# Winchester Figure Skating Club

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Winter 2018 Newsletter

# Holiday Exhibition

Club members, family, and friends enjoyed a fun-filled evening at the annual WFSC Holiday Exhibition on Thursday, December 14<sup>th</sup>. Skaters dazzled the audience, performing their routines to a variety of holiday music.

Everyone enjoyed a delicious pot-luck meal, conversation, and fun after the show. If any member was not in attendance and has not yet received their gift from the Club, please contact a Board member.

We look forward to the next member exhibition to be held in June. Date and time to be announced closer to the end of the school year.



# Important Dates

2/20/18 No 5:10 or 6:10 ice sessions due to Cahoon Tournament

2/22/18 No 6:10 ice session due to Cahoon Tournament

3/12/18 Session 3 begins (and ice times shift one hour earlier once BHS hockey season ends – date tbd)

4/16/18 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.

# Cirque du Soleil 'Crystal'

A group of WFSC members braved the winter storm on Saturday, December 9<sup>th</sup> and attended Cirque du Soleil 'Crystal" at the DCU Center in Worcester. The show was amazing, combining acrobatic feats with impressive skating.

Pictured to the right are several WFSC skaters posing with Crystal!

A special thanks to Emma Olson for initiating and organizing this fun event!

If anyone else has an idea for a club social event, please contact one of the Board members.



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# Congratulations, Emma!

The Board of Winchester Figure Skating Club would like to extend congratulations to member Emma L'Esperance & her ice dance partner Mika Amdour.

In November, they competed and placed 4<sup>th</sup> in the Eastern Sectional Championship for Juvenile Dance which earned them a spot in the National Championship.

The pair traveled to the US Figure Skating Championship in San Jose, California for national competition on January 1, 2018 and earned an impressive 4<sup>th</sup> place finish.

This was an amazing accomplishment! Excellent skating Emma and Mika!

## Earn Free Ice!

Would you like to earn free WFSC ice? If so, the Club's ice monitor incentive plan may interest you! Member families who have completed their annual required volunteer hours are eligible to earn a free ice session coupon for every two hours volunteered as ice monitor.

For details, please see the WFSC website "Volunteer" page and open the Volunteer Policy. <a href="https://www.winchesterfsc.com/volunteering/">www.winchesterfsc.com/volunteering/</a>

WFSC uses SignUp.com to book ice monitor volunteer slots. Simply go to  $\frac{\text{http://signup.com/go/ByWOfgK}}{\text{http://signup.com/go/ByWOfgK}} \text{ and select your preferred slots. The Club is in particular need for monitors on Mondays.}$ 

### 2017 – 2018 Board Members

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#### RESULTS FROM RECENT COMPETITIONS

#### Harvestfest High School Competition, October 29, 2017

Sarah P.	Pre-Preliminary FS	1 st
Christina C.	Pre-Juvenile FS	1 st
Rachael L.	Pre-Juvenile FS	$2^{nd}$
Taylor S.	Juvenile FS	4 <sup>th</sup>
Melanie T.	Juvenile FS	$7^{th}$
Kristen M.	Junior FS	$2^{nd}$
Sarah P.	Showcase, Low	$1^{st}$

#### Thanksgiving Classic High School Competition, November 10, 2017

Sarah P.	Pre-Preliminary FS	1 <sup>st</sup>
Christina C.	Pre-Juvenile FS	$1^{st}$
Rachael L.	Pre-Juvenile FS	$2^{nd}$
Melanie T.	Juvenile FS	$3^{\rm rd}$
Sarah P.	Showcase, Low	$3^{\rm rd}$
Elizabeth B.	Showcase, Intermediate	$5^{th}$

#### Silver Streaks Basic Skills Competition, November 19, 2017

Sossi P.	Pre-Free Skate Compulsory	$3^{\rm rd}$
Sossi P.	Pre-Free Skate Program	$1^{\mathrm{st}}$
Maeve S.	Free Skate 1 Program	$2^{nd}$
Lily M.	Free Skate 2 Program	$1^{\rm st}$
Megan S.	Free Skate 3 Program	$1^{\rm st}$
Nyla H.	Free Skate 4 Program	$1^{\mathrm{st}}$
Rebecca J.	Free Skate 5 Program	$1^{\mathrm{st}}$
Molly M.	Free Skate 5 Program	$2^{\text{nd}}$

#### Eastern Sectional Championship, November 14-18, 2017

Emma L. & Mika A. Juvenile Ice Dance 4<sup>th</sup>

#### US Figure Skating Championship in San Jose, CA, Dec 29, 2017 - Jan 8, 2018

Emma L. & Mika A. Juvenile Ice Dance 4<sup>th</sup>

#### BHSA Winter Skate Competition, January 14, 2018

Sossi P.	Free Skate 1 Compulsory	$2^{nd}$
Sossi P.	Free Skate 1 Program	$3^{\rm rd}$
Lauren C.	Free Skate 1 Compulsory	$1^{\mathrm{st}}$
Lauren C.	Free Skate 1 Program	$1^{\mathrm{st}}$
Maeve S.	Free Skate 2 Program	$1^{st}$
Lily M.	Free Skate 3 Program	$2^{nd}$
Megan S.	Free Skate 4 Program	$1^{st}$
Molly M.	Free Skate 5 Program	$1^{st}$
Nyla H.	Free Skate 5 Program	$2^{nd}$
Rebecca J.	Free Skate 5 Program	$3^{\rm rd}$
Mackenzie F.	Free Skate 5 Program	$3^{\rm rd}$

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

And, best of luck at upcoming events!

#### **Parents and Coaches:**

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

#### Winterfest High School Competition, January 14, 2018

Sarah P.	Preliminary FS	$1^{st}$
Rachael L	Pre-Juvenile FS	$1^{st}$
Christina C.	Pre-Juvenile FS	$2^{nd}$
Taylor S.	Juvenile FS	$3^{\rm rd}$
Emma L.	Novice FS	$4^{th}$
Kristen M.	Junior FS	$3^{\rm rd}$
Sarah P.	Showcase, Low	$1^{st}$
Melanie T.	Showcase, Intermediate	5 <sup>th</sup>
Elizabeth B.	Showcase, Intermediate	$6^{th}$

# RESULTS FROM RECENT TESTING SESSIONS

NAME	LEVEL	TYPE	DATE
Abigail M.	Intermediate	FS	10/09/17
Sophia M.	Intermediate	FS	10/09/17
Francesca C.	Pre-Juvenile	FS	10/11/17
Isabelle O.	Pre-Preliminary Preliminary	FS FS	10/11/17 10/11/17
Kerstyn L.	Preliminary	MIF	10/30/17
Rachael L.	Pre-Juvenile Pre-Juvenile	MIF FS	10/30/17 10/30/17
Emma L.	Senior	MIF	10/30/17
Sophie A.	Pre-Preliminary	FS	12/11/17
Erin L.	Juvenile	MIF	12/11/17
Elena L.	Pre-Juvenile Juvenile	FS MIF	12/11/17 12/11/17
Sarah P.	Pre-Preliminary Preliminary	FS MIF	12/11/17 12/11/17