

CAISC NEWSLETTER



CANTERBURY ALPINE ICE SKATING CLUB Issue 127

January 2017

HAPPY HOLIDAYS!

Term 4 started with the Australian National Championships, in which we had great results, and finished with the end of season Ability Meet and Fun night. Prize giving was also a highlight of Term 4. We hope everyone is enjoying their time off from skating and you all stay fit over the break, ready to start up again at the end of January.

EQUIPMENT HIRE

We will do a stock take, wash all the skinsuits and sharpen the hire skates for reissue at the start of the season. The hire fee for skates, skinsuit and bag/jacket will be \$100 for all of 2017.

Club Registration and Equipment Collection will be on Sat, January 28 at 2pm at the Jones's home, 82A Stanleys Rd.

A reminder that you are required to provide your own helmets, gloves, neck guards and skate guards. We ask that you please arrange this before the start of the season. If you are unsure of what you need, please ask.

JANUARY OFF ICE

There will be two fun off ice sessions—All welcome:
Tuesday, January 17 and 24.



Please meet at the Hagley Netball courts at 6:15pm. Access is from Selwyn Street or St Asaph St. Please bring your helmet, **INLINE SKATES** (or scooter/bike if you don't have inline skates) and a drink bottle. Other than that, keep up your own running, biking, swimming etc for fitness over the summer.

**TERM 1 STARTS
TUESDAY, JAN 31
THURSDAY, FEB 2**

REGULAR TRAINING
ICE TIMES:

CAISC Tues 6:00-7:30pm
KOWI Thurs 5:15-6:15pm

OFF ICE TRAINING
before skating
Tuesdays 5:00pm
Thursdays 4:15pm

FEES TERM 1

Pay by Feb 5th

CAISC \$236.00 / 11wks
acc 01 0822 0045005 00

KOWI —\$159.00/ 11wks
acc 02 0820 0101667 00

Skate Hire—\$100/year

Please put SKATERS NAME and
TERM 1 FEES in subject line.

Early Bird Full Year

Pay for the full season by
February 5th to get a discount
Tues \$820, Thu \$540

End of Season On Ice Fun!

In the last week of skating, December 6 and 8, we had a fun night of ability racing followed by a games night. Bucket races, hand soccer, frozen tag and the obstacle course were enjoyed by all. Thank you Kendra, John and Chris for organizing.



Schedule of Events 2017

Jan 17 & 24	Off Ice / Inline skating
Sat Jan 28	Registration 82A Stanleys Rd
Tue Jan 31	Start of CAISC ice
Thu Feb 2	Start of KOWI ice
Thu, Feb 23	Skate A Thon
Sat, March 4	Sausage Sizzle, Mitre 10 Hornby
July 15-16	Dunedin Championships
July 21-23	South Island Championships, Chch
Sun, Aug 6	Sausage Sizzle, Mitre 10 Hornby
Sun, Aug 20	Sausage Sizzle, Mitre 10 Hornby
Sun, Aug 27	Sausage Sizzle, Mitre 10 Hornby
Sept TBA	NZ Nationals, Dunedin (TBC)
Sept/Oct TBC	Australian Open Champs, Melbourne
End of November	End of year Ability Meet



AUSTRALIAN CHAMPIONSHIPS Sept 30/Oct 1

We had 8 skaters attend the Australian Open Championships, held in Sydney, Australia. Some of this team also attended the AIR camp prior to the competition. It was a great experience for all involved.

Nipper Boys—2nd Luke Street

Midget Girls— 1st Amelia Sykes, 4th Leona Jones

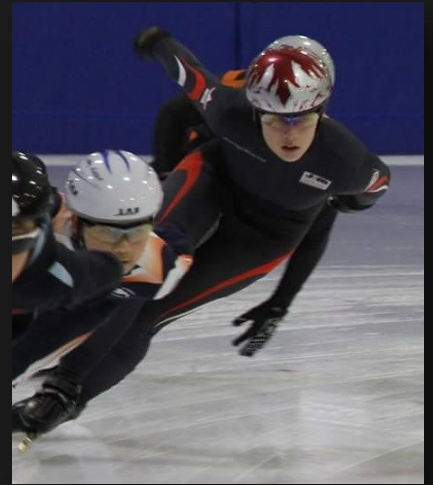
Sub Junior Boys—1st Ethan De Rose, 5th Michiel Van Heynigan

Junior Ladies—6th Penny Burrige

Senior Men— 18th Ben Whiteside, 19th Nic Lawrence

Sub Junior Relay (Ethan, Penny, Michiel and Amelia) 2nd

Open Relay (Ben, Nic, Ethan, Michiel) 3rd



Prize Giving 2016

Thanks to the Jones' for the use of their home and for hosting such a fabulous bbq. We thanked coaches Mark and Kendra and farewelled coach John, after many years of coaching.



Ben



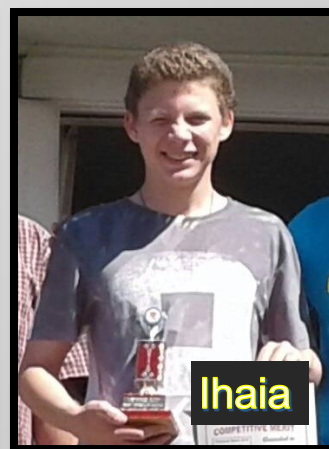
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Amelia



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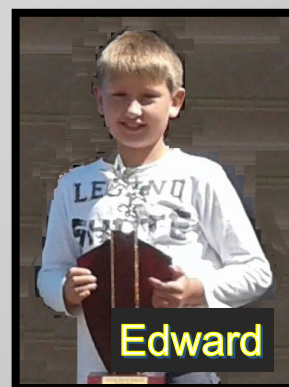
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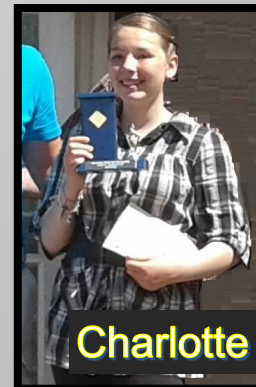
William



Luke



Edward



Charlotte

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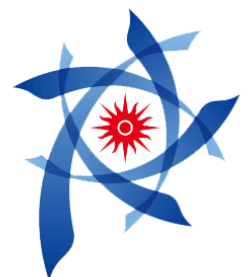
Club Champion—Ben Whiteside **High Achievement**—Ethan De Rose
Junior Champion—Amelia Sykes **Most Improved CAISC**—Ihaia Stott
Women's Achievement—Leona Jones **Outstanding Effort**—Luke Street
Coaches Choice—Edward Feryagin **Most Improved Kowi**—William McNeil
Most Improved Novice —Charlotte Lyell **Long Track Award**—Team Pursuit
(Shane Dobbin, Peter Michael, Reyon Kay)

Good Luck!



Congratulations to Ethan De Rose on having been selected to represent New Zealand at the Junior World Championships in Austria, January 27-29th, 2017.

Congratulations also to Ben Whiteside for being selected to represent New Zealand at the Asian Winter Games in Sapporo, Japan, February 20-22nd, 2017.



**2017
SAPPORO
ASIAN WINTER
GAMES**

COACHING CLINIC

Very early on November 27th, we held a coaching clinic. For the first time, we code-shared with the NZIHL, who were holding a goalie clinic. Half the ice equals half the cost. We had 3 adventurous dads who came to learn from our coach Mark Jackson. Thanks Mark!



LONG TRACK NEWS

Our Long Trackers are having an AMAZING season so far. The International season started in October and goes until March, 2017. So far this season, our Team Pursuit, Shane Dobbin, Peter Michael, and Reyon Kay, all members of CAISC, won a surprise Bronze medal at the World Cup in Nagano, Japan. In the next World Cup, in Kazakhstan, Peter Michael won the Mens 5000m, the first time that a Kiwi has stood on top of the podium in the history of long track speed skating! Our boys are looking very good heading into the Olympic season in 2018!

If you have something to contribute to the newsletter, please forward it to Kendra Street on kendrastreet@gmail.com.