

Guest Skating Policy

Guest skating is permitted **only** on the following sessions:

STAR 3, STAR 4, STAR 3-10, STAR 5-10, and Adult STARSkate.

Note: Coaches **not under contract** with Upper Canada Skating Club (UCSC) are **not permitted** to coach on UCSC sessions.

Club Members

Definition

Club Members are skaters who have designated Upper Canada Skating Club as their home club **and** are registered for at least one session during the Fall/Winter or Spring season.

Eligibility

STARSkaters registered in the following programs may guest skate:

- STAR 3
- STAR 4
- STAR 3-10
- STAR 5-10
- Adult STARSkate

Guest Skate Limits (Club Members)

- Fall/Winter: Up to 10 guest skates
- **Spring:** Up to **4** guest skates

Guest Skating Process (Club Members)

- 1. Submit a request via email at least two days in advance.
- 2. Wait for Club approval. An invoice will be sent by email.
- 3. Pay guest skating fee by e-transfer before the session.
- 4. Check in with UCSC admin staff before going on the ice.

Guest Skating Policy (Club Members)

- Skaters may request to guest skate on any session for which they are qualified.
- 2. The request must be submitted by the skater/parent or coach at least two days in advance via email.



- 3. The Club Manager or Office Administrator will verify session availability.
- **4.** Upon approval, an invoice will be sent directly to the skater. Payment is by **e-transfer only.**
- 5. Payment must be received prior to the session.
- **6.** Skaters must check in with admin staff before taking the ice.
- 7. Guest skating is **not permitted on full sessions**. Exceptions: **three additional spots** may be opened **one week before assessment day** to accommodate skaters who are testing.
- **8.** If a skater wishes to skate on a session they are **not qualified for**, the request must be submitted in writing to the Club Manager at least **one week in advance**. The request will be reviewed by the Board, and a timely response will be provided to allow confirmation at least two days before the requested session.
- **9.** The Club reserves the right to deny guest skating if there are **safety concerns** or **capacity issues**.
- **10.** Skaters not adhering to this policy will be asked to leave the ice.
- **11.** Repeated failure to follow this policy may result in **revocation of guest skating privileges**.

Coach Responsibility

Coaches are responsible for ensuring that their skaters comply with all guest skating procedures, as outlined in **Coaches' Rules and Regulations**, **Rule #14.**

Non-Club Members

Eligibility

- STARSkaters (STAR 3+) and Adult STARSkaters from other clubs
- Must hold a current Skate Canada membership

Limitations

- Skaters not registered with a Skate Canada-sanctioned club must pay a Skate
 Canada membership fee to UCSC before guest skating. This will be included in the invoice.
- Non-Club Members may not guest skate during the week prior to a test day or club competition.

Guest Skate Limits (Non-Club Members)

• Fall/Winter: Up to 5 guest skates

• **Spring:** Up to **2** guest skates



Guest Skating Process (Non-Club Members)

- 1. Create a UCSC account at [Club Website] (under "First Time Registering").
 - The *Member* is the parent/guardian (must be 18+)
 - The Participant is the skater
- 2. Email your request at least two days in advance.
- 3. Await Club approval and invoice via email.
- 4. Pay by e-transfer before the session.
- 5. Check in with UCSC admin staff prior to skating.

Additional Information

For guest skating **fees** and **season-specific updates**, please refer to the UCSC website:

- Policy for Club Skaters
- Policy for Non-Club Skaters
- General Guest Skating Information