday programs
- Friday March 6<sup>th</sup> – Carnival Dress Rehearsal
- Saturday March 7<sup>th</sup> – Carnival, two showtimes - 2 pm and 7 pm

For the most up to date information about the Orillia Figure Skating Club during the season please make you have subscribed to our emails in your Uplifter account.

You can also visit our website at <https://www.orilliafigureskatingclub.com/> or follow our [Instagram](#) & [Facebook](#) pages.



ONLINE REGISTRATION OPENS late-August

TO REGISTER ONLINE & VIEW PROGRAMS IN DETAIL, go to:  
<https://www.orilliafigureskatingclub.com/registration/>

**PAYMENTS** can be made **monthly** with the first payment being made on **September 27<sup>th</sup>, 2025** and the last payment being **January 27<sup>th</sup>, 2026**

#### PreCanSkate

*Learn to skate sessions for children ages 3-5 as of Dec 31, 2025.*

#### **1 Day per Week:**

**Mondays: \$290.00    Thursdays: \$300.00    Saturdays: \$290.00**

#### **2 Days per Week: \$465.00**

**Mondays and/or Thursdays and/or Saturdays**

#### **3 Days per Week: \$710.00**

**Mondays, Thursdays & Saturdays**

#### CanSkate

*This learn to skate program incorporates fun with the basics of skating focusing on agility, control and balance. Skaters work through 6 stages of badges. For children ages 6 years old and up or if a skater has completed the PreCanSkate program.*

#### **1 Day per Week:**

**Mondays: \$425.00    Thursdays: \$435.00    Saturdays: \$425.00**

#### **2 Days per Week: \$615.00**

**Mondays and/or Thursdays and/or Saturdays**

#### **3 Days per Week: \$1,055.00**

**Mondays, Thursdays & Saturdays**

#### **Advance CanSkate (formally Little Stars) - \$100.00**

*Begins January 8th, 2026, must be registered for a CanSkate session to register for this program. **Invite Only.***

## **FALL/WINTER 2025/26 SCHEDULE**

### **Monday (Rotary Place) Begins Monday Sept. 29<sup>th</sup>**

5:20 - 5:50 pm PreCanSkate

Flood

6:00 - 6:45 pm CanSkate

### **Thursday (Rotary Place) Begins Thursday Oct. 2<sup>nd</sup>**

5:20 - 5:50 pm PreCanSkate

Flood

6:00 - 6:45 pm CanSkate

Flood

6:55 - 7:20 pm Advanced CanSkate (Begins January 8th, 2026)

### **Saturday (Rotary Place) Begins Saturday Sept. 27<sup>th</sup>**

10:20 - 10:50 am PreCanSkate

Flood

11:00 - 11:45 am CanSkate

## **Coaching Information**

### **Head Coach**

Tracey Zwiers (705) 323-0498 [teamtracey@orilliapronet.com](mailto:teamtracey@orilliapronet.com)

### **Co-head Coach**

Skyanne Tillotson (705)955-0466 [skyanne.rowe@hotmail.ca](mailto:skyanne.rowe@hotmail.ca)

### **Club Coaches**

Susan Scott [susanbrad@hotmail.com](mailto:susanbrad@hotmail.com)

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*Registration related inquiries should be directed to  
**[info@orilliafigureskatingclub.com](mailto:info@orilliafigureskatingclub.com)***

## **Additional Information Regarding Fees:**



**Each registrant will pay a non-refundable Skate Canada Membership fees of \$62.70. This fee is not included in the Program fees above.**

### **Your Skate Canada Membership includes:**

1. An accident insurance benefit at a substantially lower cost to the members than that available in other sports.
2. Access to high quality programs that are recognized and often sought after internationally and by other national sport organizations.
3. Access to qualified, NCCP certified Skate Canada professional coaches who have been trained through high quality training programs developed by Skate Canada.
4. National registry of figure skating qualifications (tests) and results (for qualifying events) held in a central computerized system for easy access.
5. Test certificates and Award of Merits for tests passed.
6. Website
7. Online store with special pricing for members on materials and Skate Canada merchandise.
8. Members only access to information including event announcements, rule book, information on athlete development, talent ID and off-ice training.
9. Toll free telephone and fax access to member services and national office.
10. Have the opportunity to participate in inter-club and invitational competitions.
11. Elite athlete and skater development funding and programs.
12. Opportunities for skaters to compete for positions on the national teams.
13. Voting privileges and opportunity to participate in the decision-making and direction of the Association.
14. The opportunity to purchase selected Skate Canada event tickets prior to the general public.
15. Benefit from participation in a sport that promotes fun, fitness, achievement and the development of essential life skills such as confidence, time and stress management, teamwork and motivation/commitment.

**Each registrant will receive a Skate Ontario Lottery Fundraiser Booklet. The cost of this fundraiser (\$40) is included in the Program fees above.**

### **Skate Ontario Lottery Fundraiser Booklet:**

- The club receives \$22.00 from every booklet sold. Each booklet costs \$40.00. The fees are included in your registration fees. Please sell each ticket for \$2.00. If you sell your booklet, you KEEP the money. If you do not sell your tickets, please put your name on the stubs and return them to the OFSC by the beginning of December. If you are able to sell more booklets, please let us know, we would be happy to give you more booklets to sell.

### **Cancellation Policy:**

- *Withdrawal from a skating session before the first day of skating:* Skaters who wish to withdraw from skating for any non-medical or non-injury related reason may receive a refund provided they withdraw before the start of the first skating session. These cases will be charged a **\$75.00** administrative fee.
- *Withdrawal from a skating session once a skating session has started:* Skaters who wish to withdraw from skating for any non-medical or non-injury related reason may receive a refund. These cases will be charged a **\$75.00** administrative fee
- PreCan, CanSkate and all other non-StarSkate programs: NO refunds will be processed after the 2nd scheduled class of the session without a medical certificate.

## Equipment Information

All skaters in all programs are required to provide their own hockey or figure skates (lace-up recommended) and a CSA approved hockey helmet. NO bike or ski helmets will be permitted. Skaters also need to provide their own warm clothing and gloves/mittens while they are on the ice. Helmets must be in good condition, not broken or missing pieces, and must fit the skater properly.

Helmets are required for PreCan & CanSkate  
All helmets must be CSA Approved



Helmets are required up to and including Stage 5

Hockey or Figure Skates are recommended.



The below style skates are not recommended.



For more information on proper Learn to Skate equipment, watch Skate Canada's video on Proper Equipment  
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=WTQ2Yr5pdR0>