



ICE PALACE IN HOUSE SPRING SHOWCASE
SUNDAY MAY 13
12:30 PM
ALISO VIEJO ICE PALACE

The Aliso Viejo Ice Palace is proud to be hosting a Spring Showcase on Sunday May 13. We invite all Ice Palace skaters to shine in the spotlight! This is a great event for skaters to showcase their skating skills and enjoy the creative and performance side of figure skating. The Spring Showcase is open to current Aliso Viejo Ice Palace Learn To Skate USA members.

Competition Information

Competition Date:

May 13, 2018

Entry Form Deadline:

April 21, 2018

Late entries, if accepted, must pay double. No entries will be accepted after April 24th. All Skater Memberships will be verified. Inaccurate and/or incomplete forms will be returned. There will be a \$10 fee for each change made to your original entry form.

Address:

Aliso Viejo Ice Palace
9 Journey
Aliso Viejo, CA 92656

Ice Surface:

185' x 85' with rounded corners

Contact:

Sharon Smith
(949) 643-9648 ext. 22 or sharon@avicepalace.com

Eligibility:

The competition is open to all skaters who are current eligible (ER 1.00) members of Learn to Skate USA Program and/or are full members of U.S. Figure skating. To be eligible, skaters must have submitted a membership application or be a member in good standing. Members of other organizations are eligible to compete but must be registered with the host Learn to Skate USA program/club.

Eligibility will be based on skill level passed or one level up as of closing date of entries. All Snowplow and Learn to Skate USA Basic 1-6 skaters must skate at highest level passed or one level higher and NO official U.S. Figure Skating tests may have been passed including MIF or individual dances.

For the Free Skate 1-6 and Well Balanced levels, eligibility will be based only upon highest free skate test level passed (moves in the field test level will not determine skaters competitive level). Skaters may skate at highest level passed OR one level higher BUT not both levels in the same event during the same competition.

Coaches:

U.S. Figure Skating Rule MR 5.11 Coach Compliance

In order to be granted access to work within U.S. Figure Skating sanctioned activities, each coach must complete the following requirements on an annual basis by July 1st:

- A. Must be a current full member of U.S. Figure Skating - either through a member club or as an individual member.
- B. Must complete the coach registration process through the U.S. Figure Skating Members Only site, submit proper payment for the annual registration fee of \$30 and, if 18 years of age or older, successfully pass the background screen.
- C. Must complete the appropriate CER courses (A, B, C or D) depending on the highest level of students being coached as of July 1. See rule MR 5.12.
- D. Must submit proof of current general liability insurance with limits of \$1 million per occurrence \$5 million aggregate
- E. For Learn To Skate USA coaches only- any person, 18 and older, instructing in a U.S. Figure Skating Basic Skills/Learn To Skate USA Program must have successfully passed the annual background screen and be registered as a Basic Skills/Learn to Skate USA instructor member

Events & Entry Fees:

Showcase Snowplow Sam through Basic 1	First Event	\$35
	Second Event	\$30
Showcase Basic 2 through Preliminary	First Event	\$45
	Second Event	\$30

Schedule of Events:

A schedule of events will be posted online at www.avicepalace.com and at the Aliso Viejo Ice Palace

Judging:

The 6.0 Majority Judging System will be used for all events.

Refunds:

No refunds will be granted after the close of entries.

Registration:

A registration desk will be at the entrance to the ice arena on the days of the competition. All competitors must check in at the registration desk **45 minutes prior to their scheduled event.** If the competition is running ahead of schedule some events may begin up to 15 minutes early.

Music:

CDs must be turned into the registration desk. Please make sure CDs are clearly labeled with the skater's name and event. Only one song per CD. Don't forget to bring a back up CD for emergencies. Please pick up your music at the completion of your event. All music left at the end of the competition will be discarded after 1 week.

Awards:

All skaters will receive an award. Individual awards will be given after the posting of the results of each event.

SHOWCASE EVENTS

Showcase events are open to skaters in Basic, Free Skate, Limited Beginner through Preliminary and Adult Bronze. Groups will be divided by number of entries and ages if possible. Skaters must enter at the same level as their free skate event or highest test level of skater's in the group ensemble or production number. If a free skate event is not being entered, skaters must enter at their current test level or one level higher. Vocal music is permitted.

Show costumes are permitted, as long as they do not touch or drag on the ice. Props and scenery must be placed and removed by unaided singles and duet competitors within one minute and by unaided ensemble contestants within two minutes for setup and two minutes for removal. A 0.2 deduction will be assessed by the referee against each judge's mark for each five seconds in excess of the time allowed for the performance, for handling props and scenery and for scenery assistance.

Performances will be judged from an entertainment standpoint, for theatrical qualities. Technical skating skills and difficulty will not be rewarded as such; however, skating must be the major element of the performance and be of sufficient quality to support the selected theatrical elements. Unintended falls, poorly executed skating elements and obvious losses of control will reduce contestant's marks. Jump difficulty is not rewarded in showcase; therefore jumps, if choreographed, should be performed with style, flow and confidence. Theatrical elements evaluated will include energy, poise, acting, pantomime, eye contact, choreography, form/extension and the use of props and ice.

6.0 Judging will be used. Deductions will be made for skaters including technical elements not permitted in the event description.

* For specific guidelines regarding the conduct of Showcase competitions, refer to the Nonqualifying Showcase Guidelines posted on www.usfigureskating.org.

Showcase categories may include:

- Levels can be subdivided, if necessary, depending on entry numbers and event set up
- Dramatic entertainment: Showcase program utilizing intense emotional skating quality to depict choreographic theme.
- Light entertainment: Showcase program emphasizing such choreographic expressive qualities such as comedy, love and mime while incorporating skating skills.
- Duets: Theatrical/artistic performances by any competitors.
- Mini production ensembles: Theatrical performances by three to seven competitors.
- Production ensembles: Theatrical performances by eight to 30 skaters. Theater On Ice teams are eligible as production ensembles. NOTE: Skaters may enter only one each duet, mini production or production event.

LEVEL	ELEMENTS	QUALIFICATIONS	PROGRAM LENGTH
Basic 1-6	Elements only from Basic 1-6 curriculum	May not have passed any higher than Basic 6 level.	Time: 1:00 max.
Pre-Free Skate-Free Skate 6/ Beginner/High Beginner/ Adult 1-6	3 jump maximum. ½ rotation jumps only, plus the following full rotation jumps: Salchow and toe loop.	May not have passed any official U.S. Figure Skating free skate tests.	Time: 1:30 max.
No Test/ Pre-Preliminary/ Adult Pre-Bronze	3 jump maximum. No Axels or double jumps permitted.	Must have passed no higher than U.S. Figure Skating Pre-Preliminary or Adult pre-Bronze free skate test.	Time: 1:30 max.
Preliminary/ Adult Bronze	3 jump maximum. Axels are permitted, but no double jumps allowed.	Must have passed no higher than U.S. Figure Skating Preliminary free skate or Adult Bronze test.	Time: 1:40 max.

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Name: _____ Birthdate: _____ Age on 5/213/18: _____ Sex: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

LTS/USFS #: _____ Highest level passed: _____ Rink/Club: Aliso Viejo Ice Palace

Please Mark the Event(s) You Are Entering:

Showcase Light Entertainment:

_____ Snowplow Sam
_____ Basic 1 _____ Basic 4
_____ Basic 2 _____ Basic 5
_____ Basic 3 _____ Basic 6
_____ Pre-Freeskate _____ Free Skate 6
_____ Free Skate 1 _____ Beginner
_____ Free Skate 2 _____ High Beginner
_____ Free Skate 3 _____ No Test
_____ Free Skate 4 _____ Pre-preliminary
_____ Free Skate 5 _____ Preliminary

Showcase Dramatic Entertainment:

_____ Snowplow Sam
_____ Basic 1 _____ Basic 4
_____ Basic 2 _____ Basic 5
_____ Basic 3 _____ Basic 6
_____ Pre-Freeskate _____ Free Skate 6
_____ Free Skate 1 _____ Beginner
_____ Free Skate 2 _____ High Beginner
_____ Free Skate 3 _____ No Test
_____ Free Skate 4 _____ Pre-preliminary
_____ Free Skate 5 _____ Preliminary

Entry Fees:

First Event \$45.00
Snowplow Sam & Basic 1 \$35.00
Each Additional Event \$30.00
TOTAL \$ _____

DEADLINE: April 21, 2018

Please Make Checks Payable to Ice Palace

Sorry, No Refunds. No Cash will be accepted!
Returned Check Fee - \$25.00
If accepted, late entries must pay double fees
Any changes to this original entry form will result in a
change fee of \$10 per event.

I (We) assume the risks inherent in the sport of ice skating. I (We) indemnify, release, hold harmless and covenant not to sue LTSUSA, participating rinks, their employees, coaches, contractors and volunteers.

PARES SIGNATURE (IF SKATER UNDER 18)

Sharon Smith
PROGRAM DIRECTOR/CLUB OFFICER

COACH

COACH'S PHONE #

COACH'S EMAIL

Office Use Only

Amount Paid: \$ _____ Check #: _____ Charge: _____ Name on Check : _____

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