

2006 Holiday Season Competition

December 16 & 17, 2006

The Ohio State University Ice Rink 390 Woody Hayes Dr Columbus. Ohio 43210

Hosted by: Sanctioned by: Columbus Figure Skating Club United States Figure Skating Association

Rules: This competition will be conducted in accordance with the rules set forth in the 2006-2007 edition of the USFSA Rulebook.

Events: Compulsory Moves or Short Program, and Free Skating will be offered for the Pre-beginner, Beginner, Pre-Preliminary through Intermediate and Adult Pre-Bronze through Adult Gold. Basic Skills will also be offered. Skater must skate at least at the highest level passed by November 1, 2006 and may skate up one level. Schedules will be posted at the Columbus Figure Skating Website http://columbusfsc.com and Don Korte's website http://www.sk8stuff.com by early December.

Entries and Fees: Completed entry forms must be postmarked by November 1, 2006. Entries received postmarked after this date will be accepted only as space permits and must be accompanied by a \$25.00 late fee. Entry Fee is \$70.00 for the first event and \$20.00 for the second event. Basic Skills event is \$35.00. No refunds will be issued after November 1, 2006, unless an event is cancelled due to lack of entries. The Columbus Figure Skating Club reserves the right to limit entries by event based on postmark prior to the deadline, if estimated skating time exceeds available ice time.

Please make checks payable to: Columbus FSC

Mail to: Melissa Shilling, 3525 Beech Road, Johnstown, Oh 43031. 740.967.6866 or melshilling@gmail.com

Practice Ice: Participants may reserve practice ice by completing the enclosed form. Program music will not be played on practice ice. The practice ice schedule will also be posted at the Columbus Figure Skating Website http://columbusfsc.com and Don Korte's website http://columbusfsc.com and your event date and time, you must include a self-addressed stamped business size envelope with your application.

Facilities: The Ohio State University Ice Rink is 200' by 85'. The rink is located off Lane Avenue just east of St. John Arena and north of the Ohio State University Football Stadium. The rink's telephone number is 614.292.4154.

Registration: The official Holiday Season Competition Registration Desk will be located at the entrance of the Ohio State University Ice Rink. The registration desk will open prior to the first practice. Competitors must check in at the Registration Desk upon arrival.

Music: Music will be reproduced through the rink sound system from cassettes or CDs furnished by each competitor. All music must be turned in by each skater at least one hour prior to competing. Skaters should bring a back-up copy of their free skate music and have it at rink side.

Computation of Results: The closed system of judging will be used in all events.

Events/Awards: All events will be final rounds. Medals will be awarded for 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place. Ribbons will be awarded for 4th through 8th place. The skater is responsible for picking up award(s) during awards ceremonies, which will be held during ice cuts. Awards will not be mailed to the skater.

Videotapes/Photos: Videotapes of events and award photos may be purchased through Ledin Photo & Video of St Clair Shores, Ml. If you wish, bring your own videotape for reproduction or tapes can be purchased at the competition. Hand-held taping by individuals is permitted only from the stands.

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FREESKATING (Men and Ladies)

Pre-Beginner 1 min 30 sec

(Skaters who have passed Basic Skating badge 6, but no higher than Basic Skills Freestyle 3.) Only ½ revolution jumps are allowed. No Salchows or Toe Loops are allowed.

Beginner 1 min 30 sec

(Skaters who have passed Basic Skills Freestyle 4, but not the Pre-Preliminary Free-Skating Test.) No axels or double jumps are allowed.

Pre-Preliminary A 1 min 30 sec

(Skaters who have passed the Pre-Preliminary Free-Skating Test.) No axels or double jumps are allowed.

Pre-Preliminary B 1 min 30 sec

(Skaters who have passed the Pre-Preliminary Free-Skating Test.) Axels are allowed but double jumps are not allowed.

Preliminary A 1 min 30 sec

(Skaters who have passed Preliminary Free-Skating Test.) Axels are allowed but double jumps are not allowed.

Preliminary B 1 min 30 sec

(Skaters who have passed Preliminary Free-Skating Test.)

Axels plus up to two different double jumps, which may be repeated as individual jumps, jump sequences or jump combinations.

Pre-Juvenile 2 minutes

(Skaters who have passed Pre-Juvenile Free-Skating Test.)

Axels plus up to four different double jumps, which may be repeated as individual jumps, jump sequences or jump combinations

Juvenile 2 min 15 sec

(Skaters who have passed the Juvenile Free-Skating Test.)

No triple jumps permitted – no other restrictions.

Intermediate 2 min 30 sec

(Skaters who have passed the Intermediate Free-Skating Test.)

No restrictions.

FREESKATING (Adults)

Adult Pre-Bronze 1 min 40 sec maximum.

(Skaters who are 19 years or older. No test requirement but cannot have passed more than the Adult Pre-Bronze Free-Skating Test, Pre-Preliminary Free Skating Test or ISI Freestyle 3.)
No axels or double jumps are allowed.

Adult Bronze 1 min 40 sec maximum

(Skaters who are 19 years or older. Must have passed the Adult Pre-Bronze Free Skating Test or Preliminary Free-Skating Test, but no higher than Adult Bronze Free-Skating Test or Preliminary Free-Skating Test or ISI Freestyle 4.) No axels or double jumps are allowed.

Adult Silver 2 minutes maximum

(Skaters who are 19 years or older. Must have passed Adult Bronze Free-Skating Test but no higher than Adult Silver Free-Skating Test, or Juvenile Free-Skating Test or ISI Freestyle 5.)

Axels jumps are allowed but no double jumps are allowed.

Adult Gold 2 min 30 sec maximum

(Skaters who are 19 years or older. Must have passed Adult Silver Free-Skating Test but no higher than Adult Gold Free-Skating Test, or Juvenile Free-Skating Test or ISI Freestyle 6.)

No restrictions.

SHORT PROGRAM (Men and Ladies)

Juvenile 2 min

Layback spin (ladies) / Camel spin (men) - minimum 4 revolutions

Double jump

Axel jump

Jump combination, may not repeat axel or jump chosen for double jump (double/single or double/double)

Circular, serpentine or straight line step sequence

Spin combination (only 1 change of foot and only 1 change of position – 4 revolutions each foot minimum)

Intermediate 2 min

According to 2006/2007 USFSA Rulebook

COMPULSORY MOVES (Men and Ladies)

Note: Times are maximum.

Pre-Beginner 1min 10 sec Two foot spin (minimum 3 revolutions) Waltz jump Forward spiral Half lutz jump

Figure 8 forward crossover sequence (4 crossovers each circle)

Beginner

One foot spin (minimum 3 revolutions)
Salchow jump
Waltz Jump-toe loop combination
Forward spiral (outside or inside)
Figure 8 backward crossover sequence (4 crossovers each circle)

Pre-Preliminary 1min 10 sec

One foot back spin (minimum 3 revolutions)

Sit spin (min 3 revolutions)

Loop jump

Forward spiral (outside or inside)

Single-Single Jump combination, no axel allowed

Preliminary A 1min 20 sec

Camel spin (minimum 4 revolutions)

Lutz iump

Footwork sequence

Single-Single Jump combination (axel allowed)

Spin combination (forward scratch to back scratch – exit on spinning foot, minimum 4 revolutions each foot)

Preliminary B 1min 20 sec

Back Scratch Spin (minimum 4 revolutions)

Double jump

Footwork sequence

Single-Single Jump combination (axel allowed)

Spin combination (camel spin to sit spin, no change of foot, 6 revolutions minimum)

Pre-Juvenile 1min 20 sec

Layback or attitude spin (ladies)/Camel spin (men) - minimum 4 revolutions

Axel jump or Lutz jump

Footwork sequence

Double-Single or Single-Double Jump combination

Spin combination (1 change of foot, change of position optional – minimum 4 revolutions each foot)

COMPULSORY MOVES

(Adult)

Note: Times are maximum.

Adult Pre-Bronze 1 min 10 sec

One foot upright spin (minimum 3 revolutions)

Waltz jump

Half Flip jump

Forward spiral (outside or inside)

Figure 8 forward crossover sequence (4 crossovers each circle)

Adult Bronze 1 min 20 sec

One foot back spin (minimum 3 revolutions)

Sit Spin

Salchow

Single-Single Jump combination

Straight line footwork sequence

Adult Silver

1min 20 sec

Camel spin (minimum 4 revolutions)

Spin combination (1 change of position, change of foot optional)

Flip jump

Single-Single Jump combination (axel allowed)

Straight line footwork sequence

Adult Gold

1 min 30 sec

Layback or attitude spin (ladies) / Camel spin (men) - minimum 4 revolutions

Spin combination with at least one change of foot and one change of position

Axel jump

Double-Single or Single-Single Jump combination (may not repeat axel)

Straight line footwork sequence

Basic Skills Competition

The competition is open to ALL skaters who are current eligible members of either the USFSA Basic Skills Program and/or are full members of USFSA. Eligibility will be based on skill level as of November 1, 2006. ALL BASIC SKILLS SKATERS, LEVELS 1 THROUGH 8 MUST SKATE AT CURRENT LEVEL. Skaters in other events may skate at current level or one level higher, but not both levels.

Skaters will be divided into groups of 6 or less. Medals will be awarded in 1st through 3rd place with ribbons for 4th through 6th place. Award pictures will include all skaters in the event. Events will be skated as a program on ½ ice. CDs for Badge level events will be provided to pros, if requested no later than November 1, 2006. This is the basic skills music for 2006, first used at MLK Competition. Contact Melissa Shilling at 740.967.6866 or melshilling@gmail.com to request a CD.

The skating order of the required elements is optional. The elements are not restricted as to the number of times element is executed, or length of glides, number of revolutions, etc. unless otherwise stated. Skaters may use elements from a previous level. Deductions will be made for each element skated that is from a higher level.

Snowplow Sam - TOTS:

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

Basic 1

Forward two foot glide Forward two foot swizzles - 6 -8 in a row Backward wiggles 6-8 in a row Forward snowplow stop

Basic 2

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

Basic 3:

Forward stroking
Forward ½ swizzle pumps on a circle, either clockwise or counter clockwise 6 -8 consecutive
Moving forward to backward two foot turn Backward one foot glide - either foot
Two foot spin

Basic 4:

Forward outside edge on a circle clockwise or counter clockwise
Forward crossovers 6-8 consecutive both directions
Forward outside 3-turn - R and L
Backward stroking
Backward snowplow stop - R or L

Basic 5:

Backward outside edge on a circle - clockwise or counterclockwise Backward crossovers 6-8 consecutive - both directions One foot spin - min of three revolutions Side Toe hop -either direction Hockey stop

Basic 6:

Forward inside 3-turn - R & L Bunny Hop Forward arabesque spiral on a straight line R or L Lunge - R or L T-stop - R or L

Basic 7:

Forward inside open Mohawk - R to L and L to R Ballet Jump either direction
Back crossovers to a back outside edge landing position - clockwise and counter clockwise
Forward inside pivot

Basic 8:

Moving forward outside or forward inside 3 turns, $\,R\,$ and $\,L\,$

Waltz jump

Mazurka - either direction

Combination move - clockwise or counter clockwise – (2 forward crossovers into FI Mohawk, step behind, step into 1 back crossover and step to a forward inside edge)

Beginning one-foot upright spin, optional free foot Position

BASIC SKILLS COMPETITION (cont.)

Freeskate 1

Advanced Forward stroking. 4-6 strokes Forward outside or inside consecutive edges, 2-4 Scratch spin from back crossovers Waltz jump from back crossovers Half flip jump

Freeskate 2

Forward outside spiral R or L Waltz three's R or L Beginning back spin Waltz jump, side toe hop, waltz jump Toe loop

Freeskate 3

Forward crossovers in a figure 8 Advanced forward outside swing rolls 4-6 Back spin Salchow Waltz jump/Toe loop or Salchow/toe loop

Freeskate 4

Spiral sequence: FI spiral, FI Mohawk, BO spiral R or L Forward power 3's, 2-3 consecutive R or L Sit spin Loop jump Waltz jump/loop jump

Freeskate 5

Spiral sequence: FO spiral, FO 3-turn, 1 back crossover Backward inside spiral, R or L Camel spin Forward upright spin to back upright spin Loop/loop combination jump Flip jump

Freeskate 6

5 step Mohawk sequence, 1 set alternating patterns Camel/sit spin combination, min of 4 revolutions total Split or stag jump Waltz jump/1/2 loop /Salchow combination Lutz jump

Host Hotel

Holiday Inn COLUMBUS Reserve early, limited block available
OHIO STATE UNIV AREA
328 WEST LANE AVE,
Columbus, OH 43201
0.0 Miles from Ohio State University, can walk to rink

Other Area Hotels

Cross Country Inn

1445 Olentangy River Road Columbus OH 43212 **1.8 Miles** from Ohio State University

Red Roof Inn Columbus

Ohio State University
441 Ackerman Rd,
Columbus, OH 43202
0.9 Miles from Ohio State University

Fairfield Inn and Suites

by Marriott Columbus OSU 3031 Olentangy River Road, Columbus, OH 43202 1.4 Miles from Ohio State University

Holiday Inn Express

EX I-71/OH STATE FAIR/EXPO CTR 701 E. HUDSON STREET, Columbus, OH 43211 1.6 Miles from Ohio State University

University Plaza Hotel and Conference Center 3110 Olentangy River Road, Columbus, OH 43202

1.4 Miles from Ohio State University

Practice Ice Reservation

In addition to the normal warm up period associated with each skating event, you may purchase **one** 20 minute practice session per event entered. The competition committee will make every effort to ensure that all competitors have an opportunity to become familiar with The Ohio State University ice rink.

All practice sessions will be assigned by test level and limited in size, so specific requests for a particular time may not be honored.

The times of the practice ice will depend on the schedule of the competition and available ice.

The cost of a 20 minute practice session is \$6.00.

Skater's Name
Age
Freestyle/Basic Skill Level
Compulsory/Short Level
Coach
Representing the following club:

Mail to: Melissa Shilling 3525 Beech Road Johnstown, Ohio 43031

Schedules will ONLY be sent to those who enclose a self –addressed stamped envelope.

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