

# 2009

## Annual

# SILVER STATE OPEN CHAMPIONSHIPS



**AUGUST 13-16, 2009**

SoBe Ice Arena@ Fiesta Rancho Hotel & Casino  
2400 North Rancho  
North Las Vegas, NV. 89130

**ENTRY DEADLINE: POSTMARKED BY JULY 3, 2009**

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Well Balanced Free Skate  
Competitive Test Track  
Basic Skills  
Special Skaters

Free Skate  
Short Program  
Compulsory Moves  
Artistic Light

Artistic Dramatic  
Artistic Duets  
Artistic Interpretive  
Adult Solo Dance

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## ANNOUNCEMENT

### GENERAL INFORMATION

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Dates:	Thursday, August 13-Sunday, August 16, 2009		
Deadline:	Entries must be postmarked by July 3, 2009		
Location:	SoBe Ice Arena @ Fiesta Rancho Hotel & Casino, 2400 N. Rancho, North Las Vegas, NV 89130. For rink information ONLY, call (702) 631-7000 OR (702) 647-RINK		
Rink Size:	200' x 85' with rounded corners (standard NHL size).		
Sponsor:	Las Vegas Figure Skating Club		
Sanction:	U.S. Figure Skating		
Competition Rules:	<p>The competition will be conducted in accordance with the rules of U.S. Figure Skating as set forth in the current 2008/2009 U.S. Figure Skating Rulebook except as specified in this announcement. Any changes at the May 2009 Governing Council that are declared urgent will be adhered to at this year's competition.</p> <p>Three entries in a single event constitute a competition. If an event has two or less entries, you will be notified of your options. All decisions of the Chief Referee will be final.</p>		
US Figure Skating: Chief Referee.	Carla Golubski		
US Figure Skating Scoring:	<p>The ISU Judging System (IJS) will be used for Juvenile/Open Juvenile through Senior Level, Adult Gold, Adult Championship Gold, Adult Championship Jr/Sr, and Adult Championship Int/Nov. All other US Figure Skating events, including all Competitive Test Track Events, all Artistic events, all Basic Skills events, and Special Skater events will be judged under the 6.0 system. The closed system of judging will be used.</p> <p>All events qualified to be judged by the IJS judging system will require a <b>Planned Element Form to</b> be completed and submitted with the competition application. A copy of this form is attached to the application. Applications received without the Planned Element Form will be considered incomplete. An updated form will be accepted at the registration table prior to your events for use by the technical panel but will only be used at the discretion of the event controller.</p>		

US Figure Skating Groups:	<p>A skater may enter any event for which he/she is eligible for, but only one event of each type. If there are more than eighteen (18) entries in any one class of a singles event, the skaters in that class shall be divided into groups of no more than twelve (12) skaters. Juvenile through Senior and adults will be divided by random draw and all others will be divided by age.</p> <p>Intermediate through Senior Singles Free Skating events will consist of the Short Program and the Free Skate Program as a combined event when skating in the Well-Balanced Free Skate Track. There is no Short Program in the Competitive Test Track.</p> <p>NO FINAL ROUNDS!!!!!!!!!!!!!!</p>
Admission:	<p>There is no admission price for spectators. Children under the age of ten (10) must be accompanied by an adult at all times.</p>
Eligibility:	<p>Skaters who are registered with US Figure Skating or who have a letter of permission from their Skating Federation are eligible to compete in the Silver State Open Championship events.</p> <p>Test level standing is effective at close of entries. No “contingent” entries will be accepted. Tests required for eligibility in any event must be passed <b>PRIOR</b> to submission of entry. Any test(s) passed after the close of entries that adversely affects the eligibility requirements for the event entered, will disqualify the entrant and the entry fee will not be refunded, excluding any tests that are taken at Silver State Open Championships</p>
Basic Skills Eligibility:	<p>This competition is open to <b>All</b> skaters who are current eligible (ER 1.00) members of either the Basic Skills Program and/or are full members of US Figure Skating. To be eligible, skaters must have submitted a membership application or be a member in good standing. Members of other organizations are eligible to compete, but must be registered with the host Basic Skills program/club or any other Basic Skills program/club.</p> <p>Eligibility will be based on skill level as of closing date of entries. All SNOWPLOW SAM and BASIC SKILLS SKATERS THROUGH BASIC 8 must skate at highest level passed and NO official US Figure Skating tests may have been passed including MIF or individual dances.</p> <p>For the Free Skate 1-6, eligibility will be based only upon highest free skate test level passed (moves in the field test level will not determine skater’s competitive level). Skaters may skate at highest level passed or one level higher BUT not both levels in the same event during the same competition.</p>
Special Skaters	<p>The competition is open to all skaters who are full members of US Figure Skating. To be eligible, skaters must have submitted a membership application or be a member in good standing.</p> <p>Eligibility will be based on skill level as of closing date of entries.</p>
Eligibility: US Figure Skating Events:	<p><b>WELL BALANCED FREE SKATE TRACK:</b> Free Skate Singles: Desert Flowers I/ Cactus Petes I- Senior</p> <p><b>COMPETITIVE TEST TRACK:</b> Free Skate Singles: Limited Beginner-Senior</p> <p><b>OTHERS:</b> <i>Compulsory Moves:</i> Desert Flowers I/ Cactus Petes I- Open Juvenile <i>Free Skate Adults:</i> Pre-Bronze, Bronze, Silver, Gold, Championship Gold, Championship Junior-Senior, and Championship Intermediate-Novice <i>Adult Solo Dance:</i> Bronze, Silver, &amp; Gold <i>Basic Skills:</i> Basic Elements (Snowplow Sam-Basic 8), Basic Program (Snowplow Sam-Basic 8), Free Skate Elements (Free Skate 1-6), and Free Skate Program (Free Skate 1-6) <i>Special Skaters:</i> Free Skate Levels 1-6 &amp; Compulsory Dance Levels 1-4</p>

- Artistic Events:** The artistic event is open to all levels. Well Balanced Track and the Competitive Test Track will be combined in all Artistic events in all levels. This event is designed to portray a character or theme through music and costume. Vocal or instrumental music may be used. Costumes must be in good taste.
- Skaters may select both Artistic Dramatic and Artistic Light Entertainment.
- Groups or events may be combined if not enough entries in a category. Male and female skaters may be combined in Artistic events, but will be separated when a sufficient number of entrants permit.
- Duet Events:** Duets fall under the artistic category and are open to all levels of skaters. Duets may be composed of: male/female, female/female, or male/male. Create a program with another skater; perform like you are in an ice show and you want to entertain your audience. This is not a pair event, pair lifts are forbidden.
- Skaters will compete at the highest free skating level of the pair or if a Basis Skills skater they will compete at the highest Snowplow Sam-Basic 8 or free skating level of the pair.
- Groups or events may be combined if not enough entries in a category.
- Interpretive Events:** The interpretive event is open to all levels of skaters. This event is designed to provide a creative output for our participating skaters. The choreography for this program will be designed by each individual skater.
- Groups may be combined if not enough entries in a level. Male and female skaters may be combined in Interpretive events, but will be separated when a sufficient number of entrants permit.
- Pairs Events:** There will be no pair's events at the Silver State Open Championships competition. If a pair's team is interested in performing an exhibition/critique they need to contact the registrar directly before the deadline to discuss this issue.
- Entry Forms:** Complete the entry form making sure that every blank is filled in, events to be entered are checked off, and all required signatures are present.
- A Planned Element Form must accompany Juvenile/Open Juvenile thru Senior Singles, Adult Championship Gold, and Adult Championship Masters in the Well Balanced Free Skate Track.
- For all age restricted events, age as of the entry deadline will govern.
- Entries **will not** be accepted by telephone or fax.
- Entry Fees:** Please see the entry form for a schedule of fees.
- Late Entries:** Entries postmarked after July 3, 2009 will be accepted only at the discretion of the referee and the competition committee and will incur a \$30.00 late fee.
- Cancellations and Refunds:** As ice is purchased based on the number of entries, there will be no refunds after close of entries.
- Corrections:** A \$30.00 fee will be charged for corrections submitted less than 14 days prior to the opening day of the competition.
- Returned checks:** A \$30.00 fee will be payable to the Las Vegas FSC for any returned checks. In addition, the skater will not be permitted to skate until the appropriate fees have been paid (CASH OR MONEY ORDER ONLY), including the \$30.00 returned check fee. There will be NO EXCEPTIONS!!

- Practice Ice: All practice ice sessions will be 30 minutes in length at a cost of \$15.00 per session.
- Each competitor may purchase ONE SESSION for each event entered for DAY OF COMPETITION PRACTICE ICE only at this time. If your skating level allows a short and a long program, you may only purchase one session each for short and long for a total of two sessions.
- NO MUSIC WILL BE PLAYED ON “DAY OF COMPETITION PRACTICE ICE!!”
- Additional practice ice will be available starting on Thursday and will be sold on site beginning Thursday, August 13. Music will be played on these sessions only. Music will be played by draw. Music draw will take place on a “first come, first served basis” 30 minutes prior to the start of each session. There is no guarantee that your music will be played, however every effort will be made to do so.
- Practice ice sessions are non-refundable and non-transferable.
- Competition Schedule: It is left to the discretion of the Chief Referee as to order, time, and day of each event. Skaters should be prepared to skate at any time that their event may be scheduled. A **tentative** schedule will be available on the Las Vegas Figure Skating Club’s website [www.lvskating.homestead.com](http://www.lvskating.homestead.com) as soon as it is available.
- Official Schedule: The official schedule will be posted in the rink lobby during the event. All changes to the schedule will be noted on the posted official schedule and will serve as due notice. Please check the official schedule frequently.
- Check In: A registration desk will be established in the rink. All competitors are requested to register as soon as possible upon arrival at the ice arena (no later than 60 minutes before your 1<sup>st</sup> scheduled event). Events may begin as much as 15 minutes before the scheduled starting time at the Chief Referee’s discretion. Skaters must check in with the Ice Monitor 30 minutes before they are scheduled to skate.
- Music: CD’s ONLY!!!!!!!!!!!!!! CD’s must be plainly marked with name and event.
- No CD-RW accepted. Single track CD’s only; no more than one program per CD.
- CD’s must be turned in at the Registration Desk at least 45 minutes prior to competing. CD’s will not be accepted any earlier than one (1) hour before your event.
- We will not accept any responsibility for breakage or damage; however, every precaution will be used to safeguard music. Have a back-up copy available rink-side in the event that there is a problem with the first CD.
- After the event, competitors must pick up their music at the Registration Desk. Las Vegas FSC will not return any music by mail.
- Awards: Desert Flowers I/Cactus Pete I thru Pre-Preliminary in the Well Balanced Free Skate Track and Limited Beginner thru Pre-Preliminary in the Competitive Test Track will have trophies for 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>, and 4<sup>th</sup> place. All other levels and events will receive medals for 1<sup>st</sup> thru 4<sup>th</sup> place, with Basic Skills and Special Skaters below 4<sup>th</sup> place receiving a participation ribbon.

- Perpetual Awards: Two trophies will be awarded:  
The Dena Darland Award This perpetual trophy will be awarded to the winner or winners of the Intermediate Ladies Well Balanced FREE SKATING Event. Dena Darland won the 1993 US Nationals Intermediate Ladies Event representing the Las Vegas FSC. This trophy is being donated in her honor. The perpetual trophy, with the winner's name engraved, will have a permanent home with the Las Vegas FSC. A smaller personal trophy representing this award will be presented to the winner.  
The Casey Link Award This perpetual trophy will be awarded to the winner or winners of the Novice Ladies Well Balanced FREE SKATING Event. Casey Link won the 1989 US Nationals Novice Ladies Event representing the Las Vegas FSC. This trophy is being donated in her honor. The perpetual trophy, with the winner's name engraved, will have a permanent home with the Las Vegas FSC. A smaller personal trophy representing this award will be presented to the winner.
- Photos: Pictures of the top four skaters in each event will be taken on the podium following the posting of results. All skaters can also purchase individual pictures. Action photos of each skater will also be available.
- Programs: Programs of the competition are available for purchase as part of the application. A very limited amount of programs will be available for sale at the competition.
- Competition T-shirts: Competition t-shirts are available for purchase as part of the application. A very limited amount of t-shirts will be available for sale at the competition.
- Videos: Professional video taping of this competition will be available. A parent may videotape **ONLY** his/her own skater in the area specified for that purpose. **NO TAPING OF ADDITIONAL SKATERS WILL BE PERMITTED. NO EXCEPTIONS. IF YOU ARE OBSERVED DOING THIS YOU WILL BE ASKED TO DELETE WHAT YOU HAVE TAPED.** This rule will be enforced. Please have your taped cued and ready to record or a new tape may be purchased from the video crew at the competition. You must notify the video crew that your skater would like to be recorded BEFORE you skate.
- Administration: **Result sheets of non IJS events will be available for** (25¢ each) at the Registration desk. For IJS events the individual protocol sheet will be free and prices will be posted at the competition for IJS packets.
- Accommodations: FIESTA RANCHO Hotel & Casino 1-888-899-7770 or 702-631-7000  
TEXAS STATION Hotel & Casino 1-800-654-8888 or 702-631-1000

PLEASE DO NOT MAKE TRAVEL ARRANGEMENTS UNTIL THE SCHEDULE HAS BEEN ANNOUNCED.

**THE DECISION OF THE REFEREE WILL BE FINAL ON ALL MATTERS. THE REFEREE, ALONG WITH THE COMPETITION COMMITTEE, SHALL HAVE THE RIGHT TO EXCLUDE ANY PERSON WHOSE BEHAVIOR IS UNRULY OR UNSPORTSMANLIKE.**

## **WELL-BALANCED FREE SKATE Singles Events**

Skaters are to perform a program to music in accordance with the current 2008-2009 U.S. Figure Skating Rulebook, except as specified herein. All Section references stated below are from the current U.S. Figure Skating Rulebook. New rule changes instituted at 2009 Governing Council will be followed.

<b>Event</b>	<b>Qualification</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>Duration (min:sec)</b>
Desert Flower I Cactus Pete I	*No age restrictions *Not passed any US Figure Skating Moves in the Field or Free Skate levels	ALLOWED: jumps (single salchow and toe loop, ½ loop)	1:30
Desert Flower II Cactus Pete II	*No age restrictions *May have passed pre-Preliminary Moves in the Field *Have not passed any US Figure Skating Free Skate levels	ALLOWED: jumps (no AXELS or DOUBLES) spins (minimum of 2) Per rule 3721	1:30
Pre-Preliminary Girls Boys	*No age restrictions *Have not passed the Preliminary Free Skate test	ALLOWED: jumps (single jumps through single axel, no DOUBLES) Per rule 3711	1:30
Preliminary Girls Boys	*No age restrictions *May have passed the US Figure Skating Pre-Preliminary Free Skate test, but not Pre-Juvenile	Per rule 3700 & 3701	1:30
Pre-Juvenile Girls Boys	*No age restrictions *Passed US Figure Skating Preliminary Free Skate test, but not Juvenile	Per Rule 3690 & 3691	2:00
Juvenile Girls Boys	*Must be (12) years of age or younger at the close of entries *Passed US Figure Skating Pre-Juvenile Free Skate test, but not Intermediate	Per rule 3680 & 3681	2:15 +/- 10 secs.
Open Juvenile Girls Boys	*Must be (13) years of age or older at the close of entries *Passed US Figure Skating Pre-Juvenile Free Skate test, but not Intermediate	Per rule 3680 & 3681	2:15
Intermediate Ladies Men	*Age 17 and under *Passed US Figure Skating Juvenile Free Skate, but not Novice	Per rule 3670-3672	*short 2:00 MAX *free skate 2:30 +/- 10 secs.
Novice Ladies Men	*No age restrictions *Passed US Figure Skating Intermediate Free Skate, but not Junior	Per rule 3660-3663	*short 2:30 MAX *free skate L 3:00, M 3:30 +/- 10 secs.
Junior Ladies Men	*No age restrictions *Passed US Figure Skating Novice Free Skate, but not Senior	Per rule 3650-3653	*short 2:50 MAX *free skate L 3:30, M 4:00 +/- 10 secs.
Senior Ladies Men	*No age restrictions *Passed US Figure Skating Junior Free Skate	Per rule 3640-3643	*short 2:50 MAX *free skate L 4:00, M 4:30 +/- 10 secs.

**\*\* Desert Flower/Cactus Pete 1 through Pre-Juvenile may be divided by age**

# **COMPETITIVE TEST TRACK FREE SKATE Singles Events**

Skaters are to perform a program to music in accordance with the current 2008-09 US Figure Skating Rulebook, except as specified herein. All Section references stated below are from the current US Figure Skating Rulebook. New rule changes instituted at 2008 Governing Council will be followed. Competitors must be 20 years of age or younger. All levels shall consist of a Free Skating program only; there will be no Short Programs. If there are more than 18 entries in an event, the event will be divided by age. There will be no final rounds. All events will be judged using the 6.0 judging system. All program times are  $\pm 10$  seconds.

Penalties:

- 0.1 each mark for each illegal element
- 0.1 each mark per 10 seconds time violation
- 0.1 in 1<sup>st</sup> mark for insufficient revolutions
- 0.1 in 1<sup>st</sup> mark for step sequence not fully utilizing the ice, Pre-Juvenile and above
- 0.2 in 1<sup>st</sup> mark for each technical element not permitted in the event description

<b>Event</b>	<b>Qualification</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>Duration min:sec</b>
Limited Beginner	Must not have passed higher than the U.S. Figure Skating Basic Skills Free Skating Badge Tests.	* Maximum of five (5) jump elements including any half revolution jumps. Jump combinations and sequences are not permitted * Spins in an upright position. Minimum three (3) revolutions are required. Flying spins are not allowed * Connecting moves and steps should be demonstrated throughout the program	1:30
Beginner	Must not have passed higher than the U.S. Figure Skating Basic Skills Free Skating Badge Tests.	* Maximum of five (5) jump elements, all single jumps, Axel <b>not</b> permitted. Jump combinations and sequences using only a waltz jump, toe loop and/or Salchow are allowed * Spins in an upright position. Minimum three (3) revolutions are required. Flying spins are not allowed * Connecting moves and steps should be demonstrated throughout the program	1:30
Pre-Preliminary	Must not have passed the U.S. Figure Skating Preliminary Free Skating Test.	* Maximum of five (5) jump elements, all single jumps, Axel <b>not</b> permitted. Jump combinations and sequences using only a waltz jump, toe loop and/or Salchow are allowed * Minimum of two (2) spins of a different nature with only one position. Minimum three (3) revolutions are required. Flying spins are not allowed. * Connecting moves and steps should be demonstrated throughout the program	1:30
Preliminary	Must have passed the U.S. Figure Skating Pre-Preliminary Free Skating Test but not the Pre-Juvenile Free Skating Test	* Maximum of five (5) jump elements including any single jumps, Axel <b>not</b> permitted. Jump combinations and sequences are allowed * Minimum of two (2) spins of a different nature. Spin combinations are allowed, (minimum 2 revolutions in each position and 3 on each foot or 6 total). Minimum three (3) revolutions are required for spins other than the combination spin(s). Flying spins are not allowed * Connecting moves and steps should be demonstrated throughout the program	1:30
Pre-Juvenile	Must have passed the U.S. Figure Skating Preliminary Free Skating Test but not the Juvenile Free Skating Test	* Maximum of six (6) jump elements including any single jumps, Axel <b>not</b> permitted. Jump combinations and sequences are allowed * Three (3) spins in any position of which one must be a spin combination (minimum 2 revolutions in each position and, with an optional change of foot, 3 on each foot or 6 total). Minimum four (4) revolutions are required for spins other than the combination spin(s). Flying spins are not allowed * One step sequence straight line, circular or serpentine fully utilizing the ice surface	2:00

Juvenile	Must have passed the U.S. Figure Skating Pre-Juvenile Free Skating Test but not the Intermediate Free Skating Test	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* Maximum of six (6) jump elements including any single jumps, Axel permitted. Jump combinations and sequences are allowed</li> <li>* Three (3) spins in any position of which one must be a spin combination with at least one change of foot (minimum 2 revolutions in each position and 4 on each foot). All spins may have flying entries. Minimum four (4) revolutions are required for spins other than the combination spin(s)</li> <li>* One step sequence straight line, circular or serpentine fully utilizing the ice surface</li> </ul>	2:15
Intermediate	Must have passed the U.S. Figure Skating Juvenile Free Skating Test but not the Novice Free Skating Test	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* Maximum of six (6) jump elements including any single jumps and double jumps may only be the double Salchow and double toe loop. Jump combinations and sequences are allowed</li> <li>* Three (3) spins in any position of which one must be a spin combination with at least one change of foot (minimum 2 revolutions in each position and 4 on each foot). All spins may have flying entries. Minimum four (4) revolutions are required for spins other than the combination spin(s)</li> <li>* One step sequence straight line, circular or serpentine fully utilizing the ice surface</li> </ul>	2:30
Novice Rule 3640	Must have passed the U.S. Figure Skating Intermediate Free Skating Test but not the Junior Free Skating Test	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* Maximum of seven (7) jump elements including any single jumps and double jumps may only be the double Salchow, double toe loop and double loop. Jump combinations and sequences are allowed</li> <li>* Three (3) spins in any position of which one must be a spin combination with at least one change of foot (minimum 2 revolutions in each position and 5 on each foot). All spins may have flying entries. Minimum six (6) revolutions are required for spins other than the combination spin(s).</li> <li>* One step or spiral sequence.</li> </ul>	L 3:00 M 3:30
Junior Rule 3640	Must have passed the U.S. Figure Skating Novice Free Skating Test but not the Senior Free Skating Test	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>*Men: Maximum of eight (8) jump elements including any single jumps and double jumps may only be the double Salchow, double toe loop, double loop and double flip. Jump combinations and sequences are allowed.</li> <li>Ladies: Maximum of seven (7) jump elements including any single jumps and double jumps may only be the double Salchow, double toe loop, double loop and double flip. Jump combinations and sequences are allowed</li> <li>*Three (3) spins, of which one must be a spin combination consisting of all three positions and one change of foot (minimum 2 revolutions in each position and 5 on each foot), one a flying spin and one a spin with only one position. Minimum six (6) revolutions are required for spins other than the combination spins</li> <li>* Men: Two step sequences of a different nature.</li> <li>Ladies: One step sequence and one spiral sequence.</li> </ul>	L 3:30 M 4:00
Senior Rule 3640	Must have passed the U.S. Figure Skating Junior Free Skating Test or higher	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>*Men: Maximum of eight (8) jump elements including at least four (4) different double jumps, one of which must be a double Lutz. Jump combinations and sequences are allowed.</li> <li>Ladies: Maximum of seven (7) jump elements including at least four (4) different double jumps, one of which must be a double Lutz. Jump combinations and sequences are allowed</li> <li>*Four (4) spins, of which one must be a spin combination consisting of all three positions and one change of foot (minimum 2 revolutions in each position and 5 on each foot), one a flying spin and one a spin with only one position. Minimum six (6) revolutions are required for spins other than the combination spins</li> <li>* Men: Two step sequences of a different nature.</li> <li>Ladies: One step sequence and one spiral sequence.</li> </ul>	L 4:00 M 4:30

# U.S. Figure Skating COMPULSORY Moves Events

To be skated in program form without music. Deduction for added elements.

Event	Qualification	Description	Duration (min:sec)
**Desert Flower's I Cactus Pete's I  <b>One-half (1/2) ice surface will be used</b>	*No age restrictions *Have not passed any US Figure Skating Moves in the Field or Free Skate levels	*Waltz jump (one only) *One foot spin (one only) free leg position optional *Toe loop (one only) *One spiral (any edge, any direction)	1:00 max
**Desert Flower's II Cactus Pete's II  <b>One-half (1/2) ice surface will be used</b>	*No age restrictions *May have passed pre-Preliminary Moves in the Field *Not passed any US Figure Skating Free Skate levels	*Loop jump (one only) *Camel, sit, or upright spin (one only) minimum 3 turns in position *Jump combo (2 single jumps) no axel *One spiral (any edge, any direction)	1:00 max
**Pre-Preliminary Girls & Boys  <b>One-half (1/2) ice surface will be used</b>	*No age restrictions *Not passed the Preliminary Free Skate test	*Axel (one only) *Jump combo (2 single jumps), may include axel *Camel, sit, or upright spin (one only), reverse entry acceptable, minimum 3 turns in position *One spiral (any edge, any direction)	1:00 max
**Preliminary Girls & Boys  <b>One-half (1/2) ice surface will be used</b>	*No age restrictions *May have passed the US Figure Skating Pre-Preliminary Free Skate test, but not Pre-Juvenile	*Combination spin (one only), at least one change of position, no change of foot, minimum 3 revolutions each position *Axel (one only- Axel may be repeated in a combination) *Jump combination (one only) 2 single jumps or one double/single combo *One spiral (any edge, any direction)	1:00 max
**Pre-Juvenile Girls & Boys  <b>Whole ice surface will be used</b>	*No age restrictions *Passed US Figure Skating Preliminary Free Skate test, but not Juvenile	*Change foot combination spin with at least one change of position and only one change of foot, minimum 3 revolutions each position *Axel (one only- Axel may be repeated in a combination) *Jump combination (one only) 2 single jumps or one double/single combo *One spiral (any edge, any direction)	1:15 max
Juvenile Girls & Boys  <b>Whole ice surface will be used</b>	*Must be (12) years of age or younger at the close of entries *Passed US Figure Skating Pre-Juvenile Free Skate test, but not Intermediate	*Flying spin (one only), minimum 4 revolutions *Double toe-loop (one only) *Jump combination (one only) one double/one single or two double jump combination, may include double toe-loop *One spiral (any edge, any direction)	1:15 max
Open Juvenile Girls & Boys  <b>Whole ice surface will be used</b>	*Must be (13) years of age or older at the close of entries *Passed US Figure Skating Pre-Juvenile Free Skate test, but not Intermediate	*Flying spin (one only), minimum 4 revolutions *Double toe loop (one only) *Jump combination (one only), one double/one single or two double jump combination, may include double toe loop *One spiral (any edge, any direction)	1:15 max

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## **FREE SKATE Adult Events**

Adult age categories will be divided or combined by age or gender at the Chief Referee's discretion. Masters events may ultimately be combined by age or by level at the Chief Referee's discretion. Adult free skate events will be skated in accordance with Sections 3730-3806, 4110-4125 of the current 2008-2009 U.S. Figure Skating Rulebook. Well-balanced program requirements (Sections 3741-3806, 4111-4125) shall apply.

<b>Event</b>	<b>Qualification</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>Duration min:sec</b>
Pre-Bronze	*Must be (21) years of age or older *Must have passed no higher than the adult pre-bronze free skate test, the pre-preliminary free skate test, or the ISI freestyle 3 test.	*per rule 3805 & 3806	1:40 max
Bronze	*Must be (21) years of age or older *Must not have passed higher than the Adult Bronze FS test, Standard Preliminary FS test, ISI FS 4 test, or prior to 10/1977 the 2 <sup>nd</sup> Figure test	No AXEL or DOUBLE JUMPS *per rule 3800-3801	1:50 max
Silver	*Must be (21) years of age or older *Must not have passed Adult Bronze FS test and no higher than the Adult Silver FS test, standard Juvenile FS, ISI FS 5 test, or prior to 10/1977 the 2 <sup>nd</sup> Figure test	No DOUBLE JUMPS *per rule 3790-3791	2:10 max
Gold	*Must be (21) years of age or older *Must have passed Adult Silver FS test and no higher than the Adult Gold FS test, standard Juvenile FS, ISI FS 6 test, or prior to 10/1977 the 2 <sup>nd</sup> Figure test	*per rule 3780-3781	2:40 max
Championship Gold	*Must be (21) years of age or older *Must have passed the Adult Gold FS test and no higher than the standard Juvenile FS test, ISI FS 6 test, or prior to 10/1977 the 2 <sup>nd</sup> Figure test	*per rule 3780-3781	2:40 max
Championship Intermediate-Novice	*Must be (21) years of age or older *Must have passed the standard intermediate free skate test & no higher than the standard novice free skate test, or prior to 10/1977 the 3 <sup>rd</sup> figure test & no higher than the 4 <sup>th</sup> figure test	*per rule 3745 & 3746	3:10 max
Championship Junior-Senior	*Must be (21) years of age or older *Must have passed the standard novice free skate test, or prior to 10/1977 the 4 <sup>th</sup> figure test	*per rule 3740-3741	3:40 max

## **SOLO DANCE Events**

Events may be divided by age class and/or gender at the discretion of the referee. Respective gender specific steps will be skated by each gender. Music for solo dances will be provided by the Competition Committee. Well balanced program rules apply.

### **ADULT GOLD SOLO DANCE**

Skater must have passed at least one standard, adult or masters pre-gold dance.

INITIAL ROUND      Kilian  
FINAL ROUND        Westminster Waltz

### **ADULT SILVER SOLO DANCE**

Skater must have passed at least one standard, adult or masters pre-silver dance and not passed more than one standard, adult or masters pre-gold dance.

INITIAL ROUND      Foxtrot  
FINAL ROUND        American Waltz

### **ADULT BRONZE SOLO DANCE**

Skater must have passed at least one standard, adult or masters pre-bronze dance and not passed more than one standard, adult or masters pre-silver dance.

INITIAL ROUND      Cha Cha  
FINAL ROUND        Hickory Hoedown

## **SPECIAL SKATER: Free Skate 1-6**

The free skate programs will be skated to instrumental music, no vocals permitted.

<b>Event</b>	<b>Notes</b>	<b>Duration (min:sec)</b>
Free Style Level 1	Special Olympics Free Style Level I Program	1:00
Free Style Level 2	Special Olympics Free Style Level II Program	1:30
Free Style Level 3	Special Olympics Free Style Level III Program	2:00
Free Style Level 4	Special Olympics Free Style Level IV Program	2:00
Free Style Level 5	Special Olympics Free Style Level V Program	2:30
Free Style Level 6	Special Olympics Free Style Level VI Program	2:30

## **SPECIAL SKATER: Dance**

<b>Event</b>	<b>Dance</b>
Compulsory Dance Level 1	Rhythm Blues (2 patterns or one time around the ice surface)
Compulsory Dance Level 2	Fiesta Tango (2 patterns or one time around the ice surface)
Compulsory Dance Level 3	Willow Waltz (2 patterns or one time around the ice surface)
Compulsory Dance Level 4	Foxtrot (2 patterns or one time around the ice surface)

# BASIC SKILLS PROGRAM: Snowplow Sam-Basic 8

To be skated on full ice to music. **Vocal music is allowed.** The skating order of the required elements is optional. The elements are not restricted as to the number of times an element is executed, or length of glides, number of revolutions, etc. unless otherwise stated. The skater must demonstrate the required elements and may use any additional elements from previous levels (where applicable). A .2 deduction will be taken for each element performed from a higher level. Time is 1:00+/- 10 sec.

<p><b><u>Snowplow Sam – TOTS:</u></b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. March followed by a two foot glide and dip</li> <li>2. Forward two foot swizzles 2-3-in a row</li> <li>3. Backward wiggles 2-6 in a row</li> <li>4. Forward snowplow stop</li> </ol>	<p><b><u>Basic 5:</u></b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Backward outside edge on a circle - clockwise or counterclockwise</li> <li>2. Backward crossovers 6-8 consecutive - both directions</li> <li>3. One foot spin - min of three revolutions</li> <li>4. Side Toe hop -either direction</li> <li>5. Hockey stop</li> </ol>
<p><b><u>Basic 1:</u></b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Forward two foot glide</li> <li>2. Forward two foot swizzles - 6 -8 in a row</li> <li>3. Backward wiggles 6-8 in a row</li> <li>4. Forward snowplow stop</li> </ol>	<p><b><u>Basic 6:</u></b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Forward inside 3-turn - R &amp; L from a standstill</li> <li>2. Bunny Hop</li> <li>3. Forward arabesque spiral on a straight line R or L</li> <li>4. Lunge - R or L</li> <li>5. T-stop - R or L</li> </ol>
<p><b><u>Basic 2:</u></b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Forward one foot glide - either foot</li> <li>2. Two foot turn in place - forward to backward</li> <li>3. Backward two foot swizzles - 6 - 8 in a row</li> <li>4. Forward alternating ½ swizzle pumps, in a straight line -across width of ice</li> <li>5. Moving snowplow stop</li> </ol>	<p><b><u>Basic 7:</u></b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Forward inside open Mohawk - R to L and L to R</li> <li>2. Ballet Jump either direction</li> <li>3. Back crossovers to a back outside edge landing position - clockwise and counter clockwise</li> <li>4. Forward inside pivot</li> </ol>
<p><b><u>Basic 3:</u></b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Forward stroking</li> <li>2. Forward ½ swizzle pumps on a circle, either clockwise or counter clockwise 6 -8 consecutive</li> <li>3. Moving forward to backward two foot turn - either direction</li> <li>4. Backward one foot glide - either foot</li> <li>5. Two foot spin</li> </ol>	<p><b><u>Basic 8:</u></b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Moving forward outside or forward inside 3 turns R and L</li> <li>2. Waltz jump</li> <li>3. Mazurka - either direction</li> <li>4. Combination move - clockwise or counter clockwise – (2 forward crossovers into FI Mohawk, step behind, step into 1 back crossover and step to a forward inside edge)</li> <li>5. Beginning one-foot upright spin, optional free foot position</li> </ol>
<p><b><u>Basic 4:</u></b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Forward outside edge on a circle clockwise or counter clockwise</li> <li>2. Forward crossovers 6-8 consecutive both directions</li> <li>3. Forward outside 3-turn - R and L from a standstill</li> <li>4. Backward stroking</li> <li>5. Backward snowplow stop – R and L</li> </ol>	

# FREE SKATE PROGRAM: Free Skate 1-6

To be skated on full ice with music. **Vocal music is not allowed.** The skating order of the required elements is optional. The elements are not restricted as to the number of times an element is executed, or length of glides, number of revolutions, etc. unless otherwise stated. The skater must demonstrate the required elements and may use but is not required to use any additional elements from previous levels (where applicable). A .2 deductions will be taken for each element performed from a higher level. Time is 1:30+/- 10 sec.

<p><b><u>Free skate 1</u></b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Advanced forward stroking. 4-6 strokes</li> <li>2. Forward outside or inside consecutive edges, 2-4</li> <li>3. Scratch spin from back crossovers</li> <li>4. Waltz jump from back crossovers</li> <li>5. Half flip jump</li> </ol>	<p><b><u>Free skate 4</u></b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Spiral sequence: FI spiral, FI Mohawk, BO spiral R or L</li> <li>2. Forward power 3's, 2-3 consecutive R or L</li> <li>3. Sit spin</li> <li>4. Loop jump</li> <li>5. Waltz jump/loop jump</li> </ol>
<p><b><u>Free skate 2</u></b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Forward outside spiral R or L</li> <li>2. Waltz three's R or L</li> <li>3. Beginning back spin</li> <li>4. Waltz jump, side toe hop, waltz jump</li> <li>5. Toe loop</li> </ol>	<p><b><u>Free skate 5</u></b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Spiral sequence: FO spiral, FO 3-turn, 1 back crossover Backward inside spiral, R or L</li> <li>2. Camel spin</li> <li>3. Forward upright spin to back upright spin</li> <li>4. Loop/loop combination jump</li> <li>5. Flip jump</li> </ol>
<p><b><u>Free skate 3</u></b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Forward crossovers in a figure 8</li> <li>2. Advanced forward outside swing rolls 4-6</li> <li>3. Back spin</li> <li>4. Salchow</li> <li>5. Waltz jump/Toe loop or Salchow/toe loop</li> </ol>	<p><b><u>Free skate 6</u></b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. 5 step Mohawk sequence, 1 set alternating patterns</li> <li>2. Camel/sit spin combination, min of 4 revolutions total</li> <li>3. Split or stag jump</li> <li>4. Waltz jump/1/2 loop /Salchow combination</li> <li>5. Lutz jump</li> </ol>

## BASIC SKILLS ELEMENTS: Snowplow Sam-Basic 8

To be skated on 1/2 ice with no music. All elements must be skated in the order listed. Each skater will perform one element at a time in a simple program format (no excessive connecting steps). Time is 1:00 minute or less.

<p><b><u>Snowplow Sam - TOTS:</u></b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. March followed by a two foot glide and dip</li> <li>2. Forward two foot swizzles 2-3-in a row</li> <li>3. Forward snowplow stop</li> <li>4. Backward wiggles 2-6 in a row</li> </ol>	<p><b><u>Basic 5:</u></b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Backward outside edge on a circle - clockwise or counterclockwise</li> <li>2. Backward crossovers 6-8 consecutive both directions</li> <li>3. One foot spin - minimum of three revolutions</li> <li>4. Hockey stop</li> <li>5. Side Toe hop -either direction</li> </ol>
<p><b><u>Basic 1:</u></b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Forward two foot glide</li> <li>2. Forward two foot swizzles 6 -8 in a row</li> <li>3. Forward snowplow stop</li> <li>4. Backward wiggles 6-8 in a row</li> </ol>	<p><b><u>Basic 6:</u></b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Forward inside three turn - R &amp; L from a standstill</li> <li>2. Bunny Hop</li> <li>3. Forward spiral on a straight line R or L</li> <li>4. Lunge - R or L</li> <li>5. T-stop - R or L</li> </ol>
<p><b><u>Basic 2:</u></b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Forward one foot glide - either foot</li> <li>2. Forward alternating 1/2 swizzle pumps, in a straight line -across width of ice</li> <li>3. Two foot turn in place - forward to backward</li> <li>4. Backward two foot swizzles 6 - 8 in a row</li> <li>5. Moving snowplow stop</li> </ol>	<p><b><u>Basic 7:</u></b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Forward inside open Mohawk - R to L and L to R</li> <li>2. Ballet Jump either direction</li> <li>3. Back crossovers to a back outside edge landing position- clockwise and counter clockwise</li> <li>4. Forward inside pivot</li> </ol>
<p><b><u>Basic 3:</u></b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Forward stroking</li> <li>2. Forward 1/2 swizzle pumps on a circle, either clockwise or counter clockwise 6-8 consecutive</li> <li>3. Moving forward to backward two foot turn - either direction</li> <li>4. Backward one foot glide - either foot</li> <li>5. Two foot spin</li> </ol>	<p><b><u>Basic 8:</u></b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Moving forward outside or forward inside 3 turns R and L</li> <li>2. Waltz jump</li> <li>3. Mazurka - either direction</li> <li>4. Combination move - clockwise or counter clockwise – (2 forward crossovers into FI Mohawk, step behind, step into 1 back crossover and step to a forward inside edge)</li> <li>5. Beginning one-foot upright spin, optional free foot position</li> </ol>
<p><b><u>Basic 4:</u></b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Forward outside three turn - R and L from a standstill</li> <li>2. Forward outside edge on a circle clockwise or counter clockwise</li> <li>3. Forward crossovers 6-8 consecutive both directions</li> <li>4. Backward stroking</li> <li>5. Backward snowplow stop - R or L</li> </ol>	

## FREE SKATE ELEMENTS: Free Skate 1-6

To be skated on ½ ice with no music. To be completed in program form, using a limited number of connecting steps. The skating order of the required elements is optional. The skater must demonstrate the required elements and may use but is not required to use any additional elements from previous levels (where applicable). A .2 deductions will be taken for each element performed from a higher level. Time is 1:00 minute or less.

<p><b><u>Free skate level 1 Compulsory</u></b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Advanced forward stroking - 4-6 consecutive</li> <li>2. Basic forward outside edges and forward inside consecutive edges - 2-4 outside and 2-4 inside</li> <li>3. Scratch spin from backward crossovers</li> <li>4. Waltz jump from backward crossovers</li> <li>5. Half flip jump</li> </ol>	<p><b><u>Free skate level 4 Compulsory</u></b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Spiral sequence, FI Spiral, FI Mohawk, BO spiral, clockwise or counter clockwise</li> <li>2. Forward power 3's, 2-3 consecutive sets-R or L</li> <li>3. Sit spin</li> <li>4. Loop jump</li> <li>5. Waltz jump/loop jump</li> </ol>
<p><b><u>Free skate level 2 Compulsory</u></b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Forward outside spiral - R or L. and a forward inside spiral - R or L</li> <li>2. Waltz Three's - R or L</li> <li>3. Beginning back spin - entry optional</li> <li>4. Waltz jump, side toe hop, waltz jump series</li> <li>5. Toe loop jump</li> </ol>	<p><b><u>Free skate level 5 Compulsory</u></b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Spiral sequence, FO spiral, forward outside 3 turn, one backward crossover, backward inside spiral</li> <li>2. Camel spin</li> <li>3. Forward upright spin to back upright spin</li> <li>4. Loop/loop jump</li> <li>5. Flip jump</li> </ol>
<p><b><u>Free skate level 3 Compulsory</u></b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Forward crossovers in a figure 8</li> <li>2. Advanced forward outside swing rolls 4 - 6 consecutive</li> <li>3. Back spin</li> <li>4. Salchow jump</li> <li>5. Waltz jump/toe loop or Salchow/toe loop</li> </ol>	<p><b><u>Free skate level 6 Compulsory</u></b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Five step Mohawk sequence - 1 set alternating pattern (refer to Basic Skills Curriculum Free skate 6)</li> <li>2. Camel, sit spin combination - minimum of 4 revolutions total</li> <li>3. Split jump or stag jump</li> <li>4. Waltz jump, ½ loop, Salchow combination</li> <li>5. Lutz jump</li> </ol>

# ARTISTIC Combined Events

The Artistic Program is one in which the skating moves are selected for their value in enhancing the skater's artistry and interpretation of the music rather than for technical difficulty. The presentation should include style, originality, and expression of the music. The program should be an integrated exploration of the music: with emphasis being placed on skating skills, transitions, performance, choreography, and interpretation. Composition of the program should conform the choreography with music and utilization of ice surface in a harmonious composition of the program as a whole. Vocal music is permitted. Costumes must be in good taste. **Hand held props only, no on ice props allowed.** All requirements and restrictions that apply to the groups in the Free Skating events, with respect to allowable jumps and spins, apply to the same level of the Artistic events. Somersault jumps where the skater actually leaves the ice and flips in the air are not permitted. Acrobatic moves such as somersaults on the ice, cartwheels, and other similar moves are permitted. Skaters may select **both** Artistic Dramatic and Artistic Light entertainment. Skate time durations adhere to National Showcase requirements.

## DUET Events

The Duet Program is designed to entertain the audience. The skating moves are selected for their value in producing a "show" program. The program should play to the audience. Vocal music is permitted. Costumes must be in good taste. **Hand held props only, no on ice props allowed.** All requirements and restrictions that apply to the groups in the Free Skating events, with respect to allowable jumps and spins, apply to the same level of the Duet events. Somersault jumps where the skater actually leaves the ice and flips in the air are not permitted. Acrobatic moves such as somersaults on the ice, cartwheels, and other similar moves are permitted. Groups or events may be combined if not enough entries in a category. Skate time durations adhere to National Showcase requirements. Skaters must skate at the level of the highest test level of the pair.

<b>Event</b>	<b>Duration (min:sec)</b>
Snowplow Sam-Basic 8 & Free Skate Levels 1-6	1:10 max (may be less)
Desert Flower 1/Cactus Pete 1 through Pre-Juvenile	1:40 max (may be less)
Juvenile through Novice	2:10 max (may be less)
Junior and Senior	2:40 max (may be less)
Adults	1:40 max (may be less)
Special Skaters Level 1	1:00 max (may be less)
Special Skaters Level 2	1:30 max (may be less)
Special Skaters Level 3-4	2:00 max (may be less)
Special Skaters Level 5	2:30 max (may be less)
Special Skaters Level 6	3:00 max (may be less)

## INTERPRETIVE Events

The Interpretive Program is designed to provide a creative output for our participating skaters. The choreography for this program will be designed by each individual skater. There is no instruction allowed during this event from coaches, parents, or fellow skaters. Staging area must be kept clear except for ice monitor and listening competitor. The technical difficulty will be considered in the judge's marks, but entertainment value utilizing skating moves, originality, and music interpretation/expression will also be considered. All requirements and restrictions that apply to the groups in the Free Skating events, with respect to allowable jumps and spins, apply to the same level of the Interpretive events. Music will be approximately 1:30.

The skaters will be given 5 minutes of warm up time on the ice and the music will be played twice during each warm up session. Following the warm up, all skaters except for the first skater will be escorted to a soundproof area of the arena. The first skater will hear the music one more time and then perform a program to the music. As each skater performs, the next skater in line will be allowed to hear the music for a third time before they perform to the music. The listening skater will not be allowed to view the performing skater.

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## ENTRY FORM

### SKATER PROFILE:      PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY

Name:		E-mail:	
Address:			
Street		City	State
Home Phone:		Cell Phone:	
Date of Birth:	Age as of 7/3/09:	Sex: Male _____ Female _____	
US Figure Skating #:		Home Club:	
Basic Skills #:		Home Rink/ School:	
Highest US Figure Skating Tests Passed: Moves _____ Free Skate _____ Pairs _____ Dance _____			
Partner's Name (if applicable):		Coach's Name:	
Coach's Phone:		Coach's E-mail:	

Special Skater events are open to any skater with a disability, including mental and physical challenges. Please note any special limitations of the skater, such as hearing or vision impairment, as well as any other physical limitations that would require special consideration (such as special equipment like walkers), and include it with this entry form. \_\_\_\_\_

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#### REQUIRED FORMS:

A \_\_\_\_\_

B \_\_\_\_\_

C \_\_\_\_\_

D (IJS events only) \_\_\_\_\_

E \_\_\_\_\_

#### OPTIONAL FORMS:

F \_\_\_\_\_

G \_\_\_\_\_

H \_\_\_\_\_

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

**B**

**Please have your coach check the event(s) you are entering.**

**FS= Free Skate      SP= Short Program      CM= Compulsory Moves      Interp= Interpretive      SD= Solo Dance**  
**CD= Compulsory Dance**

(IJS) Well Balanced	ONE EVENT				ARTISTIC			
	FS	SP	CM	SD	Light	Drama	Duet	Interp
Open Juvenile		■		■				
Juvenile		■		■				
Intermediate			■	■				
Novice			■	■				
Junior			■	■				
Senior			■	■				
Adult Champ. Int/Nov		■	■	■				
Adult Champ. Jr/Sr		■	■	■				
Adult Champ. Gold		■	■	■				
Adult Gold		■	■	■				

WELL BALANCED	ARTISTIC			
	FS	CM	SD	Light Drama Duet Interp
Adult Silver		■		
Adult Bronze		■		
Adult Pre-Bronze		■		
Pre-Juvenile			■	
Preliminary			■	
Pre-Preliminary			■	
Desert Flowers Cactus Petes II			■	
Desert Flowers Cactus Petes I			■	

BASIC SKILLS		ARTISTIC					
	Elements	Program	Light	Drama	Duet	Interp	
Snowplow Sam-Tots							
Basic 1							
Basic 2							
Basic 3							
Basic 4							
Basic 5							
Basic 6							
Basic 7							
Basic 8							
Free Skate 1							
Free Skate 2							
Free Skate 3							
Free Skate 4							
Free Skate 5							
Free Skate 6							

TEST TRACK	
	FS
Limited Beginner	
Beginner	
Pre-Preliminary	
Preliminary	
Pre-Juvenile	
Juvenile	
Intermediate	
Novice	
Junior	
Senior	

SPECIAL SKATERS			ARTISTIC		
	FS	CD	Light	Drama	Duet
Level 1					
Level 2					
Level 3					
Level 4					
Level 5		■			
Level 6		■			

**FEEES**

<b>First Basic Skills Event or Special Skater Event:</b>	1	x	\$ 65.00	= \$
<b>First Event Entered (except IJS):</b> Desert Flowers/Cactus Petes I thru Pre-Juvenile, Adult Pre-Bronze-Adult Silver, and Test Track	1	x	\$ 85.00	= \$
<b>First IJS Event:</b> Juvenile, Open Juvenile thru Senior, Adult Gold, Adult Championship Gold, Adult Championships Jr/Sr, Adult Championships Int/Nov	1	x	\$ 125.00	= \$
<b>Second IJS Event:</b> Second adult event	1	x	\$ 35.00	= \$
<b>All additional Events (except IJS):</b>	_____	x	\$ 35.00	= \$
<b>TOTAL EVENT FEES</b>				<b>\$</b>

# REQUIRED SIGNATURES

C

**A. SKATER/PARENTAL AUTHORIZATION:** The undersigned approves of the entry and agrees to hold harmless US Figure Skating, the Las Vegas Figure Skating Club, and the SoBe Ice Arena at Fiesta Rancho from any and all loss, damages and/or injury of whatsoever kind or nature, that may be sustained by the entrant in any manner while participating in any activities of said competition.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Competitor or Parent/Legal Guardian if skater is under 18 years of age      \_\_\_\_\_  
Print Name      \_\_\_\_\_  
Date

**B. COACH AUTHORIZATION:** I hereby approve the entry of the above named entrant in the event(s) entered and certify that they are in accordance with the 2009 Silver State Rules.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Coach      \_\_\_\_\_  
Print Name      \_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Coach Phone Number

**C. CLUB OFFICIAL/BASIC SKILLS DIRECTOR AUTHORIZATION:** I hereby approve the entry of the above named entrant and certify to the best of my knowledge that he/she is a full member of my CLUB/BASIC SKILLS PROGRAM, is in good standing, is registered through my CLUB/RINK with US Figure Skating, is eligible to enter the event(s) specified, and is an "Eligible Person" (Amateur) as defined in the Official Rules of US Figure Skating.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Club Official or Skating Director      \_\_\_\_\_  
Print Name      \_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Title      \_\_\_\_\_  
Club Name/Basic Skills Program Name

## THE ABOVE SIGNATURES ARE REQUIRED ON ALL ENTRY FORMS

### THIS ENTRY MUST BE POSTMARKED NO LATER THAN JULY 3, 2009

Entries postmarked after July 3, 2009 will be accepted only at the discretion of the referee and the competition committee, as ice is purchased based on the number of entries. There will be no refunds after close of entries.

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Karin Sirk [quietkarin@aol.com](mailto:quietkarin@aol.com) 702-302-1465  
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## COACH CREDENTIAL INFORMATION

SKATERS NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

**Important Notice for all Coaches:** In keeping with the standards of many youth sports organizations, schools and recreational programs in America today, U.S. Figure Skating has implemented a background screening process to help ensure that we are providing a safe environment and protecting the welfare of all participants in U.S. Figure Skating sanctioned activities. **All** coaches will have to comply with the coaches' registration policy in order to instruct/coach at all qualifying competitions. You must comply with this registration requirement in order to be allowed to instruct/coach the following sanctioned activities: all qualifying and non-qualifying competitions, test sessions, all performances including shows, exhibitions, recitals, and carnivals, and any other sanctioned club activities. Coaches must show proof of registration plus membership in both U.S. Figure Skating and PSA in order to receive a credential. A list of all coaches who have successfully registered will be available at <http://www.usfigureskating.org/clubs.asp>. If they have not registered, they will not be allowed a credential. No exceptions.

**TO BE COMPLETED BY COACH ACCOMPANYING YOU TO THE COMPETITION**  
***Coaches you may send in one form and attach a separate piece of paper listing all the skaters that you will be coaching at the Silver State competition.***

Name:	E-mail:		
Address:			
Street	City	State	Zip
Home Phone:	Cell Phone:		
US Figure Skating #:	PSA#:		

**COACH VERIFICATION:** I hereby understand that I must meet the criteria as established by U.S. Figure Skating in regards to background screening. I understand that I will be asked to check in at the coach's registration table where coach's registration cards will be checked in order to receive a credential from the Las Vegas Figure Skating Club. Only coaches with credentials will be allowed in the practice ice coaching areas and in the competitor entry area prior to and during events.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Coach

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

The Las Vegas Figure Skating Club will be responsible for checking the U.S. Figure Skating web site to see if coaches have successfully registered. If time allows, the Las Vegas Figure Skating Club will notify coaches whose name do not appear on the registry beforehand and will work with you to complete this registration process; however, ultimately this responsibility lies with the coach themselves and not the Las Vegas Figure Skating Club.

**THIS FORM MUST BE POSTMARKED NO LATER THAN JULY 3, 2009**

Mail to: **Las Vegas FSC**  
 PO Box 570531  
 Las Vegas, NV. 89157-0531

For questions contact:  
 Karin Sirk  
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# Silver State Open Championships 2009

## PRACTICE ICE FORM

Name:		E-mail:	
Address:			
Street		City	State
Zip			
Home Phone:		Cell Phone:	

All "day of competition" practice ice sessions will be 30 minutes in length at **\$15.00** per session. Each competitor may purchase ONE SESSION for each event entered for "day of competition" only at this time. If your skating level allows a short and long program, you may purchase one session each for short and long for a total of two sessions. All "day of competition" ice will be assigned by events entered and no music will be played. A maximum of 25 skaters will be allowed on a session. The "day of competition" practice ice schedule will be posted on our web site [www.lvskating.homestead.com](http://www.lvskating.homestead.com)

Additional non-day of competition practice ice sessions will be available during the competition starting Thursday, August 13. These sessions will be 30 minutes in length at \$15.00 per session. Music will be played on these sessions and will be determined by random draw on a first come, first served basis. These sessions are on a first come basis and will be for sale starting Thursday, August 13 on site. There is no guarantee that these sessions will be assigned by events/levels, as these sessions will become available based on the availability of ice during the dates noted on the competition announcement. A maximum of 25 skaters will be allowed on a session.

**Please circle which category applies to you:**

**IJS Well Balanced      Well Balanced      Test Track      Basic Skills      Special Skater**

**Please write what skating level you are entered in for each category you are purchasing practice ice for**

Free Skate \_\_\_\_\_  
 Short Program \_\_\_\_\_  
 Compulsory \_\_\_\_\_  
 Artistic Light \_\_\_\_\_  
 Artistic Dramatic \_\_\_\_\_  
 Solo Dance \_\_\_\_\_

Artistic Duet \_\_\_\_\_  
 Artistic Interpretive \_\_\_\_\_  
 Elements \_\_\_\_\_  
 Program \_\_\_\_\_  
 Compulsory Dance \_\_\_\_\_

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**For additional information contact:**  
**Abby Dickson**  
[practicesilverstate2009@gmail.com](mailto:practicesilverstate2009@gmail.com)

**This form must be postmarked no later than July 3, 2009**

Practice ice sessions are **non-refundable** and **non-transferable**. Practice ice fees must accompany this form.

**OFFICE USE ONLY**

Date payment received:		Received by:	
Check #:		Check amount:	
Session Slot::	Session Slot::	Session Slot::	
Session Slot::	Session Slot::	Session Slot::	

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Name:	E-mail:
Home Phone:	Cell Phone:

## T-SHIRT SALES:

We are taking pre-sale orders for competition t-shirts at the cost of **\$15.00**. We will only have a limited amount of extra t-shirts on hand during the competition at a cost of **\$20.00**. So order yours today. Fill in the quantity of each size being ordered.

CHILD	x-small	_____	ADULT	x-small	_____
	Small	_____		small	_____
	Medium	_____		medium	_____
	Large	_____		large	_____
	X-large	_____		x-large	_____

## PROGRAM SALES:

We are taking pre-sale orders for competition programs at the cost of **\$6.00**. We will only have a limited amount of extra programs on hand during the competition at a cost of **\$8.00**. So order yours today.

How many?	Cost:	Total:\$
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## TOTAL FOR T-SHIRT & PROGRAM SALES:

Total for t-shirt(s):	\$
Total for program(s):	\$
Total due:	\$

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# Silver State Open Championships 2009

## PROGRAM ADVERTISING and SKATER "GOOD LUCK" ADS

Name:		E-mail:	
Address:			
Street	City	State	Zip
Home Phone:		Cell Phone:	

The annual Silver State Open Championships competition program is **black and white** & the finished size is 8 1/2 x11". Please join in supporting our event by purchasing advertising space in the program. With competitors from all over the Southwest Pacific Coast Region & beyond taking part, your ad will be seen! Ads are also a great way to wish skaters luck, & let them see their name in print. Check the size of advertisement you are purchasing & make certain your ad fits within the specified measurements. Covers will be sold to earliest buyer. This is a donation to the Las Vegas Figure Skating Club (a 501-c3 organization) and may be tax deductible.

_____	BOARD BANNER (**see below for details)	\$ 225.00
_____	OUTSIDE BACK COVER (7 1/2 x 10")	\$ 225.00
_____	INSIDE FRONT COVER (7 1/2 x 10")	\$ 200.00
_____	INSIDE BACK COVER (7 1/2 x 10")	\$ 175.00
_____	FULL PAGE (7 1/2 x 10")	\$ 120.00
_____	HALF PAGE (7 1/2 x 5")	\$ 75.00
_____	1/4 PAGE (3 3/4 x 5")	\$ 50.00
_____	BUSINESS CARD (attach business card)	\$ 25.00
_____	PERSONAL MESSAGE business card size (we design)	\$ 25.00

write personal message here-MAX 150 characters

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**Total Amount Enclosed:** \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Please send correctly sized, black & white, camera- ready art or art in JPEG or WORD files can be e-mailed to [quietkarin@aol.com](mailto:quietkarin@aol.com) .

\*\*Board Banners are 72 inch long banners that will be designed per your specifications and hung around the competition ice. Advertise your business, highlight your club, or congratulate your skater or coach. Just submit your design and we will take care of the rest.

**THIS FORM MUST BE POSTMARKED NO LATER THAN JULY 16, 2009**

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