



Skate Ontario

The Huntsville Skating Club Guest Coaching & Hopping Policy

Purpose: To ensure all coaches on HSC ice are qualified Skate Canada Professional Coaches and to ensure the safety of all HSC skaters and the adherence of HSC Club By-laws and Policies.

Scope:

A guest coach is a s Skate Canada professional coach who does not have a contract with the Huntsville Skating Club.

Guest Coaching Requirements:

All guest coaches must adhere to the following requirements:

- Out of Club Coaching will only be available Sundays and Wednesdays during Fall and Winter Sessions and all summer ice sessions.
- Obtain HSC Board approval to be a guest coach by sending an email to huntsvilleskatingclub@gmail.com.
The request must include:
 - Proof of current Skate Canada professional coach membership and in good standing
 - Name of skater(s) the coach is accompanying to HSC
 - Date and session wishing to attend
- Agree to abide by the Club By-Laws and Policies, and Skate Canada's Rules, Regulations and Policies, including the Coaches Code of Ethics Policy.
- Ensure their guest skaters follow HSC Skater Code of Conduct, available on club website.
- Follow directions of the HSC coaches regarding the flow or courtesy guidelines on any session.
- Will not provide lessons to members of the HSC unless permission has been granted by the primary (base) coach of the skater.
- Ensure that their guest skaters have provided their guest skating (hopping) fees before joining an ice session.
- Request must be made at least 48 hours in advance of the session, if applicable.

The HSC will rescind its approval of any guest coach who does not adhere to these requirements.



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Skater Hopping Requirements:

- All hopping requests from HSC or out of club must submit request to the club @ huntsvilleskatingclub@gmail.com
- All hopping requests from non-HSC members must include proof of current SC membership and a copy of the skaters testing record indicating highest tests completed.
- Hopping or guest fees must be paid in advance before skating. Hopping fees are payable to a Board Member or HSC coach. Please notify your coach of your intention to guest skate or hop. Guest Skating (for non-HSC Skaters) is limited to 3 times per month. Ask a coach or board member for a hopping envelope.
- Huntsville Skating Club (HSC) members, who are registered in a minimum of one HSC StarSkate program (on Monday and/or Thursday), are eligible to hop during the Wednesday and/or Sunday morning open ice times at a cost of \$15 per session.
- Those skaters from outside clubs and those HSC members who are not registered in a minimum of one HSC StarSkate program (on Monday and/or Thursday) are eligible to guest skate during the HSC's Wednesday and/or Sunday morning open ice times at a cost of \$25 per session.
- Wednesday & Sunday morning open ice times are open to all StarSkaters. First year Bronze StarSkaters must check with their coach about ice readiness prior to registering. Your coach will then notify the other coaches & board about your intentions to participate on session.
- Hopping is not permitted during Monday or Thursday CanSkate or StarSkate Programs.
- Adults and teenagers (who are not part of the StarSkate program) and who are active Skate Canada members are welcome to hop during the Adult Skate program time slot. Hopping during this time slot includes club lesson time. The rate to hop at the Adult Skate session is \$25.
- With the exception of the Adult Skate Program, hopping does not include club lessons, just free skate ice time.
- All skaters must abide by HSC & Skate Canada's Code of Ethic & Conduct, Policies & By-laws
- Exceptions to the above hopping rules must be pre-approved by the HSC Board.