



important DATES to note

- **Friday Aug 2nd** – No off-ice dance class due to the Wild Rose Competition.
- **Extended Ice Available** - Aug 6-15th – See schedule in newsletter.
- **Fall Kick Off Week** – Monday to Friday August 26-30. Modified schedule. All DSC registered skaters welcome!
- **2019-2020 Season officially starts Tuesday September 3rd.**

Fall PA Training!

Save the Date... PA Training is a mandatory training for all skaters acting as Program Assistants (PA's) for the Fall 2019 Learn to Skate Sessions. All existing & new PA's MUST to attend!

The Fall 2019 PA Training will be held on Thursday Sept 5, 2019. Please mark your calendars & stay tuned to your email for more information and RSVP info.

Q's re: PA'ing or PA eligibility?
Please contact Ola Sowinski, at aleksandr31@hotmail.com

PROGRAM Assistant RECOGNITION

This month we would like to give a **shout out** to both **Tyler Friedenberger & Cameron Muir!** Parents of our LTS skaters have gone out of their way to let our coaching team know how much they appreciate these 2 PA's on the ice! Cameron & Tyler are always greeting skaters in the dressing rooms or players box, no matter how busy they are getting ready for the LTS session. They are giving skaters high fives and making each skater feels comfortable on the ice. Cameron and Tyler always have a smile on their face and working to ensure skaters are having fun. **Thank you, Cameron & Tyler!** We appreciate all your hard work! Please see coach Ola for a special thank you from the Club.

COMPETITION CORNER

Congratulations to all our 7 DSC skaters who attended the Manitoba Summer Open, July 27/28. Lots of medals were earned and skaters had lots of fun!
Good Luck to all our DSC Skaters attending upcoming competitions: Wild Rose Invitational (Aug 2-5) & Burnaby SummerSkate (Aug 15-18)
*Note that the Wild Rose Invitational is being held locally in Leduc, AB so plan to come out and cheer on our DSC skaters in person!

Watch Facebook & Instagram for updates & to cheer on our skaters!

Fall Registration Information

Package registration is still available. Fall a la carte registration opens to wait lists on Thursday August 1st at 10:00 am while we continue to sort through session numbers. Available spaces will open on Aug 7th and wait listed families will get email notifications. All a la carte sessions are registered for by session number (i.e. M1, W3, etc). Please ensure that you register your skater for only the sessions they are eligible for based on their skating level.

Please consult with your Primary Coach regarding your skater's Fall registration recommendation and to schedule your skater's lessons.

Please review the 2019-2020 handbook. Club Handbook is attached.

Upcoming B-I-N-G-O Date: Thursday August 1st

4:30 pm till midnight (2 workers leave at 10 pm) Parkway Bingo: 8775-51 Ave

Our August 1st Bingo wraps up the 2018-2019 Season. The 2019-2020 Bingo dates can be found in the Club Handbook (mark your calendars) and in the attachment. There are ONLY 6 bingo dates this year with 13-15 volunteers needed for each event. ALL families who work bingos earn valuable ice credits to off-set fees!

Members are asked to please ensure that they arrive on time for all Bingo shifts

Bingo shifts can ONLY be signed up for on Uplifter (<https://www.derrickskating.ca/volunteering/search/>)

**** Sign Up for the Thursday Sept 26, 2019 Bingo will start on Friday August 30th ****

All questions regarding Bingos can be directed to Rachel at fundraising4dsc@telus.net.

Extended Ice Schedule

For those skaters wanting to stay on the ice for a couple extra weeks, our Summer extended ice is available. There is only ice time being offered, no off ice during this time!

Senior, Intermediate A & Intermediate B skaters (\$60)
Junior, Junior Prep skaters (\$35)

August 6, 7, 8, 9 – Confed arena

3:30-4:15 pm, flood, 4:30-5:15 pm – Sr/Int A/Int B

5:15-6:00 pm – Junior/Jr Prep

August 12, 13, 14 – Kennilworth arena (8313 68a St NW)

3:45-4:30 pm, flood, 4:45-5:30 pm – Sr/Int A/Int B

5:30-6:15 pm – Junior/Jr Prep

August 15 – Meadows arena

8:30-9:30 am – Open to all skaters

2019-2020 Season Commitments

Please ensure that you are aware of your upcoming commitments in the 2019-2020 season. More details can be found in the Club Handbook.

1. Each DSC family must commit to one (1) Club volunteer shift for the 2019/2020 season. All volunteer shifts will be posted on the Uplifter Registration site.

2. During the March 20-22, 2020 STARSkate Championships, each DSC family must commit to the following competition volunteer shifts:

- IFSA Families – 1 shift required
- Private Skater Families – 2 shifts required plus 1 ice patching shift (for all skaters 10 years & older only)

Shifts are filled on a first come, first served basis.

Q's on commitments can be directed to the office.