



important DATES to note

- **Mon June 5** – Return to the ice for the start of June Camps.
- **Sun June 11** – Skater Awards Banquet & AGM
- **Sat June 10, 17, 24** – Skater off ice for Junior through Senior skaters; to be held outdoors at Confed, weather permitting.
- **Sat June 17** – Star 1-3 Competition Event (Meadows Arena East) – All Star 1-3 skaters should attend.

Summer Program Assistants Needed

...Calling all PAs... Please be reminded that we will need PAs for our Summer LTS programming. Our Summer program runs from Monday to Thursday from July 3-13 and July 17-27 from 6:30-8:00 pm.
Our PAs are the heart of our LTS program so our Summer PAs will be rewarded with a “thank you” treated on their last day of each session.
 Please watch for an email from coach Kennedi to confirm your availability.

Skater Awards Banquet

Our **Skater Awards Banquet & AGM** will be held on Sunday June 11, 2023 at the Woodvale Community League 4540 – 50 Street NW. There is free parking, but carpooling recommended for larger events like ours. Door at 4:30pm, dinner at 5pm. The banquet is for IFSA & Figure skaters who were in programs from September 2022 to May 2023. **It would be GREAT to have all attend to receive their gift & recognition!** Skaters & Coach/Board member tickets are at no charge. And accompanying family member tickets are \$35 each. All tickets are highly subsidized by the Club. Space is limited, so please register for your tickets today!
Deadline to “purchase” tickets is Wednesday June 7 at 12:00 noon.

NOTE - All persons MUST have “purchased” a ticket in order to attend (even if there is no cost to the ticket) to help manage numbers.

- There are 2 age categories for the skater tickets – those who are 10 years and younger (U11), and 11 years and older (11yrs+).
- Any allergy or dietary considerations, please contact the office in advance.

If anyone has a projector that can be borrowed for the event, contact the office!

Updated Schedule

The June schedule is attached. Please note the minor updates to off ice.

June/Summer Skating

Please ensure your skater(s) are registered for June & Summer skating. Space is limited!

AGM Update & Call to the Board

The Notice of the 2023 Derrick Skating Club AGM was circulated to members on Saturday May 20, 2023.

The **Annual General Meeting of the DERRICK SKATING CLUB will be held on Sunday, June 11, 2023 at 6:30 pm.** The AGM will be held at the Woodvale Community League, 4540 - 50 street NW, following the skater banquet dinner and prior to the Awards Ceremony.

Members of the Board are elected to serve two-year terms, except for the Coaches’ Representative position, which is elected by the Coaches annually. This year, we are accepting nominations for the following positions, open for election on odd years or as vacant. As per our Bylaws, the following positions are up for a vote this year. We have the following nominations to date:

- * Vice President: Nicole Bursey
- * Treasurer: Karen Higo
- * Social Coordinator: Open
- * Fundraising Coordinator: Helen Shutt
- * Member at Large 2: Alfredo Sulbaran

To put your name forward for any of the positions that are up for a vote, please email the office no later than Friday June 2, 2023. A slate of nominated candidates will be circulated to the membership with the AGM Member Package on Saturday June 3, 2023.

Upcoming B I N G O @ Parkway Bingo: 8775-51 Ave

June Bingos: Wed June 7 (10:30-3:30 pm)** & Wed June 14 (4:30 pm-midnight)

August Bingo: Wed August 9 (4:30 pm-midnight)

Working bingos earn DSC families valuable ice credits to offset their ice fees! Workers must arrive on time for shifts. Shifts are filled on a first come, first served basis.

June Bingos still need alternates. Sign up the August bingo will start on Wednesday July 12 at 10:00 am. Bingo shifts can ONLY be signed up for through Uplifter. From DSC website, click “registration”, scroll down & click “Add Volunteer Position”. ***Note families who have reached their maximum permitted Bingos cannot sign up for shifts, only as alternates to ensure fair access to ice credit opportunities (please see Handbook or email the office for details).**

Q’s about Bingos? Please email Helen, DSC Fundraising Coordinator: fundraising@derrickskating.ca

FUNDSCRIP GIFT CARDS

Monthly PROMOTIONS for Fundscrip Gift cards means the DSC earns more money back from members gift card purchases!

What are Fundsrip Gift Cards? They are the easiest way for members to spend money in the same ways they already do and support the Derrick Skating Club. **Do you buy groceries, gas, coffee, and birthday gifts?** You can get all these as gift cards!

Plan ahead and get into a routine of purchasing your gift cards in advance makes a HUGE difference to the Club and in turn, your skater! There are hundreds of stores and retailers to choose from.

If you buy \$200 to Superstore, \$100 to Esso, & \$25 to Starbucks – you just earned \$11.25 for the Club! 2-10% of the total gift card value is donated to our Club. **We encourage ALL members to consider supporting the Club through these gift cards.**

The QuickStart GUIDE on the Fundraising & Bingo tab of the website (under About Us) will help you set up your account and begin purchasing your gift cards right away!

Website: <https://www.fundscrip.com/login> ; Invitation Code: **YSJZWD**

Name: **Derrick Skating Club Ice Fee Reduction Fund**

EFT forms are available on the Fundscrip website. **We respectfully ask that Fundscrip Gift Cards are purchased by EFT (direct debit) funds ONLY** – Please do not use credit cards to make your purchase or the Club is deducted the 1.99% processing fee.

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