

It's SHOWTIME!

Show Newsletter #5 – February 14 and February 15, 2026

Happy Valentine's Day to all! We have six more weeks of rehearsals for "City Life!" Are you getting excited? I am!

Parents of Show Skaters: We will have a parent meeting at the START of show practices next Saturday (2/21 – meet in lobby) and Sunday (2/22 – meet in locker room 2, behind the music box). Lots of important info – be sure to attend!

Show Costumes: **Costume measurements for any remaining Sunday groups will be taken on 2/15/26.**

Program Book Photos: All soloists, lines, and remaining groups will have photos taken on Sunday, 2/15 at the JFK. Skaters should have hair pulled back in a bun or pony tail, and wear a solid black or dark colored top for the photos! SOLOISTS: Black club jackets and hair/makeup done for your photos! Hair should be slicked back – no wispies! Make your photo shine ☺

Show T-SHIRTS: - Order a commemorative Show T-shirt for your skater! Names of all show skaters are listed on the back! \$20/each; order forms at the table TODAY! Order deadline: Sunday, 3/1/2026

Messages from the Heart: –Wish your favorite skater(s) good luck in our program book! Messages are only \$5.00 each – MFTH forms available now! Deadline to submit: 3/8/26

Program Book Ads: Our 8.5 x 11 program book is the perfect place for your small business – or one you frequent – to advertise! It's also a great way to say congratulations and good luck to your favorite skater. Ad order forms and prices are available NOW at the registration table! Start selling and return camera-ready copy with payment at the desk or email copy to Ken Lajoie at allhailken@gmail.com. The deadline for submitting business or personal ads is 3/8/26

Calling all Guys: Ever wanted to skate in an ice show? Now's your chance! Calling all Dads/brothers/partners to join the fun! There will be two Dad numbers in the show this year – one in each half – with only two rehearsals required. Interested? Want more info? Leave your name at the registration table, or see me at the rink to express interest, or email me at tnordle@aol.com! TONS of fun for all! Join us!

Potential Show Soloists: COACHES skating solos: I need your applications ASAP. I will have to use your old bio for the book if you do not submit an updated application so get yours to me now please!

Soloist Music - UPDATE: Now that the test session and competitions are complete, soloists will have their music this week!

Volunteers: We are in need of many volunteers to help with show production! Looking specifically for the following: CHAPERONES for show groups – Props construction and painting – COSTUMES – Distributing posters – Set up (3/27) and teardown/clean-up (3/28 after the show) – Security (at the doors/for backstage for both shows) – SO much more!

SHOW SET-UP DAY: **Friday, March 27, 2026:** We need 6 able-bodied people from 8:00 a.m. - 9:30 a.m. to help unload lighting equipment. Also, **many volunteers are needed from 8:00 a.m. – 9:00 pm at night @JFK to construct the set, prep the rink, paint, move props, set up dressing rooms, run string lights, hang curtains, and MUCH MORE!** There is much to do; please consider lending a hand! Add your name to the volunteer list at the registration table or email Ken (allhailken@gmail.com)

Attention Club Members! **If you are a Bridge, Blue, or Gold home club member of SNHSC and are registered to skate in the show, you are invited to skate in one extra group #.** There will only be 2 rehearsals for these numbers. Both will be in March – dates announced next week – and you must be able to attend both. Interested? Email Teri (tnordle@aol.com) no later than Sunday, February 22, 2026. **Participation is completely optional.**

PRODUCTION #s: **Skaters who are eligible to do one of the Production #s will get an email from me with details and the rehearsal schedule no later than Friday, February 20.** There will be 3 rehearsals for production #s - all will be in March. Productions this year include "Car Wash", "Art Museum" and "Theatre Night"

All-Skate #s: Every skater in the show – regardless of age or ability- is welcomed to participate! There are two all-skate #s this year, one in each half of the show. Skaters will learn the numbers at Dress Rehearsals on Saturday, March 21 and Sunday, March 22. All skates this year are "Day at the Ballpark" and "St. Patrick's Day Parade"! Details at Parent Meeting!

Have fun and SK8 GR8!

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