## 2014 Wichita Mid-Continent Classic Basic Skills Competition <br> 

August 10, 2014

Sponsored by The Wichita Figure Skating Club
Sanctioned by:


Sanctioned by United States Figure Skating
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## RULES

The 2014 Wichita Mid-Continent Classic Basic Skills Competition will be conducted in accordance with the rules of U.S. Figure Skating as set forth in the 2014 Rulebook, the Skate With Us Competition Manual and the changes and amendments to the Rulebook as indicated by the reports of action of the 2014 May Governing Council Meeting.

## ELIGIBILITY

The competition is open to all skaters who are current eligible (ER 1.00) members of either the Basic Skills 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 skating organizations are eligible to compete but must be registered with the host Basic Skills Program/Club or any other Basic Skills Program/Club.

Eligibility will be based on skill level as of the closing date of entries. All Snowplow Sam and Basic Skills Skaters through Basic 8 must skate at the highest level passed and NO official U.S. Figure Skating tests may have been passed including MIF or individual dances.

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

## ENTRY FEES

## First Event: <br> Each Additional Event:

Entry Deadline June 28, 2014
$\$ 45.00$ includes one practice session \$20.00

Entries must be RECEIVED by June 28, 2014. A check or money order for the entry fees and practice ice must accompany the entry form. Late entries will be accepted only with the permission of the Chief Referee and then must be accompanied by an additional $\$ 25$ late entry fee. Incomplete entries may warrant a collect telephone call from the Competition Committee to obtain the needed information. There will be no refunds after June 28, 2014. All events will be held even if there is only one skater in the event. The Organizing Committee reserves the right to limit entries due to time constraints. All events can consist of both male and female skaters without advanced notice. There will be a $\$ 25$ charge for checks returned due to insufficient funds. Checks and money orders should be made payable to the: Wichita Figure Skating Club. Entry forms and checks should be mailed to:

## Robert Boroughs

1926 Keith Ct. Wichita, KS 67212

## FACILITIES

The Wichita Mid-Continent Classic Competition will be held at the Wichita Ice Arena located at 505 West Maple. The 2014 competition will be held in the Olympic rink which measures 100 'x200' with bleacher seating. The Olympic rink has rounded corners. There is a snack bar located on the lower level adjacent to the rink lobby, and there is an observation area located on the upper level over looking the Olympic rink. There also is a Pro Shop located just off the lobby on the ground level which also has skate sharpening facilities.

## REGISTRATION

A registration desk will be located on the upper level near the Olympic rink and will be open one hour prior to the first practice on Friday. Other hours will be announced after the final schedule has been posted. Skaters must register before being permitted to skate any of the practice sessions

## OFFICIAL NOTICES

The Official Starting Order And Event Notices will be posted in the registration area. It is the responsibility of each skater, parent and coach to check these postings for Event Times and Other Changes when entering the ice arena. Any corrections to the schedule will be posted in this area. It is requested that the skaters arrive at least 45 minutes prior to their event.

## AWARDS

Medals especially designed for the competition will be awarded to the first three places and ribbons for the next three places. Medals and Ribbons will be presented in the Awards Area immediately following each event. With the advent of digital cameras and cell phone cameras the skater's family can take their own Awards Photographs.

## PHOTOGRAPHY \& VIDEO

The Wichita FSC will provide an awards podium and back-drop in the awards area. With the advent of digital cameras and cell phone cameras the skater's family will be able to take their own awards pictures. Video cameras will be permitted in the main arena, but Please, NO flash photography at any time during practice or competition.

## MUSIC

Competitors in Free Skating and Artistic must furnish their own music on a standard CD-R. All music must be turned in at the time of registration and will not be returned until after the event has been completed. Each CD must have only one (1) track on it. Any disc with more than one track will not be accepted. Lead in time (time before the music begins) on the CD may not exceed two (2) seconds. Each CD must be in a standard CD sleeve and must be plainly marked with the competitors name, event and music run time. Sleeves and CD's that are not properly identified will not be accepted. Bring at least two copies of the music; one to turn in immediately at registration and one for practice. A spare CD must be readily available during the competition in case problems arise with the original CD. Please, present the original CD at the registration desk when you first arrive. CD's of excellent quality and good condition will be to the skater's advantage. Music will not be returned for practice after registration is completed. CD's can be picked up at the registration desk immediately following the event. The Music Committee will take all reasonable precautions to safeguard your CD; however, the committee will not accept responsibility for accidental damage.

## REFUNDS

There will be no refunds after June 28, 2014, unless no competition exists in the event or there is a death in the family.

## SCHEDULE

A tentative schedule will be posted on the club web site/Entryeeze web site as soon as it is available. We anticipate posting a confirmed schedule two weeks before the competition and individual confirmations will be mailed or emailed as soon as possible thereafter. The Local Organizing Committee (LOC) does not assume responsibility for changes in travel plans that may result from schedule changes.

## PRACTICE ICE

Official practice ice has been tentatively been scheduled to begin early Sunday morning August 10, 2014. Skaters must be registered before being allowed to skate any practice sessions. After all the requests have been assigned for official practice ice, and if the competition schedule allows, skaters may sign up for additional practice ice at the registration desk on a first come first served basis. Each session is 30 minutes in length. The deadline for practice ice is June, 28, 2014. See web site for details.

## LIABILITY

.U.S. Figure Skating, the Wichita Figure Skating Club, Officials of the Wichita Figure Skating Club, Competition Officials, the city of Wichita and the Wichita Ice Center at 505 West Maple, in Wichita, KS shall be held harmless from any loss, damage and/or injury that may be sustained by anyone in any manner while participating in any activities of this competition. Your signature on the entry form indicates your acceptance of this stipulation.

## HOTELS

The official hotel for the competition is the Fairfield Inn By Marriott, which is located about one mile east of the rink. Be sure to make reservations early to get the group rate. Hotels located close to the rink are listed below:

| Wyndham Gardens | Fairfield Inn by Marriott |
| :--- | :--- |
| 221 East. Kellogg, Wichita, Kansas 67202 | 525 South Main St., Wichita, Kansas 67202 |
| 316-269-2090 | 800-230-4134 |
| Single: $\$ 99 /$ night | Double: $\$ 99 /$ night |
| Located about one mile east of the rink | Single $\$ 99 /$ night |

## COMPETITION EVENTS

All events will be held even if there is only one skater in the event. The Organizing Committee reserves the right to limit entries due to time constraints. All events can consist of both male and female skaters without advanced notice.

Plan to arrive at the rink 45 minutes before your event starts. Check in with the monitor of your event as soon as you arrive. Competitors checking in after the official starting time of an event will not be allowed to skate in that event.

## BASIC ELEMENTS

Snowplow Sam - Basic 8
Format: Each skater will perform each element when directed by a judge or referee or have the option to perform one element at a time in the order listed below (no excessive connecting steps). Referee driven format examples: all skaters perform the first element before moving on to the next and so on OR each skater performs all of the required elements before moving on to the next skater.

1. To be skated on $1 / 3$ or $1 / 2$ ice.
2. No music.
3. All elements to be skated in the order listed.
4. Time 1:00 or less.

## Required Elements

## Snowplow Sam 1-3:

1. March followed by a two foot glide and dip
2. Forward two foot swizzles $2-3$ in a row
3. Forward snowplow stop
4. Backward wiggles $2-6$ in a row

## Basic Level 1:

1. Forward two foot glide and dip
2. Forward two foot swizzles 6-8 in a row
3. Forward snowplow stop
4. Backward wiggles $6-8$ in a row

## Basic Level 2:

1. Forward one foot glide - either foot
2. Forward alternating $1 / 2$ swizzle pumps, in a straight line - 2-3 each foot.
3. Moving snowplow stop
4. Two foot turn in place-forward to backward
5. Backward two foot swizzles 6-8 in a row

## Basic Level 5:

1. Backward outside edge on a circle clockwise or counter clockwise
2. Backward crossovers 4-6 consecutive - both directions
3. Basic one foot spin - free leg held to side of spinning leg - minimum three revolutions
4. Side toe hop - either direction
5. Hockey stop

## Basic Level 8:

1. Moving forward outside or forward inside three turns R \& L
2. Waltz Jump
3. Mazurka - either direction
4. 1 Combination move - clockwise or counter clockwise - two forward crossovers into FI Mohawk, step down, cross behind, step into one back crossover and step to a forward inside edge
5. Beginning one-foot upright spin - free foot held to side of spinning leg or crossed position - minimum three revolutions

## BASIC PROGRAM EVENT <br> Snowplow Sam - Basic 8

Format: The skating order of the required elements is optional. The elements are not restricted as to the number of times the element is executed or length of glides, number of revolutions, etc., unless other wise specified. Vocal music is allowed.

1. The event will be skated on full ice.
2. The skater may use elements from a previous level.
3. A 0.2 deduction will be taken for each element performed from a higher level.
4. Time 1:00 +/- 10 seconds.

## Required Elements

| Snowplow Sam Pr | Basic 5 |
| :---: | :---: |
| 1. March followed by 2 foot glide and dip <br> 2. Forward 2 foot swizzles $2-3$ in a row <br> 3. Forward snowplow stop <br> 4. Backward wiggles, 2-6 in a row | 1. Backward crossovers $4-6$ consecutive in both directions <br> 2. Basic one-foot spin - free leg held to side of spinning leg - minimum three revolutions <br> 3. Side Toe Hop - either direction <br> 4. Hockey stop |
| Basic 1 <br> 1. Forward two foot glide and dip <br> 2. Forward two foot swizzles, 6-8 in a row <br> 3. Forward snowplow stop <br> 4. Backward wiggles, $6-8$ in a row | Basic 6 <br> 1. Standstill forward inside 3 - turn - R \& L <br> 2. Bunny Hop <br> 3. Forward spiral on a straight line - $R$ or $L$ <br> 4. Lunge R or L <br> 5. T-Stop R or L |
| Basic 2 <br> 1. Forward one foot glide - either foot <br> 2. Two foot turn in place - forward to backward <br> 3. Backward two foot swizzles, 6-8 in a row <br> 4. Forward alternating $1 / 2$ swizzle pumps, in a straight line 2-3 each foot <br> 5. Moving snowplow stop | Basic 7 <br> 1. Standstill forward inside open Mohawk - $R$ to $L$ and L to R <br> 2. Ballet Jump, either direction <br> 3. Back crossovers to a back outside edge landing position, clockwise and counter clockwise <br> 4. Forward inside pivot |
| Basic 3 <br> 1. Forward stroking <br> 2. Forward $1 / 2$ swizzle pumps on a circle, either clockwise or counter clockwise 4-6 consecutive <br> 3. Forward Slalom <br> 4. Backward one foot glide - either foot <br> 5. Two foot spin - minimum three revolutions | Basic 8 <br> 1. Moving forward outside or forward inside 3-turns R \& L <br> 2. Waltz Jump <br> 3. Mazurka in either direction <br> 4. 1 Combination move - clockwise or counter clockwise two forward crossovers into FI Mohawk, step down, cross behind, step into one back crossover and step to a forward inside edge <br> 5. Beginning one-foot upright spin - free foot held to side of spinning leg or crossed position - minimum three revolutions |

Basic 4

1. Standstill forward outside three-turn - R \& L
2. Forward crossovers 4-6 consecutive both directions
3. Backward stroking-4-6 strokes
4. Backward snowplow stop - R or L

## FREE SKATE 1-6 COMPULSORY EVENT

Format: In program form, using a limited number of connecting steps, the skating order of the required elements is optional.

1. To be skated on $1 / 2$ ice.
2. No music is allowed.
3. The skater must demonstrate the required elements and may use any additional elements from previous levels.
4. A 0.2 deduction will be taken for each element performed from a higher level.
5. Time 1:15 minutes or less.

## Required Elements

Free Skate Level 1 Compulsory

1. Advanced forward stroking 4-6 consecutive
2. Backward outside three-turns R \& L
3. One-foot upright scratch spin from backward

Crossovers - minimum three revolutions
4. Waltz Jump from backward crossovers
5. Half Flip Jump

Free Skate Level 2 Compulsory

1. Forward outside or inside spiral R or L
2. Waltz Three's - R or L, 2-3 sets
3. Beginning back spin - entry optional (min 2 revs)
4. Waltz jump, side toe hop, waltz jump sequence
5. Toe Loop Jump

Free Skate Level 3 Compulsory

1. Forward crossovers in a figure 8
2. Backward inside three-turns, R \& L
3. Back spin-minimum three revolutions
4. Salchow Jump
5. Waltz Jump/toe loop or Salchow/toe loop Jump combination

Free Skate Level 4 Compulsory

1. Forward power 3's, 2-3 consecutive sets - R or L
2. Sit spin - minimum three revolutions
3. Loop Jump
4. Waltz jump/loop jump combination

## Free Skate Level 5 Compulsory

1. Camel spin - minimum three revolutions
2. Forward upright spin to back upright spin minimum three revolutions, each foot
3. Loop/loop jump combination
4. Flip jump

## Free Skate Level 6 Compulsory

1. Five step Mohawk sequence -1 set alternating pattern (refer to Basic Skills Curriculum Freeskate 6)
2. Camel, sit spin combination - minimum of four revolutions total
3. Split jump or stag jump
4. Waltz Jump, $1 / 2$ loop, salchow combination
5. Lutz Jump

## FREE SKATE 1 - 6 PROGRAM EVENT

Format: The skating order of the required elements is optional. The elements are not restricted as to the number of times an element is executed, or length of glides, number of revolutions, etc. unless otherwise stated. Connecting moves and steps should be demonstrated throughout the program. Vocal music is allowed.

1. To be skated on full ice.
2. The skater must demonstrate the required elements and may use but is not required to use any additional elements from the previous levels.
3. A 0.2 deduction will be taken for each element performed from a higher level.
4. Time 1:30+/- 10 seconds.

## Required Elements

## Free Skate 1

1. Advanced forward stroking 4-6 strokes
2. One-foot upright scratch spin from back crossovers

- minimum three revolutions

3. Waltz Jump from back crossovers
4. Half Flip Jump

Free Skate 4

1. Forward power 3's, 2-3 consecutive $R$ or $L$
2. Sit spin - minimum three revolutions
3. Loop Jump
4. Waltz Jump/Loop Jump combination

## Free Skate 5

1. Camel spin - minimum three revolutions
2. Forward upright spin to back upright spin - minimum Three revolutions each foot
3. Loop/Loop combination jump
4. Flip Jump

Free Skate 6

1. Camel/sit spin combination min of four revolutions total
2. Split or stag jump
3. Waltz Jump/1/2 Loop/Salchow combination
4. Lutz Jump

## ARTISTIC PROGRAM

This event is like a show. This means the programs should be entertaining, imaginative and creative. Above all the choreography must reflect and interpret the music.

1. The program time limits are $1: 00+/-10$ secs for Basic $1-8$ levels and $1: 30+/-10$ secs for Freeskate $1-6$ levels
2. Music is to be provided by the skater. Vocal music is permitted.
3. Costumes and make-up should not be overly garish or suggestive..
4. Hand props such as a cane, doll, baton etc are permitted. No live props such as pets or animals. Props may not be placed in the center of the ice at any time. Props may be placed on or against the railing or handed to another person.
5. One mark will be given by the judges for creativity, music interpretation and entertainment value. Credit for difficult jumps and spins will be based solely on the choreographic value and not difficulty.
6. Male and female skaters may be combined to make an event.
7. All competitors are invited to appear in the official photo(in full costume of course). There is no obligation to purchase the photograph.

## 2014 WICHITA MID-CONTINENT CLASSIC BASIC SKILLS ENTRY FORM

## Both pages of this form must be filled out completely or the application will not be accepted



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Skaters Name: $\qquad$ USFS No.:

| BASIC ELEMENTS | BASIC PROGRAM | ARTISTIC PROGRAM |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Snowplow Sam | Snowplow Sam | Snowplow Sam |
| Basic 1 | Basic 1 | Basic 1 |
| Basic 2 | Basic 2 | Basic 2 |
| Basic 3 | Basic 3 | Basic 3 |
| Basic 4 | Basic 4 | Basic 4 |
| Basic 5 | Basic 5 | Basic 5 |
| Basic 6 | Basic 6 | Basic 6 |
| Basic 7 | Basic 7 | Basic 7 |
| Basic 8 | Basic 8 | Basic 8 |
|  |  | Freeskate 1 |
| FRRE SKATE COMPULSORY | FREE SKATE PROGRAM | Freeskate 2 |
| Freeskate 1 | Freeskate 1 | Freeskate 3 |
| Freeskate 2 | Freeskate 2 | Freeskate 4 |
| Freeskate 3 | Freeskate 3 | Freeskate 5 |
| Freeskate 4 | Freeskate 4 | Freeskate 6 |
| Freeskate 5 | Freeskate 5 |  |
| Freeskate 6 | Freeskate 6 |  |
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|  | Fee | Number of Events | Amount |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| First Event | $\$ 45$ | (includes 1 practice session) |  |
| Each Additional event/skater | $\$ 20$ | x number of additional events | - |
| Late fee (if applicable) | $\$ 25$ |  |  |
|  |  | TOTAL ENCLOSED |  |
| Check List: (Have you Included) |  | Mail All Forms And Monies To: |  |
| 1. Completed Entry Form ( 2 pages) |  | Robert Boroughs |  |
| 2. Completed Certification Form |  | 1926 Keith Ct. |  |
| 3. Completed Practice Ice Form (Advertising Form if Applicable) Wichita, KS 67212 <br> 4. Check or money order made out to: Wichita Figure Skating Club  |  |  |  |

Basic Skills entries and practice ice reservations require separate forms and checks There will be a $\$ 25$ charge for all returned checks

Deadline is June $28^{\text {th }}$, 2014

## 2014 Wichita Mid-Continent Classic Basic Skills Authorization and Certification Form <br> Entries can't be officially accepted unless properly signed. An incomplete entry form could result in a late fee COMPETITOR/PARENT/GUARDIAN STATEMENT

The undersigned agrees to hold harmless United States Figure Skating; the Wichita Figure Skating Club and all of its officers, Board Members and volunteers; the Wichita Ice Center of Wichita, its owners, employees and agents, and the City of Wichita, its employees and agents, from any loss, damage, and/or injury that may be sustained by the entrant in any manner while participating in any activities of the 2014 Wichita Mid-Continent Classic Competition. In case of an injury, I hereby authorize emergency first-aide treatment for my child or myself while participating in said competition.

I state that this application contains correct information to the best of my knowledge, and that I will accept a COLLECT phone call if this application is incomplete(if such information is necessary to comply with the rules and regulations of U.S. Figure Skating and the competition committee).

| $\mathbf{X}$ | Signature of Entrant <br>  <br>  <br>  <br>  <br> COACH'S CERTIFICATION |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |

I have reviewed the entry form and certify that it is complete and that the skater is eligible for the events entered:
X
Signature of Coach Phone Number
Home Phone No. (_) Cell Phone No. ( )

Email Address $\qquad$

## USFSA CLUB CERTIFICATION

I hereby approve the entry for $\qquad$ for the 2014 Wichita MidContinent Classic Competition and I certify that he/she is a member in good standing of our Club and of the USFS and is eligible to enter the events specified.

X Club Officer/Test Chairman Title of Club Officer Date

Check List: (Have you Included)
5. Completed Entry Form (2 pages)
6. Completed Certification Form (this page)
7. Completed Practice Ice Form (Advertising Form if Applicable)

Mail All Forms And Monies To:
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8. Check or money order made out to: Wichita Figure Skating Club

Wichita, KS 67212

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## 2014 WICHITA MIDCONTINENT CLASSIC COMPETITION PROGRAM ADVERTISING RATES

Name: $\qquad$
Company: $\qquad$

Address: $\qquad$

City: $\qquad$ State: $\qquad$ Zip: $\qquad$
Phone(home): $\qquad$ Phone(bus): $\qquad$

| Front Inside Cover | Full Page Color | $\$ 300.00$ | $\$$ |
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| Back Inside Cover | Full Page | $\$ 200.00$ | $\$$ |
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| Good Will Ad |  | $\$ 15.00$ | $\$$ |
| Patrons Bronze Level |  | $\$ 20.00$ | $\$$ |
| Patrons Silver Level |  | $\$ 45.00$ | $\$$ |
| Patrons Gold Level |  | $\$ 50.00$ | $\$$ |
|  | Total Enclosed: |  | $\$$ |

Design Selection(see next page)
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Your Message: (Please print or type)
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You may submit your own camera-ready artwork
Advertising fee must accompany this form.

## Mail to:

Robert Boroughs 1926 Keith Ct. Wichita, KS 67212

Make Check or Money Order Payable to:
WICHITA FIGURE SKATING CLUB


