

**INDY CHALLENGE
2005
DANCE & PAIR COMPETITION**

AUGUST 12-14



Hosted by: **INDIANA/WORLD SKATING ACADEMY FSC**

Held at: **INDIANA/WORLD SKATING ACADEMY**
Pan American Plaza
201 South Capitol Avenue, Suite #001
Indianapolis, IN 46225

sanctioned by:

UNITED STATES FIGURE SKATING ASSOCIATION

An International Selection Competition for Pairs

Chief Referee: Margaret Faulkner

Judges: Robert Horen, Lucy Brennan,
Todd Bromley, John Cole, Charlie Cyr, Joan Gruber,
Susan Johnson, Shirley Sherman, Jerry Shipley, Will Smith
Wendy Enzman, Michael Fisher, Hal Marron, Molly Marron,

Critique sessions will take place after each event

This competition is open to all qualified eligible skaters who are members in good standing of the US FIGURE SKATING and will be governed by the rules in the most current US FIGURE SKATING Rule Book or rule changes as provided prior to the competition. The purpose of this non-qualifying competition is to provide an excellent competitive experience to all levels of pairs and ice dancers and to bring together many of the top pair and dance teams from the United States. With this in mind, the committee has invited National and International judges and will be having Initial and Final rounds of competition where applicable.

ENTRIES: All entries must be submitted on the Official Entry Form and **POSTMARKED** by the Registrar on or before July 1, 2005. This announcement may be copied and distributed as necessary. Late entries may be accepted at the discretion of the Competition Committee and will carry a **\$ 25.00 late fee**.

Senior/Junior/Novice/Intermediate/Juvenile/Preliminary Couple Events:

\$ 60.00 per person (1st event)
\$ 35.00 per person per additional event

All Solo Events: \$ 45.00 per person (1st event)
 \$ 25.00 per person per additional event

If competing in Juvenile and Intermediate levels, the Intermediate level will qualify as the first event fee.

Completed entry forms with payment, US FIGURE SKATING registration numbers and appropriate signatures should be mailed to:

Indy Challenge
c/o 201 S. Capitol Ave. #001, Indianapolis, IN 46225

Make checks payable to IWSA FSC

REFUND POLICY: Entry fees will not be refunded after the close of entries. ALL REFUNDS are up to the discretion of the Competition Committee. Entry fees paid for canceled events will be returned following the completion of the competition.

ELIGIBILITY: When events parallel US FIGURE SKATING qualifying competitions, THE COMPETITORS MAY SKATE UP ONE LEVEL FROM THEIR CURRENT PAIR TEST, DANCE TEST OR FREE DANCE TEST LEVEL. SKATING DOWN FROM THE CURRENT TEST LEVEL WILL NOT BE PERMITTED. US FIGURE SKATING eligibility rules will be in effect. ** Solo Dancers, please note eligibility for Solo Dance Events. **

MUSIC: Cassette tapes or CDs will be required for all events needing music. Cassettes or CDs must be labeled with name of competitor, event, length of music and side to be played. Competitors must have a duplicate tape or CD with them. The Local Organizing Committee assumes no responsibility for tapes or CDs not claimed at the end of the competition. The Local Organizing Committee will supply current dance music for compulsory dances.

REGISTRATION: The Registration Table will be open throughout the competition beginning on the first official day of practice. Competitors must register promptly upon arrival.

AWARDS: Distinctive Indy Challenge medals will be awarded to the 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 4th place finishers in every event. Initial and Final rounds of SOLO dance will be combined to determine final placements. In events that require both initial and final rounds, the final round placement will break all ties. All skaters will compete in initial and final rounds.

LOCATION: Indiana/World Skating Academy is conveniently located in downtown Indianapolis within walking distance of many hotels and shopping areas. Circle Centre Mall is across the street and there are over 700 restaurants within one square mile of the I/WSA. Access to Indianapolis is easy via many major airlines or the interstate highway system.

ARENAS: Indiana/World Skating Academy has two arenas. The American Rink is 200' X 85' with rounded corners, dasher boards and seating for approximately 1,000. All competition events and some practice sessions will be held in the American Rink. The Olympic Rink is 200' X 85' and will be utilized for practice sessions only.

LODGING AND ACCOMMODATIONS: The Crowne Plaza and the Comfort Inn are the host hotels for Indy Challenge 2004. Please deal directly with the hotel when making reservations. You must mention "Indy Challenge" to receive the discounted rate. Reservations must be made by July 15, 2004, to ensure availability and special rates.

Host Hotel:

Crowne Plaza Hotel
123 W. Louisiana Street
Indianapolis, IN. 46225
(317) 631-2221
Next door to the rink.
Special rate: \$104.00 per night

Other Hotel:

Courtyard by Marriott Indianapolis Airport
2602 Fortune Circle East
Indianapolis, IN. 46241
(317) 248-0300
15 minutes from the rink

Other:

The Comfort Inn
530 S. Capitol Ave.
Indianapolis, IN. 46225
(317) 631-9000
2 blocks south of the rink

COMPETITION SCHEDULE: The Official Competition Schedule will be determined after the close of entries by the Chief Referee and will be distributed to all competitors and coaches.

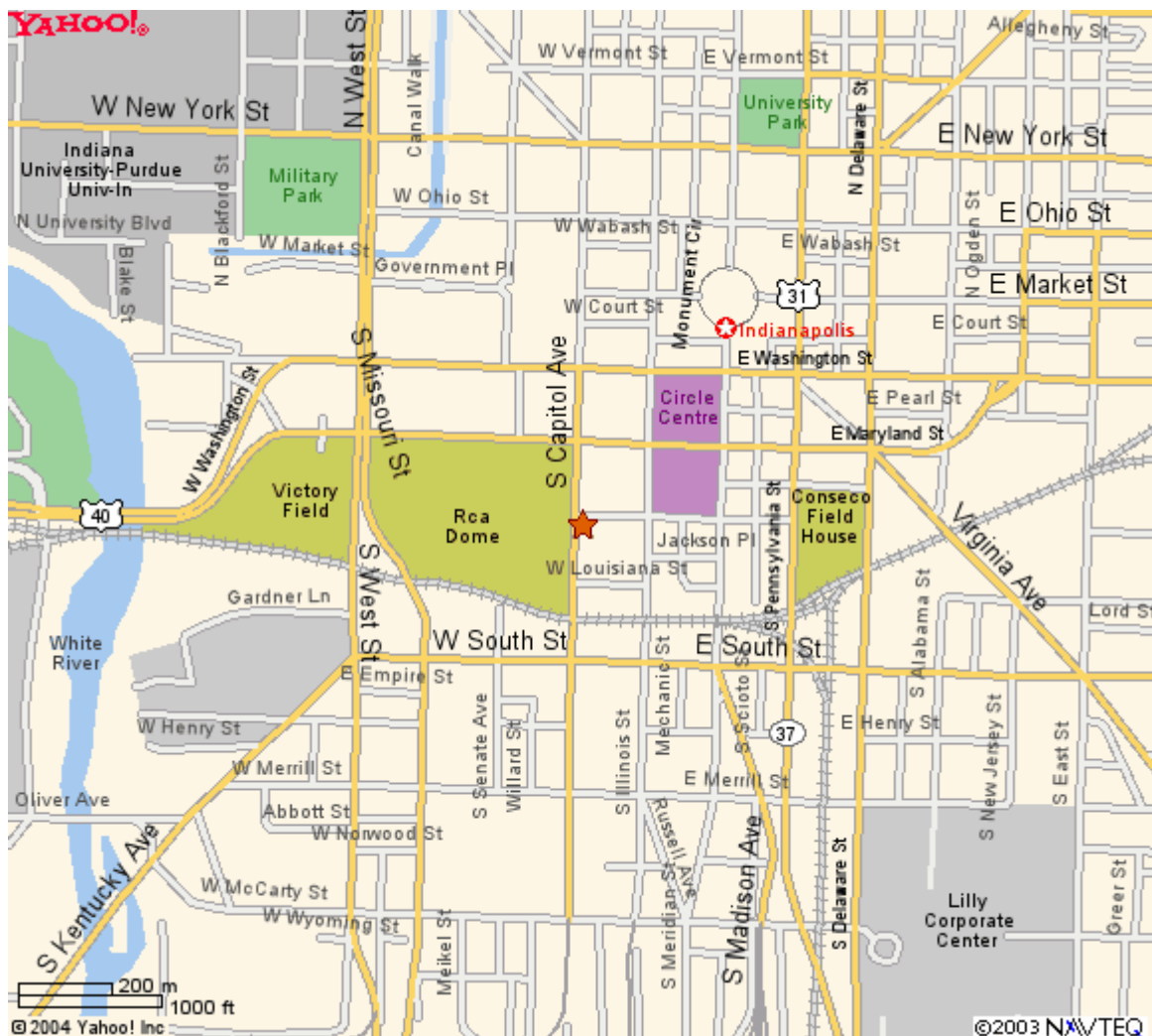
PRACTICE ICE: Official practice ice times for the competition will begin Thursday, August 11, 2005 at approximately 2:00 pm. A separate practice ice form will be mailed to you after the entry deadline. Solo Dance practice will begin on Friday evening. Walk-on practice sessions can be purchased at \$14.00 per person per session at the registration desk.

VIDEO: Ledin Photo & Video will be videotaping the entire competition. Place your order in the American Rink on the first day of the competition. No other videotaping will be allowed except from the stands.

BULLETINS AND NOTICES: The Official Bulletin Board will have updated Schedule and Practice information. This will be the only OFFICIAL POSTING LOCATION. It must be consulted regularly to note all competition schedule changes and competition information. All other memos and postings will be superseded by the Official Bulletin Board.

FURTHER INFORMATION: For additional information on Indy Challenge 2005, contact Kelley or Donald Adair at indykelley@cs.com

MAP OF THE CITY:



PAIR EVENTS TO BE SKATED: The Pair events will be separate events (Short Program, Free Skating) at the Novice, Junior and Senior levels as described in the current US FIGURE SKATING Rulebook. Medals will be awarded separately for the Short Program and the Free Skating Program. **This is an International Selection Competition for Pairs. Must compete in the Short and Long Programs to be eligible for International Selection.**

SENIOR	SHORT AND FREE SKATE (SEPARATE EVENTS)
JUNIOR	SHORT AND FREE SKATE (SEPARATE EVENTS)
NOVICE	SHORT AND FREE SKATE (SEPARATE EVENTS)
INTERMEDIATE	FREE SKATE
JUVENILE	FREE SKATE
PRE-JUVENILE	FREE SKATE
PRELIMINARY	FREE SKATE

DANCE EVENTS TO BE SKATED: There will be competition in Compulsory Dance, Solo Dance, Free Dance, Open Dance, Original Dance at the levels outlined herein. All skaters will compete in Initial and Final rounds. **NOTE: The dance for Senior & Junior Compulsory Dance will be announce July1, 2004 per the 2004-2005 US Figure Skating Rulebook. The two selected dances will be skated in the initial round and one of those selected dances will be skated for the final round. ** (Senior – Golden Waltz, Midnight Blues, Rhumba. Junior – Starlight, Cha Cha, Argentine and Blues)**

COMPULSORY DANCES - Couples

SENIOR	Initial: One of the selected dances Final: One of the selected dances	INTERMEDIATE	Initial: European Waltz and Rocker Foxtrot Final: European Waltz and Fourteenstep
JUNIOR	Initial: Two of the selected dances Final: One of the selected dances	JUVENILE	Initial: Fiesta and Fourteenstep Final: Willow and Fourteenstep
NOVICE	Initial: Starlight Waltz and Blues Final: Starlight and Foxtrot	PRE JUVENILE	Initial: Rhythm Blues and Canasta Tango Final: Dutch Waltz and Cha Cha

SOLO DANCE EVENTS All solo dance events aere open to men and women. Two patterns of each dance will be skated.

SENIOR	Initial: Paso Doble Final: Cha Cha Congelado	JUVENILE	Initial: Willow Waltz Final: Ten Fox
JUNIOR	Initial: Blues Final: Starlight Waltz	PRE-JUVENILE	Initial: Canasta Tango Final: Cha Cha
NOVICE	Initial: American Waltz Final: Kilian	PRELIMINARY	Initial: Dutch Waltz Final: Rhythm Blues
INTERMEDIATE	Initial: Fourteen Step Final: Hickory Hoedown		

ORIGINAL DANCE SOLO and COUPLES

SENIOR OD - As per the 2005-2006 rulebook
Latin Combination

JUNIOR OD - As per the 2005-2006 rulebook
Latin Combination

FREE DANCE - Vocal music is permitted for all levels of Free Dance. This event will be skated in accordance to any changes at US Figure Skating Governing Council May 2005.

SENIOR	JUNIOR	NOVICE	INTERMEDIATE	JUVENILE
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OPEN DANCE - Couples

Ravensburger Waltz	Starlight Waltz	Fiesta
Yankee Polka	Blues	Canasta Tango
Tango Romantica	Foxtrot	Cha Cha
Westminater Waltz	European Waltz	Rhythm Blues
Austrian Waltz	Rocker Foxtrot	Dutch Waltz
Quickstep	Fourteenstep	
Paso Doble	Willow Waltz	

CRITIQUES WILL BE GIVEN AFTER EACH EVENT.

OFFICIAL ENTRY FORM

**"INDY CHALLENGE" 2005
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COMPETITOR (both columns must be completed)

PARTNER (both columns must be completed)

Name _____

Name _____

Address _____

Address _____

City/ST/Zip _____

City/ST/Zip _____

Age _____ Birthdate _____

Age _____ Birthdate _____

Phone (____) _____

Phone (____) _____

Home Club _____

Home Club _____

US FIGURE SKATING # _____

US FIGURE SKATING # _____

E-Mail Address _____

E-Mail Address _____

TEST STATUS AS OF July 1, 2005

** Please note that skaters may skate up one level from their current test level. Solo Dancers may skate up any number of levels.

COMPETITOR

HIGHEST TEST PASSED

PARTNER

US FIGURE SKATING/CFSA Dance Test

US FIGURE SKATING/CFSA Free Dance

US FIGURE SKATING/CFSA Pair Test

DESIGNATED PROFESSIONAL _____ Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____ E-Mail Address _____

Phone (____) _____ PARENT/CHAPERONE _____

ACCIDENTS AND LIABILITY

Indiana/World Skating Academy FSC, Indiana/World Skating Academy and the US FIGURE SKATING undertake no responsibility for damages or injuries suffered by skaters or officials. As a condition of and in consideration of the acceptance of entries or participation, all entrants, parents, guardians, coaches 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 or management of the competition. Entries will be accepted only under such condition.

Signature of Competitor

Signature of Parent

CERTIFICATION BY CLUB OFFICER

I hereby approve the entry of this skater and certify that he/she is a Member of the Club in good standing, is eligible to compete in the events entered and is an eligible skater in accordance with the current US FIGURE SKATING/CFSA Rulebook.

Signature of Club Officer _____ Print Name _____

Title _____ Date _____ Home Club _____

**Couples must complete two separate entry forms.
Couples must sign up for the same practice sessions.**

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PLEASE CHECK EVENTS ENTERED

PAIRS FREE SKATING

Events:

- ☐ Senior
- ☐ Junior
- ☐ Novice
- ☐ Intermediate
- ☐ Juvenile
- ☐ Pre-Juvenile
- ☐ Preliminary

COMPULSORY DANCE

Events:

- ☐ Senior
- ☐ Junior
- ☐ Novice
- ☐ Intermediate
- ☐ Juvenile
- ☐ Pre-Juvenile
- ☐ Preliminary

OPEN DANCE

Events:

- ☐ Ravensburger
- ☐ Yankee Polka
- ☐ Tango Romantica
- ☐ Westminster
- ☐ Austrian
- ☐ Quickstep
- ☐ Paso Doble
- ☐ Starlight
- ☐ Blues
- ☐ European
- ☐ Rocker Foxtrot
- ☐ Fourteenstep
- ☐ Willow
- ☐ Cha Cha
- ☐ Fiesta
- ☐ Rhythm Blues
- ☐ Canasta Tango
- ☐ Dutch Waltz

PAIRS SHORT PROGRAM

Events:

- ☐ Senior
- ☐ Junior
- ☐ Novice

ORIGINAL DANCE

Events:

- ☐ Senior
- ☐ Junior

FREE DANCE

Events:

- ☐ Senior
- ☐ Junior
- ☐ Novice
- ☐ Intermediate
- ☐ Juvenile

SOLO DANCE

Events:

- ☐ Senior
- ☐ Junior
- ☐ Novice
- ☐ Intermediate
- ☐ Juvenile
- ☐ Pre-Juvenile
- ☐ Preliminary
- ☐ Solo Original Dance

ENTRY FEES

EVENTS:

1st Event \$ _____
2nd Event \$ _____
3rd Event \$ _____
4th Event \$ _____

Event Total: \$ _____

TOTAL ENCLOSED: \$ _____

PLEASE MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO: INDIANA/WORLD SKATING ACADEMY FSC
MAIL TO: Kelley Morris-Adair, IWSA, 201 S. Capitol Ave. #001, Indianapolis, IN 46225

POSTMARKED by JULY 1, 2005

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TENTATIVE SCHEDULE OF EVENTS: Schedule may change due to number of entries.

FRIDAY: Competition will begin about 2:00 pm.

Solo Dance: All Levels – Initial Round

Couples Dance: Preliminary through Senior CD - Initial Round

Couples Original Dance

Solo Original Dance

Novice Pairs Short Program

SATURDAY:

Pairs: Preliminary through Intermediate FS

Pairs: Junior Short, Senior Short

Solo Dance: All Levels – Final Rounds

Open Dances: To be determined after close of entries

Couples Dance: Preliminary through Senior CD - Final Round

Couple's Dance: Juvenile, Intermediate, Novice, Junior Senior (one round only)

SUNDAY:

Pairs: Novice FS, Junior FS, Senior FS

Open Dance: To be determined after the close of entries

Free Dance: Juvenile, Intermediate, Novice, Junior, Senior

Critiques will take place after each event.

Practices begin around 3:00 pm on Thursday, August 11 for Friday events only. Each event will have one practice the day before their event and a 20 minute warm up the day of the event..

Competition will begin about 12:00 noon on Friday, August 12. Competition ends Sunday, August 14 about 3:00 pm.

Please understand these times are tentative and can change at the entry deadline.

Contact people: For additional information on Indy Challenge 2005, contact Kelley or Donald Adair at indykelley@cs.com

Please visit our website: www.iwsafsc.org for more information.