

Riverview Skating Club Ice Show 2010 Dreamweaver

Plans for the 2010 Ice Show are underway! **MARK your CALENDARS!**

EVERYONE is asked to skate on days designated for Ice Show Practice regardless of which days you normally skate-Attendance at all practices is the key to a successful show!

Wednesday March 3 Dress Rehearsal and Picture Day

4:15 - 5:30 JR/ SR's extra practice

5:30 - 5:45 Finale Practice ALL **CLUB** MEMBERS

5:45 - 5:50 Preschool CanSkate number

5:50 - 7:00 CanSkate/ Jr Development numbers

7:00 FLOOD (if needed)

7:10 - 8:30 Jr/ Sr Run throughs

Saturday March 6 Ice Show at 6:00 p.m. Set up starts at 4:00 p.m.

Regular practice in the am -

SR Practice 8:00 - 9:00

Sr Group Number 9:00 - 9:30

Jr Group Number 9:00 - 9:30

Jr Practice 9:00 - 10:30

Jr Development Practice 9:30 - 10:30

Canskate (All WED and SAT canskaters) 10:40 - 11:30

Preschool CanSkate 11:30 - 12:00

Synchro 12:00 - 1:00

Saturday March 6 Ice Show at 6:00 p.m. Set up starts at 4:00 p.m.

Sunday, March 7 Ice Show at 2:00 p.m. Set up starts at 12:00 p.m.

CONTACT MEMBERS OF YOUR ICE SHOW COMMITTEE WITH QUESTIONS

Club Coach	Lee-Anne Cross	832-9612			
Costumes	Teddy MacPhee	632-2967	Costumes	Diana Baldwin	542-4536
Program	Shona Lake	866-4839	Ads	Joan Dawson	866-9663
Volunteers	Lesley Bishop	757-1626	Props	Joan Dawson	866-9663
Set Up	Bev Deal	757-1690	Tickets	Wanda Blanchard	798-4824
Pictures	Cathy Beaulieu	866-0348	Costumes	Charlene Corbin	866-0245

For parents new to ice show, here are some basic answers and questions to let you know what ice shows are all about

It seems to me that the ice show is a lot like life.

Friday evening you arrive for your child's first show. Your video is ready, and you proudly watch a puppy or a ballerina take their first hesitant steps. They stop ...wave and after you shut off the camera, you blink once or twice (must be something in your eye), then rush downstairs with the flowers you bought before the show. Your skater is waiting for you, bursting with pride and excitement...and totally exhausted. Home to bed!

Saturday afternoon you arrive early. Your daughter has numbers in both halves, and one is a duet with her best friend in Middle School. She rushes into the rink, but quickly returns, frantically asking, "Where's my skates?" After retrieving them from the car, you search the arena and finally locate her among a group of giggling females. She takes the skates and returns to the group's conversation. You can take a hint. Climb the stairs, get coffee, (don't forget the flowers) and settle in with the other parents who, like you, have been banished to the bleachers. These parents, like you, can't wait for their daughters' first feature. After some last minute advice from her coach, the lights come up. You share every spin and jump; your heart skips a beat when she stumbles, but her smile as the lights fade reassures you.

You arrive at the arena for Saturday night's show (if you ever left) and your daughter rockets out of the car with her skate bag and dress. In addition to her own solo, she has two other appearances. You quickly head upstairs (don't forget the flowers) and once again find what have become your "regular" seats. On your way, her boyfriend stops to say hello. He has flowers too... While you know the numbers by heart, you can't help but be impressed with the costumes, the props, and most of all, the skaters' enthusiasm. Your daughter appears tired, but she seems to be skating with a sense of determination. You wonder, "Is this the same girl who can't find the time to clean her room?" After the finale, you slowly make your way down to the dressing rooms; you know she'll want some time to celebrate with the other skaters, maybe a house party with her friends.

Sunday afternoon...no one slept much last night. You arrive at the rink with a mixture of anticipation and dread; it's your daughter's last ice show. Unlike before, she takes her time entering the rink, and, wonder of wonders, she actually accompanies you inside. She remains close to you, ignoring the hustle and bustle of that last hour before the show, and you suddenly realize with a mixture of pride and sadness that this young lady shares your feelings. You wish her luck, a brief kiss, but no words now. The arena goes dark, the introduction is finished, the spotlights flip on and there, alone at center ice, is a beautiful young woman. And then, all too quickly, her performance ends. She exits the ice amid prolonged applause. Like you, there are tears in her eyes and a sad smile on her face. And as she disappears from view, you remember that just a short time ago, wide eyed and overwhelmed, she toddled out to that very same spot.

Letter by Dick Moon

When is the show? Saturday evening at 6:00 and Sunday afternoon at 2:00.

How many performances will each skater be in? Both shows

Who runs the show? You Do!! The show is produced almost totally by club volunteers with the help of our club coach Lee Anne Cross. The Ice Show general chairman heads up operations, with many other club volunteers looking after hundreds of details. Hats off to them all.

How is casting done? Casting is done by our Head Coach in consultation with the Ice Show Committee. The primary function is to make decisions that will promote the overall look of the show. Every effort is made to be fair to every skater. There are two designations for casting: GROUP NUMBERS and SOLOS. Group numbers: skaters are cast according to their badge or test level as of November's test session. Other considerations that may affect casting are age and size of skater, number of skaters at a particular level, lesson day and MOST importantly the overall look of the show.

How are costumes selected and made? The Ice Show Creative Committee in conjunction with the Costume Chairperson select costumes to correspond to the theme and to fit the music and choreography of each number. The vast majority of our costumes must be sewn by club members. If you have any sewing experience, please volunteer to help out our costume committee. When you sign up to skate at registration, you will be asked to fill out some size information. It is critical that you be as accurate as possible! Without an accurate height and weight we cannot begin to guess your childish size. Be sure to specify adult or child sizes and if you have any doubt, order a size larger. It is easier to alter a costume that is too big than one that is too small.

When does practice begin for the show? Practice begins four weeks prior to the show. You must be available for the entire four weeks of practices. Every minute of rehearsal time is critical. Please plan on arriving 10 minutes early to ensure that your skater is on the ice in a timely manner.

What/When is picture night? Picture night is an opportunity to have photos taken of every group in the ice show. This is done the night of dress rehearsal

How do we pay for the show? The club incurs tremendous costs in putting on this show. Funds are raised by admission and fundraising including picture sales.

Do I need to help? Our entire show is put together by VOLUNTEERS. This is the only way this show can happen. The Ice Show Chairperson and Committee put in countless hours working towards the success of the show. Remember, this show can not happen without YOU! See attached for the committees that need your help.

What happens at Dress Rehearsal? Dress Rehearsal is a full run through of the entire show with full costumes, light and props. As with many performances, the dress rehearsal is critical for the success of our show. This is where all the final details are worked out, and often runs longer

than planned. Every attempt is made to have the very youngest skaters scheduled in the first half so that they can go home earlier.

What happens on show days? Volunteers need to arrive 1 hour prior to show time. This will leave plenty of time to change into costumes and apply makeup. All costumes are to stay in the Arena at all times. Room assignments will be posted. Please report to your assigned dressing room upon arrival. Parents that do not volunteer on that particular day, **MUST** purchase tickets to the show. With everyone's help, it can be rewarding and fun not only for the cast, but for all the people who work on the show as well.

So, Thank you in advance for all your help and hard work.

ICE SHOW DETAILS

PUBLICITY

Ticket sales are essential to the success of the Ice Show as a fundraiser. Attached to this notice is an Ice Show Poster- We are asking you to please print these posters and **post these on bulletins boards** in their community- at stores, post offices, school etc. Let's make our show a success!

PROGRAM ADS

Business ads in our ice show program help cover the cost of the production. We would ask that each family try to bring in one business card ad for the program at the cost of \$30.00. Cheques can be made payable to Riverview Skating Club.

ADMISSION

Admission is \$5.00 per person, with pre-school children getting in free. Doors open for admission at 5:30 on Saturday and 1:30 on Sunday. Contact Wanda Blanchard at 798-4824 for information on advance tickets. Advance Tickets are recommended, so get your tickets early to ensure admission! **Note that Passes are only provided to parents volunteering during the show.**

PICTURES& DVDs

Individual and Group Pictures will be taken on Weds March 3 during the Dress Rehearsal.

Parents: Please ensure that you arrive at the rink early to have your child in costume to go on the ice on time. Costumes will be in the assigned dressing rooms.

Pictures will be available to **ORDER** upstairs in Dressing Room 7 half an hour **before and after** the Ice Shows and during the Ice Show **Intermissions. NOTE: Pictures are not available for viewing during the Show.**

ICE SHOW GROUPS

Ice Show Groups were set as of the Stage your child was in as of the end of January. **If your child is not on this list, please accept our apology for this oversight and notify us IMMEDIATELY.** We would also ask that if you know that your child will **not be participating** in the Ice Show, that you notify us. Similarly if your child's name is **misspelled** send an email to Shona Lake at kirkandshona@eastlink.ca. We will try to catch the mistake before the Program prints

ORDER OF SKATE

1. Dream a little dream Amber Dearman

DREAMING OF LOVE

2. Love Bugs Chloe Harvie / Alyssa Cross
3. Puppy Love Cassie Corbin / Libby Partridge
4. Grade School Love Wednesday Canskate Stages 5 & 6
5. Teenagers in Love Danielle Pettipas/ Emma Bishop/ Jessica Lake-Crossley
6. Finding the perfect Love Randi McPhee

DREAMING OF THE PERFECT DATE

7. Be our Guest Saturday Canskate Stages 5 & 6
8. Out on a date Emily Chambers
9. Chef and Waitress Talia Greenough / Sarah Leopold
10. Food Glorious Food Wednesday Canskate Stages 2, 3 & 4
11. Chicken Dinner Lisa Parker
12. Eat It Junior Test Stream
13. After Dinner Treat Preschool CanSkate

SYNCHRONIZED SKATING SHOWCASE Riverview Eclipse, Riverview Ice Dazzlers

INTERMISSION

WELCOME TO MY NIGHTMARE

14. Thriller Senior Test Stream
15. Purple People Eaters Allison Dill / Brooke Fenton
16. Lost in the Forest Wednesday Canskate Stages 1 & 2
17. Bats Saturday Canskate Stages 3 & 4
18. My Nightmare Erin White
19. Dreams on Fire Jessica Vouligny/ Cathy Gillingham

DREAMING OF WINNING THE GOLD

20. Opening Ceremonies Synchronized Skating Teams
21. Hockey Amber Harvie / Kia Sawler / Rebecca Corkum
22. Zamboni's Saturday Canskate Stages 1 & 2
23. Ice Dance Figure Skating Denise Mayo / Jacob Beaulieu
24. Short Track Speed skating Chlesea Beaulieu/ Allison Power / Mia Simm
25. Snowboarding Shaylene Vouligny / Francesca Cornetta
26. Figure Skating Gill Baldwin
27. Parade of Flags Jr Development
28. Medal Ceremony FINALE

COSTUMES

If you are having trouble locating an item for your costume, please contact Diana Baldwin or Teddy MacPhee.

Club provided parts of costumes will be available on the Day of the Dress Rehearsal in the appropriate dressing room. Skaters should pick up their costumes ½ an hour before their ice time in order to be dressed in time for the Pictures. Costumes are to be left in the dressing rooms after skating.

Again, on the day of the dress rehearsal, report to your dressing room ½ an hour before your scheduled practice time. Following the Dress Rehearsal, costumes should be returned to the dressing room, and they will be made available in the same manner the night of the ice shows.

On the night of the Ice Show, parents are responsible to ensure their child is in the dressing room with their skates on at the assigned time. ALL CLUB PROVIDED COSTUMES MUST BE LEFT IN THE DRESSING ROOMS AFTER THE ICE SHOW.

Costume Details are later in this notice under “Groups and Costumes”

PROPS

Thanks you to our skaters and parents for their work on the props for this show.

STAGE MAKEUP For the ICE SHOW

The Ice Show is not regular lighting, it is darker with spot lighting. This type of performance requires Stage Make-Up: Foundation, Blush, Eyeshadow, Mascara and Lipstick. **IF IT LOOKS A Little TOO DARK, IT’S PROBABLY JUST RIGHT!**

DRESSING ROOM ASSIGNMENTS & GROUP PARENTS

GROUP PARENTS-We need parents to supervise each group in the dressing room. These volunteers are essential to a smooth show. **Group Parents will get free admission to the show.** Please call Lesley Bishop if you can help.

Skaters use their assigned rooms for the Dress Rehearsal Night and for both Ice Shows.

		Dressing Room
Wednesday Canskate Stages 5 & 6	Grade School Love	#2
Saturday Canskate Stages 5 & 6	Be our Guest	#2
Wednesday Canskate Stages 2, 3 & 4	Food Glorious Food	#4
Junior Test Stream	Eat It	Seniors Room

Preschool CanSkate	After Dinner Treat	#6
Synchronized Skating Teams	Synchro Showcase	Seniors Room
Senior Test Stream	Thriller	Seniors Room
Wednesday Canskate Stages 1 & 2	Lost in the Forest	#4
Saturday Canskate Stages 3 & 4	Bats	#2
Synchronized Skating Teams	Opening Ceremonies	Seniors Room
Saturday Canskate Stages 1 & 2	Zamboni's	#4
Jr Development	Parade of Flags	#6

NOTE: If you are in more than one number, use the Dressing Room assigned to your Group Number

Grade School Love, Be Our Guest, Food Glorious Food, Eat It, After Dinner Treat and the Synchro Skating Teams should report to their dressing rooms **20 minutes** prior to the start of the show.

Thriller, Lost in the Forest, Bats, Opening Ceremonies, Zamboni's, and the Parade of Flags should report to the dressing rooms at the **beginning of the Intermission.**

BAKE TABLE

There will be a bake table set up at the Ice Shows. Please have fudge, cookies and squares **individually wrapped**. **ALLERGY ALERT: We have a skater with a peanut allergy so would ask that all baking be NUT FREE thanks.**

These items can be turned in at the bake table prior to the start of the show. **Parents are asked to contribute to the bake table as follows:**

Pre-School Canskate	12 Ricekrispie Squares
Canskate 1& 2 Lost in the Forest & Zambonis	12 Pieces of Fudge
Canskate 3 & 4 Food Glorious Food & Bats	12 Bags of Popcorn
Canskate "5 & 6 Grade School Love & Be Our Guest	12 Cookies
Synchro	12 Cookies
Jr Development	12 Rice Krispie Squares
Test Stream	\$2.00 each for Candy Sticks

For test stream, please take your \$2.00 to the music room to ensure that you are recorded as paid. Please pay this money **prior to the Dress Rehearsal.**

GROUPS AND COSTUMES

NOTE: **IMPORTANT!!**- Parents please review this list and let us know:

- if your child's name is missing (this is a mistake and we need to know!
- if your child's name is misspelled
- if your child is listed but will not be participating in the Ice Show

Please note- PA s- please wear black, pants or skirt and top

CANSKATE GROUPS

Preschool Canskate-After Dinner Treat

Eric Sweetapple, Jillian Beaver, Abby Blanchard, Ryan Eastwood, Autumn Fletcher, Isaiah Johnson, Alexandre Labrecque, Blake Manders, Emily Maynard, Georgia Richardson, Dawson Riley, Brennan Rissanen, Nathan Dill, Rylee Fletcher, Max Delany

Skaters Provide: long sleeve shirt and dark pants- these need to fit over your layers/jacket or snowsuit

Club Provides: Candy Costume

Stage 1, 2 Wednesday –Lost In the forest

Blake Withrow, Chad Cochrane, Andrew Eastwood, Curran Mullins, Aiden Postmas, Rachael McIntyre, Macy Sanford, Dan Morrison, Sarah Leopold, Tamara Balvin, Adam Crocker, Colton Corbin, William Lane, Jack Smethurst

Skaters Provide: Please wear dark pants and top, grey, brown, green or black will be great.

Club Provides: Branches and leaves

Stage 1,2 Saturday –Zamboni

Mackenzie MacAdoo, Anthony Rafuse, Tye States, KyleWoodworth, Madisen Armstrong, Hannah Withrow, Noah Ehler, Rebecca McIntyre, Jack Chambers, Peter MacKay, Connor Blanchard, Emma Murphy, Zachary Eldridge

Skaters Provide :Please wear dark pants, and bright long sleeve top.

Club Provides:: Zamboni!

Stage 3 and 4 Wednesday- Food Glorious food

Mary Sweetapple, Ellen Moore, Samantha Barkhouse, Michael Trider, Morgan Stewart, Rebecca Moore, Jessica Moulaison, Sierra Jodrey, Brayden Jodrey, Emma Smith, Bailey Cole, Mikayla Smysniuk,

Skaters Provide : Pants and long sleeved tops, dark colours such as browns and greys would be best. You will be raggedly dressed street children from the musical "Oliver"

Club Provides: scarves, vests, coats, hats.

Stage 3, 4 Saturday -Bats

Bailey Cole, Tia Taylor, Megan Leopold, Aidan Parsons, Sharlie Pinksen, Amber Henshaw, Justin Blanchard, Kayla Murphy, Carson Gorman, Kittana Clarke, Nolan Mole, Kendra Neville, Iris Chambers, Chelsea Zwicker, Courtney Eldridge

Skaters Provide: Black pants and black long sleeve shirt

Club Provides: Wings

Stage 5 and 6 Wednesday -Grade school love

Christopher Lloyd, Brianna Sexton, Amber Langille, Robyn Pippert, Maddison Brown, Mariah Miller, Josie Jorden, Amber Lloyd, Jessica Ross, Katie Bond, Carlee Rick, Riley Johnston, Emily Acker

Skaters Provide: White long sleeve shirt and white tights. Boys: black pants

Club Provides: skirts and other props.

Stage 5 and 6 Saturday- Be Our Guest

Emily Schmidlin, Veronica Power, Alicia Woodworth, Mayleigh Munroe, Eli Schmidlin, Brittany Murphy, Brea Hazel, Julia MacKay, Christina Rudolph

Skaters Provide: Black pants or skirt with white long sleeve top. If you have a chef's hat, coat or apron, you can bring that along too.

Club Provides: Props.

Jr Development- Parade of flags

KaleighMcCarthy, KayleyButler, Brianna Partridge, MacKenzie Robarts, Erika Rudolph, Nicole Leary, Jessica Lloyd, Kaitlyn Hughes,, Mackenzie Hughes, Lauren Jardine

Skaters Provide: White long sleeve top and white tights

Club Provides: red skirt and flags

Junior Test Streams- Eat it

Cassie Corbin, Elizabeth Partridge, Amber Harvey, Chloe Harvie, Kia Sawler, Chelsea Beaulieu, Allison Dill, Brooke Fenton, Allison Power, Mia Simm, Rebecca Corkum, Alyssa Cross

Skaters Provide: Please wear black pants and black long sleeve tops

Club Provides: food props

Seniors- Thriller

Francesca Cornetta, Randi MacPhee, Danielle Pettipas, Gill Baldwin, Emily Chambers, Talia Greenough, Jessica Lake-Crossley, Emma Bishop, Shaylene Vouligny, Jessica Vouligny, Erin White, Denise Mayo, Cathy Gillingham, Amber Dearman, Lisa Parker, Sarah Leopold, Jacob Beaulieu

Skaters Provide: Black pants and top- add anything to look like a zombie!

Looking for Local Entertainment?

Come out for
Riverview Skating Club's
2010 Ice Show:
Dreamweaver

Newport Arena, Brooklyn
Saturday, March 6, 2009 6:00 p.m.
Sunday, March 7, 2009 2:00 p.m.

Come support local skaters from ages 3 to 18

Admission

\$5.00 per person, pre-school children free

Doors open for admission at 5:30 Saturday, 1:30 Sunday