



Arthur and Area Skating Club

November Newsletter

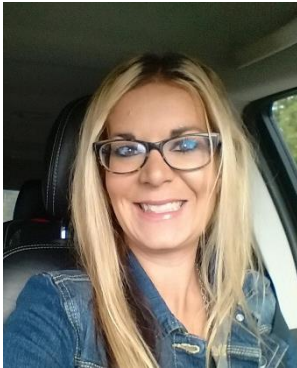
Welcome to the 2016/17 Skating Season!

Hello to all of our skaters and parents!! Whether you are a returning member of our club or have just joined us this season, we are excited to see all of the eager and happy faces out on the ice!! The season is off to a great start and our coaches and executive have many fun and exciting events planned for the coming months. We have many avenues of communication available to help you stay on top of the most current happenings. This is the first newsletter of the season so we are providing it in a paper copy. Future newsletters will be distributed via email so be sure to watch for these and ensure that our skating club email is on your safe list, arthurskatingclub@gmail.com. We also have our website available with lots of valuable info and a handy calendar of important dates. Those who require a paper copy can request one, just let a member of our executive know and we will provide you with one.

Happy Skating!

Sharon Wenger, Club President, On Behalf of the Board

Executive Board Representatives



Communications Director – Tryphena de Boer

Tryphena lives on a farm just outside of Arthur and as a skater for most of her life she is excited to get back to the rink again. Tryphena looks forward to sharing her love of skating with not only her own two kiddies, Joost and Jenissa but also with all of you too!



CanSkate Liaison – June Kirk

June has lived in Arthur for two years. Her daughter is in her second year of CanSkate. As a relative newcomer to the community, she welcomes this opportunity to get to know more people in the area and learn more about skating. If you have any questions or concerns about Learn to Skate or CanSkate please speak with her and she will be happy to track down the answers.



StarSkate Liaison – Jen Timmerman

Jen will be our StarSkate Liaison this season. Jen was born and raised in the Arthur area and works part time at the Guelph General Hospital as a Registered Nurse. She currently has two girls involved in the Arthur Skating club, both in the CanSkate and StarSkate programs. As a young girl she spent time participating in the Canskate program herself, and remembers helping out with the little ones on the ice during her final year of skating, just like her oldest daughter has been doing for the past two years. She loves watching all the little ones grow in their skating abilities throughout the season, and looks forward to another successful skating year for everyone. Any questions or concerns about the StarSkate program can be directed to Jen at jenroel123@hotmail.com or in person anytime at the rink.

Fundraising Initiatives

Elmira Chicken – Each family should have received by now an Elmira Poultry form. Forms are due back by November 28, 2016 and can be given to Sharon or Tryphena. Delivery is Saturday, December 17th at 10:30 at the arena.

Healthy Snacks - During breaks and sessions fresh pre-washed fruit will be offered \$2.50/box

Important Dates to Remember

November 26th – Arthur Opti-Mrs. Christmas parade (the club will be submitting a float)

December 14th – StarSkate Test Day (There will be no Beginner Synchro skating)

December 19th – Winter Carnival Show



**Happy Birthday
Coach Nicole!!!**

