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# 2026-2027
# Workshop Calendar

| Workshop Date | Topic | Location | Audience |
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| **August** | | | |
| Wednesday, Aug. 26, 2026 | **Planning for the Season**<br>Club & Skating School Toolkit | On Demand<br>Digital Toolkit | **All Section**<br>**Clubs and Skating Schools** |
| **September** | | | |
| Friday, Sep. 4, 2026<br>Self Paced | **Set for Success:**<br>**Hosting CanSkate Elements & STAR 1-3 Event**<br>Everything You Need to Know | On Demand<br>Training | **All Section**<br>**Clubs and Skating Schools**<br>Board Members/Directors/Club Representatives and Coaches Welcome |
| Sunday, Sep. 13, 2026<br>8:00 PM<br>1 HR (approx.) | **Safe Sport Overview**<br>Club & Skating School Requirements and Support | Live Virtual Event | **Mandatory:** One Board/Director Representative From Each<br>**Alberta Club or School**<br>Must Attend One Session |
| Sunday, Sep. 20, 2026<br>8:00 PM<br>1 HR (approx.) | **Safe Sport Overview**<br>Coach Requirements and Support | Live Virtual Event | **Mandatory:** All Section Coaches<br>Must Attend One Session |
| Thursday, Sep. 24, 2026<br>8:00 PM<br>1 HR (approx.) | **Safe Sport Overview**<br>Club & Skating School Requirements and Support | Live Virtual Event | **Mandatory:** One Board/Director Representative From Each<br>**Alberta Club or School**<br>Must Attend One Session |
| **October** | | | |
| Sunday, Oct. 4, 2026<br>8:00 PM<br>1 HR (approx.) | **Let's Get Candid About**<br>**Program Delivery Standards**<br>CanSkate & STAR 1-5 | Live Virtual Event | **All Section**<br>**Clubs and Skating Schools**<br>Board Members/Directors/Club Representatives and Coaches Welcome |
| Sunday, Oct. 18, 2026<br>8:00 PM<br>1 HR (approx.) | **Governance 101**<br>Board Effectiveness, Roles and Responsibilities | Live Virtual Event | **All Section**<br>**Clubs and Skating Schools**<br>Board Members/Directors/Club Representatives and Coaches Welcome |
| Sunday, Oct. 25, 2026<br>8:00 PM<br>1 HR (approx.) | **Dispute Resolution**<br>**Complaints and Discipline Policies**<br>Policy and Procedure Review | Live Virtual Event | **All Section**<br>**Clubs and Skating Schools**<br>Board Members/Directors/Club Representatives and Coaches Welcome |
| **November** | | | |
| **Postponed**<br>**Until Further Notice** | **Safe Sport Q&A**<br>Live Questions and Answers Session | Live Virtual Event | **All Section**<br>**Clubs and Skating Schools**<br>Board Members/Directors/Club Representatives and Coaches Welcome |
| Sunday, Nov. 15, 2026<br>8:00 PM<br>1 HR (approx.) | **Conflict of Interest**<br>Policy and Procedure Review | Virtual On Demand Event | **All Section**<br>**Clubs and Skating Schools**<br>Board Members/Directors/Club Representatives and Coaches Welcome |
| Sunday, Nov. 29, 2026<br>8:00 PM<br>1 HR (approx.) | **Social Media in the Age of AI**<br>Best Practices and Guidelines | Virtual On Demand Event | **All Section**<br>**Clubs and Skating Schools**<br>Board Members/Directors/Club Representatives and Coaches Welcome |
| **December** | | | |
| Wednesday, Dec. 2, 2026<br>Self Paced | **Program Delivery Standards**<br>CanSkate & STAR 1-5 | On Demand<br>Training | **All Section**<br>**Clubs and Skating Schools**<br>Board Members/Directors/Club Representatives and Coaches Welcome |
| Sunday, Dec. 13, 2026<br>8:00 PM<br>1 HR (approx.) | **Appeals Policy**<br>Policy and Procedure Review | Live Virtual Event | **All Section**<br>**Clubs and Skating Schools**<br>Board Members/Directors/Club Representatives and Coaches Welcome |
| **January** | | | |
| Sunday, Jan. 10, 2027<br>8:00 PM<br>1 HR (approx.) | **Governance 101**<br>Holding Effective Meetings Including In-Camera Sessions | Live Virtual Event | **All Section**<br>**Clubs and Skating Schools**<br>Board Members/Directors/Club |

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| Sunday, Jan. 31, 2027<br>8:00 PM<br>1 HR (approx.) | **Volunteer Management**<br>Strategies and Best Practice on Recruiting, Retaining and Recognizing Volunteers | Live Virtual Event | **All Section**<br>**Clubs and Skating Schools**<br>Board Members/Directors/Club Representatives and Coaches Welcome |
| **February** | | | |
| Sunday, Feb. 7, 2027<br>8:00 PM<br>1 HR (approx.) | **Governance 101**<br>Annual General Meeting<br>Best Practices | Live Virtual Event | **All Section**<br>**Clubs and Skating Schools**<br>Board Members/Directors/Club Representatives and Coaches Welcome |
| **March** | | | |
| Sunday, Mar. 7, 2027<br>8:00 PM<br>1 HR (approx.) | **Governance 101**<br>Board Overview, R&R<br>& Board Member Orientation | Virtual | **All Section**<br>**Clubs and Skating Schools**<br>Board Members/Directors/Club Representatives and Coaches Welcome |
| **April** | | | |
| Sunday, Apr. 4, 2027<br>8:00 PM<br>1 HR (approx.) | **Governance 101**<br>Board Health:<br>Strategic and Succession Planning | Virtual | **All Section**<br>**Clubs and Skating Schools**<br>Board Members/Directors/Club Representatives and Coaches Welcome |
| Sunday, Apr. 25, 2027<br>8:00 PM<br>1 HR (approx.) | **Governance 101**<br>Board Health:<br>Financial Management | Virtual | **All Section**<br>**Clubs and Skating Schools**<br>Board Members/Directors/Club Representatives and Coaches Welcome |
| **May** | | | |
| Sunday, May 9, 2027<br>8:00 PM<br>1 HR (approx.) | **Governance 101**<br>Planning for Next Season | Virtual | **All Section**<br>**Clubs and Skating Schools**<br>Board Members/Directors/Club Representatives and Coaches Welcome |
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**Updated August 25, 2026**

Please note: Dates and topics are subject to change

***Safe Sport workshops listed are specific to Alberta. NWT and Nunavut Clubs will receive separate jurisdiction-specific support and communications. Clubs, Skating Schools and Coaches must attend one of these mandatory workshops.***