

CanSkate Membership Policy

2026–2027

Parent and Skater Roles:

The term “parent” refers to parents and guardians of skaters.

For skaters under 12 years old, a parent must be present in the arena at all times during the skater's session.

Parents and all skaters are requested to follow the Club's [MSC Ice Etiquette Rules](#) or will be asked to leave the ice rink.

The parent's name registered in the 'Member Account' is the Parent Member of MSC (provided their child has not reached the age of 18) with full voting rights at the AGM. See By-law No.1-2023 posted on the website under 'About Us'.

A registered adult skater (18 years of age and older) is an Ordinary Member of MSC with full voting rights at the AGM. See By-law No.1-2023 posted on the website under 'About Us'.

Skaters are not permitted on the ice without an MSC coach present and Zamboni doors must be closed.

As per MSC's By-law No. 1-2023, memberships are not transferable.

Communications:

MSC uses its **website**, www.mississaugafsc.com, and **email** info@mississaugafsc.com to communicate important information to its members. It is the responsibility of each member to ensure that the Club has the correct email on file and to regularly check the website and email for updates.

Members may change their email subscription preferences at any time by logging in to their profile under 'My Account', 'Communication Preferences' and clicking the 'Update' button. **If a member chooses to opt out of electronic communications from MSC, they acknowledge that they will not receive any important communications regarding Club activities and notices regarding program information or changes.**

Payment Policy:

Payments for the CanSkate program is to be made by Visa or Mastercard credit card in Uplifter.

The annual Skate Canada fee is payable at registration covering Skate Canada membership and insurance from September 1– August 31 and is forwarded to Skate Canada.

If a skater is not a resident of Mississauga, a non-resident fee is charged *annually* and forwarded to the City of Mississauga as per their policy.

The annual fundraising amount per skater will be charged upon registration.

Pro-rating of session fees begins after CanSkate session start dates.

Program fees may be paid in full at registration, or by installments, as follows:

For Fall: 50% of Fall program fee and Skate Canada membership at registration. The balance of the program fee is due on November 15, 2026. An annual non-Mississauga resident fee (if applicable) will be charged on the November payment, to the credit card on file.

For Winter: 50% of Winter program fee and the following fees *if not* a returning Fall registrant: Skate Canada membership due at registration. The balance of program fee is due on February 15, 2027. An annual non-Mississauga resident fee (if applicable) will be charged on the February payment, to the credit card on file.

For Spring: 100% of Spring program fee and the following fees *if not* a returning Fall/ Winter registrant: Skate Canada membership due at registration. An annual non-Mississauga resident fee (if applicable) will be charged before May 15, 2027, to the credit card on file.

It is the responsibility of the member to ensure that the credit card on record for installment payments is valid, as a processing fee will be charged for declined transactions. ***In order to update credit card information, please contact Club Registrar at info@mississaugafsc.com.***

A skater may not step onto the ice if their account is in arrears.

Refund and Credit Policy:

Please email request to Club Registrar at info@mississaugafsc.com and allow 2 weeks for processing.

48 hours before sessions commence: **Refund** consists of repayment of session fee(s) plus Skate Canada membership less the withdrawal fee. Refunds will be issued onto the credit card used to complete the initial transaction.

Up to withdrawal deadline: **Refund** will be given for prorated session fee(s), less Skate Canada membership and withdrawal fees. Prorated session fee(s) will be calculated from the date of the written (emailed) notice. Refund is not provided for unattended classes or classes occurring before your registration start date. Refunds will be issued onto the credit card used to complete the initial transaction.

After withdrawal deadline: **Credit** only will be given for prorated session fee(s), less non-resident fee (if applicable and paid), less Skate Canada membership and withdrawal fees. Prorated session fee(s) will be calculated from the date of the written (emailed) notice. Credit is not provided for unattended classes or classes occurring before your registration start date. **NO Refunds.**

Credits will be posted to the member's account with MSC. They may be used for any family member residing at the same physical address within one year of issue date of the credit.

***Medical credits** may be considered when doctor's letter is provided, and the skater is absent for three (3) or more consecutive weeks of scheduled classes. Credits will be prorated from the date of doctor's letter until return date to skating as stipulated by the doctor, less a \$25 administrative fee. A medical credit may *only be used by the skater (ie not transferable)* and will be valid for 12 months from the initial date of the doctor's letter.

Fee Policy:

The fees for the 2026-2027 season are as follows:

Skate Canada Annual Membership Fee (includes insurance)	\$65.70
Mississauga Non-Resident Fee (if applicable)	\$60
Change Session Fee	\$25
Declined Payment Processing Fee	\$25
Withdrawal Fee	\$50

Adding/ Changing A Session:

If you wish to **add** a session, fees for the added session must be paid before the skater can participate in the program. The session can be added by registering online, and is available only if space permits on that session.

If you wish to **change** a session after registration, the difference in program fee plus a session change fee must be paid before the skater can switch sessions as space permits. **Please email request to Club Registrar at info@mississaugafsc.com.**

Missed Sessions:

A skater CANNOT attend a different session on a different day or at a different time to make up for a missed session.

NO refunds or credits will be issued for missed sessions.

Helmets:

CSA approved hockey helmets are mandatory for all CanSkaters (including Adults) until they have completed CanSkate Stage 5. Skaters attending a Club family skate must wear a CSA approved hockey helmet if they have not passed CanSkate Stage 5. Skaters not abiding by these rules will be asked to leave the ice by a Coach.

Private Lessons:

Coach instruction provided independently on non-club contracted ice is not considered a Club program or activity. Any instruction provided outside of club-approved programming is undertaken at the coach's and skater's own risk and may not be covered by Skate Canada's insurance and injury benefit. The Club assumes no responsibility or liability for such instruction.

Ice Changes:

The Club reserves the right to:

- Change rink locations and times of sessions as necessary when requested by the City of Mississauga.
- Cancel a program due to insufficient enrollment.
- Limit number of skaters on each session.
- Cancel a session due to severe weather or other circumstances beyond the control of MSC.
- Cancel a session if the City of Mississauga closes the arena facility.

NO refunds, credits or make-up classes are provided for cancelled sessions.