

REMINDER.....EARLY REGISTRATION FOR THE 2010-2011 SEASON ENDS  
JUNE 15, 2010. REGISTER EARLY!!!



# KITCHENER RINGETTE ASSOCIATION

"PROMOTING SPORTSMANSHIP, PARTICIPATION AND FRIENDSHIP THROUGH RINGETTE"



**Ringette**  
Fun & Friendships  
Happen on Ice!

Tell your friends to...

**Come Try Ringette - A FREE Event**

**August 14<sup>th</sup>, 2010**

**5:00pm**

**Wilmot Recreation Center**

**TELL ALL OF YOUR FRIENDS ABOUT OUR FREE EVENT!!!**

**EVERY PLAYER WHO BRINGS A FRIEND TO OUR COME TRY RINGETTE  
EVENT WILL HAVE THEIR NAME ENTERED IN A DRAW TO WIN A  
FABULOUS PRIZE!! (ONE ENTRY PER PLAYER)**

**THIS EVENT IS OPEN TO FRIENDS FROM 4-40! ALL THEY NEED IS A  
PAIR OF SKATES, A HELMET AND SOME PADDED GLOVES!**

**YOU CAN FIND MORE INFORMATION AT OUR WEBSITE, OR  
BY CHECKING OUT [WWW.COMETRYRINGETTE.CA](http://WWW.COMETRYRINGETTE.CA)**



## Introducing the 2010-2011 KRA Executive Members

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### BINGO UPDATE

The Kitchener Ringette Association is one of the many non-profit organizations that participates regularly in running charity bingos. The funds raised through these bingos are a significant factor in covering our annual operating costs (ice, referees, etc). Without these funds, each child's registration fee would go up considerably. Over the past year we have experienced difficulty at times in fulfilling our commitments to operate the bingo.....**WE CAN'T AFFORD TO LOSE OUR SPOT!!!**

The proceeds from the bingo benefit all children registered with KRA thus the responsibility to operate the bingos should rest with all as well.

**Therefore...**

**This year KRA will be introducing a new Bingo Volunteer Scheduling system.**

Each family will be required to volunteer for **ONE BINGO PER CHILD** playing ringette with Kitchener. Those that register prior to June 15<sup>th</sup> for the early registration rate will be able to select a date to volunteer, provided that date is not full already. Those who have not fulfilled their time or who register at start-up weekend will be assigned a date. We currently have only dates available until the end of August, as confirmation from the bingo hall for subsequent times has not been received. In the past we have had dates changed and so we would prefer to not run into re-scheduling issues, so once confirmation is received further dates will be released. Should you be unable to work the date you signed up for or were assigned it will be your responsibility to find a replacement. KRA will have a list of volunteers willing to cover (if they are available) at a fee to you of \$50.00. These funds must be put towards a team within KRA, likely the team to which the volunteer is affiliated with.

KRA bingos are scheduled every second Saturday 8:30 am-12:30pm. All of the confirmed KRA bingo dates are posted on the Bingo page of our website. Beside each date shows the number of volunteers still required for that date. Once you know which date(s) you would like to volunteer, please email Kinga Cormier, Bingo Coordinator. Include in your email your child's name. Kinga will confirm back to you with your date(s).

To view all the bingo updates and see a listing of all the KRA bingo dates and volunteers scheduled and required, visit our [BINGO](#) page on the website.

Thank You  
KRA Executive

## KRA Summer FUNdamentals Program - Register now!

Players U7 to U12, new to ringette or wanting to get ready for the 2010 - 2011 season --- Kitchener Ringette will be holding a FUNdamentals program this summer!! Registration is now open.

**5 Sessions \$75.00 Instructor: Amy Ross**

**Where:** *Wilmot Recreation Complex –Optimist Arena*

Players U7 to U12, new to ringette or wanting to get ready for the season

Week 1	6 pm	Sat August 14th
Week 2	5 pm	Sat August 21st
Week 3	6 pm	Mon August 23rd
Week 4	5 pm	Sat August 28th
Week 5	6 pm	Mon August 31st

We are accepting applications on a first come, first serve basis

application deadline May 30, 2010. Click here to [register online](#) or you can register by mail.

Classes will be limited so you are encouraged to register early.

Minimum 20 players and Maximum 35 players per session.

KRA reserves the right to cancel sessions due to poor enrolment.

Any questions please contact: [kraice@kitchennerringette.com](mailto:kraice@kitchennerringette.com)

### RINGETTE FOR MOMS!!

KRA is planning a Ringette for Moms event for the upcoming ringette season. Ice time will run 20-24 weeks starting in the fall, and will be Sunday evenings at 10pm at Lions arena. Fees have not yet been determined.

If you are interested, please forward your name and contact info to [krapres@kitchennerringette.com](mailto:krapres@kitchennerringette.com).

### CALL FOR COACHES

If your interested in coaching at the Regional level for the 2010-2011 season, please complete the Coaching Application form on the KRA website and submit to Patti Schultz at [kracoach@kitchennerringette.com](mailto:kracoach@kitchennerringette.com)

### Interested in Reffing????

**Any Junior or Belle age players or any parents that are interested in becoming a Referee?**

**Kitchener Ringette is considering holding a Ref Clinic in September 2010.**

**Anyone interested please contact Patti Schultz—Referee In Chief for KRA at [kraref@kitchennerringette.com](mailto:kraref@kitchennerringette.com)**

## Registration rates for the 2010-2011 Season

Online registration is now open for the 2010 / 2011 season. Be sure to register early  
to secure your discounted rate.

Click here to [Register on-line](#) to register before June 15

To be eligible to attend Provincial tryouts players must be registered with their home association. A \$25 deposit is required with the completed registration form. Players making other centers will be refunded this amount, those making a Kitchener rep team will have this deposit applied to their 2010/2011 registration.

Player Division	Cost before June 15	Cost after June 15
<b>U7 (Bunny Minor)</b>	<b>\$200.00</b>	<b>\$250.00</b>
<b>U9 (Bunny Major)</b>	<b>\$250.00</b>	<b>\$300.00</b>
<b>U10 (Novice)</b>	<b>\$365.00</b>	<b>\$410.00</b>
<b>U12 (Petite)</b>	<b>\$365.00</b>	<b>\$410.00</b>
<b>U14 (Tween)</b>	<b>\$365.00</b>	<b>\$410.00</b>
<b>U16 (Junior)</b>	<b>\$365.00</b>	<b>\$410.00</b>
<b>U19 (Belle)</b>	<b>\$365.00</b>	<b>\$410.00</b>
<b>Over 19 (Open) (19 and up)</b>	<b>TBD</b>	<b>TBD</b>

### Registration Notes

- \* Reduced registration fees offered to players that are new to ringette (no previous ORA number); \$175 for U7 & U9 and \$300 for U10, U12, U14, U16, U19. Provincial fees still apply.
- \* Child is placed according to their age as of December 31 of that year.
- \* New players must provide a copy of your birth certificate at the time of registration.
- \* If not previously registered, please indicate the appropriate level for your child's age.
- \* Provincial level teams (A and AA) start at the Petite level and above
- \* Provincial level is considered "A" and "AA" and may only be offered in certain divisions should the numbers warrant.
- \* Tryouts are required for Provincial levels.
- \* If the player is successful in making a provincial team, there is a \$200 additional fee to be applied with \$100 due Sept 30 and \$100 due Dec. 31.
- \* Evaluations/tryouts may be required in order to place your child at the appropriate level for their ability

## NEW ONLINE "ACCESS CODE" FOR REGISTRATION

If you are a returning player and registering for the 2010-2011 season online, choose "retrieve your access code" when you visit the Registration page. You will be prompted to enter the player's first name, last name and date of birth. An email containing your "access code" (keep in a safe place for future reference) will be sent to the email address already in the system for parent 1. Once you have your access code, return to the registration page and enter the players first and last name and the access code. All of the existing information will pre-populate in the registration form fields. You can update any information that has changed here, and register for the upcoming season.

If you did not register online last year, your information may not be in the system and you will need to enter your child's information into the system before you will be able to get an access code.

If you have any questions please contact Lori Struk at [kratreas@kitcheneringette.com](mailto:kratreas@kitcheneringette.com)

## DATES AT A GLANCE

**Bingo:** Every second Saturday 8:30 am—12:30 pm (dates and volunteer list are posted on the website)

**Early Registration deadline:** June 15, 2010

**Come Try Ringette:** Saturday August 14, 2010—5:00 PM—Wilmot Rec Centre

**FUNDamentals:** August 2010—see website for details

## SUMMER RINGETTE CAMPS



[Eagle Lake Summer Ringette Camp](#)—Still has spots available. Click on the link to see more information.

Kitchener Ringette — FUNdamentals—[www.kitcheneringette.com](http://www.kitcheneringette.com)

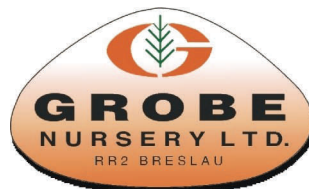
SORC(Southern Ontario Ringette Camp) — [www.corc.ca](http://www.corc.ca)

Lisa Brown's Ringette Retreat — [www.ringetteretreat.com](http://www.ringetteretreat.com)



## THANK YOU TO OUR TEAM SPONSORS

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