2008 Colorado

Springs Invitational

September 9-14, 2008

Mark "Pa" Sertich Ice Arena Colorado Springs, Colorado

Secure Online Registration and credit card payment will be available for the first time this year at <u>www.centennialskatingclub.org</u>.

ISU IJS (New Judging System) will be used for Juvenile and higher Freeskate and Intermediate and higher Short Program

Skater and Coaches schedules will be posted on the web at: www.centennialskatingclub.org

Skaters will be able to choose their own practice ice sessions online after the schedule is posted but you must indicate how many sessions you want and pay for them in advance when you register online or send in the paper forms.

Chief Referee: Lisa Landon Chief Accountant: Carl Nash

Sponsored By: Centennial Skating Club of Colorado Springs

Deadline for Entries:

RECEIVED BY July 31, 2008 or Midnight on July 31, 2008 if entering online Sanctioned by:



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Rules

The 2008 Colorado Springs Invitational will be conducted in accordance with the rules and regulations of US Figure Skating, as set forth in the 2008/2009 Rulebook and the 2008 May Governing Council reports.

ISU Judging System – The IJS will be used to determine results in Juvenile singles Freeskate;, Intermediate, Novice, Junior, and Senior Short Program and Freeskate events. All other events will use the 6.0 judging system. All skaters registering for an IJS event MUST submit the USFS online Program Content Form by July 31, 2008. This form can be found at www.usfigureskating.org in the member's only section: www.usfsaonline.org. The program content form MUST be submitted online. All skaters in IJS events will have their event evaluation results available to them at the conclusion of the competition – you may purchase them at the Ways and Means table. Results will be posted as soon as possible, but please remember that the IJS system is very labor intensive in the accounting room and they will need additional time to process results from these events. The competition committee reserves the ability to return to the 6.0 judging system should we be unable to get enough officials (both judges and technical panel) for the IJS events and it will be posted on the club website by July 15th.

Eligibility

This competition is open to all eligible members of US Figure Skating and Skate Canada. Skate Canada members must include official permission of their association with their entry form. Competition level is determined by the highest test passed as of the closing date for entries. Pre-Preliminary, Preliminary, and Pre-Juvenile will be grouped according to age. Juvenile and above will be grouped as set forth in the 2008 USFSA Rulebook and the 2008 May Governing Council reports. All competitors must comply with USFS requirements relating to test level and eligibility. Entrants may skate one level above that for which they qualify in any event, but they may NOT skate down a level in any event. Entrants are NOT required to skate all events at the same level. All age-restricted events are determined by the skater's age as of September 1, 2008, in accordance with the 2008/2009 rule book.

Facilities

The Colorado Springs Invitational will be held at Mark "Pa" Sertich Ice Arena, located in Colorado Springs. The arena's ice surface is 85' by 200' with rounded corners. Vending machines and spectator seating are available. No admission will be charged.

Liability

Skaters, parents, and coaches are encouraged to read rule 3222 of the USFS Rule Book regarding club, facility and USFSA liability. Your signature on the entry form will indicate that you have read this section.

Registration

The registration desk will be located in the lobby of the ice arena and will open 1 hour prior to the first practice ice session of the competition and at 6:00 a.m. for all competition days. It will close 30 minutes after the end of the competition each day. Please register promptly when you arrive at the ice arena.

Hotel Information

The host hotel is the Doubletree Hotel Colorado Springs, World Arena located at 1775 E Cheyenne Mountain Blvd Colorado Springs, CO 80906-4030 near the Colorado Springs World Arena. It features 24 hour airport transportation, exclusive Chocolate Chip Cookies, fitness facility, full restaurant and bar, valet service, room service, gift shop, in-room hair dryers, coffee makers, free movie channel and voice messaging system. Each room also has data ports for laptop connections and a complimentary executive business center. Rates are:

Single/Double/Triple/Quad occupancy - \$109.00 per night (Rates are exclusive of applicable tax, currently 9.4%)

Please call 1-719-576-8900 for room reservations and reference THE COLORADO SPRINGS INVITATIONAL to receive special rates or use the link on our website to make your reservations. Rooms are blocked until August 21, 2008. Usage of our host hotel provides expense offsets and allows us to keep the entry fees lower!

Music

Competitors are **REQUIRED** to turn in a **CD** for each music event that they are entered in to the registration before you will be allowed to register for the competition. **NO CD-RW DISCS WILL BE ACCEPTED**. **NO TAPES WILL BE ACCEPTED**. Each CD must be clearly labeled with the skater's name, event, and length of the program. There must only be one program on the CD. No more than a 3 second lead in can be used on CDs both for competition & practice ice. These CDs cannot be returned to the skater until their event is completed. Please bring at least one back-up CD for emergencies and have it at rink side during your event. Please make sure that all CDs are labeled with the skater's name and event and recorded at an adequate volume.

Video Taping/Photography

Professional videotaping and photographs will be available for purchase from Local Motion Productions. The committee will make every attempt to ensure that the cost is reasonable. NO FLASH PHOTOGRAPHY is allowed in the rink area during competition. Flash photography is dangerous to the skaters! The competition committee reserves the right to remove anyone from the rink who ignores requests and warnings regarding the use of flash photography.

Awards

Awards will be presented as closely to the conclusion of each event as possible. With the exception of the Beginner events, medals will be awarded to the top four places in each event. Ribbons will be awarded to 5th and 6th place finishers. In Beginner events, medals will be awarded to all participants in the event (Beginner events have a max of 6 people in a group). THERE WILL BE NO FINAL ROUNDS.

Practice Ice

Skaters will be able to pick their own practice ice sessions online but you MUST indicate number of sessions you want on the practice ice form and you MUST pay for them with your entry form. You will receive a postcard with a PIN number in order to access your practice ice records and select your sessions. Practice ice will be \$12.00 if you pre-order the sessions. Practice ice will be available at Sertich Ice Arena starting on Tuesday or Wednesday, September 9 or 10th depending on the competition schedule. Please indicate the number of sessions you would like online or complete the Practice Ice Reservation Form and return it, with payment, with your competition application. Each competitor who reserves practice ice in advance will be guaranteed at least one session. PRACTICE ICE SESSIONS ARE NOT REFUNDABLE. Additional practice ice will be available early mornings or evenings during the competition and will cost \$15.00 at the Registration Desk. If you send in a paper entry form, please include a Self-Addressed Stamped Envelope in order to receive your PIN #.

Entries

Online entry with secured credit card payment will be available this year at www.centennialskatingclub.org. Paper entry forms must be RECEIVED BY July 31, 2008. Online entry must be completed by midnight on July 31. Entries received after July 31, 2008 will be considered late, and will be accepted at the discretion of the Chief Referee. Late entries will be assessed a \$30.00 late fee. The competition committee reserves the right to limit entries in any event or to cancel an event. Entry fees will only be refunded in accordance with refund policy below. If you wish to be notified that your application has been received, include a self-addressed stamped postcard and it will be mailed to you upon receipt. Notification of competition and practice ice times will NOT be available by phone. Skater and Coaches schedules will be available via the web at www.centennialskatingclub.org

Persons using checks without sufficient funds will be charged an additional \$30.00 fee per check. All further payments must be made by cash, money order, or certified funds. Skaters will not be allowed to practice or compete until all such debts are satisfied.

Refund Policy

Full refunds, minus the online processing fee, are available if withdrawal is prior to July 31, 2008. After July 31, 2008, entry refunds are only available if the competition is not held or there is a death in the competitor's immediate family. There will be NO medical refunds given. All refunds will be handled manually and not available online. Please contact Lisa Landon at lisa_landon@comcast.net for refund information. If you register online, the processing fee is not refundable for any reason.

Entry Fees	
Beginner Events	\$35.00 for first event, \$15.00 for each additional event
Singles Events	\$80.00 for first event, \$20.00 for each additional event
Pairs	\$15.00 per person for first event, \$15.00 per person for each additional pairs event
Couples Dance	\$15.00 per person for first dance, \$15.00 per person for each additional dance
(CD/original/free dance)	
Solo Dance	\$15.00 for the first dance, \$15.00 for each additional dance
Frank Frey Memorial Rocker Foxtre	ot
Solo Dance	\$5.00
Footwork Program	\$10.00
Artistic Duets	\$10.00 per person (each person must submit an entry form)
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Make checks payable to:	2008 Colorado Springs Invitational

Mail checks and all forms to:	Centennial Skating Club
	Attention: Competition Committee
	P.O. Box 62991
	Colorado Springs, CO 80962-2991

Competition Events

Competitors may skate up one level unless otherwise noted. Event eligibility is based upon last test passed as of July 31, 2008. Eligibility for all age-restricted events is determined by the skater's age as of September 1, 2008. The Chief Referee and Competition Committee may elect to combine the regular and "Open" events and the Young Adult and Adult events due to limited entries. The Chief Referee and Competition Committee may also elect to combine men's and ladies' events due to limited entries in any event. All adult events are for skaters 21 years of age and older, except those events listed as Young Adult where the age requirement is 18-20 years of age.

Singles Free Skating

Competition for Pre-Preliminary through Senior Free Skating and Adult Pre-Bronze through Adult Championship Masters Free Skating will be set forth per the 2008/2009 Rulebook. Adult Masters Novice through Adult Masters Senior will all be combined to Adult Championship Masters. Test, age, and well-balanced program requirements are listed in the 2008/2009 Rulebook – sections 3600-3800. Skaters will be grouped by age if entries warrant multiple groups. Events being held as exceptions to the rule book are:

Competitive Test Track:

LEVEL	ELEMENTS	QUALIFICATIONS	PROGRAM LENGTH
Pre-Preliminary Test	At least two solo spins of a different nature (min 3 revolutions and no flying spins), all single solo jumps allowed (no Axels), jump combinations or sequences using only a waltz jump, toe loop, and Salchow. Connecting moves and steps should be demonstrated throughout the program.	tests higher than U.S. Figure Skating pre-preliminary free skate test	Time :1:30 +/-10
Preliminary Test	At least two spins of a different nature, combination spins allowed (min 3 revolutions each and no flying spins), jumps with not more than one rotation (no Axels). Jump combinations and sequences are allowed. Maximum 5 jumping elements. Connecting moves and steps should be demonstrated throughout the program.	Skaters must have passed at least the U.S. Figure Skating pre-preliminary free skate test but may not have passed tests higher than the preliminary free skate test	Time :1:30 +/-10
Pre-Juvenile Test	Three spins in any position (min 4 revolutions), one must be a combination spin with change of foot optional (min 3 revolutions on each foot or 6 total revolutions and no flying spins). Jumps with not more than one rotation (no Axels). Jump combinations and sequences are allowed. Maximum 6 jumping elements. One step sequence straight line, circular, or serpentine fully utilizing ice surface.	Skaters must have passed at least the U.S. Figure Skating preliminary free skate test but may not have passed tests higher than pre-juvenile free skate test	Time: 2:00 +/-10
Juvenile Test	Three spins in any position (min 4 revolutions), one must be a combination spin with one change of foot (min 4 revolutions on each foot). May include flying spins. Any single jumps and jump combinations with not more than $1\frac{1}{2}$ rotations. (Axel permitted). Maximum 6 jumping elements. One step sequence straight line, circular, or serpentine fully utilizing ice surface.	Skaters must have passed at least the U.S. Figure Skating pre-juvenile free skate test but may not have passed tests higher than juvenile free skate test	Time: 2:15 +/-10
Intermediate Test	Three spins in any position (min 4 revolutions), one must be a combination spin with at least one change of foot (min 4 revolutions on each foot). May include flying spins. Any single jumps. Double jumps may only be the double Salchow and the double toe loop. Jump combinations and sequences allowed. Maximum 6 jumping elements. One step sequence straight line, circular, or serpentine fully utilizing ice surface.	Skaters must have passed at least the U.S. Figure Skating juvenile free skate test but may not have passed tests higher than intermediate free skate test	Time: 2:30 +/-10
Novice Test	Three spins in any position (min 6 revolutions) one must be a combination spin with at least one change of foot (min 5 revolutions on each foot). May include flying spins. Any single jumps. Double jumps may only be the double Salchow, double toe loop and the double loop. Jump combinations and sequences allowed. Maximum 7 jumping elements. One step or spiral sequence (see Rule 3640 for description).	Skaters must have passed at least the U.S. Figure Skating intermediate free skate test but may not have passed tests higher than novice free skate test	Time: Ladies 3:00 +/-10 Men 3:30+/-10

Junior Test	Three spins—one must be a flying spin, a solo spin (6 revolutions each) and a combination spin consisting of all three positions and one change of foot (minimum 2 in each position and minimum 5 revolutions on each foot). Any single jumps and double jumps may only be the double	Skaters must have passed at least the U.S. Figure Skating novice free skate test but may not have passed tests higher than junior free skate test	Time: Ladies 3:30 +/-10 Men 4:00 +/-10
	Salchow, double toe loop, double loop and the double flip. Jump combinations and sequences allowed. Maximum 8 jumping elements for men and 7 for ladies. Men: Two different step sequences Ladies: One step sequence and one spiral sequence (see Rule 3640 for description).		
Senior	Four spins (min 6 revolutions on all solo spins)- one must be a		Time:
Test	flying spin, one solo spin, one spin combination consisting of all three positions and one change of foot (minimum 2 in each position and minimum 5 revolutions on each foot). At least four different double jumps one must be a double Lutz. Jump combinations and sequences allowed. Maximum 8 jumping elements for men and 7 for ladies. Men: Two different step sequences. Ladies: One step sequence and one spiral sequence (see Rule 3640 for description).	least the U.S. Figure Skating junior free skate test	Ladies 4:00 +/-10 Men 4:30 +/-10

Additional freeskate events:

Level	Age	Test Requirement	Program Dura	tion
Open Juvenile	13 and older	Juvenile FS & no higher	2 min 15 sec	(No triples allowed)
Young Adult Pre-Bronze	18-20	Pre-Preliminary FS & no higher	1 min 40 sec	(No axels or doubles allowed)
Young Adult Bronze	18-20	Preliminary FS & no higher	1 min 40 sec	(No axels or doubles allowed)
Young Adult Silver	18-20	Pre-Juvenile FS & no higher	2 min 10 sec	(No doubles allowed)
Young Adult Gold	18-20	Juvenile FS & no higher	2 min 40 sec	
Young Adult Ch. Masters	18-20	Intermediate FS and higher	3 min 40 sec MA	AX

Short Program (Singles)

Test and age requirements are listed under Free Skating above. Intermediate, Novice, Junior, and Senior competitors see USFSA 2008/2009 Rulebook, 3640-3672 (see 2008-2009 season information), and/or the 2008 May Governing Council reports, for required elements. A Juvenile Short Program and Open Juvenile Short Program will be offered and will consist of the same requirements as the Intermediate Short Program so that all Juvenile and Open Juvenile competitors will be competing with skaters of similar age and abilities.

Compulsory Moves

Test requirements are listed under Free Skating above. Moves must be executed without music and without stops between moves. Double jumps may not be substituted for single jumps. Combination jumps may not have a change of foot or turn between jumps. <u>Required jumps cannot be repeated as part of the combination jump (i.e., the flip jump cannot be repeated in the combination for</u> <u>Preliminary</u>). Additional or repeated elements and excessive footwork will be penalized.

Level Pre-Preliminary	Max Duration 1 min	Ice Surface Half Ice	Elements Salchow, loop, forward spiral (inside or outside), one-foot upright spin (minimum 3 revs), connecting steps
Preliminary Test	1 min	Half Ice	Jump combination consisting of two single jumps; flip; sit spin (minimum 3 revs); forward spiral (inside or outside); connecting steps. No Axels allowed.
Preliminary	1 min	Half Ice	Jump combination consisting of two single jumps; flip; sit spin (minimum 3 revs); forward spiral (inside or outside); connecting steps. An axel is considered a single jump.
Pre-Juvenile Test	1 min 30 se	Half Ice	Jump combination consisting of two single jumps, one of which is a loop; lutz; forward inside spiral or Ina Bauer; forward front scratch spin to back scratch spin combination – exit on spinning foot (min 3 revs each foot); Camel spin (min. of 3 revs); connecting steps. No Axels allowed.

Pre-Juvenile	1 min 30 sec	Half Ice	Jump combination consisting of two single jumps, one of which is a loop; lutz; forward inside spiral or Ina Bauer; forward front scratch spin to back scratch spin combination – exit on spinning foot (min 3 revs each foot); Camel spin (min. of 3 revs); connecting steps.
Juvenile Test	1 min 30 sec	Full ice	Jump combination consisting of two single jumps; axel; sit change sit spin (min 4 revs each foot); layback spin (ladies), camel spin (men) (min. of 4 revs); straight-line step sequence; one of the following: Ina Bauer, spread eagle, or forward spiral
Juvenile	1 min 30 sec	Full Ice	Jump combination consisting of a double jump and single jump or two single jumps; axel; sit change sit spin (min 4 revs each foot); layback spin (ladies), camel spin (men) (min. of 4 revs); straight-line step sequence; one of the following: Ina Bauer, spread eagle, or forward spiral
Adult/Young Adult Pre-Bronze	1 min 30 sec	Full Ice	Half flip, Salchow, One-foot spin (min 3 revs), Forward spiral (inside or outside), Connecting steps
Adult	1 min 30 sec	Full Ice	Flip; Jump combination consisting of a toe-loop and one other single jump; Combination spin with one change of foot and one change of position (min 4 revs on each foot); forward spiral

Pairs Long Program

Competition for Preliminary through Senior will be held as set forth in the 2008/2009 USFSA rulebook. Test, age, and well-balanced program requirements are listed under Pairs Free Skate Program 4000-4125. Will be judged under 6.0 system.

Pairs Short Program

Test requirements are listed under Pairs Free Skate Program above. Novice, Junior, and Senior competitors see 2008/2009 USFSA rulebook 4040-4062 (see 2008-2009 season information), and/or the 2008 May Governing Council reports, for required elements. Will be judged under 6.0 system.

Artistic Free Skate – Singles

Skaters placing fourth and higher in preliminary and higher artistic/showcase/interpretive solo events, including adult events, will be qualified to enter the next National Showcase. National Showcase contestants must also be qualified by test level. Duets and production ensembles are not required to qualify for National Showcase. For more information about qualifications, contact Melissa Bowman, the National Vice-Chair for National Showcase at patinage_tx@verizon.net.

Test requirements are listed under Free Skating above. Emphasis is to be on artistry rather than the athletic ability of the skater. Skaters will select their own music (vocals allowed) and must interpret the theme and tempo of the music. Costumes are encouraged. Only props that are part of the theme of the music and not a safety hazard will be allowed. Competitors should take no more than 10 seconds after their name is announced to place or carry a prop on the ice with them. There also should be no debris, no live props, and no fire or water. The Chief Referee and Competition Committee may elect to combine men's and ladies' events **and/or levels** due to limited entries. Skaters will be grouped as follows:

Level	Max Duration	Jumps Permitted
Pre-Preliminary	1 min 40 sec max	No axels or doubles
Preliminary	1 min 40 sec max	No axels or doubles
Pre-Juvenile	1 min 40 sec max	No axels or doubles
Juvenile	2 min 10 sec max	No axels or doubles
Intermediate	2 min 10 sec max	Singles (Axel allowed); no doubles
Novice	2 min 10 sec max	Singles (Axel allowed); no doubles
Junior	2 min 40 sec max	No triples
Senior	2 min 40 sec max	No triples

Adult Artistic Free Skate

Skaters placing fourth and higher in preliminary and higher artistic/showcase/interpretive solo events, including adult events, will be qualified to enter the next National Showcase. National Showcase contestants must also be qualified by test level. Duets and production ensembles are not required to qualify for National Showcase. For more information about qualifications, contact Melissa Bowman, the National Vice-Chair for National Showcase at patinage_tx@verizon.net.

Competition for Adult Artistic and Adult Masters Artistic will be held as set forth in the 2008/2009 USFSA

rulebook. Test, age, and program requirements are listed under section 3810-3821. No props allowed on the ice. The Chief Referee and Competition Committee may elect to combine men's and ladies events as well as Adult and Young Adult events due to limited entries. Exceptions to the rulebook are:

Level Young Adult Max Duration

1 min 40 sec max

Young Adult Masters

1 min 40 sec max

Requirements

Age 18-20 - No higher than the Pre-Juvenile Free Skate test and no higher than the Standard Pre-Silver Dance Test Age 18-20 - Juvenile Free Skate test and above or the Standard Silver Dance Test and above

**** Artistic Free Skate – Duets ****

No test requirements. Emphasis is to be on artistry and theater rather than the athletic ability of the skaters. **No axels or double jumps allowed**. Skaters will select their own music (vocals allowed) and must interpret the theme and tempo of the music. Costumes are encouraged. Only props that are part of the theme of the music and not a safety hazard will be allowed. Competitors should take no more than 10 seconds after their names are announced to place or carry props on and off the ice. Deductions will be made for teams that take more than the stated time to place or remove their props. There also should be no debris, no live props, and no fire or water. All skating duets will be grouped by age if entries warrant. Skaters may be of the same gender. **Max Duration: 1 min 40 sec**

Spin Competition

Test requirements are listed under Free Skating above. All levels will skate on 1/2 of the ice surface. No music. Spins must be skated exactly as stated, but may be skated in any order. Counting of revolutions will begin when skater is in a recognizable spin position. Connecting steps may be used, but will have no effect on your score. This event will be judged on control, speed, position, and centering of each spin. The Chief Referee and Competition Committee may elect to combine men's and ladies events due to limited entries.

Level Pre-Preliminary	Max Duration 1 min	Spins One-foot upright spin (optional free foot, 3 revs), two-foot spin (3 revs), forward sit spin (3 revs)
Preliminary	1 min	Forward sit spin (3 revs), forward camel spin (3 revs), one-foot upright spin (5 revs).
Pre-Juvenile	1 min 15 sec	Camel spin (4 revs), change foot sit spin (4 revs each foot), front scratch spin to back scratch spin (4 revs each foot).
Juvenile	1 min 15 sec	Flying camel spin (5 revs), change foot sit spin (5 revs each foot), 1 combination spin with no change of foot & 1 change of position (4 revs each position)
Intermediate	1 min 30 sec	Camel spin to back camel spin (5 revs each foot), combination spin consisting of only 1 change of foot and at least 1 change of position (5 revs each foot); layback spin (ladies – 5 revs) or flying camel spin (men – 5 revs)
Novice	1 min 30 sec	Flying spin of choice (6 revs), combination spin with 1 change of foot and at least 1 change of position (5 revs each foot), Ladies: layback spin (6 revs); Men: crossfoot spin (6 revs)
Junior	1 min 30 sec	Flying sit spin (8 revs), combination spin with at least 2 changes of position and only 1 change of foot (6 revs each foot), Ladies: layback spin (8 revs). Men: crossfoot spin (8 revs)
Senior	1 min 30 sec	Flying spin of choice (8 revs), spin combination consisting of at least 2 changes of position and 1 change of foot (6 revs each foot, 2 revs in each position), camel or sit spin with 1 chg of foot (men $-$ 6 revs each foot) or layback spin (ladies $-$ 8 revs)
Young Adult/Adult	1 min 30 sec	Attitude spin or camel spin (4 revs), forward sit spin (4 revs), spin combination with 1 change of foot and/or 1 change of position (total of 8 revs).

Jump Competition

Age and test requirements will be the same as those listed in Free Skating. Pre-Preliminary through Pre-Juvenile will be skated on ¹/₂ ice. All others will skate on full ice. Jumps must be skated in the order in which they are listed. This is not a mini-program. Only the stroking and edges necessary to prepare for the jump are allowed. Extra moves such as spirals and pivots and other excessive connecting steps will be penalized unless otherwise stated in the requirements. An axel is a single jump. Combination jumps may not have a change of foot or turn between the jumps. Jump requirements for Intermediate and above are the same as those for the 2008/2009 USFS short programs.

The event will be conducted as follows: At the conclusion of the warm-up period the first skater will perform the first jump twice, followed by the second jump twice then, if applicable, the combination jump twice. Jumps must be skated in the order they are listed below however the order of the jumps in the combination jump is optional (ex: double/single or singe/double). The judges will score the best performance of each jump. The process will be repeated for the remaining skaters. In levels where the skater is given a choice of jumps to be performed, the first attempt will determine the jumps to be judged and the skater may not change jumps on the second attempt.

Level Pre-Preliminary	Ice Size ½ ice	Requirements Toe Loop; Single/Single Combination (no axel)
Preliminary	½ ice	Flip or Lutz; Combination jump of any Single jump + Loop jump
Pre-Juvenile	1/2 ice	Axel; Double Salchow or Double Toe Loop
Juvenile	Full Ice	Axel; any Double/Single combination; connecting steps into any Double jump
Intermediate	Full Ice	Axel or Double Axel; any Single/Double or Double/Double combination; connecting steps into any Double jump
Novice	Full Ice	Axel or Double Axel; any Double/Double or Triple/Double combination; connecting steps into any Double or Triple jump
Junior	Full Ice	Ladies: Double Axel; any Double/Double or Triple/Double or Triple/Triple combination; connecting steps into Double or Triple Flip Men: Double Axel; any Triple/Double or Triple/Triple combination; connecting steps into any Triple jump
Senior	Full ice	Ladies: Double Axel; Any Triple/Double or Triple/Triple combination; connecting steps into any Triple jump Men: Double or Triple Axel; any Triple/Double or Triple/Triple or Quad/Double or Quad/Triple combination; connecting steps into any Triple or Quad jump
Adult Pre-Bronze	½ ice	Toe Loop; ½ Flip
Adult Bronze	½ ice	Salchow; Single/Single Combination (no axel)
Adult Silver	½ ice	Flip; Single/Single combination
Adult Gold	Full Ice	Lutz; Single/Single combination
Adult Masters	Full ice	Axel; any Single/Single or Single/Double combination; connecting steps into any single jump

Footwork Program Event

Events will be divided by age or gender at the discretion of the referee depending upon the number of entrants. The decision of the referee shall be final. Skaters will perform footwork sequences of their own design to music. Vocal music is allowed. The program should contain a variety of turns and sequences and emphasize the skater's controlled edges and turns in addition to speed and quickness of the routine. The program may contain one-half revolution jumps and spins with less than 3 revolutions. The routine will be judged on both technical merit and presentation. Level restriction refers to Free Skate or Dance test level. Skaters may enter one level higher than their test level.

Level	Max Duration	Requirements
Pre-Bronze	45 seconds	No tests higher than Adult Pre-Bronze, Pre-Preliminary, or Preliminary Dance
Bronze	1 min	No tests higher than Adult Bronze, Preliminary, or Bronze Dance
Silver	1 min	No tests higher than Adult Silver, Pre-Juvenile, or Pre-Silver Dance
Gold	1 min 15 sec	No tests higher than Adult Gold, Juvenile, or Pre-Gold Dance
Platinum	1 min 15 sec	Intermediate, Gold Dance, or above

Solo Dance

The following dance events will be offered. **Each dance is a separate event**. Skaters may choose one or more of the dances at their test level as well as one or more of the dances above their test level. Due to time constraints, some lower dance groups may be flighted. Compulsory dance music will be chosen from standard ISU dance selections. The Chief Referee and Competition Committee may elect to combine men's and ladies events due to limited entries as well as youth and adult competitors. Events will be grouped by age if entries warrant. Number of patterns is based on test requirements.

Level	Test Requirement	Dances Available and # of Patterns
Preliminary	No more than 1 Pre-Bronze passed	Rhythm Blues (2), Canasta Tango (2)
Pre-Bronze	No more than 1 Bronze passed	Swing Dance (2), Cha Cha (2)
Bronze	No more than 1 Pre-Silver passed	Ten-Fox (2), Hickory Hoedown (2)
Pre-Silver	No more than 1 Silver passed	Fourteenstep (3), European Waltz (2)
Silver	No more than 1 Pre-Gold passed	American Waltz (2), Tango (2)
Pre-Gold	No more than 1 Gold passed	Paso Doble (2), Starlight Waltz (2)
Gold	Not limited	Quickstep (3), Argentine Tango (2)

Frank Frey Memorial Rocker Foxtrot Solo Dance

This is an open solo dance event with no test requirements. Participants will skate 3 patterns. This dance is skated in memory of Frank Frey, a Centennial Skating Club member who won the event in 2003. Frank passed away suddenly from a heart attack in December of 2003. The Rocker Foxtrot was Frank's favorite dance.

Couples Dance

Each dance is a separate event. Skaters may choose one or more of the dances at their test level as well as one or more of the dances at one level above their test level. Compulsory Dances at each level will be determined by the result of the 2008 Governing Council and the 2008/2009 rule book. Due to time constraints, some lower dance groups may be flighted. Adult competitors must be 21 years and above. Compulsory dance music will be chosen from standard ISU dance selections. Test requirements are set forth in the 2008/2009 US Figure Skating rulebook sections 4300-4511 for Pre-Juvenile and above and in TR 49.01 for Preliminary. Number of patterns is based on the 2008/2009 rulebook section 4231.

Level Preliminary Pre Juvenile Juvenile Intermediate Novice Junior Senior Adult Pre-Bronze Adult Bronze Adult Bronze Adult Pre-Silver Adult Silver Adult Pre-Gold Adult Gold	Dances Available Rhythm Blues (3), Fiesta Tango (3) Cha Cha (3), Swing Dance (2) Ten Fox (3), Willow Waltz (3) Fourteenstep (4), European Waltz (2) American Waltz (2), Blues (3), Paso Doble (3) Kilian (6), Austrian Waltz (2) Paso Doble (3), Viennese Waltz (3) Dutch Waltz (3), Swing Dance (2) Cha Cha (3), Ten Fox (3) Foxtrot (4), American Waltz (2) European Waltz (2), Rocker Foxtrot (4) American Waltz (2), Paso Doble (3) Kilian (6), Starlight Waltz (2)

Free Dance and Original Dance

These are standalone events and will not be combined with the Couples Dance compulsory events. Juvenile through Senior and Adult dances will be conducted per the 2008/2009 Rulebook section 4300-4511(see 2008-2009 season information). All events will be judged using the 6.0 scoring system.

Beginner Events

All Compulsory events will be held on ¹/₂ ice. All Free Skating events will be held on full ice.

Test Requirement	Compulsories	Free Skating
Tots Must be age five and under on September 1, 2008	Forward strokes or marches (min 4); two-foot glide; forward two-foot swizzles (min 4); snowplow stop (one or two foot stop permissible); backward wiggles (min 4); two- foot hop on the spot (standstill, no rotation). Duration: 1 minute maximum. Elements must be skated in order listed.	Program skated on full ice to music of skater's choice. No vocal music is allowed. Program content is limited to elements in the compulsory program. Duration: 1 minute +-10 seconds
Beginner 1 Age 16 and under as of September 1, 2008	Forward strokes or marches (min 4); two-foot glide and dip; forward two-foot swizzles (min 4); one foot glide (either foot); snowplow stop (one or two foot stop allowed); two-foot hop on the spot (standstill, no rotation). Duration: 1 minute maximum. Elements must be skated in order listed.	Program skated on full ice to music of skater's choice. No vocal music allowed. Program content is limited to elements from the compulsory programs of Tots and Beginner 1. Duration: 1 minute +-10 seconds
Beginner 2 Age 16 and under as of September 1, 2008	Forward strokes (min 4); bunny hop; forward crossovers (min 4 in both directions); forward to backward two-foot turn on a circle (either direction); backward two-foot swizzles (min 4); backward one-foot glide (on both right and left foot). Duration: 1 minute maximum. Elements must be skated in order listed.	Program skated on full ice to music of skater's choice. No vocal music allowed. Program content is limited to elements from the compulsory programs of Beginner II and below. Duration: 1 minute +- 10 seconds
Beginner 3 Age 16 and under as of September 1, 2008	Backward strokes (min 4); backward crossovers (min 4 in both directions); forward mohawk (either direction); Inside 3-turn (either foot); two-foot spin; T-stop (either foot). Duration: 1 minute maximum. Elements skated in any order.	Program skated on full ice to music of skater's choice. No vocal music allowed. Program content is limited to elements from the compulsory programs of Beginner III and below. Outside 3-turns are also allowed. Duration: 1 minute +- 10 seconds

Beginner 4 Age 16 and under as of September 1, 2008	Forward straight-line spiral (either foot); Waltz 3's (3 sets on same foot); lunge; one-foot spin (free foot to skating knee only); waltz jump; Mazurka or Half-Flip. Duration: 1 minute maximum. Elements skated in any order.	Program skated on full ice to music of skater's choice. No vocal music is allowed. Jump content is limited to half-revolution jumps (these may be repeated alone or in combination). NOTE: toe loop, half loop, and salchow are FULL revolution jumps and are NOT allowed. One and two foot upright spins are allowed. Duration: 1 minute +- 10 seconds
Beginner 5 Age 16 and under as of September 1, 2008	Back inside pivot; forward outside spiral (either foot); Salchow jump; waltz jump- falling leaf - half-flip (from a mohawk take-off) combination; one-foot spin (optional free foot); connecting steps (consisting of 3-turns, Mohawks, bunny hops, crossovers, etc). Duration: 1 minute 15 seconds maximum. Elements skated in any order.	Program skated on full ice to music of skater's choice. No vocal music is allowed. Jump content is limited to Salchow, Toe-loop and half-revolution jumps (NOTE: half loop is a FULL revolution jump and is not allowed) that may be repeated alone or in combination. Upright and sit spins allowed with no change of foot or position. Duration: 1 minute 30 seconds +- 10 seconds
Beginner 6 Age 16 and under as of September 1, 2008	Forward inside spiral (either foot); Salchow jump; Waltz jump - falling leaf - toe-loop jump combination; loop jump; one-foot upright scratch spin; connecting steps (Consisting of 3-turns, Mohawks, bunny hops, crossovers, etc). Duration: 1 minute 15 seconds maximum. Elements skated in any order.	Program skated on full ice to music of skater's choice. No vocal music allowed. Up to four different single jumps are permitted and may be repeated alone or in combination. No lutz, axels, or multi-revolution jumps are allowed. All one-position spins are allowed, but no combinations. Duration: 1 minute 30 seconds +- 10 seconds
Beginner 7 Age 16 and under as of September 1, 2008	Forward outside or inside spiral; loop jump; flip jump; waltz jump - half-loop - salchow jump combination; sit spin (min 3 revs); connecting steps (consisting of 3-turns, Mohawks, bunny hops, crossovers, etc). Duration 1 minute 15 seconds maximum. Elements skated in any order.	Program is skated on full ice to music of skater's choice. No vocal music is allowed. All single jumps except an axel are allowed and may be repeated alone or in combination. Multi-revolution jumps are not allowed. No change-of-foot spins are allowed. Duration: 1 minute 30 seconds +- 10 seconds
Adult Beginner 1 Age 17 and older as of September 1, 2008	Forward strokes (min 4); Forward crossovers (min 4 in both directions); Forward to backward two-foot turn on a circle (either direction); backward two-foot swizzles (min 4); backward one-foot glide (on right and left foot); snowplow stop (one or two-foot stop). Duration: 1 minute maximum. Elements skated in the order listed	Program is skated on full ice to music of skater's choice. No vocal music is allowed. Jump content is limited to half revolution jumps that can be repeated alone or in combination (NOTE: Toe-loop, salchow, and half-loop are considered FULL revolution jumps and are not allowed); One and two-foot upright spins are allowed. Duration: 1 minute +- 10 seconds
Adult Beginner 2 Age 17 and older as of September 1, 2008	Backward strokes (min 4); Backward crossovers (min 4 in both directions); Two- foot spin – pick up one foot; inside Mohawks (either direction); Waltz jump; half-flip jump. Duration: 1 minute maximum. Elements skated in any order.	Program is skated on full ice to music of skater's choice. No vocal music is allowed. Jump content is limited to salchow jumps, toe-loop jumps and half- revolution jumps that may be repeated alone or in combination (NOTE: half-loop jump is considered a FULL revolution jump and is not allowed); Upright spins allowed. Duration: 1 minute 30 seconds +- 10 seconds
Adult Beginner 3 Age 17 and older as of September 1, 2008	Scratch spin; salchow jump; loop jump; forward outside or inside spiral; Waltz jump- falling leaf - toe-loop jump combination; connecting steps (consisting of 3-turns, Mohawks, bunny hops, crossovers, etc). Duration: 1 minute 15 seconds maximum. Elements skated in any order.	Program is skated on full ice to music of skater's choice. No vocal music is allowed. All single jumps except an axel are permitted and may be repeated alone or in combination. Multi-revolution jumps are not allowed. No change-of-foot spins are allowed. Duration: 1 minute 30 seconds +- 10 seconds

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Competitor's Name

Fees **# of Events** Total Cost **Beginning Skater Events First Event** 35.00 **Additional Event** 15.00 **Singles First Event** 80.00 Additional Singles Events ** 20.00 x # of additional events = **Pairs First Event** 15.00 **Pairs Additional Event** x # of additional events 15.00 = **First Couples Dance** 15.00 **Couples Additional Dance** x # of additional dances 15.00 = **Solo First Dance** 15.00 x # of additional dances **Solo Additional Dance** 15.00 = Frank Frey Memorial Rocker Foxtrot Solo 5.00 Dance **Footwork Program** 10.00 = 10.00 per **Artistic Duets** person **Practice Ice Fee** Transfer from practice ice = form Late Fee if after July 31, 2008 30.00 = **Total Amount Due** =

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Each skater will be allowed **one (1)** practice ice session per event entered. Practice Ice sessions will be 45 minutes in length for Pre-Preliminary and above. Beginner Practice Ice sessions will be 30 minutes in length. (Note: There are no separate practice ice sessions for Compulsory Moves, Footwork, Short Programs, Artistic or Spins – please sign up for a Free Skate session). Additional practice times will be available at the practice ice desk beginning on the first day of practice ice **but will cost \$15.00 per full session and \$12.00 per beginner session**

Name of skater			
Phone Number – Evening ()	Day ()		
Please list each event you have entered and the lev	el of that event:		
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Include Practice Ice form and fee with entry form and fees. Deadlines: Requests must be received by July 31, 2008.

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