

Hello AFSC Skaters and Families!

Weekly Newsletter

Jan 12th, 2018

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CURRENT NEWS

SKATE SHARPENING

Coach Laferriere will be taking skates for sharpening on **Wednesday Jan 17th**. If needed, please leave skates in the Coaches Room, either Monday or Tuesday and she will have them returned by Thursday. Be sure to have the skaters name ***clearly printed*** on the inside of a skate (masking tape works great for this!) and have them tied together. Please leave \$10 inside the skate as well.

BOTTLE DRIVE COMPETITION ~ Round 2!

HAPPENING NOW!! Our synchro teams are racing to see which team can bring in the most recyclables! The team that brings in the most will receive a prize from the concession! So save your bottles, cans & juice boxes, get them to the Music Room at any time and let us know what team your are supporting!! You can also take them to your local bottle depot and just bring in the cash. Good Luck to all teams!

MUSIC DUTIES

Just a friendly reminder that all sessions (except CanSkate) require a Parent, Guardian or Grandma to play music during the varied skating sessions. ***We have many open shifts RIGHT NOW that must be filled!*** Everyone is required to play 4 shifts for each session registered for, if duties are not fulfilled we will have to cash music deposit cheques. Please take a look at the blue schedules found in the music binder and sign up where you can. Your time and help is greatly appreciated!!

POP CONCERT ~ Save the date: March 9th

FAST APPROACHING!! We have started the preparations for this annual event! Coaches have put together routines for skaters to perform in the theme of "Proud to be Canadian". This event is for ALL skaters including CanSkate. Please see the bulletin board by the music room to see what role your child will be playing and costume ideas. So invite your family and friends, this is our most anticipated event of the year!!

Please let us know ASAP if your skater cannot participate, so the coaches can make adjustments. Our Coaches assume EVERYONE will be part of the show.

There will also be a call for volunteers for this big event! If you haven't signed up already, we will need help with raffle & 50/50 ticket sales, the bake sale, setup & take down, costume prep, childminding of the younger skaters (you will still see the show!). A full list of volunteer jobs will be available shortly. A huge THANK YOU

in advance!!

STAY TUNED

Paint Night Event

Our last Paint Night was a huge success so we are going to do it again!! Date in February to be announced.

Hanging Basket Fundraiser

We have been asked to participate in a Hanging Basket fundraiser with Clearview Nursery. We would love to participate but we need a volunteer to head this up. It will involve communication with the nursery, handing out coupons to sell and receiving the money. Sounds simple right!? If you are interested in helping with this please let us know ASAP. Thanks in advance!!

THANK YOU

Congrats to the Snowflakes team on winning our first Bottle Drive Race! This team rallied together and brought in the most recyclables to support our fundraising efforts. The grand total that all of our teams brought in was \$400.31! A big **THANK YOU** to all that pitched in!!

A great big **THANK YOU** to all of the AFSC Executive Board for your time and energy in keeping this club organized, exciting and a great organization to be a part of.

Keep up the good work!!

If you are interested in becoming a Board Member or a Member at Large please let us know. We never turn down a helping hand!!

SKATING NEWS

Mountain Regional Synchronized Skating Championships

From Jan 26th to Jan 28th four of our synchro teams will be in Leduc, AB competing for a gold medal! This is their biggest competition of the season and the skaters are very much looking forward to it. We want to wish all competitors good luck!!

WinterSkate ~ BC Coast Region Championships

In Chilliwack at Prospera Center, Feb 2nd to 4th our skaters will be competing for their personal best or for a gold medal. We want to wish everyone GOOD LUCK!!

***Cheers from the
Aldergrove Figure Skating Club***

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