



# SPRINGBANK

## Figure Skating Club



### Happy New Year!

We are excited to bring you our first newsletter in 2016!

The end of 2015 was busy for our SFSC Members. Congratulations to all of our members who competed at the Springbank Fall Freeze, November 20 - 22! Parents, coaches and club members are extremely proud of all the hard work and dedication you've shown.

### Springbank Fall Freeze 2015



We hosted 550 skaters, including 4 Special Olympic Skaters, from all over the province - even from Yellowknife! 32 SFSC skaters participated! We handed out 298 ribbons, and 44 gold, silver and bronze medals. Springbank skaters did well and we had quite a bunch of podium finishes!

Thanks to all the volunteers, particularly the Springbank skaters for being ice captains and runners.

Without you, we would not have these precious memories!

Then, Christmas came and Santa made it all the way to the rink! Wow! Our CanSkaters must have been good! They celebrated the beginning of the most wonderful time of the year on and off ice! Ohhhh, and there were lots of treats and so much fun!



*For more details and questions with regards to CanSkate, please contact:*

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After a short break over the holidays, we have started a new, busy, challenging year:

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**Upcoming test days:** *February 3 & 4, 2016 at Springbank Park for all Seasons.*

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**Upcoming competitions:**

*Alberta Winter Games, February 13-16, 2016 in Medicine Hat, Alberta (3 of our skaters qualified !)*

*2016 STARSkate & Adult Championships, February 26-28, 2016 in Leduc, Alberta*

*Calgary Winter Invitational, March 11-13, 2016 in Calgary, Alberta.*

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*For more information, please visit:*

<http://skateabnwtun.ca/events/2015-2016-season-competitions/2016-alberta-winter-games/>

<http://skateabnwtun.ca/wp-content/uploads/2015/03/2016-CWI-Announcement-FINAL.pdf>

<http://skateabnwtun.ca/wp-content/uploads/2015/03/2016-STARSkate-Announcement-FINAL.pdf>

A Happy and Successful New Year to all our skaters, parents, coaches, volunteers, and everyone else who cares about SFSC!

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