

November 2008

To All Markham Skating Club Families:

We are well into our 44th skating season and we are pleased to see the development of all of our skaters over the last 2 months. We hope that you and your skaters are excited to be members of our Club!

You may not be aware that the Markham Skating Club is a non-profit agency. As such, we rely on fund-raising to provide some the special events that our skaters enjoy so much.

Here's a look at the fund-raising opportunities on-going or coming up in the next couple of months.

2009 Ontario Skaters Draw – Grand Prize 2009 Ford Escape

Buy a book of 20 tickets for \$40 and sell them to your friends, neighbours, family and co-workers. The skater who sells the most tickets will win a free Spring skating session (total value \$250).

The club will earn \$22.00 for each book of tickets sold. To date we have sold 100 books – our goal is to sell 250 books of tickets and we need your help to reach out goal of \$5000.00.

Pick up your books of tickets from the office, lobby table or contact Nitsa Mangos at nitsa.mangos@sympatico.ca

Just in Time for the Holidays – MacMillan’s Cookies, Muffins & more

Frozen cookie dough, muffin batter, desserts and finger foods will be convenient to have on hand as you plan your holiday entertaining. There are even peanut-free products available.

Place your order and pay by November 25, 2008 and it will be available for pickup on December 3, 2008 between 4-9pm.

Order forms will be available from the office, lobby table or contact Jennifer Nie at jennifernie@rogers.com

Donate a Toonie Jar or Baking for our Annual Christmas Party

Get your creative juices flowing and create a beautiful jar filled with goodies for the Toonie Jar sale. Fill a jar with candies or other goodies, decorate the jar and drop it off at the office before the party on December 13, 2008. The Toonie Jar sale is always a big hit at our Annual Christmas Party.

Calling all Martha Stewarts.....we also host a bake table at the annual Christmas Party. Please sign up on the bulletin board in the lobby.

Buy Markham Skating Club Clothing –Sport your Club Colours

Look for the rack in the lobby from November 14 - November 22. There will be a selection of samples (t-shirts, pants, jackets, flannel pj's and more...) bearing the Markham Skating Club logo, and you can personalize your clothing with your name.

Place your order by Saturday, November 22, and it will be delivered just in time for Christmas.

As you can see, there are lots of great ways that you can help support your Club's fund raising efforts. All money raised will be used to support events like The Christmas Party, Mini Olympics, Club Competition, Annual Awards Banquet and help improve overall programs. We hope that you will support us generously!