

**9<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL**

***FOOT OF THE LAKE  
SYNCHRONIZED SKATING CLASSIC***

*Sanctioned by US Figure Skating*

***JANUARY 7, 2006***



*Hosted by Fond du Lac Blue Line  
Figure Skating at*

*Blue Line Family Ice Center  
550 Fond du Lac Avenue  
Fond du Lac, Wisconsin*



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The Fond du Lac Blue Line Figure Skating Club is pleased to host the 9<sup>th</sup> annual Foot of the Lake Synchronized Skating Team Championships at the Blue Line Family Ice Center in Fond du Lac, WI. The competition will be held on Saturday, January 7, 2006. Practice ice will be available on Friday, January 6 and preceding the competition on Saturday, January 7, 2006. The competition will begin on Saturday at approximately 9:30 AM and run until approximately 6:00 PM. **All times are approximate.**

## **GENERAL INFORMATION:**

Two rinks in the same complex will be used. Full warm-ups with music will take place on the "B" rink which measures 85 x 200 feet and the competition will be skated on a 100 x 200 foot surface in the "A" rink.

The top three teams in each flight will receive medals and the 1<sup>st</sup> place team in each flight will receive a trophy.

Please have a designated skater give a signal to start the music. Movement must commence within 10 seconds after the start of the music. Separate marks will be assigned for composition and presentation as defined in the USFSA rulebook for synchronized skating teams. There will be a one-minute warm-up on the official surface. Warm up timing begins when the FIRST skater enters the ice.

**Music:** Rules governing music selection can be found in the U.S. Figure Skating Official Rulebook, SSR 23.01. Only cassette tapes (no cases, please) or CDs (standard Compact Disk format) will be accepted.

- Cassettes: Must be clearly marked with team name, event entered, length of music and side to be played.
- CDs: Must be clearly marked with name, event entered and the music length and contained in a hard sided "jewel" case.

Each CD or cassette must have only ONE track on it. In the case of short and free skate programs, two separate CDs or cassettes must be used. Any CD or cassette with more than one track will not be accepted.

**Due to compatibility and reliability reasons no music may be submitted on re-recordable "CDRW" discs.** These are also requirements for CDs at ISU level competitions.

Competition music (2 or 3 cassettes/CD's) must be turned in at the registration desk and must be submitted when the team checks in. All music must be picked up at the completion of the competition. Cassettes and CDs will not be mailed back to competitors.

**All teams must have an additional copy of their music available for practice sessions.** The organizing committee will not accept responsibility for damage or loss of cassettes or CDs but will take every precaution to ensure their safety.

**General rules:** The Foot of the Lake Synchronized Skating Classic is sanctioned by U.S. Figure Skating and will be conducted under the rules set forth in the 2005-2006 edition of the Official Rulebook and this announcement. Particular note should be taken of these sections:

- CR 47.00 Eligibility to compete
- CR 48.00 Events to be skated
- SSR 20.00 Skating Standards Regulations for Synchronized Team Skating
- SSR 21.00 Synchronized Team Skating Free Skating
- SSR 23.00 Duration and Warm-up Periods of Synchronized Team Skating

**Liability:** U.S. Figure Skating, Fond du Lac Blue Line Figure Skating Club, and Blue Line Family Ice Center accept no responsibility for injury or damage sustained by any participant in these championships. This is in accordance with CR 33.06 of the 2004- 2005 edition of the official USFSA rulebook.

## **Events to be offered:**

**\*\*New Beginner Level information/entry forms-please see pages sent with this packet\*\***

- A. Preliminary:** A team of 8 to 16 skaters. Skaters must not be older than 11 years of age by the preceding July 1. With the majority of the skaters 9 years of age or younger on the preceding July 1. Program duration: 2 minutes.
- B. Pre-Juvenile:** A team of 8 to 12 skaters. The majority of the team must be 11 years of age or younger on the preceding July 1. Program duration: 2 minutes.
- C. Open Juvenile:** A team of 8 to 12 skaters. The majority of the team must be 18 years of age or younger on the preceding July 1 and must have passed the **pre-preliminary** moves in the field (MITF) test. Program duration: 2 ½ minutes.
- D. Juvenile:** A team of 12 to 20 skaters. Skaters must be 12 years of age or younger on the preceding July 1 and must have passed the **preliminary** moves in the field (MITF) test. Program duration: 3 minutes.
- E. Intermediate:** A team of 12 to 20 skaters. Skaters must be 15 years of age or younger on the preceding July 1 and must have passed the **pre-juvenile** moves in the field test (MITF). Program duration: 3 ½ minutes.
- F. Novice:** A team of 12 to 20 skaters. Skaters must be 14 years or younger on the preceding July 1 and must have passed the **juvenile** moves in the field test (MITF). Program duration: 3 ½ minutes.
- G. Open Junior:** A team of 12 to 20 skaters, Skaters must be at least 12 years of age on the preceding July 1, with the majority of the skaters 18 years of age or younger on the preceding July 1 and must have passed the **preliminary** moves in the field test (MITF). Program duration: 4 minutes.
- H. Junior:** A team of 12 to 20 skaters. Skaters must have reached the age of 12 and must not have reached the age of 19 on the preceding July 1 and must have passed the **intermediate** moves in the field (MITF.)  
Short program duration: Maximum 2 minutes, 40 seconds  
Free skate duration: 4 minutes
- I. Senior:** A team of 16 to 20 skaters. Skaters must have reached the age of 14 on the preceding July 1 and must have passed the **novice** moves in the field (MITF) test.  
Short program duration: Maximum 2 minutes, 40 seconds  
Free skate duration: 4 ½ minutes.

**J. Open Collegiate:**

A team of 8 to 16 skaters, each of whom is enrolled either full or part-time in a degree program at a college or university.  
Program duration: 3 minutes.

**K. Collegiate:**

A team of 12 to 20 skaters. Skaters must be enrolled in a college or university as a full-time student and must have passed the **preliminary moves(2005-06 season) and juvenile moves in the field (to begin 2006-07 season) (MITF )** test. Skaters must be enrolled in a college/university degree program as full-time students.  
Program duration: 4 ½ minutes.

**L. Open Adult:**

A team of 8 to 12 skaters. The majority of the team must be 19 years of age or older on the preceding July 1.  
Program duration: 2 ½ minutes.

**M. Adult:**

A team of 12 to 20 skaters. Skaters must be 21 years of age or older on the preceding July 1, with the majority of the skaters must be 25 years of age or older on the preceding July 1 and must have passed the **preliminary or Adult Bronze moves in the field (MITF),or the preliminary figure test or preliminary dances..**  
Program duration: 3 ½ minutes.

**N. Masters:**

A team of 12 to 20 skaters. Skaters must be 25 years of age or older on the preceding July 1, with the majority of the skaters must be 35 years or older on the preceding July 1.  
Program duration: 3 minutes.

**Crossover rules:**

The chart below illustrates where crossover skaters are allowed. The shaded areas indicate no crossovers are allowed. An "X" indicates crossovers are allowed between the two levels, providing all requirements are met as defined in CR 47.07, CR 48.02 and CR 48.03

Level Athlete is Skating In	Level Allowed to Crossover To													
	Pre-Juvenile	Open Juvenile	Open Collegiate	Open Adult	Preliminary	Juvenile	Intermediate	Open Junior	Novice	Junior	Senior	Collegiate	Adult	Masters
Youth Intro														
Teen Intro														
Coll. Intro														
Adult Intro														
Preliminary														
Juvenile							X		X					
Intermediate						X		X						
Junior Classic							X					X	X	X
Novice						X				X	X			
Junior									X		X	X		
Senior									X	X		X	X	
Collegiate								X		X			X	
Adult								X			X	X		X
Masters								X					X	



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**ENTRY FORM: Team Information**

Team name:		U.S. Figure Skating #:	
Club: (if applicable)			
Team contact person:			
Phone number:		E-mail:	
Address:		City	State / ZIP
Primary coach:		Assistant Coach:	
Phone number:		E-mail:	
Number of skaters:		Number of alternates:	

**Please check the level and/or event (s) entered:**

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Preliminary   | <input type="checkbox"/> Open Junior       | <input type="checkbox"/> Open Collegiate |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Pre-Juvenile  | <input type="checkbox"/> Junior Short      | <input type="checkbox"/> Collegiate      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Open Juvenile | <input type="checkbox"/> Junior Free Skate | <input type="checkbox"/> Open Adult      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Juvenile      | <input type="checkbox"/> Senior Short      | <input type="checkbox"/> Adult           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Intermediate  | <input type="checkbox"/> Senior Free Skate | <input type="checkbox"/> Masters         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Novice        |  |  |

**\*\*New Beginner Level-please see separate information/entry forms enclosed\*\***

Entry Fee: Enclosed is \$ 90 for team event  
 \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Add \$80 for Junior/Senior teams competing short and free skating events  
**plus:**  
 \$ \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_ competitors @ \$15 per skater-including alternates  
 \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Total enclosed for entry fees

Checks should be made payable to:

**Fond du Lac Blue Line FS**

Please send all forms and fees to:

**Tracy Salter  
763 Cantom Avenue  
Fond du Lac, WI 54935-6558**

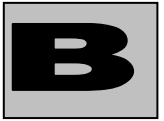
All fees and entry forms must be  
Received by:

**November 25, 2005**

**Note: Team Managers: Please carry proof of age and/or birth certificates for all competitors.**

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

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## PRACTICE ICE APPLICATION

Practice times run in 20-minute segments. The cost of each segment is \$70. Funds must be in US Currency.

NAME OF CLUB \_\_\_\_\_ DIVISION \_\_\_\_\_

TEAM NAME \_\_\_\_\_

CONTACT PERSON \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE# \_\_\_\_\_

COACH(S) \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE# \_\_\_\_\_

Time of arrival at hotel Date \_\_\_\_\_ Time \_\_\_\_\_ AM or PM

Name and telephone number of the hotel at which you will be staying (in case of schedule changes).

HOTEL \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE# \_\_\_\_\_

**Check preference:**

\_\_\_\_ Friday      \_\_\_\_ Saturday

**Does this team have double skaters?** \_\_\_\_\_ **If so, on what other team?** \_\_\_\_\_

Fill out a separate practice ice application for each team from each club (you may reproduce this form).

Fee: \$70 US Currency practice ice fee for each 20 minute segment desired.

FILL IN: I have enclosed \$ \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_ segments.

**PLEASE MAIL ALL APPLICATIONS AND FEES (BOTH PRACTICE ICE APPLICATION AND COMPETITION APPLICATIONS – ALL FEES MAY BE COMBINED IN ONE CHECK MADE OUT TO FOND DU LAC BLUE LINE FS BY NOVEMBER 25, 2005 TO:**

Tracy Salter  
763 Cantom Avenue  
Fond du Lac, WI 54935-6558

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

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**TEAM ROSTER**

<b>Club Name</b>	
<b>Team Name</b>	
<b>Division</b>	
<b>Coach(es)</b>	

- Please list skaters alphabetically.
- Place an \* asterisk next to each skater who crosses over to another team & identify to which team they cross over.
- Computer generated rosters are acceptable.

<b>Team Member</b>	<b>Birthdate</b>	<b>USFSA #</b>	<b>Skater Crosses Over to</b>
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**Liability Waiver / Certification by Club Officer**

Team Name:	Level:
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*U.S. Figure Skating and the clubs or organizers of competitions undertake no responsibility for damages or injuries suffered by the skaters or officials. 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, U.S. Figure Skating, the club hosting the competition, and against its officers, and their entries shall be accepted only on such condition.*

Skater's name in alphabetical order	Skater signature or parent / guardian (if skater is under 18)
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Alt. 2	
Alt. 3	
Alt. 4	

**Club officer:** *All of the skaters listed on the team entry form are to the best of my knowledge, eligible members in good standing and eligible to compete under U.S. Figure Skating or Skate Canada rules.*

Print Name:	Signature
Title:	
Club name:	