

*21<sup>st</sup> Annual*  
**Ann Arbor Springtime Invitational Competition**  
**May 19, 20, 21, & 22, 2005**

Home Page Site: <http://www.annarborfsc.com>

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**Location:**

Ann Arbor Ice Cube (three-rink facility with ice surfaces — 200' x 100' and 200' x 85') 2121 Oak Valley Dr., Ann Arbor, MI 48103; Phone: 734-213-1600.

AAFSC Office Phone: 734-213-6768; Fax: 734-213-3690

**Sanctioning:**

This non-qualifying competition is sanctioned by U.S. Figure Skating and Skate Canada. It will be conducted in accordance with the rules of US Figure Skating as set forth in the 2005 rulebook, except as modified in this announcement. Chief Referee: Margaret Faulkner, (734) 668-8935.

**Eligibility and Entries:**

Eligible competitors are current members in good standing of US Figure Skating and shall be eligible to enter events based on their test status as of March 23, 2005. *Low-level flights will be divided in age groups of 8-10 skaters whenever possible. All Juvenile and above events will be divided into groups approximately 12 based on random draws.* A minimum of two entries will be required for all flights to be scheduled. Entrants may "skate up" a level but may not skate more than one level in any one event except dance (up to 4 dances). Compulsory Moves and Solo Dance events may be ladies and men combined.

**Closing Date:**

Entries must be postmarked by March 23, 2005. **Spaces are limited.** Mail early. Late entries, if accepted, will be assessed a \$25 late fee. No refunds after closing date. Any change to skating level or event after deadline is subject to a \$20 change fee. [Medical withdrawal may be partially refunded (minus an administrative fee) if accompanied by an attending physician's statement.]

**Competition Events:**

**Single Free Skating** (Low Beginner — Adult Gold/Masters)

**Final rounds for Free Skating** (Juvenile — Senior)

Adult Interpretive (*new adult minimum age—21*) and

Junior/Senior Artistic Interpretive—*new*

**Pairs Free Skating** (Preliminary — Junior and Adult)

**Compulsory Moves** (Basic Beginner — Pre-Juvenile)

**Short Program** (Juvenile — Senior)

**Couples Compulsory Dance** (Prelim. — Novice)

**Solo Dance** (Preliminary — International, Adult—*new*)

**Solo Original Dance** (Low — High)

**Fees:**

\$65 first singles event (FS, SP, Comp. or solo dance)  
\$30 each additional event (including each add. dance)  
\$80 first pairs or couples dance event (\$40 per skater)  
\$50 additional pairs or couples dance (\$25 per skater)  
\$40 Basic or Low Beg Compulsory (as *only* event entered)

A NSF fee of \$25 will be charged for all returned checks.

Mail your Entry Form and check (payable to AAFSC) to:  
*Ann Dougherty, 6 Northwick Ct., Ann Arbor, MI 48105*

**Registration:**

Beginning Thursday, May 19<sup>th</sup> through Sunday, May 22<sup>nd</sup>, the Registration Desk will be open one hour before the start of competition through the end of competition each day. Skaters must check in at least one (1) hour prior to their first event. Registration will be your final confirmation of competition time.

**Scheduling of Events and Practice Ice:**

A tentative schedule of competition events will be posted on AAFSC's homepage ([www.annarborfsc.com](http://www.annarborfsc.com)) and *The Figure Skater's Website* ([www.sk8stuff.com](http://www.sk8stuff.com)) as well as mailed to each competitor as soon as provided by the referee. All times are *approximate*. Please check with Registration for changes and exact times. There will be changes from last year's schedule.

**Practice ice** will be available at various times Thursday morning through Sunday morning. Practice ice will be sold on a first come first served basis. A practice ice schedule will also be posted on AAFSC's homepage ([www.annarborfsc.com](http://www.annarborfsc.com)) and *The Figure Skater's Website* ([www.sk8stuff.com](http://www.sk8stuff.com)) as well as mailed with each competitor's confirmation letter. Reservations can be mailed in, with appropriate fees, at that time. If you do not get the ice you want, you will be notified.

**Music:**

Music must be left at the registration desk at the time of registration. Competitors must have extra copies of their music available. Cassettes or CDs are acceptable, and must be clearly marked. Cassettes must be rewound.

**Awards:**

Awards will be given in each group as follows:  
1) Medals for 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> places; ribbons for all other places;  
2) Final Rounds: Medals 1<sup>st</sup> — 4<sup>th</sup>, ribbons to all others  
3) The Margaret Faulkner Award will be presented to the *visiting* club with the greatest number of competitors entered.

# Single Free Skating

**\*\*\* Final Rounds for Juvenile through Senior FS Events \*\*\***

*(Qualifying round is free skating only. Short Program is a separate event)*

**Program requirements not specified below are defined in rules 3630 - 3820**

**Low Beginner:** 1½ minutes 3721  
Must not have passed the Pre-Preliminary Free Skating test or its equivalent. May include any half revolution jumps plus Salchow, toe-loops and half-loops. May not include flying spins, combination spins or backspins.

**High Beginner:** 1½ minutes 3721  
Must not have passed the Pre-Preliminary Free Skating test or its equivalent. May include any half revolution jumps plus Salchow, toe-loops, half-loops and loops. May not include flying spins.

**Pre-Preliminary Limited:** 1½ minutes 3711  
Must have passed the Pre-Preliminary Free Skating test & no higher. May not include Axels, double jumps, or flying spins.

**Preliminary Limited:** 1½ minutes 3701  
Must have passed the Preliminary Free Skating test & no higher. May include Axels. May not include double jumps or flying spins.

**Preliminary:** 1½ minutes 3701  
Must have passed the Preliminary Free Skating test & no higher.

**Pre-Juvenile:** 2 minutes 3691  
Must have passed the Pre-Juvenile Free Skating test & no higher.

**Open Juvenile:** 2¼ minutes 3781  
Must be 13 years old or older as of closing date. Must have passed the Juvenile Free Skating test & no higher.

**Juvenile:** 2¼ minutes 3781  
Must not have reached the age of 13 years old as of the closing date. Must have passed the Juvenile Free Skating test & no higher.

**Intermediate:** 2½ minutes 3673  
Must have passed the Intermediate Free Skating test & no higher.

**Novice:** Ladies - 3 minutes; Men - 3½ minutes 3663  
Must have passed the Novice Free Skating test & no higher.

**Junior:** Ladies - 3½ minutes; Men - 4 minutes 3653  
Must have passed the Junior Free Skating test & no higher.

**Senior:** Ladies - 4 minutes; Men - 4½ minutes 3643  
Must have passed the Senior Free Skating test.

**Junior/Senior Artistic Interpretive:** 3 minutes **\*\*NEW\*\***  
Must have passed at least the Junior Free Skating test (may *not* skate up). Ladies & men may skate together. The following regulations are in effect:

1. No triple jumps permitted and no combination jumps. Jump sequences allowed only if the music dictates.
2. No "theme" costumes or props.
3. Vocal music is allowed but not preferred since the idea is to interpret the music and not the words.
4. Two marks will be given. The first mark will reflect the balance of the elements, variety, uniqueness, sureness and flow of edge, ice coverage. The second mark will reflect how the elements fit the music selected in an artistic manner with the interpretation of the musical phrases of utmost consideration.

The purpose is to encourage skaters to continue in the sport who do not wish to perform a competition program but who would enjoy competing without the stress of the high level technical merit required for qualifying events.

The event will be judged with emphasis on the artistic interpretation of the music chosen and not on the difficulty of the elements skated. Programs should be balanced with a variety of jumps, spins, moves in the field footwork and step sequences including connecting steps. *This is not a showcase event.*

**Adult:**  
Open to skaters who are 21 years old or older.  
**Categories and tests passed as follows:**

**Adult Interpretive:** max: 1 min 40 sec 3811  
Open to all adult skaters. No Axels or multi-revolution jumps. No props on the ice.

**Pre-Bronze:** max: 1 min 40 sec 3801  
Must have passed Adult Pre-Bronze Free Skating Test & no higher than Pre-Preliminary Free Skating Test.

**Bronze:** max: 1 min 40 sec 3801  
Must have passed Adult Bronze Free Skating Test & no higher than Preliminary Free Skating Test.

**Silver:** max: 2 min 10 sec 3791  
Must who have passed Adult Silver Free Skating Test & no higher than Juvenile Free Skating Test.

**Gold/Masters Novice:** max: 2 min 40 sec 3771, 3781  
Must have passed Adult Gold Free Skating Test & no higher than the Novice Free Skating Test.

# Pairs Free Skating

**Balanced program requirements as defined in 4030 - 4125**

**Preliminary** 1½ minutes 4101  
Must have passed the Preliminary Pair test & no higher.

**Pre-Juvenile** 1½ minutes 4091  
Must have passed the Preliminary Pair test & no higher.

**Juvenile:** 2¼ minutes 4081  
Must have the Juvenile Pair test & no higher.

**Intermediate:** 3 minutes 4071  
Must have passed the Intermediate Pair test & no higher.

**Novice:** 3½ minutes 4062  
Must have passed the Novice Pair test & no higher

**Adult:** max: 3:40 minutes 4111  
No test requirements.

# Compulsory and Short Program

**NOTE: Test requirements are the same as listed under Single Free Skating Events**

Beginner through Pre-Juvenile Compulsory events will be skated on one-half (½) of the ice surface. Moves must be skated exactly as stated and may be skated in any order. There must be no change of foot between jumps in a combination jump. An Axel is considered a single jump. If a program exceeds the time limit, that portion of the program will not be judged. *All times listed are maximum.* All moves in all levels are to be connected in a free flowing presentation. Excessive footwork and added elements will be penalized. Spin revolutions must be in position to be counted.

## Compulsory Events (no music)

### Basic Beginner: 1 minute

Open to skaters who have passed no higher than Basic Skills Badge 8 or its equivalent. Skating groups will be divided by age.

1. Bunny Hop
2. 3-turn sequence
3. Forward and backward crossovers (minimum 4 each foot)
4. Any stop

### Low Beginner: 1 minute

1. 1/2 revolution jump
2. Toe-loop
3. Two-foot spin (minimum 3 revolutions)
4. Lunge

### High Beginner: 1 minute

1. Waltz jump
2. Salchow jump
3. Half-flip or half-Lutz jump
4. Upright scratch spin [forward] (min. 3 revs)
5. Forward spiral

### Pre-Preliminary Limited: 1¼ minute

1. Flip jump
2. Single-single jump combination (no Axel)
3. Loop jump
4. Sit spin [forward] (minimum 3 revolutions)
5. Forward outside edge spiral

### Preliminary: 1½ minutes

1. Single jump (may not be repeated)
2. Single-single jump combination
3. 1-foot backspin (position optional, may not commence with a jump, minimum 3 revs)
4. Edge spiral, spread eagle or Ina Bauer
5. Step sequence

### Pre-Juvenile: 1½ minutes

1. Single or double jump (may not be repeated)
2. Single-single jump combination (must include loop)
3. Combination spin with 1 change of foot, no change of position (may not commence with a jump, minimum 4 revolutions each foot)
4. Solo spin (may not commence with a jump, minimum 4 revolutions in position)
5. Step sequence

## Short Programs (with music)

**Additional program requirements as defined in 3610 -3621**

### Open Juvenile Short Program: 2 minutes

1. Jump combination — two single jumps or one double jump and one single jump
2. Axel (may not be repeated)
3. Solo Jump — single jump, double toe-loop jump or double Salchow jump (may not be repeated)
4. Solo spin — minimum 4 revolutions in position (may not be commenced with a jump)
5. Spin combination — only one change of foot and at least one change of position (4 revs each foot)
6. Step sequence — straight line, circular, or serpentine

### Intermediate Short Program: 2 minutes

As stated by the 2005 US Figure Skating Rulebook (3671, 3672)

### Junior Short Program: 2 min 50 sec

As stated by the 2005 US Figure Skating Rulebook (3651, 3652)  
*Elements to be skated will be for the 2005-06 competitive season*

### Juvenile Short Program: 2 minutes

1. Jump combination — one double jump and one single jump or two double jumps
2. Axel (may not be repeated)
3. Solo Jump — double jump (may not be repeated)
4. Solo spin — minimum 4 revolutions in position (may not be commenced with a jump)
5. Spin combination — only one change of foot and at least one change of position (4 revs each foot)
6. Step sequence — straight line, circular, or serpentine

### Novice Short Program: 2 min 15 sec

As stated by the 2005 US Figure Skating Rulebook (3661, 3662)  
*Elements to be skated will be for the 2005-06 competitive season*

### Senior Short Program: 2 min 50 sec

As stated by the 2005 US Figure Skating Rulebook (3641, 3642)

## Solo Dance and Solo Original Dance

Each dance is a separate event. Solo dance will be two patterns only and is open to men and ladies. The dances you wish to enter may be selected from those listed, in your present level, and/or from one level higher. Awards will be presented for each individual dance event. Up to 4 dances may be chosen.

**Preliminary:** May have passed all Preliminary dances but not all Pre-Bronze dances.

*Dance events:* Dutch Waltz, Rhythm Blues, Canasta Tango

**Pre-Bronze:** May have passed all Pre-Bronze dances but not all Bronze dances.

*Dance events:* Cha-Cha, Fiesta Tango, Swing Dance

**Bronze:** May have passed all Bronze dances but not all Pre-Silver dances.

*Dance events:* Willow Waltz, Ten Fox, Hickory Hoedown.

**Pre-Silver:** May have passed all Pre-Silver dances but not all Silver dances.

*Dance events:* Fourteen-Step, European Waltz, Foxtrot.

**Silver:** May have passed all Silver dances but not all Pre-Gold dances.

*Dance events:* American Waltz, Rocker Foxtrot, Tango.

**Pre-Gold:** May have passed all Pre-Gold dances but not all Gold dances.

*Dance events:* Kilian, Blues, Paso Doble, Starlight Waltz.

**Gold:** May have passed all Gold dances. *Dance events:* Viennese Waltz, Westminster Waltz, Quickstep, Argentine Tango.

**International:** Skater may have passed all Pre-Gold dances, Gold dances, or International dances.

*Dance events:* Rhumba, Cha Cha Congelado, Silver Samba

**Adult – through Pre Silver:** May not have passed more than one Silver/Adult Silver dance.

*Dance events:* Willow Waltz, Fourteenstep.\*

**Adult – Silver and higher:** Must have passed at least one Silver/Adult Silver dance. *Dance events:* Rocker Foxtrot, Blues.\*

*\*Adults may enter regular solo dance events also*

### Solo Original Dance:

*Low OD:* May have passed up to complete pre-silver dances

*High OD:* Must have passed one silver dance or higher

### Regulations for Solo Original Dance:

Similar general rules to the Original Dance for couples as applicable to a solo dancer. See 4260, 4281, 4312 rulebook.

Rhythm: "Rhythm Combination" (2 or 3 of the following: Foxtrot, Quickstep and Charleston.) Vocals ok.

Duration: 2 Minutes  $\pm$ 10 seconds.

### Special Requirements – the following must be included:

Step Sequence: one step sequence chosen from:

- Circular** – utilizing the full width and placed in the center of the ice surface.
- Straight line** – extending the full length down the mid line of the surface.
- Diagonal** – extending from corner to corner diagonally across the ice surface.

Step sequences should include a variety of footwork steps and turns with at least one (1) twizzle (revs optional). No jumps, stops or retrogressions are permitted during the step sequence.

Spin: one (1) dance spin, but no more, with a minimum of 2 revolutions on one foot after which a change of foot with further revolutions are optional.

### Other Regulations:

Stops: Two (2) are permitted (except in the step sequence) to express the character of the music. One may be at the beginning of the program and one during the program. Duration of stops: 5 seconds. Stops are not mandatory but if used must be as described above.

Jumps: Small half revolution jumps are permitted (except in the step sequence) to express the character of the music. Limit: no more than two (2).

Music: Only music with a rhythmic beat throughout may be used. Vocal music is permitted.

Marking: two marks as described for couples OD with the exception of unison not being a factor.

## Couple Compulsory Dance

*Skaters may compete at two levels of dance. Final dance will break a tie.*

**Preliminary:** For beginning couple dancers.

*Dances:* Canasta Tango and Dutch Waltz.

**Pre-Juvenile:** Both must have passed 2 Preliminary dance tests but no higher than the Pre-Bronze Dance test.

*Dances:* Rhythm Blues and Cha Cha.

**Juvenile:** Both must have passed the Preliminary Dance test.

*Dances:* Fiesta Tango, Fourteenstep and Willow Waltz.

**Intermediate:** Both must have passed the Bronze Dance test.

*Dances:* Fourteenstep, Rocker Foxtrot and European Waltz.

**Novice:** Both must have passed at least one Silver dance test. *Dances:* Blues, Foxtrot and Starlight Waltz.

# Entry Form

**21<sup>st</sup> Annual Ann Arbor Springtime Competition — May 19-22, 2005**

**Form must be completely filled in before it can be processed**

*Read carefully, talk to your coach, and fill in legibly. If you enter the wrong event and need to change it for any reason other than our error, you will be assessed a \$20 change fee.*

<b>First Name:</b>		<b>Last Name:</b>		<b>USFSA/SkateCan#:</b> (\$10 fee if left blank)	
<b>Address:</b>			<b>City:</b>		<b>State:</b>
<b>Date of Birth:</b>		<b>Age:</b>	<b>Sex:</b> Female <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Partner's Name</b> (Pairs/Dance only)	
<b>Day Phone:</b>	<b>Night Phone:</b>		<b>Cell Phone:</b>	<b>Email:</b>	
<b>Home Club:</b>			<b>Coach's Name:</b>		<b>Previously competed in AA</b> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>

<b>Highest Test Passed:</b>	<b>Check if NO US Figure Skating tests passed</b> <input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Basic Badge Level</b> _____
<b>Free Skating:</b>	<b>Pair:</b>	<b>Dance:</b>
<b>Date Passed (mo/yr):</b>	<b>Date Passed:</b>	<b>Date Passed:</b>

Please check off event(s) entered. One entry form may be used for all events entered. *Each member of a pair/dance team must fill out a separate entry form.*

Free Skating, Pairs and Couple Dance				
•• Final Round for Juvenile through Senior Free Skating ••				
<b>Senior</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Short Program <input type="checkbox"/> Free Skating <input type="checkbox"/> Jr/Sr Artistic Interp	<b>Intermediate</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Short Program <input type="checkbox"/> Free Skating <input type="checkbox"/> Pairs <input type="checkbox"/> Couple Dance	<b>Pre Juvenile</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Compulsory <input type="checkbox"/> Free Skating <input type="checkbox"/> Pairs <input type="checkbox"/> Couple Dance	<b>Pre-Preliminary Ltd</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Compulsory <input type="checkbox"/> Free Skating <b>High Beginner</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Compulsory <input type="checkbox"/> Free Skating	<b>Adult</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Adult Interpretive <input type="checkbox"/> Pre-Bronze Free Skating <input type="checkbox"/> Bronze Free Skating <input type="checkbox"/> Silver Free Skating <input type="checkbox"/> Gold/Masters Free Skating <input type="checkbox"/> Pairs
<b>Junior</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Short Program <input type="checkbox"/> Free Skating	<b>Juvenile</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Short Program <input type="checkbox"/> Free Skating <input type="checkbox"/> Pairs <input type="checkbox"/> Couple Dance	<b>Preliminary</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Compulsory <input type="checkbox"/> Free Skating <input type="checkbox"/> Pairs <input type="checkbox"/> Couple Dance	<b>Low Beginner</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Compulsory <input type="checkbox"/> Free Skating	<b>Solo Original Dance</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Low <input type="checkbox"/> High
<b>Novice</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Short Program <input type="checkbox"/> Free Skating <input type="checkbox"/> Pairs <input type="checkbox"/> Couple Dance	<b>Open Juvenile</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Short Program <input type="checkbox"/> Free Skating	<b>Preliminary Ltd</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Free Skating	<b>Basic Beginner</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Compulsory	

<b>Solo Dance: Write in dances to be skated (maximum of 4)</b>		<input type="checkbox"/> Regular	<input type="checkbox"/> Adult
①	②	③	④

*Forms with incomplete or illegible information, missing signatures, missing pages, will be assessed a \$10 charge—payable at registration.*

**Check List:**

- Entry Form — *including* US Figure Skating number
- Check, payable to AAFSC
- Certification page, signed by:  
Club Officer; Athlete; Parent/Guard; Coach

- Fees:** \$65 First Singles event—FS or SP or compulsory or solo dance  
 \$30 Each additional singles event (including each additional solo dance)  
 \$80 First Pairs or Couples Dance event (\$40 per skater)  
 \$50 Additional Pairs or Couples Dance event (\$25 per skater)  
**Special:** \$40 Basic or Low Beginner Compulsory (as *only* event)

**DEADLINE FOR POSTMARK IS: March 23, 2005**  
**MAIL TO: Ann Dougherty, 6 Northwick Ct., Ann Arbor, MI 48105**  
*Spaces are limited within levels: first received — first entered. Mail early.*

## Certificate of Competitor by Club Officer

I hereby approve the entry of \_\_\_\_\_ (the competitor) into the 21<sup>st</sup> Annual Ann Arbor Springtime Invitational Competition. I further certify that he/she is a full member in good standing of our club, is an eligible skater as defined in the official Rules of US Figure Skating or Skate Canada, and has passed the appropriate tests to skate the events entered. If you are an individual member, you will certify your own form.

<b>Club Officer Name:</b>	<b>Title:</b>
<b>Signature:</b>	<b>Telephone #:</b>

### Certification by Athlete and Parent/Guardian and Authorization for Emergency Medical Treatment

**Athlete:** I agree to conduct myself, both on and off the ice, in a manner that will reflect favorably upon this competition and upon the sport of figure skating, and that is consistent with the high standards of the sport. I agree to respect the person and property of others, and in the event I cause injury, damage, or loss to another or to the property of another, I hereby indemnify US Figure Skating, the local Competition Committee, the Ann Arbor Figure Skating Club, and their officers, directors, members, committees, representatives, employees and agents, and agree to hold them harmless against any and all claims that another person may have or which may arise out of such injury, damage or loss, together with any reasonable costs and attorney's fees that may be incurred as result of any such claims, whether valid or not.

**Athlete/Parent/Guardian:** I understand that US Figure Skating and the Ann Arbor Figure Skating Club or organizers of this competition undertake no responsibility for damages or injuries, or loss of property suffered by the competitors. As a condition of and in consideration of the acceptance of their entries or participation therein, all entrants, their parents and guardians and officials shall be deemed to agree to assume all risks of injury to their person and property resulting from, caused by or connected with, the conduct and management of the competition, and to waive and release any and all claims which they may have against any officials, US Figure Skating, organizers of the competition, the Ann Arbor Figure Skating Club and its officers, and their entries shall be accepted only on such condition (see rule 3222).

In the event (I)(parent if athlete is under 18 years of age) or (my son/daughter) am unavailable, I hereby give permission for any emergency medical treatment and further authorize and consent to the release of any pertinent medical information and records regarding the treatment, diagnosis, and/or examination of (myself) (my son/daughter) to the medical committee of the competition for which I am entered by the physician representative of the medical committee of the sanctioned competition in which (I) (my son/daughter) is entered.

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**Athlete's Signature**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Date**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Parent/Guardian's Signature:** (If Athlete is under age 18)

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Date**

### Coach's Certification

I have read this entry form and certify that it is complete and that the competitor is eligible to enter the specified events:

<b>Coach's Name:</b>		<b>Association #:</b>	
<b>Signature:</b>		<b>Email:</b>	
<b>Day Phone #:</b>	<b>Evening Phone #:</b>	<b>Cell Phone #:</b>	
<b>Address:</b>	<b>City:</b>	<b>State:</b>	<b>Zip:</b>

# Lodging and Transportation for the 2005 Ann Arbor Springtime Invitational Competition

There are over 30 hotels and/or motels within a 15-mile range of the Ice Cube. Rooms have been blocked at a number of them. You must indicate your affiliation with the Ann Arbor Figure Skating Club, or figure skating to get these rooms. Block rooms will be released a month before the competition; make your reservations before April 21, 2005. For additional information call the Ann Arbor Convention and Visitors Bureau at (800) 888-9487 or visit their World Wide Web site at [www.annarbor.org](http://www.annarbor.org)

Northwest/KLM/Continental is the Preferred Airline of the Ann Arbor Springtime Invitational. Tickets booked 30 days in advance are eligible for a 10% discount (5% if booked less than 30 days in advance), by referencing WorldFile **NEQEC**. Tickets may be booked by your travel agent using this WorldFile code, or by calling Northwest Airlines Meeting Services Reservation Desk at (800) 328-1111 Monday to Friday, from 8:00am – 8:30pm ET.

## Hotels

Tell the hotel reservation clerk you are with the Ann Arbor Figure Skating Club Competition

*\*Hotels with AAFSC Blocks*

### **\*Four Points by Sheraton**

3200 Boardwalk  
Ann Arbor, MI 48108  
(I-94 & State Street Exit)  
734-996-0600  
\$89/night  
[www.fourpointsannarbor.com](http://www.fourpointsannarbor.com)

### **\*Hampton Inn South**

925 Victors Way  
Ann Arbor, MI 48108  
(I-94 & State Street Exit)  
734-665-5000; 800-426-7866  
\$74/night

### **\*Holiday Inn—North Campus**

3600 Plymouth Rd.  
Ann Arbor, MI 48105  
(US 23 & Plymouth Rd. Exit)  
734-769-9800  
\$79/night

### **\*Courtyard by Marriott**

3205 Boardwalk  
Ann Arbor, MI 48108  
(I-94 & State Street Exit)  
734-995-5900; 800-321-2211  
\$92/night

### **\*Fairfield Inn by Marriott**

3285 Boardwalk  
Ann Arbor, MI 48108  
(I-94 & State Street Exit)  
734-995-5200  
\$82/night

### **\*Microtel Inn & Suites**

3610 Plymouth Rd.  
Ann Arbor, MI 48105  
(US 23 & Plymouth Rd. Exit)  
734-997-9100  
\$64/night

### **Red Roof Inn—South University**

3505 S. State St.  
Ann Arbor, MI 48108  
(I-94 & State Street Exit)  
734-665-3500

### **Crowne Plaza**

610 Hilton Blvd.  
Ann Arbor, MI 48108  
(I-94 & State Street Exit)  
737-761-7800; 800-344-7829

### **Comfort Inn**

3501 S. State St.  
Ann Arbor, MI 48108  
734-761-8838

### **Holiday Inn Express**

610 Hilton Blvd.  
Ann Arbor, MI 48108  
(I-94 & State Street Exit)  
734-761-7800; 800-344-7829

### **Residence Inn—Marriott**

800 Victors Way  
Ann Arbor, MI 48108  
(I-94 & State Street Exit)  
734-996-5666; 800-331-3131

### **Red Roof Inn—North Campus**

3621 Plymouth Rd.  
Ann Arbor, MI 48105  
(US 23 & Plymouth Rd. Exit)  
734-996-5800; 800-733-7663

### **Weber's Inn**

[www.webersinn.com](http://www.webersinn.com)  
3050 Jackson Rd  
Ann Arbor, MI 48103-1997  
(I-94 & Jackson Rd. Exit)  
734-769-2500  
4-star hotel

### **Candlewood Suites**

701 Waymarket Way  
Ann Arbor, MI 48108  
(I-94 & Ann Arbor-Saline Rd.  
Exit)  
734-741-0687

### **Hawthorne Suites (North)**

3535 Green Rd.  
Ann Arbor, MI 48105  
(US 23 & Plymouth Rd. Exit)  
734-665-9142

### **Studioplus**

3265 Boardwalk St.  
Ann Arbor, MI 48108  
(I-94 & State Street Exit)  
734-997-7623

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