

SKATEWORKS PROGRAMS

BASIC SKILLS

A learn-to-skate program administered under the United States Figure Skating, introducing eight levels of fundamental skating skills. Upon completion of Basic 1 - 8 levels, skaters will have basic knowledge of the sport enabling them to advance to more specialized areas of skating. **Helmets are required for beginners.**

SNOWPLOW

A learn-to-skate program administered under the USFS, designed to help the preschool age skater develop preliminary coordination and strength necessary to maneuver on the ice. **Helmets are required.**

FREESKATE

Six USFS Freeskate levels designed to give each skater a strong foundation on which to build skill in jumping, spinning, "Moves in the Field" and dance/footwork sequences.

HOCKEY

Four badge levels designed to teach the fundamentals of hockey skating. Skaters learn how to be agile on the ice and maneuver faster. All elements are taught without sticks or puck, and no actual games.

Helmets are required.

ADVANCED SKILLS

Intense group training for the skater who exceeds all Freeskate levels. Emphasis is on warm ups, stretching, jumping, spinning and edgework.

PLEASE NOTE:

All beginner skaters register for the 11:00AM class. Students will be evaluated on a number of criteria including age during the first class and then placed in the appropriate group.

ON-LINE REGISTRATION:

Available at www.grotoncenterforthearts.org
On-line registration services for the GCA are provided by **MK Tix**, with a service fee.

SKATEWORKS SCHEDULE

8:30 – 9:30 AM **Basic 7 & 8
Freeskate
Advanced Skills**

9:45 – 10:45 AM **Basic 3 – 6**

11:00 - 12:00 PM **Basic 1 & 2
Snowplow
Hockey**

No Skating: 11/28, 12/19, 12/26, 1/2, 2/13

**All Saturday skaters participate in our
March 6th Ice Show.**

Class Fee: \$340.00
(Includes show costume)

Early Registration Savings:
Pay only \$310.00 if registering on/prior to
September 21, 2009. (A \$30.00 savings).

No registrations accepted after 11/21/2009.
No pro-rated registrations.

Check payable to:
Groton Center for the Arts

Mail checks and registration to:
Groton Center for the Arts
P.O. Box 423
Groton, MA 01450

We will E-MAIL confirmation of your registration.
Please print your information clearly.

GCA REFUND POLICY:

- A) Refunds will be given minus a \$25 handling fee prior to October 15, 2009.
- B) After 10/15/09, refunds of half tuition will be given up to the first class.
- C) **NO REFUNDS WILL BE GIVEN AFTER THE FIRST CLASS HAS BEGUN.**

REGISTRATION FORM

1st Skater _____
Last Name First MI

2nd Skater _____
Last Name First MI

3rd Skater _____
Last Name First MI

DOB #1 _____ #2 _____ #3 _____

Address _____
Street

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Home Phone _____

Cell # _____

Email _____

Check off Program Selection:

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2nd/3rd Skater ___ \$310 before 9/21 ___ \$340 after 9/21

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TOTAL DUE \$ _____

Liability Release

I, the undersigned fully understand that the Groton School, Groton Center for the Arts, its staff members, Board of Directors and volunteers cannot and do not accept responsibility of liability for any and all accidents that may occur before, during or after this Skateworks program. Utmost care will be given to ensure a safe skating environment for skaters, but skater and parent or guardian are responsible for any personal injuries or loss or damage to personal property that may occur. I understand that only registered SkateWorks participants are allowed on the ice. I hereby release the Groton School, Groton Center for the Arts, its staff members, Board of Directors and volunteers from any liability. I also give permission to GCA to use photos and the show video for promotional purposes.

Printed Parent/Guardian Name _____

Parent/Guardian Signature _____ Date _____

SkateWorks is a goal-oriented program administered under the United States Figure Skating, which encourages ice skating at all levels. Through group lessons **SkateWorks** offers a comprehensive developmental curriculum for both the recreational and competitive skaters. Each weekly lesson includes professional staff instruction and supervised practice time.

Every **SkateWorks** participant will become an official member of the USFS, receive a membership card, record book, membership patch and colorful embroidered achievement patch at the completion of each level.

The Grande Finale of our 2009-2010 **SkateWorks** season is our annual production, "**SKATEWORKS ICE REVUE**" on March 6, 2010. All Saturday **SkateWorks** participants will perform in costume.

Join us in our 38th year as we at GCA continue our dedication and commitment to making **SkateWorks** a fun-filled program with lasting memories and personal accomplishment.

All classes are held at the beautiful **Groton School Ice Arena**.

The Groton School Ice Arena is in the Groton School Athletics Building situated on Route 111/Farmers Row, Groton, MA.

FOR MORE INFORMATION

About this and all other GCA programs, e-mail us at: webmaster@grotoncenterforthearts.org or call the office at 978-448-3001.

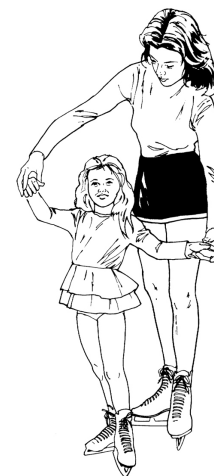
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SKATEWORKS

Youth Ice Skating Program

November 14, 2009
Through
March 6, 2010

At the Groton School Ice Arena



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