

South Okanagan Skating Club Rules

1. Photos and/or videos of another person (including skaters, coaches, volunteers, parents, etc.) are prohibited without the consent of all parties
2. 8 hours notice is required for lesson cancellation
 - Less notice time will lead to lesson charges
3. Time management is the responsibility of the skater
 - Running late may lead to but is not limited to:
 - i. Hockey lines and/or intensive stroking exercises
 - ii. Loss of lesson (billing still incurred)
 - iii. Cranky coaches
4. Assisting in the CanSkate program is **mandatory** for **all StarSkate participants**
5. Participation is **mandatory** for both the **Christmas Gala** and **year-end Ice Show**
 - Including options of prop assistance, set up, and takedown of each show – 1 of 3 can be chosen but is **mandatory**
6. Drug and/or alcohol use on or near club property/time will lead to the immediate termination from the club (billing still incurred)
7. No inappropriate talk or gossip in dressing rooms or on the ice
8. Be cautious and careful of all ice users
 - Priority is in order as follows:
 - i. Skaters in a lesson (be it with Coach Shelley, Coach Sabrina, or Coach Patricia)
 - ii. Skaters in a program (Freeskate, Dance, and Artistic)
 - iii. Skaters unable to move (mid-jump or spin, harness use, etc)
 - If you are chatting and/or not working you have no priority – exit ice
9. “Side coaching” is not allowed
 - Only certified coaches are permitted to give pointers - not other skaters
 - If you are not part of the lesson, you are not permitted to “join in” or “just listen” – keep a respectful distance
 - i. If you are not paying for the lesson, you may not take the time/attention away from the coach
10. If interested in changeroom use - follow all changeroom rules
11. Be kind and respectful to all peers

Neglect to follow all listed above rules can lead to the loss of amenity use and in extreme cases termination from the club. We are a nonprofit, volunteer-based program - help where you can!