



News from the Section Office

- ☆ **Skate Canada Manitoba Day** registration is June 30th – sign your club up. More information attached and on our website www.mbskates.ca . If you are planning on holding a day but haven't finalized a date, please complete the form and send it in with the information that you do know.

- ☆ If you weren't able to attend this year's **Skate Canada Annual Conference and General Meetings** in Toronto May 27-29th – you can now go onto Skate Canada's "members only" and review the **workshop presentations**. There was a lot of new information regarding the changes to the CanSkate program and the future direction of the STARSkate program. So of the topics that may interest you are:
 - Go to "Members Only" click on "Events & ACGM" ▶ "ACGM & NCC" ▶ 2010 ACGM & NCC Workshop presentations"
 - CanSkate revisions
 - Manage a Figure Skating program
 - Club Operations Update
 - Power hour: How to start a CanPowerSkate program in your club
 - STARSkate: Changes on the horizon
 - CPC in STARSkate

This is just a few of the presentations available for you to view and share with others in your club

- ☆ **Skate Canada Manitoba Annual Sport Raffle** pre-order tickets for your club. The forms are included in this mail out and available on our website www.mbskates.ca

- ☆ **CanSkate Live**is back this fall. Tentative dates are Sept 11 & 12th. More information will be sent out via emails to clubs and coaches, as well as put on our website. So watch for the details for this ½ day seminar – it is a great way to kick off your skating year!

- ☆ **Skate Canada Manitoba** has a new logo as seen above. The new logo will be introduced throughout the Section as we use up our supplies with the old logo on it. We are also working on a new look website, so keep checking throughout the summer and early fall to the latest changes.

- ☆ **Club Directory** forms have been emailed to clubs (and attached). We ask that you take the time to complete the forms and send them into the Section Office as soon as possible so we can publish it in a timely fashion for all to use this skating season.

- ☆ **NCCP Courses** please check out the Skate Canada Manitoba Website www.mbskates.ca for registration forms for the CanSkate and Primary STARSkate courses.

☆ **CLUBS:** when hiring your coaches for the upcoming season 2010-2011 please make sure you have the following information:

- Valid First Aid Certificate – if this expires throughout the skating year please make sure that you receive an updated card.
- Proof of 2010-2011 Skate Canada Registration – if your coach is not registered with Skate Canada they may not be on the ice. If coaches are on the ice without being registered your club will lose their insurance. Please make sure that ALL coaches are registered prior to your season start date. Coaches are able to register in August on Skate Canada's website.
- Please take the time to make sure that the coaches that you are hiring have the proper qualifications to be coaching the programs that are assigned to them. If you are not sure what qualifications are needed please take the time to call or email the Section Office at 925-5709 skate.pc@sportmanitoba.ca .

☆ **Section Office** – Just a little reminder of the contact information

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