

**5<sup>th</sup> Annual  
FRASER INVITATIONAL**

hosted by the Fraser Figure Skating Club  
**July 8-10, 2005**

Sanctioned by US Figure Skating

The 5<sup>th</sup> Annual Fraser Invitational Skating Competition (includes Basic Skills) will be held at Great Lakes Sports City located at 34400 Utica Road, Fraser, Michigan on Friday, July 8<sup>th</sup>, Saturday, July 9<sup>th</sup> and Sunday, July 10<sup>th</sup>, 2005.

**RULES** – The 5<sup>th</sup> Annual Fraser Invitational will be conducted in accordance with the rules of the USFS as set forth in the 2005-2006 US Figure Skating Rulebook.

**ELIGIBILITY** – This competition is open to all amateurs or reinstated amateurs who are USFSA members and shall be eligible to enter events based on their test status as of April 30, 2005. The Basic Skills portion of the competition is open to all US Figure Skating and ISI skaters in any Learn to Skate program.

**EVENTS** – Compulsories (Low Beginner – Pre-Juvenile), Freestyle (Limited Beginner – Novice), Short Program (Juvenile, Open Juvenile, Intermediate & Novice), Restricted Freestyle (Pre-Juvenile – Novice), Spins Events (Pre-Preliminary – Intermediate), Pairs Free Skating (Preliminary – Intermediate), Solo Dance (Preliminary – Silver), Couples Dance (Preliminary - Novice), Couples Freedance (Juvenile, Intermediate, Novice), Adult Freestyle (Pre-Bronze – Gold), Team Compulsory and Artistic Showcase. Basic Skills events offered are compulsory events (Snowplow Sam and Basic 1-8) and Basic program (Snowplow Sam and Basic 1-8) with music, Freeskate 1-3 compulsories and Freeskate program 1-3 with music. A minimum of two entries will be required for all flights to be scheduled. Entrants may “skate up” a level (**except in Basic Skills events – you are not allowed to skate up in any of the Basic Skills levels**), but may not skate more than one level in any one event except dance (up to 6 dances). Artistic Showcase is a ladies/men (combined event). Compulsory events may be ladies and men combined.

**AWARDS** – Medals will be awarded for first, second, third and fourth places. Ribbons will be awarded for fifth through tenth places. Awards will be presented off ice at scheduled times during the competition.

**ENTRIES AND FEES** – All entries must be postmarked no later than May 23, 2005. Late entries may be accepted at the discretion of the committee. **A \$25.00 fee will be charged for all late entries accepted.** Entry fees are per person, per event in U.S. Dollars. A \$25.00 service fee will be assessed for returned/NSF checks.

**BASIC SKILLS /FREE SKATE 1-3**

\$35.00 per competitor  
\$15.00 per competitor (each add. Event)

**ALL OTHER EVENTS**

\$60.00 per competitor (first singles event)  
\$30.00 per Competitor (each add. event, including each add. dance)  
\$40.00 per team (Team Compulsories-does not count as first event)  
\$60.00 per couple (Pairs/ Pairs Dance event)

**NO REFUNDS will be given after the closing date unless the event is cancelled for lack of participation.** Two entries (three for dance and team compulsories) constitute a competition in any event. **NO REFUNDS WILL BE GIVEN FOR ANY OTHER REASON.** Medical withdrawal may be refunded if accompanied by an attending physician's excuse. Entry forms must be filled out **COMPLETELY** and mailed along with a check (**made payable Fraser FSC**) to:

FRASER INVITATIONAL  
C/O Chris Bisby  
48743 Kings Drive  
Shelby Twp., Mi 48315

Contact persons: Chris Bisby  
586-323-8907  
[Cbisby18@aol.com](mailto:Cbisby18@aol.com)

Mel Chapman  
586-294-4132

**PRACTICE ICE** – Practice ice will be available on Friday, July 8<sup>th</sup>, Saturday, July 9<sup>th</sup> and on Sunday, July 10<sup>th</sup>. All practice ice sessions will run a half hour at a charge of \$10.00 per session/per person. Practice ice will be sold on a first come, first serve basis. A complete practice ice schedule will accompany each competitor's confirmation and reservations can be mailed in, with appropriate fees, at that time. **PRACTICE ICE WILL NOT BE SOLD OVER THE PHONE OR BY FAX. No music will be played on practice ice.**

**EVENTS AND PRACTICE ICE SCHEDULE** – A tentative schedule of competition events will be posted on FFSC's web page (Fraserfsc.com) and mailed to each competitor as soon as it is provided by the referee. All times are approximate. Please check with the Registration desk for changes and exact times. A practice ice schedule will also be posted on FFSC's web page (Fraserfsc.com). Please check for changes and exact times when you register.

**REGISTRATION** – The official registration desk will be located in the main lobby of Great Lakes Sport City and will be open one hour before the first practice ice session until the close of competition each day. **COMPETITORS MUST CHECK IN AT THE REGISTRATION DESK AT LEAST ONE HOUR PRIOR TO THEIR FIRST EVENT.** Please check the official bulletin board immediately upon arrival for any changes in event times.

**OFFICIAL NOTICES** – An official bulletin board will be maintained in the lobby of the arena. Posting of schedules and announcements thereon shall constitute sufficient official notice to competitors, coaches, and officials.

**OFFICIAL ARENAS** – All practice ice and competition events will take place at Great Lakes Sport City, 34400 Utica Road, Fraser, Michigan. All ice surfaces measure 85' X 200'. The facility has locker rooms, ample parking and a concession area.

**MUSIC** – Music must be turned in at the registration desk at the time of registration. Music will be reproduced through the arena sound systems on cassettes/CD's furnished by the competitor. **MUSIC IS PLAYED FROM CASSETTES/CD's AND CASSETTES MUST BE REWOUND. CASSETTES/CDs MUST BE MARKED CLEARLY WITH THE COMPETITOR'S NAME AND PLAY TIME ON THE SIDE TO BE PLAYED.** All competitors must have additional cassettes/CD's available as back up during their event.

## **COMPETITION EVENTS & ELIGIBILITY**

**FREESTYLE** – Skaters may compete one level higher than their current test level.

**LIMITED BEGINNER** – 1 ½ minutes - Must not have passed the US pre-preliminary freeski test. A well balanced program consisting of ½ jumps, salchows, toe loops and combinations consisting of these jumps only. Upright forward one and two foot spins, one step sequence and/or spiral sequence. **MAY NOT INCLUDE FLYING SPINS, COMBINATION SPINS OR BACKSPINS.**

**LOW BEGINNER** - 1 ½ minutes – Must not have passed the Pre-Preliminary F/S 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** – 1 ½ minutes – Must not have passed the Pre-Preliminary F/S 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** – 1 ½ minutes – Must have passed the Pre-Preliminary F/S Test and no higher. **MAY NOT INCLUDE AXELS, DOUBLE JUMPS, OR FLYING SPINS.**

**PRELIMINARY LIMITED** – 1 ½ minutes – Must have passed the Preliminary F/S Test and no higher. **MAY INCLUDE AXELS. MAY NOT INCLUDE DOUBLE JUMPS OR FLYING SPINS.**

**PRELIMINARY** – 1 ½ minutes – Must have passed the Preliminary F/S Test and no higher. May include axels, and up to (2) two different double jumps (maximum) which can be repeated in combinations, and any spins.

**PRE-JUVENILE** – 2 minutes – Must have passed the Pre-Juvenile F/S Test and no higher.

**OPEN JUVENILE** – 2 ¼ minutes – Must be 13 years of age or older and passed the Juvenile F/S Test and no higher.

**JUVENILE** – 2 ¼ minutes – Must be 12 years of age or younger and passed the Juvenile F/S Test and no higher.

**INTERMEDIATE** – 2 ½ minutes – Must have passed the Intermediate F/S Test and no higher.

**NOVICE** - 3 minutes – Must have passed the Novice F/S Test and no higher

Note: Skaters will not be able to enter both the Restricted Free Style and Free Style events. Skaters must choose one or the other event.

### **RESTRICTED FREE STYLE EVENTS:**

**Restricted Pre-Juvenile:** This event will be restricted to the jumps, spins and connecting steps from the Pre-Juvenile Freestyle test, TR42.03. The highest jump permitted is a Lutz – No Axel.

**Restricted Juvenile:** This event will be restricted to the jumps, spins and connecting steps from the Juvenile Freestyle test, TR42.04. The highest jump permitted is an Axel.

**Restricted Intermediate:** This event will be restricted to the jumps, spins, and connecting steps from the Intermediate Freestyle test, TR42.05. The highest jump permitted is a double Salchow and/or a double toe loop.

**Restricted Novice:** This event will be restricted to the jumps, spins and connecting steps from the Novice Freestyle test, TR42.06. The highest jump permitted is a double loop.

### **SHORT PROGRAMS**

**OPEN JUVENILE** – 1 minute/40 seconds or less with music

Must have passed the Juvenile F/S Test and no higher. Skaters must be 13 years of age or older.

**JUVENILE** – maximum 2 minutes with music with music

Must have passed the Juvenile F/S Test and no higher. Skaters must be 12 years of age or younger.

**Required Elements:**

1. **Axel Jump**
2. **Double jump of skater's choice**
3. **Jump combination consisting of one double and one single jump or two doubles.  
No steps or turns between jumps.**
4. **Solo spin – no flying spins or change of foot or position. Minimum 5 revolutions in position.**
5. **Combination spin with only one change of foot and one change of position.  
Minimum 4 revolutions on each foot.**
6. **Footwork straight line, circular, or serpentine.**

**INTERMEDIATE** – 2 minutes or less with music

Must have passed the Intermediate F/S Test and no higher.

**Required Elements:**

As stated in USFS 2005-2006 Rulebook

**NOVICE** - 2 minutes/15 seconds or less with music

Must have passed the Novice F/S Test and no higher.

**Required Elements:**

As stated in USFS 2005-2006 Rulebook

### **COMPULSORY EVENTS**

Skaters may skate up one level. Field moves and connecting steps will be allowed between the required elements. All events will be held on half ice. No music. AXELS ARE CONSIDERED A SINGLE JUMP, UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED. The elements may be skated in any order. All times are maximum

**LOW BEGINNER** – 1 minute or less – NO TEST REQUIREMENT

**Required elements:** Waltz jump  
½ Flip jump  
Two foot spin  
Lunge

**HIGH BEGINNER** – 1 minute or less – NO TEST REQUIREMENT

**Required elements:** Waltz jump/toe loop combination  
Loop jump or Salchow jump  
One foot forward upright scratch spin  
Forward Spiral

**PRE-PRELIMINARY** – 1 ¼ minutes or less – Must have passed the Pre-Preliminary F/S test.

**Required elements:** Flip Jump  
Loop Jump  
Single/single jump combination (**no axels**)  
Forward sit spin (**min. 4 revolutions**)  
Forward spiral

**PRELIMINARY** – 1 ½ minutes or less – Must have passed the Preliminary F/S test.

**Required elements:** Single Jump  
Single Jump– Single Jump combination  
**May do an axel as a single jump or in combination, but not both**  
Step Sequence (spiral, spread eagle or bauer)  
Upright back spin (**min. 4 revolutions**)

**PRE-JUVENILE** – 1 ½ minutes or less – Must have passed the Pre-Juvenile F/S test.

**Required elements:** Double Jump  
Single/single jump combination (**must include a loop jump–axels are permitted**)  
Combination spin with one change of foot and one change of position  
Solo spin  
Step Sequence (spiral, spread eagle or bauer)

**SPINS EVENTS**

Skaters may compete one level higher than their test level. Skaters will create a compulsory spin program according to the requirements for their level. All levels will be skated on ½ ice surface with no music. Spins must be skated exactly as stated, but may be skated in any order. All skaters must include in their program one field element such as a spread eagle, bauer or spiral and one footwork sequence.

**PRE-PRELIMINARY** – 1 1/2 minutes or less

1. One foot forward scratch spin (**min. 4 revolutions**)
2. Sit spin (**min. 4 revolutions**)
3. Back spin (**min. 4 revolutions**)
4. Footwork sequence of any pattern
5. Spiral, spread eagle, or bauer

**PRELIMINARY** – 2 minutes or less

1. Sit spin (**min. 4 revolutions**)
2. Camel spin (**min. 4 revolutions**)
3. Back spin (**min. 4 revolutions**)
4. Footwork sequence of any pattern
5. Spiral, spread eagle, or bauer

**PRE-JUVENILE** – 2 minutes or less

1. Camel spin (**min. 4 revolutions**)
2. Spin with only one change of foot –no change of position (**min. 4 revolutions each foot**)
3. Layback spin (**min. 4 revolutions**)
4. Footwork sequence of any pattern
5. Spiral, spread eagle, or bauer

**JUVENILE** – 2 minutes or less

1. Flying camel (**min. 4 revolutions**)
2. Combination spin with only one change of foot(**min. 4 rev.**)
3. Layback (**min. 4 revolutions**)
4. Footwork sequence of any pattern
5. Spiral, spread eagle, or bauer

**INTERMEDIATE** – 2 minutes or less

1. Sit spin to change foot sit-spin
2. Layback
3. Flying camel
4. Footwork sequence of any pattern
5. Spiral, spread eagle or bauer

## **SOLO DANCE EVENTS**

Each dance is a separate event. Solo dance will be two patterns only and is open to men and ladies. The dance 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.

**PRELIMINARY:** Skater may have passed all Preliminary Dances but not all Pre-Bronze Dances.

**Dance Events:** Dutch Waltz, Rhythm Blues, Canasta Tango.

**PRE-BRONZE:** Skater may have passed all Pre-Bronzes but not all Bronze Dances.

**Dance Events:** Cha-Cha, Fiesta Tango, Swing Dance.

**BRONZE:** Skater may have passed all Bronze Dances but not all Pre-Silver Dances.

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

**PRE-SILVER:** Skater may have passed all Pre-Silver Dances but not all Silver Dances.

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

**SILVER:** Skater may have passed all Silver Dances but not all Pre-Gold Dances.

**Dance Events:** American Waltz, Rocker Foxtrot, Harris Tango.

## **COUPLES COMPULSORY DANCE**

**Preliminary:** For beginning couple dancers.  
Dances: Dutch Waltz and Canasta Tango.

**Pre-Juvenile:** Both partners must have passed 2 Preliminary dance tests but no higher than the Pre-Bronze dance test.  
Dances: Rhythm Blues and Cha Cha.

**Juvenile:** Both partners must have passed the complete Preliminary dance test.  
Dances: Fiesta Tango, Willow Waltz & Fourteen step.

**Intermediate:** Both partners must have passed the complete Bronze dance test.  
Dances: European Waltz, Fourteenstep & Rocker Foxtrot.

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

## **COUPLES FREEDANCE**

**Juvenile:** Neither partner may have passed Intermediate Freedance. Time: 2:00 minutes.

**Intermediate:** Neither partner may have passed Novice Freedance. Time: 2:15 minutes.

**Novice:** Neither partner may have passed Junior Freedance. Time: 2:30 minutes.

## **ARTISTIC SHOWCASE**

Open themes for each level. Skaters will provide their own music. Vocal music is allowed. A certain amount of jumping is permitted, but no credit is given unless the jumps contribute to the overall aesthetic value of the program. Skaters will be judged according to how well they interpret their theme. Artistry, originality, and creativity are emphasized. Props may be used to accentuate the performance. The skater is responsible for transporting the props on and off the ice. Thirty seconds will be allowed for this. Costumes are encouraged!

**NOTE: Props will not be allowed on the warm-up.**

<b>GROUP 1:</b>	<b>Beginner</b>	<b>1 ½ minutes</b>
<b>GROUP 2:</b>	<b>Pre-Preliminary/Preliminary (no axels or double jumps)</b>	<b>1 ½ minutes</b>
<b>GROUP 3:</b>	<b>Pre-Juvenile/Juvenile (max 4 single jumps – one may be an axel)</b>	<b>1 ½ minutes</b>
<b>GROUP 4:</b>	<b>Intermediate (max 4 jumps – one may be a double)</b>	<b>1 ½ minutes</b>

**ADULT FREESKATING (must be 25 years or older as of closing date)**

**Pre-Bronze:** maximum 1 minute 40 seconds. Must have passed Adult Pre-Bronze Free Skating test and no higher than Pre-Preliminary Free Skating Test. NO AXEL.

**Bronze:** maximum 1 minute 40 seconds. Must have passed Adult Bronze Free Skating test and no higher than Preliminary Free Skating Test. NO AXEL.

**Silver:** maximum 2 minute 10 seconds. Must have passed Adult Silver Free Skating test and no higher than Intermediate Free Skating Test. AXEL PERMITTED

**Gold:** maximum 2 minute 40 seconds. Must have passed at least the Intermediate Free Skating test and/or the Adult Gold Free Skating Test. AXEL PERMITTED

**FINAL NOTE: The application and certification forms are attached. Read them carefully and include all necessary information. Type or print plainly in black ink. If there are any questions call:**

<b>Chairperson:</b>	<b>Chris Bisby</b>	<b>586-323-8907</b> <a href="mailto:Cbisby18@aol.com">Cbisby18@aol.com</a>
<b>Skating Director:</b>	<b>Mel Chapman</b>	<b>586-294-4132</b>

Parent's/Guardian's Notes: Just a few helpful hints to make the application process a little easier.

- **Please print plainly and fill out the entire application in black ink.**
- You must include test level and USFSA number.
- If you are not certain of test level and events to be entered, check with your Pro.
- Certification must be signed by parent/guardian and Club Officer.
- Remember there are **ABSOLUTELY NO REFUNDS** unless the event is cancelled.

**CLOSING DATE: MAY 23, 2005**

**2005 FRASER INVITATIONAL (July 8-10, 2005)  
ENTRY FORM**

Name of Skater \_\_\_\_\_ Age (as of 05/23/05) \_\_\_\_\_ Birth date \_\_\_\_\_

Male \_\_\_\_\_ Female \_\_\_\_\_ USFSA# \_\_\_\_\_ Home Club \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Coach \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Coach's address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Parent/Guardian \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Highest Test Passed: Freestyle \_\_\_\_\_ Moves \_\_\_\_\_ Dance \_\_\_\_\_ Pairs \_\_\_\_\_

**Individual Freestyle**

- \_\_\_\_\_ Limited Beginner
- \_\_\_\_\_ Low Beginner
- \_\_\_\_\_ High Beginner
- \_\_\_\_\_ Pre-Preliminary
- \_\_\_\_\_ Preliminary Limited
- \_\_\_\_\_ Preliminary
- \_\_\_\_\_ Pre-Juvenile
- \_\_\_\_\_ Open Juvenile
- \_\_\_\_\_ Juvenile
- \_\_\_\_\_ Intermediate
- \_\_\_\_\_ Novice

**Individual Short Program**

- \_\_\_\_\_ Open Juvenile
- \_\_\_\_\_ Juvenile
- \_\_\_\_\_ Intermediate
- \_\_\_\_\_ Novice

**Spins Event**

- \_\_\_\_\_ Pre-Preliminary
- \_\_\_\_\_ Preliminary
- \_\_\_\_\_ Pre-Juvenile
- \_\_\_\_\_ Juvenile
- \_\_\_\_\_ Intermediate

**Adult Freeskate**

- \_\_\_\_\_ Pre-Bronze
- \_\_\_\_\_ Bronze
- \_\_\_\_\_ Silver
- \_\_\_\_\_ Gold

**Compulsory Moves**

- \_\_\_\_\_ Low Beginner
- \_\_\_\_\_ High Beginner
- \_\_\_\_\_ Pre-Preliminary
- \_\_\_\_\_ Preliminary
- \_\_\_\_\_ Pre-Juvenile

**Restricted Freestyle**

- \_\_\_\_\_ Restricted Pre-Juvenile
- \_\_\_\_\_ Restricted Juvenile
- \_\_\_\_\_ Restricted Intermediate
- \_\_\_\_\_ Restricted Novice

**Couples Compulsory Dance**

- \_\_\_\_\_ Preliminary
- \_\_\_\_\_ Pre-Juvenile
- \_\_\_\_\_ Juvenile
- \_\_\_\_\_ Intermediate
- \_\_\_\_\_ Novice

**Pairs Freeskate**

- \_\_\_\_\_ Preliminary
- \_\_\_\_\_ Pre-Juvenile
- \_\_\_\_\_ Juvenile
- \_\_\_\_\_ Intermediate

**Artistic Showcase**

- \_\_\_\_\_ Group 1 Beginner
- \_\_\_\_\_ Group 2 Pre-Preliminary/Preliminary
- \_\_\_\_\_ Group 3 Pre-Juvenile/Juvenile
- \_\_\_\_\_ Group 4 Intermediate

**Solo Dance (write in dances to be skated (maximum of 6) (Preliminary – Silver)**

1. \_\_\_\_\_ 2. \_\_\_\_\_ 3. \_\_\_\_\_  
4. \_\_\_\_\_ 5. \_\_\_\_\_ 6. \_\_\_\_\_

**ENTRY FEES**

**\$60.00 First Event**  
**\$30.00 each additional event, including each add. dance)**  
**\$60.00 per couple (First Pairs F/S/Pairs Dance event)**

**MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO THE FRASER FSC.**

**Entries must be postmarked by May 23, 2005**

**Mail form & fees to:**

**Fraser Invitational  
C/o Chris Bisby  
48743 Kings Drive  
Shelby Twp., MI 48315**

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

**Check #** \_\_\_\_\_

**Amount** \_\_\_\_\_



**CERTIFICATION OF CLUB OFFICER**

I certify that the above named skater is a member in good standing of the USFS Club indicated and that the test level indicated is true and correct.

SIGNATURE OF CLUB OFFICER \_\_\_\_\_

TITLE \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_

**WAIVER OF CLAIMS FOR INJURY**

I fully release, discharge, and covenant not to sue the U.S. Figure Skating Association, its Member Clubs, their respective administrators, directors, agents, officers, volunteers, and employees, and any sponsors and advertisers of any USFSA-sanctioned event in which I participate (each considered one of the Releasees herein) from all liability, claims, demands, losses, or damages on my account caused or alleged to be caused in whole or in part by the negligence of the Releasees. This release waiver of liability and express assumption of risk agreement does not apply to any liability, claims, demands, losses, or damages, losses, or damages arising out of the gross negligence of, or intentional, willful or wanton misconduct of Releasees. If I, or anyone on my and/or my minor child's behalf, makes a claim which does not arise from the gross negligence of, or intentional, willful or wanton misconduct of Releasees against any of the Releasees, I will indemnify, defend, save, and hold harmless each of the Releasees from any loss, liability, damage, or cost which any may incur as the result of such claim.

I acknowledge that I have read this release, waiver of liability and express assumption of risk agreement and fully understand it.

Signature of Parent/Guardian or competitor if over age 18 \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

**Entries must be postmarked by May 23, 2005 Mail form & fees to:**

**Fraser Invitational  
C/O Chris Bisby  
48743 Kings Drive  
Shelby Twp., MI 48315**



## **Team Compulsory**

A figure skating club may enter no more than two teams in each level. Skaters may only skate for their home club. Both boys and girls may skate on the same team. The highest test level of one skater determines the team's level to compete. A skater may skate on one team only.

There are four skaters per team with one element being performed by each team member. Each team member will have one chance to execute the element. Three to four minutes will be allotted for each team. Should a skater be unable to compete due to illness or injury, a teammate may execute the element with proper notice to the referee of the event prior to the event start. No additional unnecessary moves will be allowed.

Each team is to name a team captain through whom any communication with the team and the event referee is handled. Each team should have a sign 28" X 12" which includes the team's name, level and club. If two teams from a club enter the same level, the team name must be different from each other. Full ice will be used for this event and quiet background music will be provided.

## **Levels and required elements**

### **Pre-Preliminary**

Must have passed the Pre-Preliminary F/S test.  
Flip jump  
Loop/loop jump combination  
One foot spin  
Forward outside spiral

### **Preliminary**

Must have passed the Preliminary F/S test.  
Lutz/loop jump combination  
Flip jump  
One foot back spin  
Circular footwork sequence

### **Pre-Juvenile**

Must have passed the Pre-Juvenile F/S test.  
Axel  
Double Salchow  
Camel/sit combination spin  
Circular footwork sequence

### **Juvenile**

Must have passed the Juvenile F/S test.  
Axel/loop jump combination  
Double Salchow  
Layback spin  
Serpentine spiral sequence (may include spread eagles or bauers, but primarily spirals).

### **Intermediate**

Must have passed the Intermediate F/S test.  
Double loop  
Double/double jump combination (no double axel)  
Camel/layback/back sit combination spin  
Serpentine spiral sequence (may include spread eagles or bauers, but primarily spirals).

Two marks will be awarded for each team: technical merit and presentation of the elements. The technical mark will break a tie.

**PLEASE TURN THIS FORM OVER. ENTRY FORM IS ON REVERSE SIDE.**

**2005 FRASER INVITATIONAL  
TEAM COMPULSORY ENTRY FORM**

Name of team \_\_\_\_\_ level \_\_\_\_\_

Home club \_\_\_\_\_ Highest test passed of one skater \_\_\_\_\_

Team Captain/Contact Person \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Team Members \_\_\_\_\_ (Team Captain) USFSA # \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ USFSA # \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ USFSA # \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ USFSA # \_\_\_\_\_

**Entry fee: \$40.00 per team (counts as 2<sup>nd</sup> event – 1<sup>st</sup> event (if only one is entered) is \$60.00)**

Please mail this form and appropriate fee to: Fraser Invitational  
C/O Chris Bisby  
48743 Kings Drive  
Shelby Twp., MI 48315

**CLOSING DATE: May 23, 2005**

**CERTIFICATION OF CLUB OFFICER**

I certify that the above named skater is a member in good standing of the USFSA Club indicated and that the test level indicated is true and correct.

SIGNATURE OF CLUB OFFICER \_\_\_\_\_

TITLE \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_

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I acknowledge that I have read this release, waiver of liability and express assumption of risk agreement and fully understand it.

**Signatures of parents/Guardians for skaters named above.**

\_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

## **BASIC SKILLS EVENTS**

### **Elements Event – Basic Skills**

- To be skated on ½ ice surface
- No Music.
- All elements must be skated in the order listed.
- Each skater performs one element at a time and will perform the next element only when directed by a judge or referee.

#### **Required Elements:**

##### **Snowplow Sam (Tots)**

1. March followed by a two foot glide and dip.
2. Forward two foot swizzles – 2-3 in a row.
3. Forward snowplow stop.
4. Backward wiggles – 2-6 in a row.

##### **Basic 1**

1. Forward 2 foot glide.
2. Forward two foot swizzles – 6-8 in a row.
3. Forward snowplow stop.
4. Backward wiggles – 6-8 in a row.

##### **Basic 2**

1. Forward one foot glide – either foot.
2. Backward two foot swizzles – 6-8 in a row.
3. Two foot turn in place – forward to backward.
4. Moving snowplow stop.
5. Forward alternating ½ swizzle pumps, in a straight line – across the width of the ice.

##### **Basic 3**

1. Forward stroking.
2. Forward ½ swizzle pumps on a circle, either clockwise or counterclockwise – 6-8 consecutive.
3. Moving forward to backward two foot turn – either direction.
4. Backward one foot glide – either foot.
5. Two foot spin.

##### **Basic 4**

1. Forward outside edge on a circle – clockwise or counterclockwise.
2. Forward crossovers – 6-8 consecutive – both directions.
3. Forward outside 3 turn – R and L.
4. Backward stroking.
5. Backward snowplow stop – R or L.

##### **Basic 5**

1. Backward outside edge on a circle - clockwise or counterclockwise.
2. Backward crossovers – 6-8 consecutive – both directions.
3. One foot spin – minimum of 3 revolutions.
4. Hockey stop.
5. Side toe hop – either direction.

##### **Basic 6**

1. Forward inside 3 turn – R and L.
2. T-stop – R or L.
3. Bunny Hop.
4. Forward spiral on a straight line – R or L.
5. Lunge – R or L.

### **Basic 7**

1. Forward inside open Mohawk – R to L and L to R.
2. Ballet jump – either direction.
3. Backward crossovers to a backward outside edge landing position, clockwise and counterclockwise.
4. Forward inside pivot.

### **Basic 8**

1. Moving forward outside or forward inside 3 turns – R and L.
2. Waltz jump.
3. Mazurka – either direction.
4. Combination move – clockwise or counterclockwise (from Basic 8 curriculum).
5. Beginning one foot upright spin, optional free foot position.

### **Basic programs – (Snowplow Sam – Basic 1-8) – with music**

- The skating order of the required elements is optional.
- The elements are not restricted as to number of times an element is executed, or length of glides, number of revolutions in a spin, etc. unless otherwise stated.
- Minimum number of connecting steps are allowed.
- May use vocal music.
- May use elements from a previous level. Deductions will be made if elements from a higher level are skated.
- Time: 1:00 +/- 10 seconds, to be skated on full ice.

### **REQUIRED ELEMENTS**

#### **Snowplow Sam Program (Tots)**

1. Forward skating
2. Backward wiggles.
3. Glide forward and dip.
4. Snowplow stop.

#### **Basic Program A (Basic 1 & 2)**

1. Glide forward and dip.
2. Moving snowplow stop.
3. Forward two foot swizzles.
4. Backward skating (wiggles or swizzles).

#### **Basic Program B (Basic 3 & 4)**

1. Backward ½ swizzle pumps on a circle – clockwise or counterclockwise.
2. Two foot spin.
3. Forward crossovers – minimum 5 consecutive, clockwise or counterclockwise.
4. Backward one foot glide – R or L.

#### **Basic Program C (Basic 5 & 6)**

1. Backward crossovers – minimum 5 consecutive, clockwise or counterclockwise.
2. One foot spin.
3. Bunny Hop.
4. Forward spiral on a straight line – R or L.

#### **Basic Program D (Basic 7 & 8)**

1. Beginning one foot spin, optional free foot.
2. Mazurka or ballet jump.
3. Waltz jump.
4. Combination move (Basic 8 curriculum one set only)

## COMPULSORY PROGRAMS – REQUIRED ELEMENTS (Freeskate 1-3)

- The skater must demonstrate the required elements and may use any additional elements from previous levels (where applicable).
- The skating order of the required elements is optional.
- To be skated on ½ ice – no music permitted.
- In program form, using a limited number of connecting steps.
- Time: 1:00 minute or less.
- Deductions will be made if elements from a higher level are performed.

### Required Elements for Compulsory Programs

#### Freeskate Level 1 Compulsory

1. Advanced forward stroking – 4-6 consecutive strokes.
2. Basic forward outside edges and forward inside consecutive edges – 2-4 outside and 2-4 inside edges.
3. Scratch spin from backward crossovers.
4. Waltz jump from backward crossovers.
5. Half flip jump.

#### Freeskate Level 2 Compulsory

1. Forward outside spiral – R or L, and a forward inside spiral – R or L.
2. Waltz three's – R or L.
3. Beginning back spin – entry optional.
4. Waltz jump, side toe hop, waltz jump.
5. Toe loop jump.

#### Freeskate Level 3 Compulsory

1. Forward crossovers in a figure 8.
2. Advanced forward outside swing rolls – 4-6 consecutive.
3. Back spin.
4. Salchow jump.
5. Waltz jump/toe loop or Salchow/toe loop.

## FREESKATE PROGRAMS 1-3 – WITH MUSIC

- Groups must be divided by age.
- Program duration 1:30 +/- 10 seconds.
- Skated on full ice.
- Deductions will be made if elements from a higher level are performed.
- Vocal music is **NOT PERMITTED** in Freeskate programs.

### Programs must contain the following elements:

#### Freeskate level 1

1. Advanced forward stroking (4-6 consecutive strokes).
2. Basic forward outside edges or forward inside consecutive edges – 2-4 outside or 2-4 inside edges.
3. Scratch spin from backward crossovers.
4. Waltz jump from backward crossovers.
5. Half flip jump.

#### Freeskate level 2

1. Forward outside spiral – R or L.
2. Waltz 3's – R or L.
3. Beginning back spin.
4. Waltz jump, side toe hop, waltz jump.
5. Toe loop jump.

#### Freeskate level 3

1. Forward crossovers in a figure 8.
2. Advanced outside swing rolls – 4-6 consecutive.
3. Back spin.
4. Salchow jump.
5. Waltz jump/toe loop or Salchow/toe loop.

**FINAL NOTE: The application and certification forms are attached. Read them carefully and include all necessary information. Type or print plainly in black ink. If there are any questions call:**

<b>Chairperson:</b>	<b>Chris Bisby</b>	<b>586-323-8907</b> <a href="mailto:Cbisby18@aol.com">Cbisby18@aol.com</a>
<b>Skating Director:</b>	<b>Mel Chapman</b>	<b>586-294-4132</b> <a href="mailto:Mchapman1210@aol.com">Mchapman1210@aol.com</a>

Parent's/Guardian's Notes: Just a few helpful hints to make the application process a little easier.

- **Please print plainly and fill out the entire application in black ink.**
- You must include test level and USFSA number.
- If you are not certain of test level and events to be entered, check with your Pro.
- Certification must be signed by parent/guardian and Club Officer.
- Remember there are **ABSOLUTELY NO REFUNDS** unless the event is cancelled.

**CLOSING DATE: MAY 23, 2005**

**2005 FRASER INVITATIONAL (July 8-10, 2005)  
BASIC SKILLS ENTRY FORM**

Name of Skater \_\_\_\_\_ Age (as of 05/23/05) \_\_\_\_\_ Birth date \_\_\_\_\_  
Male \_\_\_\_\_ Female \_\_\_\_\_ Basic Badge Level \_\_\_\_\_ Freeskate Badge Level \_\_\_\_\_ Home Club \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_  
Name of Coach \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_  
Coach's address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_  
Name of Parent/Guardian \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

**BASIC COMPULSORIES**

- \_\_\_\_\_ Snowplow
- \_\_\_\_\_ Basic 1
- \_\_\_\_\_ Basic 2
- \_\_\_\_\_ Basic 3
- \_\_\_\_\_ Basic 4
- \_\_\_\_\_ Basic 5
- \_\_\_\_\_ Basic 6
- \_\_\_\_\_ Basic 7
- \_\_\_\_\_ Basic 8

**FREESKATE COMPULSORIES**

- \_\_\_\_\_ Freeskate 1
- \_\_\_\_\_ Freeskate 2
- \_\_\_\_\_ Freeskate 3

**FREESKATE PROGRAM (with music)**

- \_\_\_\_\_ Freeskate 1
- \_\_\_\_\_ Freeskate 2
- \_\_\_\_\_ Freeskate 3

**BASIC PROGRAM (with music)**

- \_\_\_\_\_ Snowplow Sam
- \_\_\_\_\_ Basic Program A (Basic 1 & 2)
- \_\_\_\_\_ Basic Program B (Basic 3 & 4)
- \_\_\_\_\_ Basic Program C (Basic 5 & 6)
- \_\_\_\_\_ Basic Program D (Basic 7 & 8)

**ENTRY FEES**

**\$35.00 First Event  
\$15.00 each additional event.**

**MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO THE FRASER FSC.**

**Entries must be postmarked by May 23, 2005**

**Mail form & fees to:**

**Date received \_\_\_\_\_  
Check # \_\_\_\_\_  
Amount \_\_\_\_\_**

**Fraser Invitational  
C/O Chris Bisby  
48743 Kings Drive  
Shelby Twp., MI 48315**



**CERTIFICATION OF SKATING DIRECTOR/CLUB OFFICER**

I certify that the above named skater is a member in good standing of the USFS Club indicated and that the test level indicated is true and correct.

SIGNATURE OF SKATING DIRECTOR/CLUB OFFICER \_\_\_\_\_

TITLE \_\_\_\_\_

DATE \_\_\_\_\_

**WAIVER OF CLAIMS FOR INJURY**

I fully release, discharge, and covenant not to sue the U.S. Figure Skating Association, its Member Clubs, their respective administrators, directors, agents, officers, volunteers, and employees, and any sponsors and advertisers of any USFSA-sanctioned event in which I participate (each considered one of the Releasees herein) from all liability, claims, demands, losses, or damages on my account caused or alleged to be caused in whole or in part by the negligence of the Releasees. This release waiver of liability and express assumption of risk agreement does not apply to any liability, claims, demands, losses, or damages, losses, or damages arising out of the gross negligence of, or intentional, willful or wanton misconduct of Releasees. If I, or anyone on my and/or my minor child's behalf, makes a claim which does not arise from the gross negligence of, or intentional, willful or wanton misconduct of Releasees against any of the Releasees, I will indemnify, defend, save, and hold harmless each of the Releasees from any loss, liability, damage, or cost which any may incur as the result of such claim.

I acknowledge that I have read this release, waiver of liability and express assumption of risk agreement and fully understand it.

Signature of Parent/Guardian or competitor if over age 18 \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

**Entries must be postmarked by May 23, 2005 Mail form & fees to:**

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Shelby Twp., MI 48315**

# ***HOTEL ACCOMODATIONS***

## ***FRASER INVITATIONAL***

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*45311 Utica Park Blvd.*  
*Utica, MI 483150*  
*586-731-4700*

*Amerisuites*  
*45400 Utica Park Blvd.*  
*Utica, MI 48315*  
*586-803-0100*

*HamptonInn & Suites*  
*36400 Van Dyke*  
*St. Hgts., MI 48312*  
*596-276-0600*

*Hawthorne Suites*  
*7601 Chicago Road*  
*Warren, MI 48092*  
*586-264-8800*

*Sterling Inn*  
*34911 Van Dyke*  
*St. Hgts., MI 48312*  
*586-979-1400*

*Courtyard by Marriott*  
*46000 Utica Park Blvd.*  
*Utica, Mi 48315*  
*586-997-6100*

*HAMPTON INN WARREN*  
*7447 Convention Blvd*  
*Warren, MI 48092*  
*586-997-7270*

*COURTYARD MARRIOTT WARREN*  
*30190 Van Dyke Avenue*  
*Warren, MI 48093*  
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**PROGRAM ADVERTISEMENT**

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