



Halifax Skating Club Newsletter May 2026

Updates & Important Information

Please take a few minutes to review upcoming schedule changes, important dates, registration links, and event information. Many sections of the website now include updated details and expanded information pages related to your skater's programs.

Program Reminders & Schedule Updates

Please continue checking the online calendar through your Parent Portal and the website under Club Corner. We have added a dedicated calendar page with upcoming events, session times, locations, and schedule updates across all programs.

There are a number of schedule and location changes throughout May and June, so families are encouraged to review the calendar carefully and check back often for updates.

Club Corner → Club Calendar

[🔗 View the Club Calendar View](#)

STARSkate Reminders

- No skating Monday, May 18
- No regular STARSkate Academy sessions Friday, May 29 due to Seminar Day programming

- Sunday, May 31 will include special seminar sessions with Karen Preston during STARSkate Academy sessions
- STARSkate families are asked to review June schedules carefully, as there are several session time and location changes throughout the month

CanSkate & Junior Academy Reminders

- Skate with an Olympian Day takes place Sunday, May 31
- Sunday, June 7 sessions will run at Greenfoot Energy Centre - regular times
- Sunday, June 14 sessions will run 2 hours earlier than normal at Centennial

Additional information, updated schedules, and location details can all be found on the website calendar page and within your program registration tab.

Summer Skating Programs

Summer program information is now available for Junior Academy and STARSkate athletes.

The Summer Skating page is still being finalized, but families can now view the daily schedules and general program information. Additional details, including full program breakdowns, updates, and important information, will continue to be added over the coming weeks.


Please continue checking the website regularly under:

Club Corner → Summer Skating

[🔗 View the Summer Skating Page](#)

We are looking forward to another fun and active summer at the rink!

HSC Champions Circle Weekend Events & Club Awards Banquet

 Friday, May 29 – Sunday, May 31

Our Champions Circle Weekend is quickly approaching, with opportunities for skaters across all areas of the club to participate throughout the weekend.

Full seminar schedules, registration details, and banquet information are all available on the website.

Club Corner → 2026 Annual Awards Banquet

[🔗 View the 2026 Annual Awards Banquet Information Page](#)

Special guests this year include:

- Karen Preston
- Tara Motahari

Annual Club Banquet

 Saturday, May 30

 Atlantica Hotel Halifax | 5:30 PM

Ticket sales close May 24th

Our annual Club Banquet is open to all members and families from across the club, including:

- PreCanSkate
- CanSkate
- Junior Academy
- STARSkate
- Synchro
- Families, volunteers, coaches, and board members

Every skater in attendance will be invited on stage for recognition and/or awards. We will also celebrate graduating skaters, CanSkate graduates, and this season's special award recipients.


This event is always one of the highlights of the season, and tickets are selling quickly. Families are encouraged to visit the banquet page on the website for full details and ticket information.

Attention STARSkate Athletes

Please remember:

- STARSkate certificate submissions are due by May 25
- Summer bursary applications are now open Close may 20th
- Submission forms and deadlines can all be found on the Banquet page of the website

Skate with an Olympian Day

 Sunday, May 31

We are excited to once again host Skate with an Olympian Day for:

- PreCanSkate
- CanSkate
- Teen
- Junior Academy skaters

Participants will have the opportunity to skate with and meet Karen Preston along with rising athlete Tara Motahari.

Thursday CanSkate skaters are invited to attend the Sunday event free of charge during their assigned session times.

[🔗 Skate with an Olympian Day - Teen Registration](#)

[🔗 Skate with an Olympian Day – Thursday CanSkate registration Page](#)

Celebrating Our Graduating Class of 2026 🎓

This time of year always brings a mix of pride and excitement as we celebrate our graduating skaters and everything they have accomplished during their time at Halifax Skating Club.

These athletes have spent years growing not only as skaters, but as leaders, teammates, role models, and incredible young people. We are so proud of all they have achieved and excited to see where their next chapters take them.

Graduate Profiles are now available on the website, and we hope families will take a few minutes to read through them and help us celebrate the Class of 2026.

Club Corner → 2026 Grad Profiles

[🔗 View the 2026 Grad Profile Page](#)

Thank you to all of our skaters, families, coaches, volunteers, and supporters for another incredible season at Halifax Skating Club.

There is so much excitement ahead as we head into seminar weekend, banquet celebrations, spring wrap-up events, and summer skating. We are looking forward to finishing the season strong together both on and off the ice.

See you at the rink! 💙💛

HALIFAX SKATING CLUB

HSC FAMILIES, YOU ARE INVITED TO THE YEAR END BANQUET

It's time to kick off our skates and step into a night of celebration! Join us for a fun filled evening, with well-deserved recognition, as we honor the incredible achievements of our skaters this season. From our tiniest beginners bravely gliding across the ice for the first time, to our skaters who've dazzled on stage - every step, spin, and leap deserves to be celebrated. Let's come together to celebrate and cheer for the dedication, passion, and progress of every skater. It's going to be a night to remember!

EVENT HIGHLIGHTS:

Special guest: Karen Preston

- Buffet Dinner
- Awards Ceremony

MAY 30, 2026

5:30 pm - 9:00 pm (Dinner at 6:00 pm)

ATLANTICA HOTEL

1980 Robie St, Halifax

COST: \$20 PER SKATER

\$20 FIRST GUEST/PARENT

\$45 ANY ADDITIONAL GUESTS

Tickets are only available until May 25 (or until sold out). To purchase tickets, visit: www.halifaxskatingclub.com. Select registration, then products.

Note: Kindly be advised that in order to comply with fire code regulations and ensure accurate dinner preparations, all skaters and guests (including parents and siblings), must present a ticket for entry to the event.

Questions? Please email:
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