



Hello Silver Blades Families,

We are thrilled to inform you that we have received ice permits from the City of Toronto. This year the permits were provided for the first 5 weeks of the season and therefore the Club will offer a pre-season while the details for the remainder of the season are being sorted.

Silver Blades will be opening online registration for the following pre-season programs:

1. StarSkate (figure skating): September 7th - October 10th
2. New Skaters/CanSkate (learn to skate): September 14th – October 10th
3. Synchronized Skating (including tryouts): September 11th – October 10th (details to come in a separate email)

Registration will open **Wednesday, September 1st at 6pm for StarSkate and CanSkate** programs.

Registration will be on a first come, first serve basis. Please click [here](#) for the schedule.

StarSkate (figure skating):

There will be 3 levels of Star Skate: Prelim (graduates of CanSkate, skaters working on Star 1-2), Intermediate (Skaters working on Star 3, 4, 5), Senior (Skaters working on Star 5 +). Star 5 skaters are eligible to register for Intermediate or Senior as recommended by their Coach. All skaters should consult their coach prior to registering to ensure that they are signing up for the appropriate level, and at a time when their coach will be available.

CanSkate (Learn to skate)

If you are new to skating, do not have a coach, or are unsure of your skater's level, please sign-up for one of the pre-season Canskate sessions. It will give coaches an opportunity to assess your skater's level. Note: minimum age requirement is 4 years of age by December 31, 2021.

Silver Blades will be following the protocols established by Skate Ontario.

Due to the decreased number of skaters allowed for some sessions, our costs have gone up. A discount of 10% will be applied to registration of a 3rd skater in a family. No other discounts are available at this time. We recognize that this is a difficult time for many families. The increase is as minimal as we can manage to cover the operating costs of our non-profit club.

This registration is **ONLY** for Pre-Season Sessions running until October 10th. Registration for 2021/2022 regular season will follow, once we receive extended permits from the City of Toronto. Please remember that Silver Blades is a non-profit club run by a group of volunteers. With the last-minute receipt of the permits, we are trying our best to accommodate everyone during a condensed time frame. Please exercise patience and understanding with our hard-working group of volunteers. If you have any questions, please contact us at info@silverblades.ca.

We are thrilled to have your skater back on the ice.

Stay Safe,

The Silver Blades Board