



2025-2026 SEASON

Collins Perley Figure Skating Club
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The Collins Perley Figure Skating Club (CPFSC) is excited to begin our 30th season! Our Board of Directors and amazing volunteers have been working on some exciting changes to kick off this monumental season. Our objective is to ensure your child works hard, gains confidence, builds upon their skill level and more importantly, has fun!

October through December, skaters will work on the curriculum established by the USFSA Learn to Skate/Basic Skills lesson and will be grouped according to their skill level and not necessarily by age. Each class will consist of a warm up period, instructional skills and free skating time. Duration of each is dependent upon each group's level. Skaters are tested on skills and awarded badges when all skills in a level are mastered.

January and February, the class structure and schedule will change. This is when we begin practicing routines that each group will perform in the end of season show on Sunday, February 22, 2026, at 2:00PM with the dress rehearsal on Saturday, February 21st at 1:00PM – 3:30PM. Please note, your child may have a show practice time during the show schedule on a day and time other than their regular Monday or Saturday. If you have questions, please don't hesitate to email us.

Skaters are encouraged to attend public skating that's offered at Collins Perley, Highgate Arena, Essex Skating Facility, Leddy Arena, Cairns Arena, and the Jay Peak Ice Haus. There are also local outdoor rinks at the St. Albans Bay Park, Hard'Ack, Enosburg Rec Center, Smuggler's Notch, and numerous others. Extra skating time will build stronger skills!

Registration is now open. Full payment is required, non-refundable, and must be paid with registrations. No registrations are to be left at the Complex. No walk-in enrollments are accepted.

CHANGES FOR THE 2025-2026 SEASON

- **Mailing Address:** all mail should be addressed to the club's PO Box listed above.
- **Email/Communication:** all questions for the club should be directed to the email provided above. Once the groups are determined, your child's instructor(s) will send out their contact information. Please let your child's **instructor** know if your child will not be at practice. If you are unsure who to direct an email to please include your child's instructor and the official CPFSC email.
- **Registration Forms:** All registration forms are now digital through Zoho Forms.
- **Payment Options:** We have added digital payment options. Credit card payments should no longer be processed through the Collins Perley Sports Center.
 - **Zelle:** If your bank uses Zelle, CPFSC is now able to accept payments through this platform.
 - **Zeffy:** We are able to accept credit/debit card payments through Zeffy both in person and the link provided. No account necessary.
 - **Checks/Cash:** We are still accepting personal checks and cash for payment. Checks should be made out to the Collins Perley Figure Skating Club. **If you are mailing a check, please use our new PO Box address listed above.**
- **Early Registration Incentive:** Skaters who are fully registered (registration paperwork is filled out and registration fee is paid or confirmation of being a Warner Home Recipient is received) will pay the prior season registration rate.
- **Calendar Invites:** You will have the option to opt-in to calendar invites for practice times. The invite(s) will only include dates and times relevant to your skater(s).
- **Adult and Skater Volunteer Opportunities:** We are always looking for additional help. Volunteers will receive reduced enrollment fees. We have the following volunteer roles that we are looking to fill:
 - **Adult Volunteers** - adult volunteers will be asked to attend meetings (in person or over Google Meet) that are relevant to their role.
 - Skating Instructor (Saturdays) - Instructors are required to register and comply with all USFSA instructor requirements. This includes SafeSport training.
 - Costume Committee
 - Social Media Volunteer
 - **Skater Volunteers** - hours can be logged for senior volunteer, National Honor Society, or any other volunteer requirements. Skaters under the age of 18 will be required
 - Student Instructor - help the "littles" learn to skate. Instructors under the age of 18 will have reduced USFSA instructor requirements.

IMPORTANT REMINDERS

CELL PHONES AND CAMERAS ARE PROHIBITED IN ALL LOCKER ROOMS

Collins Perley Sports Center is a public venue equipped with video cameras for commercial purposes, including the online broadcast of events therein. By entering the venue, all participants and patrons waive any claim relating to the capture or public transmission of their participation while at the venue.

NOT FEELING WELL?

If your child or others in your household are exhibiting any signs of illness, cough or flu symptoms, please be respectful of others, **wear a mask or stay home**.

DRESS APPROPRIATELY

It is **COLD** in the rink and oftentimes feels colder than outside.

- Active wear: sweatpants, leggings, etc. **NO JEANS**
- Mittens or gloves are **REQUIRED**
- Helmets or the HALO are recommended and encouraged for all participants.
- Footed skating tights are available for purchase at Warner's 495 Swanton Rd, St. Albans.

SKATES

Be sure to have your skates sharpened before the first practice. Skates should be sharpened approximately every 4 practices.

Purchasing Skates:

- What to look for:
 - Skates with picks are recommended. As skaters progress, a larger pick may be necessary to help accomplish jumps.
 - Ankle support. Quality skate boots should be stiff to help support the ankle when performing skills. Skaters should not be able to bend the skate at the ankle.
- Where to buy:
 - Kevin Smith's Sports Connection
 - **Warner Home eligibility** - those who qualify for scholarships through the Warner Home are able to receive funds for equipment such as new skates. Currently, we are only aware of skates from KSSC being eligible.
 - Play It Again Sports - large selection of new and gently used skates

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SKATES (continued)

Skate Sharpening:

- Instructor Erin Woolridge and her husband Dereck are fully trained and equipped to provide sharpening. Cost is \$10.00, please contact them directly at 802-393-8054 or info@figure8shapening.com.
- Collins Perley Pro Shop

LIVEBARN

Collins Perley Sports & Fitness Center is a LiveBarn Venue. If you can't make it to the rink, you can still stay connected by watching all events LIVE and ON Demand.

- Live Stream events from any LiveBarn venue
- Watch on Demand for 30 days
- Save and share 30-second highlights
- Download entire events/games
- LiveBarn is available via a monthly or annual subscription:
- Save 10% when you use promo code 9f7a-385e
- Existing subscribers can update their promo code to 9f7a-385e within their profile.
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AVAILABLE SESSIONS & REGISTRATION FEE**Registration Rates:**

All skaters who register **AND SUBMIT PAYMENT** by August 31, 2025 are eligible for early registration rates.

Session	Week Day	Approximate Time	Rate per Skater	Early Reg. Rate
½ hour Beginner (ages 3-5)	Monday	6:00 pm - 6:30 pm	\$200.00	\$180.00
½ hour Power Skate*	Monday	6:00 pm - 6:30 pm	\$100.00	\$75.00
1 hour Group Lesson	Monday	6:30 pm - 7:30 pm	\$350.00	\$300.00
1 hour Group Lesson	Saturday	9:30 am - 10:30 am	\$350.00	\$300.00

*Power Skate is a conditioning class intended to build on strength, agility, and speed. Skaters must have received their **Basic Badge 5** in order to participate in Power Skate. If your skater has expressed interest, but you are unsure if they meet this requirement, please reach out via email to collinsperleyfigureskating@gmail.com.