Winchester Figure Skating Club

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Winter 2017 Newsletter

Holiday Exhibition

Congratulations and thank you to all of the skaters who performed at the Club's annual Holiday Exhibition on Tuesday December 20th. WFSC skaters entertained family and friends with beautiful performances. It was an entertaining and enjoyable event for all who attended. Also, thank you to the families who contributed to the delicious array of appetizers, entrees, desserts, and beverages!



Welcome New Members

Please join us in welcoming several new skaters who joined the club recently: Lauren C., Amel H., Alison I., Rebecca J., and Keira T. WFSC is so happy to have you all with us, and we are excited to get to know our new members!

Ice Monitors Needed

Ice Monitors are desperately needed and monitoring is an easy way to fulfill your required club volunteer hours. WFSC uses SignUp.com to book ice monitor volunteer slots. Simply go to http://signup.com/go/K44s7J and select your preferred slots.

Important Dates

2/21/17 No 5:10 or 6:10 ice sessions due to

Cahoon Tournament

2/23/17 No 6:10 ice session due to Cahoon Tournament

3/6/17 Session 3 begins (and ice times shift one

hour earlier once BHS hockey season ends – date tbd)

4/17/17 WFSC MIF/FS Test Session

Coupons

As a friendly reminder, coupons are like cash. The Club cannot replace lost coupons. We suggest writing your skater's name on the coupons as soon as you receive them.

Updates



Follow "Winchester FSC at the Burlington Ice Palace" for all of our latest news and important updates.



Mission Statement

The goal of the Club is to:

- · Provide a safe, welcoming, and friendly skating environment,
- · Foster, promote, encourage, advance, and improve figure skating,
- · Encourage and cultivate a spirit of harmony among figure skaters.

New Ice Rules

You may have noticed a set of ice session rules posted at the rink. Now that the club is growing and some sessions have a large number of skaters, the Board has established a set of rules to help ensure that WFSC ice sessions provide a safe and productive environment. The rules are intended to provide a structure to the ice sessions so all skaters and coaches can safely practice and achieve their figure skating goals.

The rules can be found in several places: in the glass display case in the Ice Palace lobby, at the monitor stand or ice door during sessions, and on the WFSC website. The rules will also be emailed to all skaters and coaches.

Please review the rules with your skater and coach. Happy and safe skating!

WFSC 2nd Annual Harvest Skate High School Competition

On Sunday, October 16th, the Winchester Figure Skating Club hosted its second annual High School competition at the Stoneham Arena. Many WFSC skaters competed as members of local high school teams, representing their schools.

This competition was the first in a series of five high school competitions for the 2016/17 season sponsored by the New England InterClub Council. This competitive series was designed for student-athletes with the desire to continue competing in figure skating during their high school years.

The WFSC Board would like to express its gratitude to the many members and parents who volunteered to help make the competition a success and a memorable event for the high school skaters. Thank you!



Skaters at the 2016 Harvest Skate High School Competition

2016 – 2017 Board Members

Karen Stock, President
Jodie Thomas, Secretary
Katherine Bond, Treasurer
Roberta Bailey, Pro-Liaison
Jonathan Atkinson
Amy Langridge
Ted Lim

Volunteer Opportunities

WFSC is completely volunteer-run and relies on the efforts of its members to fulfill its mission. Are you are looking for ways to fulfill your volunteer requirement? If so, below are some suggestions where there is the most need.

- Serve as ice monitor. Contact Jodie Thomas, jodiethomas@verizon.net
- Provide hospitality items for WFSC test sessions. Contact Karen Stock, klstock@msn.com
- Act as assistant to Test Chair for WFSC test sessions Contact Karen Stock, klstock@msn.com
- Organize a fundraising event. Contact Jonathan Atkinson, the atkinsons 20@googlemail.com
- ➤ Organize a social event for club members. Contact Jonathan Atkinson, the atkinsons 20@googlemail.com
- Other ideas We would love new efforts to make WFSC the best it can be. Please contact one of the board members with your ideas.

RESULTS FROM RECENT COMPETITIONS

Harvest Skate High School Competition, October 16, 2016

Noelle R.	Pre-Preliminary Test Track	Program	1^{st}
Christina C.	Pre-Juvenile Test Track	Program	1^{st}
Melanie T.	Pre-Juvenile Test Track	Program	2^{nd}
Elizabeth B.	Juvenile Test Track	Program	4^{th}
Ani K	Intermediate Test Track	Program	1 st

BHSA Basic Skills Winter Skate Competition, January 15, 2017

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Maeve S.	Basic 6 (A)	Elements	1^{st}
	Basic 6	Program	$3^{\rm rd}$
Lily M.	Pre Free Skate (B)	Elements	1 st
	Pre Free Skate (B)	Program	2^{nd}
Lauren C.	Pre Free Skate (B)	Program	$3^{\rm rd}$
Nyla H.	Free Skate 1 (A)	Program	2^{nd}
Megan S.	Free Skate 1	Compulsory	2^{nd}
	Free Skate 1 (B)	Program	$3^{\rm rd}$
Rebecca J.	Beginner	Jumps	1^{st}
	Free Skate 1 (B)	Program	4^{th}
Kerstyn L.	Free Skate 3	Compulsory	1^{st}
	Free Skate 3	Program	$3^{\rm rd}$
Molly M.	Free Skate 4 (A)	Compulsory	2^{nd}
	Free Skate 4 (A)	Program	2^{nd}
Alison I.	Free Skate 4 (B)	Program	1^{st}
Mackenzie F.	Free Skate 4 (B)	Compulsory	1^{st}
	Free Skate 4 (B)	Program	$3^{\rm rd}$
Sarah P.	Free Skate 5	Program	1^{st}
Sophie A.	Free Skate 5	Compulsory	1^{st}
	Free Skate 5	Program	$3^{\rm rd}$
Claire T.	Preliminary Test Track (A)	Program	$3^{\rm rd}$
Elena L.	Preliminary Test Track (A)	Program	1^{st}
Erin L.	Preliminary Test Track (B)	Program	1^{st}
Rachael L.	Intro Level	Compulsory	$1^{\text{st t}}$
	Well-Balanced Pre-Prelim	Program	1^{st}

Northeast ISC Winter Classic Competition, January 29, 2017

Lily M.	Pre Free Skate	Elements	6^{th}
	Pre Free Skate	Program	4^{th}
Rebecca J.	Free Skate 1	Program	2^{nd}
Mackenzie F.	Free Skate 4	Compulsory	$1^{\rm st}$
	Free Skate 4	Program	4^{th}

Congratulations to all WFSC skaters with recent test and competition successes!

And, best of luck at upcoming events!

RESULTS FROM RECENT TESTING SESSIONS

NAME	LEVEL	TYPE	DATE
Abigail M.	Novice	MIF	10/10/2016
Sophia M.	Novice	MIF	10/10/2016
Lily T.	Intermediate	MIF	10/10/2016
	Pre Preliminary	FS	10/10/2016
	Preliminary	FS	10/10/2016
Amanda A.	Preliminary	MIF	1/6/2017
Elizabeth B.	Juvenile	FS	1/6/2017
Francesca C.	Pre Preliminary	FS	1/6/2017
	Preliminary	MIF	1/6/2017
Christina C.	Pre Juvenile	MIF	1/6/2017
Amel H.	Pre Preliminary	FS	1/6/2017
	Pre Preliminary	MIF	1/6/2017
Elena L.	Pre Preliminary	FS	1/6/2017
	Preliminary	FS	1/6/2017
Chloe T.	Juvenile	FS	1/6/2017

Parents and Coaches:

To have your skater recognized in future newsletters, send test & competition results to info@winchesterfsc.com