



**2013**  
**Cleveland Invitational Championships**  
**A National Solo Dance Competition Series**  
**A Tri-States Championship Series**

**March 15-17, 2013**

***Hosted by the Wooster Figure Skating Club***

Sanctioned by:



**The IJS judging system will be used for Juvenile through Senior Free Skating and Juvenile through Senior Short Program.**

**Applications deadline: Postmarked by February 8, 2013.**



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**Date:** March 15-17, 2013

**Chief Referee:** Karen Snoddy

**Chief Acct:** Shirley Rego

**Place:** The Alice Noble Ice Arena  
851 Oldman Road  
Wooster, Ohio 44691

**Purpose:** The Cleveland Invitational Championships (CICs) are held to stimulate interest in figure skating and to afford a competitive experience for skaters. The competition will be conducted according to the current U.S. Figure Skating rules. Skaters may skate only for their Home Club. CICs is part of the Tri-State Council Championship Series and the National Solo Dance Series.

**Chair:** Bob Lapsley [blapsley@cncmetalproducts.com](mailto:blapsley@cncmetalproducts.com) 330-347-1449

**Eligibility:** Previously limited to Cleveland-area skaters, CICs is open to all skaters from any club. Skaters may not compete below their test level as of February 9, 2013. In most cases, skaters may compete at their test level as of February 9, 2013 or at one level higher (but not both within the same category). Read further for details.

6.0 events with a large number of entries will be divided into smaller groups by birth date. IJS events will be arranged by random draw and will have a Final Round if there are more than 24 entries (per rule #2466). Events will be divided into groups by male and female. However, the Wooster Figure Skating Club reserves the right to combine male and female skaters if there are fewer than two (2) entries in any event at the Pre-Preliminary, Preliminary and Pre-Juvenile levels. Events with only one competitor will not be held. Fees for cancelled events (only) will be refunded.

**Entry Fees:** Please refer to Entry Forms

**Other Fees:** Please ensure you have checked the correct boxes when completing your registration form. If you incorrectly mark a box that results in the event needing to be changed, you will be assessed a \$20 fee per changed event. Absolutely no changes will be made to the schedule after 5 days from the

publication date of the schedule. There will be a service charge assessed of \$30 for all NSF checks. Cashier's check or a money order will be the only payments accepted for the fee for NSF checks.

**Event Registration:** Preferred secure on line registration by Entryeeze and credit card payment is the preferred method. Please refer to [www.entryeeze.com](http://www.entryeeze.com). Entryeeze charges 3.8% for process. All entries must be postmarked by February 8, 2013 or received by midnight February 8, 2013 in entering on line. All mail in entry forms must be completely filled out and mailed along with a check or money order made payable to Wooster Figure Skating Club and mailed to 851 Oldman Road Wooster, Oh 44691. There will be a \$15 processing fee per skater for paper entry or paying via check.

Skater and coach schedule will be posted on the web at [www.woosterfsc.com](http://www.woosterfsc.com)

Full refunds including practice ice are available if withdrawn prior to February 8, 2013. After February 8, 2013 entry refunds are only available if the competition is not held. There will be no medical refunds given.

An official bulletin board will be in the lobby of the arena near skater registration. Posting of schedules and announcements there will constitute official notice to competitors, coaches and officials. Check this upon arrival.

**Practice Ice:** Practice ice will be available in ½ hour sessions at a cost of \$12.00 per session. Refer to the practice ice application. No music will be played during practice ice. Please check in with the ice monitor before taking the ice for practice. Practice will be available for sale during the event and will be a first come, first served basis.

**IJS/PPCS:** Competitors in IJS events are required to submit a Planned Program Content Sheet (PPCS). The PPCS is to be completed online with U.S. Figure Skating before March 12, 2012. For those who do not submit a Planned Program Content Sheet online before March 12th, a \$25 processing fee per IJS event will be assessed. Please note that any PPCS submitted by paper will incur a \$25 processing fee per IJS event, regardless of date. Once entered, PPCS may be updated online at any time and as often as desired without cost up to March 12th. Please go to [www.usfsa.org](http://www.usfsa.org) and log in to the Members Only section. You will need your U.S. Figure Skating number and password. Go to Event Registration and Online Event Registration, then to Event Manager and Program Content and register your forms under Cleveland Invitational Championships.

**Deadline:** **Completed applications and entry fees must be postmarked by February 8, 2013.** If space permits applications may be accepted after this date, however a \$15 late fee will be assessed. A parent or guardian AND a club official must sign the application. Incomplete applications will not be accepted.

**Mail to:** Wooster Figure Skating Club  
851 Oldman Road  
Wooster, OH 44691

**Facilities:** One ice surface 85' x 200' will be used for CICs. The Alice Noble Ice Arena has dressing rooms, concessions, and parking. Several vendors will be present as well as a photographer and videographer to capture those special moments.

**Registration:** On the day of the competition, all skaters must check in at the Registration Desk located in the rink lobby. The Registration Desk will be open throughout the competition. Skaters should be at the rink, checked in, and ready to compete one hour prior to the scheduled time of their event.

**Music:** Music will be reproduced through the arena sound system from **CDs only**, which are furnished by each skater. Skaters are required to deliver their music to the Registration Desk at the time of registration and at least one hour before the event warm up time. All music must be turned in properly labeled at the time of registration. Maxell brand CDs are NOT preferred. Please use the CD

type CD-R Music. The LOC will not be held responsible for CD's that do not play properly, so it is recommended that you have back-ups. All skaters should have appropriate backup music with them at rink side during their events. Music should be reclaimed at the Registration Desk following the event. All music is +/- 10 seconds unless it states maximum. Vocal music with lyrics is **not** permitted for Novice through Senior level Free Skate events.

**Awards:** Medals will be awarded for 1<sup>st</sup> through 3rd place for each event including any final rounds.

**Trophies:** Only Greater Cleveland member clubs are eligible for the following trophies.

**The Bill Coyle Dance Trophy** will be awarded to the club winning the most points in all the dance events. For Dance events with skaters from two different clubs, the points will be split. This is a traveling trophy.

**The Winterhurst Maneuver Team Trophy** will be awarded to the club winning the most points in all maneuver team events. This trophy is a traveling trophy.

**The Joy Cunningham-William Wall Cleveland Invitational Championships Club Trophy** will be awarded to the club winning the most points. Points will be awarded as follows: 1<sup>st</sup> place – 4 points, 2<sup>nd</sup> place – 3 points, 3<sup>rd</sup> place – 2 points, 4<sup>th</sup> place – 1 point with the number of points reduced in events with fewer than 4 skaters. For Dance and Pair events with skaters from two different clubs, the points will be split. Maneuver teams will not be included in the point total. This is a traveling trophy.

**Scoring:** The IJS system will be used for Juvenile through Senior Ladies and Men Free Skating and Juvenile through Senior Ladies and Men Short Program. The 6.0 scoring system will be used for all other events.

**Critiques:** Individual critiques by one judge alone with a technical specialist will be offered to skaters and coaches after each singles free skate event, Juvenile thru Senior (excluding Test Track) for a fee of \$10.

**Video:** Action Photos and Video will be available from **Moto Photo Photography**. Personal Videotaping  
**Camera:** may only be done from the stands with hand held cameras- no lights, tripods or taping permitted at the rink side. Photographs may be taken of the skater while performing.

**NO FLASH PHOTOGRAPHY**

**Directions to Alice Noble Ice Arena** There is a map included at the back of this application to aid you in your travels in and around Wooster.

**From the West:**

Take 30 West to the 83 North exit. Proceed approx. 4-1/2 miles to Milltown Road (second red light). Turn left on Milltown and go approx. 0.30 mile. Turn Left on Oak Hill Rd. go approx. 1/4 mile arena will be on your left.

**From the East:**

Take 30 East to the 83 North exit. Proceed approx. 4-1/2 miles to Milltown Road (second red light). Turn left on Milltown and go approx. 0.30 mile. Turn Left on Oak Hill Rd. go approx. 1/4 mile arena will be on your left.

**From the North (route 83)**

Take 83 South past the shopping area until you get to Milltown Road. Turn right on Milltown Road and go approx. 0.30 mile. Turn Left on Oak Hill Rd. go approx. 1/4 mile arena will be on your left.

**From the North (route 3)**

Take 3 South to Milltown Road. Turn right on Milltown Road and go approx. 1-1/2 miles (thru 2 stop lights). Turn Left on Oak Hill Rd. go approx. 1/4 mile arena will be on your left.

**From the North (route 585)**

Take 585 to Portage Road (also know as Back Orville Road). There is a CVS pharmacy on the corner. Turn Right onto Portage Road and go approx. ¼ mile to the second light (K-Mart will be on the left.). Turn right onto Melrose Drive and go approx. ¾ mile to Milltown Road. Turn left on Milltown and go approx 2-1/4 miles (thru 3 stop lights crossing over route 3 and route 83. Turn Left on Oak Hill Rd. go approx. 1/4 mile. The arena will be on your left.

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## COMPETITION EVENTS

### WELL BALANCED SINGLES FREE SKATING

For the most part, Skaters may compete at their current free skate test level or one level higher but **not** both (see Pre-Prelim and Adult Pre-Bronze for exceptions). Programs are to be skated on full ice. See \*'s below for IJS scoring events. Duration + or – 10 seconds.

<u>Category</u>		<u>Must have passed</u>
Pre-Preliminary	1:30	No test or Pre-Preliminary Free Skate Test (Rule 4270)
Preliminary	1:30	Pre-Preliminary or Preliminary Free Skate Test (Rule 4260)
Pre-Juvenile	2:00	Preliminary or Pre-Juvenile Free Skate Test (Rule 4250)
Juvenile*	2:15	Pre-Juvenile or Juvenile Free Skate Test (Rule 4240) Must be under the age of 14 as of February 8, 2013.
Open Juvenile	2:15	Pre-Juvenile or Juvenile Free Skate Test (Rule 4240) Must be 14 years old or older as of February 8, 2013.
Intermediate*	2:30	Juvenile or Intermediate Free Skate Test (Rule 4230)
Novice*	3:00 (Ladies) 3:30 (Men)	Intermediate or Novice Free Skate Test (Rule 4220)
Junior*	3:30 (Ladies) 4:00 (Men)	Novice or Junior Free Skate Test (Rule 4210)
Senior*	4:00 (Ladies) 4:30 (Men)	Junior or Senior Free Skate Test (Rule 4200)
Adult Pre-Bronze	1:40 maximum	Must be 21 years or older as of February 8, 2013. Skaters must have passed the Adult Pre-Bronze Free Skate Test. (Rule 4600)
Adult Bronze	1:50 maximum	Must be 21 years or older as of February 8, 2013. Skaters must have passed the Adult Pre-Bronze or Bronze Free Skate Test. (Rule 4590)
Adult Silver	2:10 maximum	Must be 21 years or older as of February 8, 2013. Skaters must have passed the Adult Bronze or Silver Free Skate Test. (Rule 4580)
Adult Gold	2:40 maximum	Must be 21 years or older as of February 8, 2013. Skaters must have passed the Adult Silver or Gold Free Skate Test. (Rule 4570)

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## SHORT PROGRAM

Skaters may compete at their current free skate test level or one level higher, but **not** both. Programs are to be skated on full ice. \* IJS scoring. Times shown are maximum.

<u>Category</u>		<u>Requirements</u>
Juvenile*	2:00 max	As stated by the current U.S. Figure Skating Official Rulebook (4230). Please note: same rule number as Intermediate
Open Juvenile	2:00 max	Must be 14 years old or older as of February 8, 2013. Jump combination consisting of one single and one double jump Axel (may <b>not</b> be repeated in combination) Double jump: double toe-loop or double Salchow (may <b>not</b> be repeated in combination) Solo spin (minimum four revolutions <b>in position</b> ; may <b>not</b> be commenced with a jump) Combination spin (only one change of foot and at least one change of position; minimum four revolutions on each foot) Step sequence (straight line, circular, or serpentine)
Intermediate*	2:00 max	As stated by the current U.S. Figure Skating Official Rulebook (4230).
Novice*	2:30 max	As stated by the current U.S. Figure Skating Official Rulebook (4220).
Junior*	2:50 max	As stated by the current U.S. Figure Skating Official Rulebook (4210).
Senior*	2:50 max	As stated by the current U.S. Figure Skating Official Rulebook (4200).

## COMPULSORY MOVES

Skaters may compete at their current free skate test level or one level higher, but **not** both (see Pre-Prelim for exception). Programs are to be skated on half ice with no music. Elements must be skated exactly as stated but may be skated in any order. Additional jumps or spins are not permitted and deductions will be taken for each occurrence. Times shown are maximum.

<u>Category</u>	<u>Maximum Time</u>	<u>Required Elements</u>
Pre-Preliminary	1:15	Flip jump Loop jump Single-single jump combination (no Axels permitted) Sit spin – forward (minimum three revolutions) Forward outside edge spiral Test Requirement: no test or Pre-Prelim free skate test
Preliminary	1:30	Single jump (may not repeat in combination) Combination spin with one change of foot and no change of position (may not commence with a jump; minimum four revolutions on each foot) Single-single jump combination Edge spiral, spread eagle, or bauer Step Sequence

Pre-Juvenile	1:30	Single or double jump (may not repeat in combination) Jump combination consisting of double/single or single/double Combination spin with only one change of foot and at least one change of position (minimum four revolutions each foot) Spin in one position (may not commence with a jump; minimum four revolutions) Step sequence
Adult Pre-Bronze	1:30	Forward crossovers Backward crossovers Spiral sequence One foot upright spin – minimum 3 revolutions
Adult Bronze	1:30	Waltz jump Salchow jump Upright scratch spin – minimum 3 revolutions Forward outside spiral Footwork sequence
Adult Silver	1:30	Toe loop Flip jump Single-single jump combination – no axel Camel spin – minimum 3 revolutions Footwork sequence
Adult Gold	1:30	Axel Lutz Single-single jump combination Camel-back sit spin (minimum 4 revolutions on each foot) Straight line or circular step sequence

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### COMPULSORY SPIN EVENT

Skaters may compete at their current free skate test level or one level higher, but **not** both (see Pre-Prelim for exception). Programs are to be skated on half ice with no music. Elements must be skated exactly as stated but may be skated in any order. Additional jumps or spins are not permitted and deductions will be taken for each occurrence. One footwork sequence allowed. Pre-Preliminary- Pre-Juvenile will be judged on 6.0 scale. Juvenile and above will be judged IJS. All times shown are maximum.

<u>Category</u>	<u>Maximum Time</u>	<u>Elements</u>
Pre-Preliminary	1:00	Forward one foot spin – optional free leg position toward knee level 3 Revolutions Camel spin – 3 revolutions Sit spin – in a recognizable sitting position – 3 revolutions Test Requirement: No Test or Pre-Prelim Free Skate Test
Preliminary	1:15	Back spin – optional entry – 3 revolutions Sit spin – in a recognizable sitting position – 3 revolutions One foot spin – optional free foot position – 3 revolutions
Pre-Juvenile	1:30	Camel spin – 4 revolutions Combination spin – with one change of foot & no change of position – 4 revolutions each foot Front scratch to back scratch spin – 4 revolutions on each foot

Juvenile/Open Juv	1:30	Spin combination – one change of foot and one change of position – 4 revolutions each foot Flying camel spin – 5 revolutions Change foot spin – 5 revolutions each foot
Intermediate	2:00	Camel spin to back Camel spin – 4 revolutions each foot Layback – ladies – minimum of 5 revolutions Camel Spin – men – minimum of 5 revolutions Combination spin – with 2 positions and only one change of foot – 5 revolutions each foot
Novice	2:00	Flying Camel – minimum 6 revolutions Spin combination – with 2 changes of position and one change of foot Layback – ladies- minimum 6 revolutions Cross foot spin – men-minimum 6 revolutions
Junior/Senior	2:00	Flying spin-Minimum 6 revolutions Layback – ladies- Minimum 6 revolutions Cross foot spin – men- Minimum 6 revolutions Combination spin – with 3 changes of position and one change of foot

## COMPULSORY JUMPS EVENT

Skaters may compete at their current test level or one level higher but **not** both. Programs are to be skated with no music on half ice, for Pre-Preliminary & Preliminary, and full ice for Pre-Juvenile thru Senior. Minimum connecting steps are allowed but will not affect scoring. Only one attempt per jump is permitted. Pre-Preliminary- Pre-Juvenile will be judged on 6.0 scale. Juvenile and above will be judged IJS. All times shown are maximum. Elements marked with \* must be preceded with footwork

Category	Max time	Elements
Pre-Preliminary	1:00	Loop; Flip; Combination of two single jumps (no axel)
Preliminary	1:15	Flip; Lutz; Single jump=loop jump combo (axel OK)
Pre-Juvenile	1:15	Axel; Single or double jump; single/single combo (axel OK)
Juvenile/Open JUV	1:30	Axel; double Salchow; Double/single combo (no double axel)
Intermediate	1:30	Axel; *Double loop; double/double combo (no double axel)
Novice	1:30	Double Loop; *Double Flip; Double/double combo (double axel OK)
Junior	1:30	Double Lutz; *Double Flip; Double/double combo or sequence (double axel OK)
Senior	1:30	Double Axel; * Double Lutz; Combination of any triple or double jumps

## TEST TRACK FREE SKATE EVENT

Skaters may enter EITHER the new test track free skate program or the well-balanced track free skate program but **NOT** both during the same nonqualifying competition. Competitors will skate to music of their choice, vocal music permitted. The 6.0 judging system will be used for all Test Track events. Deductions WILL be made for skaters including technical elements not permitted in the event description. 0.1 from EACH mark for each technical element included that is not permitted in the event description. 0.2 from the technical mark for each extra element. 0.1 for any spin with less than required revolutions.

LEVEL	JUMP ELEMENTS	SPINS	STEPS	QUALIFICATIONS
<b>Limited Beginner</b> Time: 1:30 +/- 10	<i>Max 5 jump elements:</i> Jumps with not more than one-half rotation (front to back or back to front). <i>Max 2 jump sequences</i> <i>Max 2 of any same jump</i>	<i>Max 2 spins:</i> Two upright spins, no change of foot, no flying entry (Min 3 revolutions)	Connecting moves and steps should be demonstrated throughout the program.	Skaters may not have passed tests higher than U.S. Figure Skating Basic Skills free skating badge tests
<b>Beginner</b> Time: 1:30 +/- 10	<i>Max 5 jump elements:</i> Jumps with not more than one-half rotation (front to back or back to front including half-loop) Single rotation jumps: Salchow and toe loop only. <i>Max 2 jump combinations or sequences</i> <i>Max 2 of any same type jump</i>	<i>Max 2 spins:</i> Two upright spins, change of foot optional, no flying entry (Min 3 revolutions)	Connecting moves and steps should be demonstrated throughout the program.	Skaters may not have passed tests higher than U.S. Figure Skating Basic Skills free skating badge tests
<b>Pre-Preliminary Test</b> Time: 1:30 +/- 10	<i>Max 5 jump elements:</i> Jumps with not more than one-half rotation (front to back or back to front including half-loop) Single rotation jumps: Salchow, toe loop and loop only. <i>Max 2 jump combinations or sequences</i> <i>Max 2 of any same type jump</i>	<i>Max 2 spins:</i> Two spins of a different nature, one position only, no change of foot, not flying entry. (Min 3 revolutions)	Connecting moves and steps should be demonstrated throughout the program.	Skaters may not have passed tests higher than U.S. Figure Skating pre-preliminary free skate test
<b>Preliminary Test</b> Time: 1:30 +/- 10	<i>Max 5 jump elements:</i> Jumps with not more than one rotation (no Axels). <i>Max 2 jump combinations or sequences</i> <i>Max 2 of any same type jump</i>	<i>Max 2 spins:</i> One spin in one position, no change of foot, no flying entry (Min 3 revs) and One consisting of a front scratch to back scratch, exit on spinning foot not mandatory (Min 3 revs on each foot).	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
<b>Pre-Juvenile Test</b> Time: 2:00 +/-10	<i>Max 5 jump elements:</i> Jumps with not more than one rotation (no Axels). <i>Max 2 jump combinations or sequences</i> <i>Max 2 of any same type jump</i>	<i>Max 2 spins:</i> One spin in one position, no change of foot (Min 3 revs) and One combination spin: forward camel spin to forward sit spin, change of foot optional (Min 6 revs combined in forward sit and camel positions). Spins may not fly	One step sequence 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
<b>Juvenile Test</b> Time: 2:15 +/-10	<i>Max 5 jump elements:</i> Any single jumps with not more than 1 ½ rotations (Axel permitted) <i>Max 2 jump combinations or sequences</i> <i>Max 2 of any same type jump</i>	<i>Max 2 spins:</i> One spin in one position, no change of foot (Min 4 revs in position) and One combination spin with one change of foot and at least one change of position, must include two of the basic spin positions, (Min 4 revs on each foot) Only solo spin may fly	One step sequence 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

LEVEL	JUMP ELEMENTS	SPINS	STEPS	QUALIFICATIONS
<b>Intermediate Test</b>  Time: 2:30 +/-10	<i>Max 6 jump elements:</i> Any single jumps. Double jumps permitted: double Salchow and double toe loop. <i>Max 3 jump combinations or sequences</i> <i>Max 2 of any same type jump</i>	<i>Max 2 spins of a different nature:</i> One must be a flying spin (Min 5 revs), One must be a combination spin with at least one change of foot and at least one change of position (Min 4 revs on each foot).	One step sequence 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
<b>Novice Test</b>  Time: Ladies 3:00 +/-10 Men 3:30+/-10	<i>Max 7 jump elements for men and 6 for ladies:</i> Any single jumps. Double jumps permitted: double Salchow, double toe loop and double loop. <i>Max of 3 jump combinations or sequences</i> <i>Max 2 of any same type jump</i>	<i>Max 3 spins of a different nature:</i> One must be a combination spin with at least one change of foot and at least one change of position (Min 5 revolutions on each foot). The other spins are the option of the skater (Min 6 revs) All spins may fly	One step or spiral sequence fully utilizing ice surface.  (see rule 4220 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
<b>Junior Test</b>  Time: Ladies 3:30 +/-10 Men 4:00+/-10	<i>Max 8 jump elements for men and 7 for ladies:</i> Any single jumps. Double jumps permitted: double Salchow, double toe loop, double loop and double flip. <i>Max of 3 jump combinations or sequences</i> <i>Max 2 of any same type jump</i>	<i>Max 3 spins of a different nature:</i> One must be a spin in one position (6 revs), one a flying spin (6 revs) and one a combination spin consisting of all three basic spin positions and one change of foot (Minimum 2 continuous revs in each basic position and minimum 5 revs on each foot).	One step sequence fully utilizing ice surface.  (See rule 4210 for description)	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
<b>Senior Test</b>  Time: Ladies 4:00 +/-10 Men 4:30+/-10	<i>Max 8 jump elements for men and 7 for ladies</i> Any single jumps. Must include at least four different double jumps, one must be a double Lutz. No triple jumps permitted <i>Max of 3 jump combinations or sequences</i> <i>Max 2 of any same type jump</i>	<i>Max 3 spins of a different nature:</i> One must be a spin in one position (min 6 revs), one a flying spin (min 6 revs) and one a spin combination consisting of all three basic spin positions and one change of foot (Min 2 continuous revs in each basic position and min 5 revolutions on each foot).	Men: Two different step sequences, one being of advanced difficulty, both fully utilizing the ice surface. Patterns can be of the same nature. (See rule 4105)  Ladies: One step sequence of advanced difficulty, covering the full ice surface and one spiral sequence. (See charts in rule 4200 for description).	Skaters must have passed at least the U.S. Figure Skating junior free skate test

## SPECIAL COUPLES DANCE EVENTS

Couples may select dances at their current test level and/or one level higher. Each dance is considered an event and judged separately. These events will be performed on full ice.

<u>Category</u>	<u>Dances</u>	<u>Test Requirements</u>
Adult	Hickory Hoedown Foxtrot	Both skaters must be at least 21 years of age.

Generation Gap	Ten-Fox Willow Waltz Rocker Foxtrot	Minimum of 20 years age difference between partners.
Open Blues	Blues	Must have passed at least one Silver Dance Test. Both Initial and Final Round
Open Fourteenstep	Fourteenstep	Must have passed at least one Bronze Dance Test. Both Initial and Final Round

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## 2013 U.S. Figure Skating Solo Dance Series Events

The Cleveland Invitational Championships is a participating competition within the 2013 Solo Dance Series.

*The solo pattern dance event, combined event and solo short dance events are being offered as part of the 2013 U.S. Figure Skating Solo Dance Series and will be conducted in accordance with the 2013 Solo Dance Series Handbook found at <http://www.usfigureskating.org/Programs.asp?id=479>. Please refer to the 2013 Solo Dance Series handbook for the current Series rules, levels and event requirements that will be in effect for this competition.*

### **2013 SOLO DANCE SERIES EVENTS BEING OFFERED:**

The solo pattern dance event  
Combined event  
Solo short dance event

#### **Solo Pattern Dance Event:**

The solo pattern dance event is comprised of two dances at each level. This event is being offered at the Preliminary, Pre-Bronze, Bronze, Pre-Silver, Silver, Pre-Gold and Gold levels.

	Preliminary	Pre-Bronze	Bronze	Pre-Silver	Silver	Pre-Gold	Gold
Dances in each level	Canasta Tango	Cha-Cha	Willow Waltz	Fourteenstep	American Waltz	Killian	Viennese Waltz
	Rhythm Blues	Fiesta Tango	Ten Fox	European Waltz	Silver Tango	Starlight Waltz	Quickstep

Refer to the 2013 Solo Dance Series Handbook found at <http://www.usfigureskating.org/Programs.asp?id=479> for the solo pattern dance event rules, test requirements and details.

## 2013 U.S. Figure Skating Solo Dance Series Events (cont)

### **Combined Event:**

The combined dance event is comprised of the following:

- 1.) Two solo pattern dances (selected by U.S. Figure Skating and listed below)

**Pattern Dance Selection for Juvenile:** Ten Fox and Fourteenstep

**Pattern Dance Selection for Intermediate:** Tango and American Waltz

**Pattern Dance Selection for Novice:** Paso Doble and Starlight Waltz

**Pattern Dance Selection for Junior:** Blues and Quickstep

**Pattern Dance Selection for Senior:** Silver Samba and Yankee Polka

- 2.) A solo free dance

The pattern dances competed in the combined dance event are separate from those in the solo pattern dance event and the results will not count towards the solo pattern dance event or results. This event is offered at the Juvenile, Intermediate, Novice, Junior and Senior levels. Refer to the 2013 Solo Dance Series Handbook found at <http://www.usfigureskating.org/Programs.asp?id=479> for the combined event rules and details.

### **Solo Short Dance:**

The Solo Short Dance event is a trial event in the 2013 Series. It is offered only for the junior and senior levels and will not accrue points this season in the Series. Refer to the 2013 Solo Dance Series Handbook found at <http://www.usfigureskating.org/Programs.asp?id=479> for the solo short dance rules and event details.

### **Judging System for all Solo Dance Events**

The 6.0 judging system will be used for all events and levels at Solo Dance Competitions. The ISU judging system will not be used.

#### **Notes on the conduct of the competition:**

All dance events may be double-paneled at the discretion of the referee. When there are more than 18 athletes in a solo dance event, the event will be split so no flight has more than 18 skaters. *Ladies will skate the ladies' steps and men will skate the men's steps, no exceptions.*

#### **Officials:**

Officials will be chosen from both competition and test level judges.

# 2013 Cleveland Invitational Championships

## Maneuver Team Competition

A figure skating club may enter two teams in each level for a maximum of eight teams per club. Skaters may only skate for their home club. Both boys and girls may skate on one team. There are three to five members per team with one maneuver being performed by each skater and no skater should perform more than two maneuvers. Should a skater be unable to compete due to illness or injury, a teammate may do his maneuver with proper notice to the referee of this event. There must be a minimum of three skaters to compete as a team. A skater may skate on one team only. No award points will be given for Maneuver Team events.

Preliminary Team	Juvenile Team	Intermediate Team	Novice/Junior/Senior Team
May not have passed higher than the Preliminary Free Skating test.  1. Axel 2. Any Combination Jump; Two Single Jumps 3. Any Combination Spin with One Change of Foot; No Change of Position 3 rev. per Foot 4. Sit Spin 5. Straight Line Footwork	May not have passed higher than Juvenile Free Skating test.  1. Axel 2. Any Combination Jump; Consisting of One Double and One Single Jump 3. Camel Spin 4. Sit-Change-Sit Spin 5. Circular Footwork	May not have passed higher than Intermediate Free Skating test.  1. Double Flip 2. Combination Jump; at Least One Double Jump 3. Combination Spin with One Change of Foot and Two Changes of Position 4. Any Flying/Jump Spin 5. Serpentine Step Footwork	Must have passed the Intermediate Free Skating test or higher.  1. Double Axel 2. Combination Jump Consisting of Two Double Jumps 3. Double Lutz 4. Combination Spin with One Change of Foot and Two Changes of Position 5. Spiral Step Sequence as defined in 3643

Each team is to name a Team Leader through whom any communication with the team may be handled. Each team must be submitted on separate application. Each team must have a sign which includes the Club name and Team name.

Team Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Home Club: \_\_\_\_\_

Team Level: \_\_\_\_\_

Team Leader: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Skater's Name	United States Figure Skating #	Highest Free skate Test Passed
1.		
2.		
3.		
4.		
5.		

Entry Fee: \$50 per team

**Application must be postmarked by February 8, 2013**

*Make Check payable to: Wooster Figure Skating Club*

# 2013 Cleveland Invitational Championships — March 15-17, 2013

Competitor's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Birth Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Sex: M or F

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

Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

United States Figure Skating #: \_\_\_\_\_ Home Club: \_\_\_\_\_

Highest Free skating Test Passed: \_\_\_\_\_

Partner's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ U.S. Figure Skating #: \_\_\_\_\_

Please mark the events to be entered in:

Example: **6.0**

**ENTRY DEADLINE**  
**FEB. 8, 2013**

6.0 = 6.0 scoring system

IJS= IJS scoring system

							USFS Solo Dance Series			Special Dances						
							Solo Pattern Dance	Combined Dance	Short Dance	Hickory Hoedown	Foxtrot	Ten-Fox	Willow Waltz	Rocker Foxtrot	Open Blues	Open Fourteenstep
	Free Skate	Short Program	Compulsary	Spins	Jumps	Test Track										
Limited Beginner						6.0										
Beginner						6.0										
Pre-Preliminary	6.0		6.0	6.0	6.0	6.0										
Preliminary	6.0		6.0	6.0	6.0	6.0	6.0									
Pre-Juvenile	6.0		6.0	6.0	6.0	6.0										
Juvenile	IJS	IJS		IJS	IJS	6.0		6.0								
Open Juvenile	6.0	6.0		6.0	6.0											
Intermediate	IJS	IJS		IJS	IJS	6.0		6.0								
Novice	IJS	IJS		IJS	IJS	6.0		6.0								
Junior	IJS	IJS			IJS	6.0		6.0	6.0							
Senior	IJS	IJS			IJS	6.0		6.0	6.0							
Junior/Senior				IJS												
Adult Pre-Bronze	6.0		6.0													
Adult Bronze	6.0		6.0													
Adult Silver	6.0		6.0													
Adult Gold	6.0		6.0													
Pre-Bonze							6.0									
Bronze							6.0									
Pre- Silver							6.0									
Silver							6.0									
Pre-Gold							6.0									
Gold							6.0									
Special Dance Adult										6.0	6.0					
Special Dance Generation Gap												6.0	6.0	6.0		
Special Dance															6.0	6.0

ENTRY DEADLINE

FEB. 8, 2013

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Please mark the events to be entered in:  
Example. 6.0

Are you a registered participant in the 2012-2013 US Figure Skating Solo Dance Series?

YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_ Solo Dance Registration # \_\_\_\_\_

Entry Fees: from list above

Paper Entry.....\$15 \$ \_\_\_\_\_

First 6.0 event..... \$65 per person \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Second 6.0 event .....\$25 per person \$ \_\_\_\_\_

First IJS event .....\$80 per person \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Second IJS event..... \$50 per person \$ \_\_\_\_\_

First Solo dance event .....\$45 per person \$ \_\_\_\_\_

All additional events and Special Dance.....\$20 per person \_\_\_\_ x \$20 \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Critiques (Juvenile thru senior Free Skate IJS only)..... \$10 \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**TOTAL** \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Make checks payable to Wooster Figure Skating Club

Competitor's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Coach's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Coach's Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Coach's Email: \_\_\_\_\_

### Certification of Eligibility

I hereby approve this entry and certify that this skater is a member in good standing of this club, is an amateur in accordance with U.S. Figure Skating rules, and to the best of my knowledge is eligible to enter the specified events.

Signature of Competitor, Parent or Guardian, if minor: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Club Official: \_\_\_\_\_ Title: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Coach/Professional: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

### Waiver of Responsibility

SKATER/PARENT/GUARDIAN: I understand and agree that the U.S. Figure Skating and Wooster Figure Skating Club, including its Board of Directors, and all volunteers assisting in the organization of the competition undertake no responsibility for damages or injuries, or loss of property suffered by the SKATER, COMPETITOR, PARENT AND/OR GUARDIAN. 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, United States Figure Skating, WOOSTER FIGURE SKATING CLUB, including its Board of Directors and all volunteers assisting in the organization of the competition. SKATER/PARENT/GUARDIAN acknowledges that their entry forms shall be accepted only on such condition.

Signature of Competitor: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Parent/Guardian (if minor): \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

### Authorization for Emergency Medical Treatment

In the event I am unavailable, I hereby give permission for any emergency medical treatment for \_\_\_\_\_ (please print full legal name of skater) to the direction of the Chairpersons of this competition. I understand that these Chairpersons have no formal medical background but will seek appropriate care and treatment. I, the undersigned, will assume and take sole responsibility for all financial obligations arising out of the treatment of the above named individual.

I, the undersigned, will hold U.S. Figure Skating, Wooster Figure Skating Club, the organizers, and their appointees or employees harmless from any claim rising out of any aid afforded the above named individual. I further indemnify all above mentioned parties from any claims and other parties might have with regards to aid provided to the above named individual.

Skater's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Person to contact in an emergency if parent/guardian cannot be reached:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Skater's Physician's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Skater's Dentist's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency Medical Information (allergies, pre-existing conditions, allergies to medications, etc...):

\_\_\_\_\_

Name of Insurance Company: \_\_\_\_\_ Name of Insured: \_\_\_\_\_ Policy #: \_\_\_\_\_

**Return to:**

Wooster Figure Skating Club...851 Oldman Road...Wooster, OH 44691

**Wooster Figure Skating Club  
2013 Cleveland Invitational Championship  
Advertising Order Form**

**Deadline: February 15, 2012**

- \_\_\_\_\_ Back Cover – 5 ½" x 8 ½" - \$88.00 for black & white or \$100.00 for full color
- \_\_\_\_\_ Inside Cover – Front – 5 ½" x 8 ½" - \$75.00 for black & white or \$88.00 for full color
- \_\_\_\_\_ Inside Cover – Back – 5 ½" x 8 ½" - \$75.00 for black & white or \$88.00 for full color
- \_\_\_\_\_ Full Page Ad – 5 ½" x 8 ½" - \$50.00 – black & white only
- \_\_\_\_\_ Half Page Ad – 2 3/4" x 4 1/4" - \$25.00 – black & white only
- \_\_\_\_\_ Business Card – 1/3 Page - \$20.00 – black & white only
- \_\_\_\_\_ Message Gram – 1 line of copy - \$7.00 – black & white only
- \_\_\_\_\_ Event Sponsorship – Company name listed as sponsor on result board - \$75.00

\*\* All prices are for Camera-ready art (except for Message Grams, which will be a typed list). Space will be reserved when we receive payment, a signed copy of this form and your camera-ready advertising copy.

Advertiser: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Person: \_\_\_\_\_

Please make checks payable to: Wooster Figure Skating Club

Please return this form and payment to:

Wooster Figure Skating Club

851 Oldman Road

Wooster, Ohio 44691

Message Gram (Print copy here):

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**Hotel Information:**

Days Inn 789 Milltown Road Wooster, Ohio 44691.....330-345-1500

Competition rate: \$82.75 for Queen... \$73.55 for double. You must reserve by Friday February 8<sup>th</sup> in order to ensure availability.

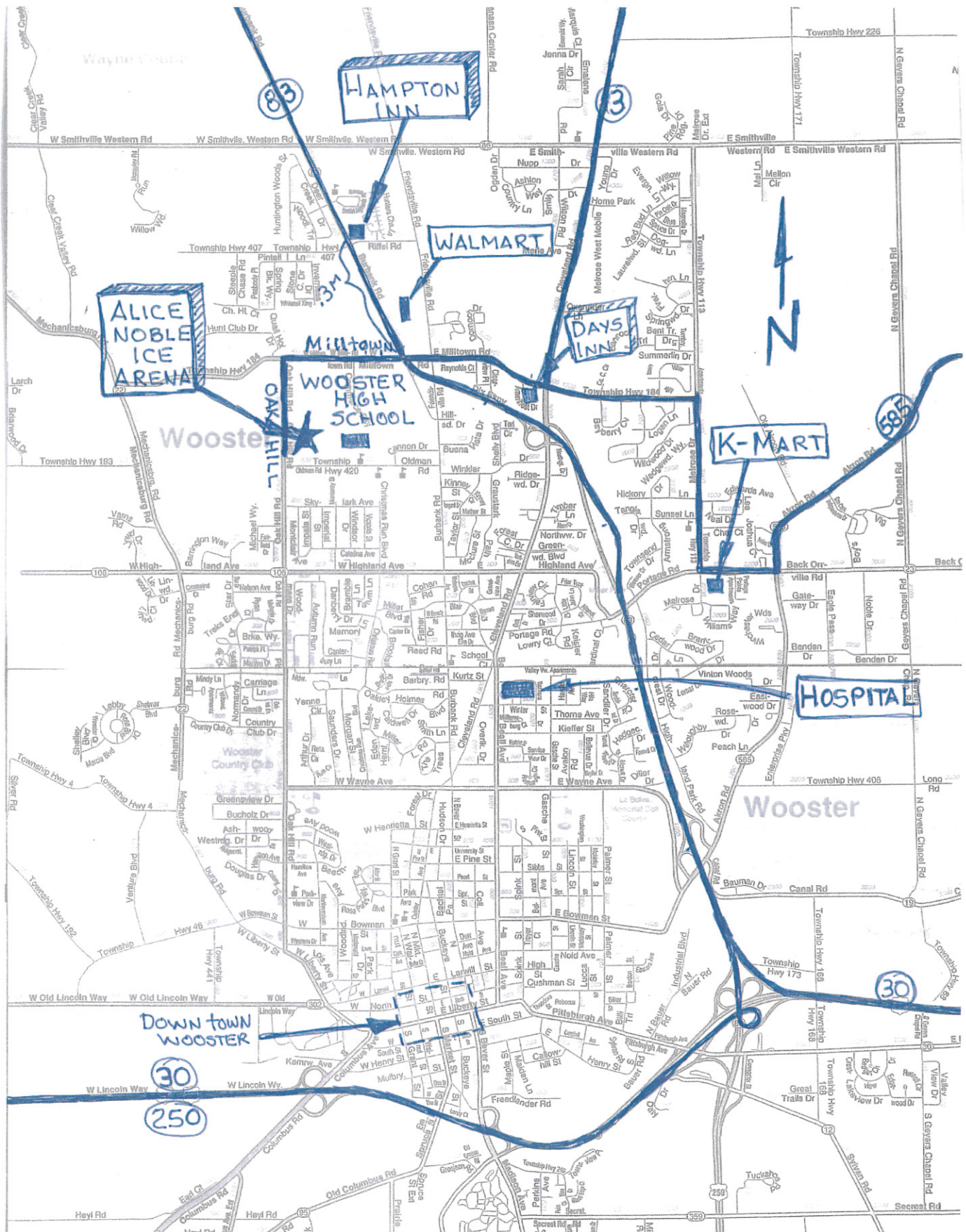
You must indicate you are part of Cleveland Invitational Champions to get this rate. After February 8<sup>th</sup> rooms will be on a first come first basis.

Free Continental Breakfast

Heated Indoor Pool and Whirlpool

Free High Speed Wireless internet

Exercise Equipment



## PRACTICE ICE APPLICATION

Practice ice will be available in 30 minute sessions on a first-come, first-pay, first-served basis with a fee of \$12.00 per session. Additional ice may be added if necessary. No music will be played. Please send a separate check to the address listed below. The schedule of events and practice ice schedule will be posted at our website at [www.woosterfsc.com](http://www.woosterfsc.com) when it becomes available. Practice ice may also be sold at the rink if space is available; please check at the registration desk for availability.

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### PRACTICE ICE REQUEST FOR:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Home Club: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Email address: \_\_\_\_\_ Schedule will be emailed to entrants

Must be completed:

LEVEL: Free Skate \_\_\_\_\_ CM/Short \_\_\_\_\_ Solo Dance \_\_\_\_\_

Number of sessions requested \_\_\_\_\_ Total Cost @ \$12.00 per session \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Please indicate the number of practice ice sessions you would like in the following time blocks.

Friday Morning	Session 1	6:30 to 7:00am _____
	Session 2	7:00 to 7:30am _____
Friday Evening	Session 3	7:00 to 7:30pm _____
	Session 4	7:30 to 8:00pm _____
Saturday Morning	Session 5	6:30 to 7:00am _____
	Session 6	7:00 to 7:30am _____
Saturday Evening	Session 7	7:00 to 7:30pm _____
	Session 8	7:30 to 8:00pm _____

Practice ice request may be sent with the application or separately to:

Joel Kennedy  
Alice Noble Ice Arena  
851 Oldman Road  
Wooster Ohio 44691  
Make checks payable to Wooster Figure Skating Club