Calalta Figure Skating Club has a highly qualified team of professional coaches who work together to ensure that each skater achieves personal excellence. Our coaching team includes international level coaches in Singles, Pairs, and Dance. All of our coaches have been certified through the National Coaching Certification Program (NCCP) and abide by Skate Canada's Coaches' Code of Ethics.

The Calalta coaching team asks that all skaters and parents adhere to the Calalta Figure Skating Club policies and Skate Canada's Code of Ethics.



## Tyler Myles - Director of Skating (403)909-7334

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## **Skating Accomplishments:**

Novice and Junior Canadian Champion in Ice Dance Senior National Team member and International competitor Coach of International medallists at both the Junior and Senior level Coached skaters to the 2014 Olympic Games and the 2011 - 2015 ISU World Championships

Associate Choreographer for the Stars On Ice tour 2014 to present

### Coaching Accreditation/Education:

**Certified National Coach** 

Technical Specialist in Ice Dance and Singles

### **Coaching Venue:**

COP and J.C upon request

### Days Available:

Monday through Saturday

**Coaching Area of Interest:**-High Performance Coaching and Choreography for Competitive skaters Juvenile through Senior in all disciplines

### **Coaching Rate:**

\$19.00 per 15 minute lesson



## JAIME-LYN JACKSON - Director of Group Skating

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**Skating Accomplishments:** "Disney on Ice" Professional Skater; National Competitive Senior Synchro Skater; Gold Dance and Skills, Sr. Silver free, Pre Novice competitive.

Coaching Accreditation/Education: Certified Provincial Coach, Canpower certified. 15 years coaching experience. Analyze Technical & Tactile Performance Course. Recipient of the National CanSkate University and the Challenge Coach Mentorship programs. Coach of Sectional, StarSkate, AB Winter Games and Leading Edge champions and medalists.

Diploma in Broadcasting, MRU. Majored in Psychology, U of L.

Coaching Venue: Jimmie Condon & COP with limited availability

Days available: Monday to Saturday

**Coaching Area of interest:** Free skate and skills **Accepting new students:** on an individual basis

Coaching rate: \$15.00 per 15 minutes



NATASHA TAYLOR

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**Skating Accomplishments**: Quad Gold, Competitive Skater. StarSkate National

Competitor and medalist, ISU International Adult Champion.

**Coaching Accreditation/Education:** Skate Canada High Performance Coach. Coached and trained Provincial and National Champions/Medalists. Coached singles skaters' beginner to Senior Competitive level. Was mentored by Skate Canada High Performance program. Fitness and Nutrition trained, Gravity Yoga

Certified.

Coaching Venue: COP and Sat at JCA

Days available: Mon to Sat

**Coaching area of interest:** Freeskate

**Accepting new students:** Yes

Coaching rate: \$17.50 per 15 minute lesson



#### KIM SLOPAK-WEEKS

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**Skating Accomplishments:** 7th Figure, Jr. Silver Free, Competitive Skating Skills Class 1. Diamond Dance Equivalency, Gold Free Dance, Sr. Competitive Dance

Former National Team Member and International Competitor

Coaching Accreditation/Education: Certified National Coach / partial Level 4

Coached medalists at Skate Canada National Championships Calalta

Competitive Ice Dance Program Manager

Coached athletes from CanSkate to Senior level

coached competitive dance teams at an International level Figure Skating Coaching Certificate from Seneca College

33 years coaching experience

Coaching Venue: Jimmie Condon & COP

Coaching Area of interest: Competitive Dance Teams, Dance, Skills, Stroking and

Interpretive Choreography

Accepting new students: Yes, all levels and disciplines in September after I have

confirmed who is returning

Coaching rate: \$18.00 per 15 minute lesson



## BEN WESTENBERGER (403)604-8883 Benfwestenberger@gmail.com

**Skating Accomplishments:** 2011 ISU World Championships Competitor

2011 ISU Four Continents Competitor

**9**-Time National Competitor in Canada and the United States

Coaching Accreditation/Education: National Coach in Training, Skate Canada Triple Gold Medalist. US Figure Skating Triple Gold Medalist in Ice Dance, Moves in the Field, and Free Dance. Coached skaters to National medals and ISU Junior Grand Prix events.

Coaching Venue: Jimmie Condon & COP Days Available: Monday through Saturday

Coaching Area of interest: All disciplines. Specializing in Ice Dance,

Choreography, and Skating Skills

Accepting new students: Yes, all levels and disciplines

Coaching rate: \$17.50 per 15minute lesson



# DONNA HALLATT dmgskating@shaw.ca

Coaching Accreditation/Education: Certified National Coach

NCCP level 2 Pairs and Dance NCCP level 1 Technical Gymnastics 37 years professional coaching experience

7 years jazz and ballet

11 years Ballroom, 4th in Canada at Canadian Ballroom championships 2018

I have taken skaters to Challenge & National in Freeskate and Dance

Coaching Venue: COP and Jimmie Condon

Days available: Monday to Friday afternoon COP & Wednesday after 4:00 pm

Jimmie Condon

**Accepting new students:** Yes

Coaching Area of interest: Competitive Freeskate Technical

Coaching rate: \$17.00 per 15 minute lesson



# chantelle@portz.ca

### **Skating Accomplishments:**

Coaching Accreditation/Education:16 years coaching experience

Certified Provincial Coach, National Coach Trained, Level 3 (partial), CEP Gold

Status, Certified CanPower Coaching Venue: COP

Days available: Monday to Friday (JC Available for bookings)

Coaching Area of interest:
Accepting new students: Yes

Coaching rate: \$17.00 per 15 minute lesson



GREG FOLK (403) 245-0833 ghfolk@shaw.ca

### **Skating Accomplishments:**

Skate Canada Triple Gold Medalist - National Medalist in Junior and Senior Singles & Senior Fours

Coaching Accreditation/Education: NCCP Level 4 Certified

NCCP Level 3 & 4 Course Conductor Certified Corporate Performance Coach Over 36 Years Coaching Experience

Master Coach Rating by NCI, PSA(PSGA), and the FSCC

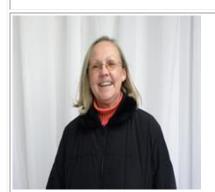
Coach and Trainer of Provincial, Challenge and National Champions
Coach and Trainer of International, Junior World and World Competitors
Many time presenter and guest at National and International Skating Conventions
and Conferences.

Coaching Venue:

**Days available:** As arranged or by appointment **Coaching Area of interest:** Jump and Spin Specialist

Accepting new students: Yes

Coaching rate: \$20.00 per 15 minute lesson



# **LAURIE FINNEY** (403) 462-9650

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**Skating Accomplishments:** Gold Figure, Gold Freeskate, Gold Dance Gold Free Dance, Gold Pairs. Former Alberta Senior Champion and National

Competitor - Novice, Junior and Senior

Coaching Accreditation/Education: 40 Years Coaching experience

Coach & Trainer of Provincial Champions, Divisional Competitors, National & International Competitors, Coach & Trainer of Divisional, National, and International Medalist, Coach of Canada Winter Games Competitors

Mentor Coach Level I, II and III Certified National Coach Coaching Venue: JCA Days available: 7 days a week

Coaching Area of interest: All disciplines

Accepting new students: Yes

Coaching rate: \$17.00 per 15 minute lesson



DANIELA SOVAK <u>piruetads@hotmail.com</u> 403-287-4144

Skating Accomplishments: International competitor

Professional ice show soloist/experience

Coaching Accreditation/Education: National and International SC coach with 36

years of experience

Chaired the "Learn to Train" stage of SC LTAD (Skate Canada Long Term Athlete

Development)

Doctor of Natural Sciences with specialization in human growth and development

as related to physical activity. Ballet and music training

Coaching Venue: Jimmie Condon and COP

Days available: JCA Mon/Thu last evening session, Sat 1:45-3:15 pm, Sun 10:15-

12:30 pm

COP Mon/Wed/Fri am, Mon-Thu day ice

**Coaching area of interest:** Beginners to Senior level competitive in Singles. Skating fundamentals, Skating Skills, off ice training and basic program

choreography

**Accepting new students: YES** 

Coaching rate: \$18.00 per 15 minutes



Alison Bonney-Gregson (403) 606-9068 alisonskates@gmail.com

**Skating Accomplishments:** Diamond Dance, Gold Freeskate, Novice Competitive Test, 7th Figure, Competitive Skating Skills Class 1 equivalency. Former PreNovice

Ladies Champion, Alberta/NWT Sectional Championships

Coaching Accreditation/Education: Certified National Coach

NCCP Level 3 Trained Ice Dance 25 years coaching experience

### Coaching philosophy:

I love passing the love and joy I feel for skating onto the next generation!!! The relationships that I build with the skaters as they strive to reach their potential in skating are so rewarding. The lessons skaters learn in the rink will serve them in their futures as the sport allows for them to learn discipline and the development of a strong work ethic, to build confidence and both mental and physical strength, as well as the experience to weather both the tough challenges and great accomplishments that the pursuit of their skating goals provides.

**Coaching Venue:** Jimmie Condon & COP **Days available:** Monday to Saturday

Coaching Area of interest: Dance, Freeskate & skills
Accepting new students: Yes, all levels and disciplines



Coaching rate: \$17.00 per 15 minute lesson

Andrea St.Cyr

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**Skating Accomplishments:** 

Gold Freeskate, Gold Dance, Gold Skills, Ten-Fox Variation, National Open Synchronized Skating Champion, Ballet and Jazz Background, Theater Calgary

choreographer Coaching Accreditation

**Coaching Accreditation:** 

25 years coaching experience

Certified National Coach Singles & Synchronized Skating Certified

CanPower Certified

National Level Synchronized Skating Teams

National StarSkate Dance Biathlon and Singles Champions

Coaching Venue: COP and Jimmie Condon Arena

Days Available: Tuesday and Thursday

Coaching Area of Interest: All disciplines-Freeskate, Dance, Skills, Artistic and

Synchronized Skating

Accepting New Students: Yes Coaching Rate: \$16.00



Nicole Grenon 403-608-0794

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Skating Accomplishments: Gold Dance, Gold Skills, Gold Interpretive, Gold Free

Skate. Former Novice Competitive Singles Skater

Coaching Accreditation/Education: Trained Provincial Coach, CanSkate and

CanPower Certified.

Coaching Venue: Jimmie Condon Days available: Monday-Saturday

Coaching Area of interest: Freeskate, skills and power skating.

**Accepting new students:** Yes

Coaching rate: \$14.50 per 15 minutes



**CATHY SAHALUK** 

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**Skating Accomplishments:** 6<sup>th</sup> Figure, Sr. Bronze Free Skate, Gold Dance, Ten Fox

Variation and Bronze Rhythm Dance

Coaching Accreditation/Education: 49 years coaching experience, Mentor Coach

level 1, Certified Provincial Coach, level 3 in training

**Coaching Venue:** Jimmie Condon

Coaching Area of interest: All disciplines

**Accepting new students:** Yes



**Coaching rate:** \$14.00 per 15 minute lesson

Monique St.Cyr-Wasmann

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**Skating Accomplishments:** 

Gold Freeskate, Gold Dance, Gold Skills, Ten-Fox Variation, National Open Synchronized Skating Champion, Ballet and Jazz Dance Background.

**Coaching Accreditation:** 

24 years coaching experience

National Certified Coach Singles & Synchronized Skating

CanPower Certified

National Level Synchronized Skating Teams

Solstice Synchronized Skating Teams Program Manager

National StarSkate Dance Biathlon and Singles Champions

Coaching philosophy:

Success to me is getting a group of skaters together, as a team, to reach their ultimate potential. It doesn't matter if you are a singles skater or you skate on a synchronized skating team, we all will achieve more and have fun when we get support from our peers and skating community.

I aim to create an interest and enthusiasm for skaters to develop sound

fundamentals with purpose and inspiration. **Coaching Venue:** Jimmie Condon Arena

Days Available: Thursdays

Coaching Area of Interest: All disciplines-Freeskate, Dance, Skills and

Synchronized Skating

**Accepting New Students:** Yes

Coaching Rate:\$15.00



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wpthomas@telusplanet.net

Skating Accomplishments: Former British, European and World Ice Dance

Champion

Coaching Accreditation/Education: Senior Instructor with 43 Years Coaching

experience. National Competitive Coach - Singles and Dance

Coach of National Medalists, Coach of Canada Winter Games Competitors

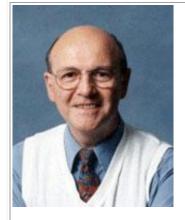
Certified National Coach

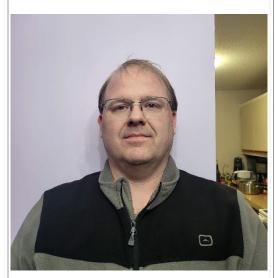
Coaching Venue: Jimmie Condon Monday-Friday

Coaching Area of interest: All disciplines Days available: 7 days a week

**Accepting new students:** Yes

Coaching rate: \$17.50 per 15 minute lesson





### **Bradley Hazelton**

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**Skating Accomplishments:** Triple Gold Tests, Nova Scotia Novice Men, Pre-Novice

Dance Champion

Coaching Accreditation/Education: NCCP Provincial In-Training, 25 years coaching

experience

Coaching venue: WinSport and Jimmie Condon

Days Available: All

Coaching area of interest: Competitive Singles, STARSkate All Disciplines,

Introductory/Open Pairs, Pole Harness

Accepting new students: Yes

Coaching rate: \$12.50 per 15 minutes



Kevin Lee (587) 434-7999

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**Skating Accomplishments**: 1 time Chinese Taipei National Champion. Alberta Provincial Champion in Men's Singles. Competed in Canada for 10+ years, Gold Skating Skills. Trained in Calgary and Los Angeles with U.S. National and world-class coaches and competitors. Coach competitive figure skating over 18 years in Calgary and coached 1 year in Los Angeles. ISU Assistant Event Coordinator and Chief Announcer at the 2006 ISU Junior Grand Prix of Figure Skating Final and at the 2016 Four Continents Figure Skating Championships (Taipei City).

**Coaching Accreditation/Education**: NCCP National Coach in training. NCCP Certified Provincial Coach. ISU Technical Judging System course certificate. Bachelor of Commerce Degree in Accounting (Haskyane School of Business, University of Calgary).

Coaching venue: COP and Jimmie Condon

Days Available: Mon-Fri at COP and Sat at JCA

**Coaching area of interest**: Competitive Freeskate – all levels beginner to

competitive, Skills, Dance
Accepting new students: Yes

Coaching rate: \$16.00 per 15 minute lesson



### **Mercedes Shields**

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**Skating Accomplishments:** Competitive singles skater for 10 years Attended multiple Skate Canada AB/NWT/NUN Sectional Championships Skate Canada Challenge Competitor, Skate Canada Team Alberta member Competed across Canada, as well as American competitions.

Former Senior Women free skate competitor, Gold free skate, Senior silver skills

and Senior silver dance

**Coaching Accreditation/Education:** NCCP Regional Coach Trained Status Currently attending University for a bachelor's degree in Psychology

5 years coaching/program assisting experience

Coaching venue: Jimmie Condon

Days Available: Monday-Thursday (flexible with days not listed as well)

**Coaching area of interest:** Free Skate

Accepting new students: Yes
Coaching rate: \$12.00 per 15 mins