

Cochrane Skating Club

Coach Wanted Advertisement



About Us:

The Cochrane Skating Club is located in the beautiful Town of Cochrane, a short drive west of Calgary. For 50 years, we have been proud to provide quality skating programs to members from Cochrane and the surrounding communities from Learn to Skate to Podium Pathway.

We are a growing club with an enthusiastic and developing member base, and we're looking for a passionate, motivated coach to join our team this 2026/2027 season.

We believe that great coaching happens in a positive and collaborative environment. Our coaches work closely as a team, sharing ideas, supporting one another, and helping each other grow. This is a great opportunity for any coach to gain valuable experience, develop their coaching skills, and build a rewarding role within a growing club all in a supportive environment.

The Cochrane Skating Club offers:

- A positive, supportive, and team-oriented coaching environment
- Opportunities to gain experience across a range of skating levels and programs
- Support and mentorship from an experienced coaching team
- The opportunity to build your coaching skills and grow your role with the club
- A welcoming and developing membership base
- Opportunities for additional coaching hours as your availability and interests allow
- Travel/mileage compensation negotiable

The successful candidate will:

Requirements:

- Be knowledgeable about and up to date with current Skate Canada STAR assessment and competition program requirements
- Have excellent communication and interpersonal skills
- Enjoy working or has a keen interest in a team coaching environment
- Be motivated, energetic, enthusiastic, and passionate about skating
- Be eager to learn, develop their coaching skills, and take on new opportunities
- Be interested in growing alongside the Cochrane Skating Club
- Be a Skate Canada registered coach in good standing at a Regional level or higher
- Provide a copy of your coach dashboard

Roles & Responsibilities:

- Coach group skating programs from Pre-CanSkate through StarSkate
- Provide private and group StarSkate lessons
- Be a primary/head coach for StarSkate level skaters
- Have the opportunity to coach off-ice programming

Skills:

The successful candidate will have:

- Off-ice coaching experience, certification, or special interest is an asset, but not required.
- Excellent communication and ability to develop and maintain positive interpersonal relationships.
- A desire to work collaboratively with a coaching team to provide positive experiences for all skaters and families.
- Strong time management and organizational skills.

Time Commitment:

- Our skating programs run Monday through Saturday, with a minimum availability of **two days per week** required and opportunities for additional hours.
- The Cochrane Skating Club operates out of the Cochrane Arena from September through June, with a pause in programming during May. Summer coaching opportunities are also available July and August.

Skating Programs:

CanSkate (stage 1 - 4), Advanced CanSkate (stage 5-7), StarSkate (all levels)

Application Deadline:

September 30, 2026 or until suitable candidate found.

Contact Information:

Please apply with your resume and cover letter to:
president@cochraneskatingclub.ca

