

Respect In Sport - Activity Training

This training is being offered at no cost to Skate Canada coaches, officials, team leaders, club board members and club/skating school administrators only.

Note: The estimated time to complete this program is 3 hours which can be completed at your own pace and convenience.

Program Access Instructions:

- If you have an existing Activity Leader certificate, select "Import a Certificate" and follow the prompts.
- If you have an existing profile in any other Respect Group program, select "Register your Profile" and then "Look-Up".
- If this is your first time registering for a Respect Group Program, select "Register your Profile" followed by "Register".
- Complete registration and select "Submit" at the bottom of the page. With successful registration, you will be directed to the Home Page of the program.
- To re-access the program, return to the same URL indicated above and enter the username and password created during registration.

General Information:

- Respect Group programs run most effectively on traditional PC and MAC computers using any common browser.
- iOS and Android mobile devices may be used with third-party browsers such as the Puffin Browser available via the App Store or the Google Play store. If using mobile devices, it is recommended you connect via wifi and not a cellular connection as the programs are multimedia in nature.
- Numerous Customer Support tools are available for any questions you may have before login as well as within the program. Prior to logging in you will see buttons to retrieve usernames and passwords, and to look up your certificate number. Inside the program, the Help button is available to connect you with a Customer Support Representative.

To start the training today click the following link: <https://skatecanada.respectgroupinc.com>

Respect Resource Line -Available 365 days per year

Provides bilingual response to calls or emails 365 days a year by expert staff who will guide you to the necessary resources pertaining to;

- child and youth maltreatment
- bullying
- hazing
- national/provincial child and youth protection laws
- organization-specific risk management and dispute resolution model

The nation-wide, toll-free, Respect Resource Line will be made available to all Coaches and Activity Leaders who have been trained in the Respect in Sport Activity Leader program

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Individuals who access the Respect Resource Line are not required to disclose their identities. In the event you are faced with a situation involving maltreatment and are unsure how to proceed, the Respect Resource Line is available 365 days per year to assist. This line is not for technical support, but offers a connection to resources to help deal with your situation.

TOLL FREE: 1-888-329-4009

TEXT: 1-306-717-9636

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Safe Sport Fee

Skate Canada places great importance on creating a fun and safe environment for our skating family, especially children and youth. We create this atmosphere as a reflection of our safety culture that extends throughout the organization. Our goal is to position ourselves as the Safe Sport leader in Canada and the world.

Skate Canada has always strived to create a positive sport environment built on the values of fairness, excellence, inclusion and fun. We are proud to support the True Sport movement and its principles including: Go For It; Keep It Fun; Play Fair; Stay Healthy; Respect Others; and Give Back.

Sport can also be a high-risk environment for misconduct, including bullying and harassment, physical and sexual abuse and mental and physical injury. Our sections, clubs, skating schools, coaches, registrants, parents and all other stakeholders expect best-in-class safety programs that will address the full spectrum of issues. The complete Safe Sport framework we have developed does this. Implementation will begin in the 2016-2017

registration season with the framework and specific initiatives for this season available to all via the Info Centre by August 1, 2016. (Insert link to Safe Sport Framework)

For us to follow best-in-class standards and ensure sustainability of the Safe Sport initiative, a fee of \$3 per registrant, which includes skaters, coaches, club/school board members, officials and on-ice volunteers, will be implemented for the 2016-2017 registration season. This fee is to be collected by clubs and skating schools in conjunction with the \$32 registrant fee and the \$0.65 accident insurance benefit. Payment of this fee by clubs and skating schools will be collected by Skate Canada in the normal course.

This is a critical step in the development of the Safe Sport program and Skate Canada's dedication to providing a safe and fun environment. Additionally, we will be in a position to provide increased resources and support to clubs, schools, coaches and sections. All fees collected will be used exclusively to support this initiative. A framework progress report will be provided to all stakeholders periodically.

For questions on the Safe Sport Program, please contact safesport@skatecanada.ca