

NEWSLETTER

CALALTA FSC



Welcome to August 2026 and the Last Half of Summer Skating Season!

People Update

This month, we wish farewell and best wishes to Kainos Yau. Kainos will be joining Disney on Ice. She has been a skater with Calalta since 2016 where she consistently comes to the rink with kindness, enthusiasm and dedication to learning all aspects of figure skating. In 2024, Kainos became a triple gold tested

skater and in 2025 became a certified CanSkate coach. Join us on August 7 by dressing as your favorite Disney character to celebrate Kainos and wish her success in this exciting next chapter.

Summer Skating Camps

Two themed camp days remain:

- August 7: Favorite Disney Character
- August 14: Dress Like a Coach

Assessment Updates

StarSkate assessments remain an important tool for tracking skater development and celebrating achievement in Skills, Dance, Free Skate, and Artistic disciplines. Skate Canada has announced a \$3 increase in assessment fees effective August 1, 2026. Assessment fees will automatically be charged to your card starting August 1st. This is accordance with our new policy.

Fundraising Update

Our annual Davison Orchards Apple Fundraiser returns in September. More details will be announced soon.



Fall Registration

Calalta members receive 20% off off registrations with 6 or more clicks booked. Key reminders:

- Sessions are filling quickly.
- Registration opens to non-members August 15 at noon.
- No discounts after August 15—no exceptions.
- Packages offer additional savings.

Please consult your coach before registering to ensure appropriate session selection.

Competition Corner

Good luck to Calalta skaters competing at the 2026 Wild Rose Competition in Leduc this weekend.

Several Calalta skaters will also compete at the BC/YT Super Series Summerskate in Burnaby from August 13–16, an important development opportunity and qualifying event for some Podium Pathway athletes.

The Alberta competition season begins with the Fall Invitational in Airdrie (September 25–27), now open to both StarSkate and Podium Pathway skaters. Speak with your coach about participation.

Solstice Synchronized Skating

Synchronized skating reached a major milestone with the ISU announcement that Synchro9 will debut at the 2030 Olympic Winter Games.

For the 2026–2027 synchronized skating season Calalta's Solstice will be beginning in September.

If you are interested to join, speak to your coach, or contact the Synchro Program Lead Andrea St. Cyr at solsticesynchro@gmail.com.

Solstice will offer the following teams:

- Elementary, Juvenile, Novice
- Synchro9 Pilot
- Open
- Adult 1, 2, and 3



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Important Dates

Fri Jul 31-Aug 3	Wild Rose Invitational held in Leduc. Good Luck Calalta Skaters!
Mon Aug 3	No ice or off ice sessions running
Fri Aug 7	Dress up like your favorite Disney character!
Fri Aug 13 -16	BC Summer Skate begins! Good luck Calalta Skaters!
Fri Aug 14	Dress like a coach! Last day of Summer School
Mon-Fri Aug 17-21	Final week of Ice Dance sessions
Sat Aug 15	Last day to get the 20% discount for registration – don't forget you need 6 'clicks' to get the discount.
Mon Aug 31	2026/27 skating season begins at both COP and Jimmie Condon

Thank you for reading!

Calalta team x