

Llappalozza

March 2019

ICE SHOW 2019 NEWSLETTER FOR PARTICIPANTS

Welcome to the Ice Show!!

SPECIAL DATES

Photo Day- Saturday, April 27

Last Day of CanSkate-
Friday, May 10

Last day of regular season skating
lessons...Friday, May 10

Rehearsals begin ... Saturday, May 11

Production Rehearsal (2nd Half)-
Wednesday, May 22

Dress Rehearsal: Thursday, May 23

3 Shows:

Friday May 24- 7:00 PM,
Saturday, May 25- 2 PM
Saturday, May 25- 7 PM

All skaters are expected to perform in
the Dress Rehearsal and all three
shows.

COSTUMES

Fittings will begin soon for costumes.
Please make yourself available when
asked. Your costume will either be
ready-made, made for you or rented.
When you try on your costume please
keep in mind that what you see may
not be the whole costume. In many
cases it will still need to be trimmed
and accessorized. All necessary
repairs and alterations will be made
before the performance.

Costumes remain the property of the
Scarboro FSC. Under no
circumstances should anyone take any
part of their costume home for any
reason. If you need repairs or changes
speak to the Court Supervisor.

In certain cases skaters will need to
provide their own tights; the costume
committee will advise you if this will be
necessary. If you do need to supply
your own tights please remember to
bring them for Photo Day as well.

It is a Skate Canada rule that all
skaters must wear helmets at all times
on the ice until they have passed
Stage 5- including the Ice Show- so
these skaters will also need to wear a
helmet for all Ice Show rehearsals and
the shows. If you don't have your
helmet, you will not be allowed to
participate in that particular
performance.

GUARDS

Skate Guards are mandatory for each
skater to have in time for Photo Day.
During Photo Day, Rehearsals and
Show days, skaters will be required to
walk on floors that do not have rubber
matting on them and blades will be
ruined if guards are not on used (not to
mention the floor!). Ensure you write
your name on your guards in
permanent ink.

COMMUNICATIONS

Stay connected! Information on the
show will be posted on the Ice Show
bulletin board opposite the skating
office at ice level and on the club
website at: www.sfsc.on.ca

We will send emails about show
activities to those who supplied a
legible email address on their
application form but please do not rely
on these. It is your responsibility to
stay informed by checking for new
information on the bulletin boards and
club website.

If you have any questions please contact:

Cheryl Richardson, Show Director:
cherylrichardson2000@rogers.com

Ice Show Committee:
iceshowsfsc@gmail.com

TICKETS

Tickets will go on sale during Photo
Day on Saturday, April 27 from
10:00am -2:30pm. Tickets will be sold
out of the office at rink level. Cash,
Personal Cheque (with ID) and
MC/VISA will be accepted.

Look for posters around the rink to see
other ticket sale dates in April and
May.

Ticket Prices

General Admission (bleacher seating
at rink side – no reserved seating)

Adults..... \$10.00
Seniors (65+).....\$5.00
Children (under 12).....\$5.00

Each skater will have an opportunity to
buy one (1) Skaters-Only general
admission ticket for themselves to
attend the show of their choice so they
can watch the remainder of the show
after they have skated..... \$2.50

Reserved Seating (in Upper Viewing
Area) – Limited number of seats
available for each show.

All tickets.....\$15.00

PERSONAL GREETINGS

Get creative! Put a personal greeting for your skater in the programme.
.....\$2.00

If you would like to place a small business ad in the programme, please contact:

Ice Show Committee:
iceshowsfsc@gmail.com

REHEARSALS

'Rehearsal' is a term for learning the routine the skater(s) will perform in the show. The rehearsal and performance period is a time completely separate from regular skating lessons.

Friday, May 10 is the last day of CanSkate and all other regular lessons prior to the start of rehearsals. Beginning Saturday, May 11 all SFSC ice time will be devoted to show practice only so only those skaters registered in the show will skate. Keep checking the bulletin board and/or the club website for details and changes. It is your responsibility to know when your rehearsals are scheduled.

During rehearsals, skaters will be learning the choreography for their group. One or two groups of skaters may be on the ice at the same time learning their part with their assigned coach. (This coach may or may not be the coach your skater had for his group during the regular season.) Skaters are cast according to a combination of age and badge level but not by skating day so you may find yourself making new friends with skaters who skate other days.

Rehearsal time is limited- each group will have only 2 rehearsals scheduled so please try your best to attend both. Remember, when you sign up for the Ice Show, you are agreeing to attend ALL scheduled rehearsals and shows. We do not want you to miss any rehearsals because it is not just your skater who misses out. When skaters are absent it makes the process of choreographing and learning numbers much more difficult for everyone.

Remember, you are part of a group and the movement of that group is dependant on EVERY skater. It's not just a matter of learning steps- the most significant part of the choreography will be the skaters' physical relationships to each other and the ice surface throughout the course of the number. Your absence WILL affect the other skaters. Do not expect to learn the choreography of the numbers during the Dress Rehearsal- this is a run-through only.

NO MAKE-UP CLASSES WILL BE OFFERED

However, we do realize that absenteeism is sometimes unavoidable. For this reason, all skaters MUST attend at least one of the regular rehearsals and the Dress Rehearsal. If you miss both of the regularly scheduled rehearsals, you will not be allowed to participate in that number and we will be unable to refund your registration fee because we will have already made your costume, etc.

To be credited with attending a regular rehearsal you must be there for 75% of the rehearsal- showing up 5 minutes before the end doesn't count!

All rehearsals WILL run on time. Please do not be late. You should be at the rink a good 10-15 minutes before your scheduled rehearsal time to allow time to get your skates on BEFORE the rehearsal starts.

PHOTO DAY

A Photo Day will be held for all participants (groups, features and semi-features) on Saturday, April 27. All skaters are asked to participate. Full costumes will be worn on this day. Individual and group photos will be taken that will be available for purchase. Bring your skates and skate guards. You **MUST** have skate guards as there is no rubber matting in the change or photo area. You will not need your helmet for your photo.

Your costume will be at the rink, all ready for you. Please arrive 45 minutes ahead of your scheduled Photo time to allow time to adjust and fit your costume. Your full costume (apart from your own property) will remain at the rink before and after Photo Day. Girls should wear light makeup. Parents will not be allowed in the actual dressing and photography area; there simply isn't enough room. Parents who are not Costume/Court Supervisor/Photo Day volunteers will be requested to wait at ice level and watch the skating until their skaters are finished.

Every effort has been made to ensure that skaters do not miss on-ice time on Photo Day. There may be some quick changes for some skaters. Everyone please be as quick as you can with your changes- others are waiting.

Feature photos will not be taken with the courts; feature skaters need only be there for the Features photo at 11:32 AM.

Photo & Video Purchase

The Ice Show will be professionally taped and a complete DVD available for purchase. Order yours on Photo Day.

In the week prior to the show you will be able to view and place orders for the photos that will be taken on Saturday, April 27. Packages of different sized photos and posters will be available to order.

SPELLING

Please check the spelling of your name on the lists below. If it is incorrect, please correct it directly on the lists on the Ice Show bulletin board or tell the office or the Ice Show committee so it can appear correctly in the programme.

We look forward to celebrating your achievements and participation in skating at this year's Ice Show 2019- it will be a Lollapalooza!