

JUNE 1999

THE BEGINNING

Trish Alexander began teaching Saturday classes at Skate King, the skate school was named Later Skater Productions



2001

NAME CHANGE

Trish creates the name Skate Journeys

2002

SUNDAY CLASSES ADDED

Sunday classes are added, starting Saturday & Sunday lessons



SUMMER 2001 1ST SUMMER CAMPS

First year of youth summer camp, hosted at Skate King

2005

40 INSTRUCTORS

SJ has 40 instructors on staff teaching lessons



DEC 2009

NONPROFIT STATUS

Skate Journeys transitions to a non-profit





2012
PARADE

SJ skaters participate in the Seafair Torchlight Parade, skating the parade route

2015
BRIDLE TRAILS

Skate Journeys is mobile, teaching Sunday classes at Bridle Trails



JULY 1, 2015
SKATE KING CLOSES

Skate King in Bellevue closes after 40 years, rink classes end and become mobile classes

FALL 2015
FUNDRAISER

The 2015 Fall Fundraiser raises \$10K to purchase a van for mobile classes



JAN 2016
LITTLE VAN

The Little Van is purchased from fundraiser funds



FALL 2016
FUNDRAISER

The 2016 Thanksgiving Fundraiser raised \$20K to purchase another van for mobile classes

WINTER 2017
BIG VAN The Big Van is purchased, expanding mobile program capabilities



2019
JEWISH DAY SCHOOL

Saturday classes are offered at Jewish Day School



MARCH 2020
PANDEMIC

Skate Journeys pivots during COVID-19, offers Zoom classes & private lessons at Marymoor Park



2020
FITNESS ON SKATES

Fitness trail class start, training students to skate the Seattle Super Skate Marathon, 10 students completed the marathon



JAN 2022
CLASSES AT LYNNWOOD

Post-pandemic Saturday & Sunday classes are offered indoors at Lynnwood Bowl & Skate



JULY 2023
21 YEARS OF SUMMER CAMPS

The 21st year summer of youth skate summer camps