

## Learn to Skate FAQs

### What class do I sign up for?

If you have never skated before or have never had any formal training, we recommend starting in the following classes: Snowplow Sam 1 for ages 3-6; Basic 1 or Hockey 1 for ages 7-16; Adult 1 for Adults ages 17+.

### What is the class progression?

After S.S. 1, ages 3-6 advance to S.S. 2 & 3 and then to Basic 2 or Hockey 2. After Basic 1, ages 7-16 advance to Basic 2-8 levels, then onto Freeskiate 1-6 levels. After Hockey 1, ages 7-16 advance to Hockey 2, then onto Hockey in Focus.

### What do I need to wear?

Please wear warm, comfortable, layered clothing including gloves and thin socks. Helmets are recommended.

### How and when do I sign up?

Register online at [www.independencereventscenter.com](http://www.independencereventscenter.com), by phone at 816-442-6128, or in person. Register early to ensure your spot, which will not be reserved until payment is received. Please register at least 48 hours before the first day of class—if there are less than 3 enrollments for a class at that point, the class may be cancelled or combined.

### What do I need to do the first day?

Please arrive 30 min prior to the start time of your first class. Staff will help you with your rental skates and guide you where to go. Be ready to have fun!!

### Can I make up a missed class?

If you miss a class, please contact the Skating Director about scheduling a make up time. Make ups must be completed within two weeks of missing a class.

### Can I get a refund?

We have a no refund policy on classes; however, we can hold your credit to be used at a later date or within your family.

### What is the USFS membership?

All skaters are required to pay the \$10 annual (July 1– June 30th) membership fee to U.S. Figure Skating. This insures all of our skaters during learn to skate time and the skaters will receive fun items such as a practice book and magazine. USFS is endorsed by USA Hockey.

### Do you offer any discounts?

Yes! If a skater takes more than one class in a session, they receive 50% off each additional class. If immediate family sign up for classes, in the session, the 2nd family member receives 20% off, 3rd member receives 30% off, etc.

The Centerpoint Community Ice Rink strives to provide a fun, safe, and educational environment for everyone learning to skate! We know you will enjoy learning to skate with us!

Please Note:

### **Late Winter 5 Week Session:**

\*Begins the week of February 21st-26th

\*Ends the week of March 20th-25th

Makeups are available as needed if scheduled.

Class price includes free public sessions during class session. We encourage you to come and practice as much as possible! Skate rental is included if session is immediately before or after your class.



**Home of the Heartland Figure Skating Club  
and Junior Mavericks Hockey Association.**

Questions? Contact:

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## **Learn to Skate Program**

## **Late Winter Session**

**5 Weeks—\$62.50**

**February 21st-March 25th**

Price includes free public sessions while  
Skaters are enrolled in class!

Skate rental is included on day of class!

\*New skaters need to pay USFS Basic Skills  
\$10 Annual Membership Fee (July 1st –June 30th)



We offer classes for:

- \*Beginners through Advanced
- \*All ages (ages 3 to adult)
- \*Learn to Skate
- \*Hockey
- \*Figure Skating
- \*No experience required!

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Check out our classes!

## BEGINNER CLASSES

**No experience required!**

In any of our beginner classes, skaters will learn basic skating fundamentals, such as standing up, falling down, forward & backward skating, gliding, & stopping.

### Class Times:

(choose one—all classes meet for 30 min):

#### Snowplow Sam 1 (ages 3-6)

Tues 6:30p, Fri 10:30a, Sat 11:00a, Sun 2:10p

#### Youth Basic 1 (ages 7-11)

Tues 6:30p, Sat 11:00a, Sun 2:10p

#### Youth Hockey 1 (ages 7-11)

Tues 6:30p, Sat 11:00a, Sun 2:10p

#### Teen Basic 1 (ages 12-16)

Tues 6:30p, Sat 11:00a, Sun 2:10p

#### Teen Hockey 1 (ages 12-16)

Tues 6:30p, Sat 11:00a, Sun 2:10p

#### Adult 1 (Adults ages 17+)

Tues 6:30p, Fri 10:30a, Sat 11:00a, Sun 2:10p

#### One Tot, One Not (ages 2-6 plus adult)

(No extra charge for the parents!)

Tues 6:30p, Sat 11:00a, Sun 2:10p

## INTERMEDIATE CLASSES

#### Snowplow Sam 2 & 3 (ages 3-6)

Graduates will advance to Basic 2 or Hockey 2.

Tues 6:30p, Fri 11:00a, Sat 11:00a, Sun 2:10p

#### Basic 2

Tues 7:00p, Sat 11:30a, Sun 2:40p

#### Basic 3

Tues 7:00p, Sat 11:30a, Sun 2:40p

#### Basic 4\*

Tues 7:00p, Sat 11:30a, Sun 2:40p

#### Basic 5\*

Tues 7:00p, Sat 11:30a, Sun 2:40p

#### Basic 6\*

Tues 7:00p, Sat 11:30a, Sun 2:40p

#### Basic 7\*

Tues 7:00p, Sat 11:30a, Sun 2:40p

#### Basic 8\*

Tues 7:00p, Sat 11:30a, Sun 2:40p

#### Hockey 2 (all ages)\*

Graduates will advance to Hockey in Focus class!

Tues 7:00p, Sat 11:30a, Sun 2:40p

#### Intermediate / Advanced Adult

Fri 11:00a, Sat 11:30a, Sun 2:40p

## ADVANCED CLASSES

#### Low Freestyle 1-3\* & High Freestyle 4-6\*

Tues 7:00p, Sat 11:00a, Sun 2:10p

\*We very strongly recommend taking class twice a week for Basic 4 and up as well as Hockey 2. Skill sets become much more difficult at these levels and will require additional time to accomplish each level. Second weekly class is 50% off!

**Sign Up Now to Learn to Skate!**

### First Skater:

Name \_\_\_\_\_

DOB \_\_\_\_\_ Level \_\_\_\_\_

Day \_\_\_\_\_ Time \_\_\_\_\_

### Second Skater:

Name \_\_\_\_\_

DOB \_\_\_\_\_ Level \_\_\_\_\_

Day \_\_\_\_\_ Time \_\_\_\_\_

### Contact Info:

Parent Names \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Alt Phone \_\_\_\_\_

How did you hear about our program? \_\_\_\_\_

### Payment:

(IEC accepts cash, check, Visa, MC, Discover, & AmEx)

\_\_\_\_ 5 Week Late Winter Session @ \$62.50 = \_\_\_\_\_

\$10 USFS Basic Skills Annual Membership = \_\_\_\_\_

(Membership Year—July 1st-June 30th)

Additional Class / Family Discounts \_\_\_\_\_

TOTAL \_\_\_\_\_

CC # \_\_\_\_\_

Sec Code \_\_\_\_\_ Exp Date \_\_\_\_\_

### Terms & Conditions/Waiver Release of Liability

Each person ("Participant") using Independence Events Center assumes all risk of personal injury, which may result from participation in all activities conducted at the Independence Events Center. The Participant will not hold Independence Events Center, LLC and the City of Independence, or any of its officials, staff, owners, or the proprietor, liable for injury, which the Participant may sustain while participating in any activities, conducted at the Independence Events Center. The participant understands and agrees that the sport of ice hockey, ice-skating and all on-ice activities has physical dangers, which may result in serious injury or death. The Participant is advised to carry medical insurance. The Participant certifies that he/she has no known medical condition, which would prohibit him/her from playing the sport of ice hockey or ice-skating.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_