2014 Wichita Mid-Continent Classic Basic Skills Competition



August 10, 2014

Sponsored by The Wichita Figure Skating Club



Sanctioned by United States Figure Skating

Ice Sports Wichita, 505 West Maple St., Wichita, Kansas 67213

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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: Each Additional Event: Entry Deadline June 28, 2014 \$45.00 includes one practice session \$20.00

Entries must be <u>RECEIVED</u> 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
 316-201-1400
 888-236-2427

 Single: \$99/night
 Double: \$99/night
 Single \$99/night
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COMPETITION EVENTS

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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 <u>order listed below</u> (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 ½ 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 3:

- 1. Forward Stroking
- 2. Forward ½ swizzle pumps on a circle, either clockwise or counter clockwise 4 6 consecutive
- 3. Forward slalom
- 4. Backward one foot glide either foot
- 5. Two foot spin minimum three revolutions

Basic Level 4:

- 1. Standstill forward outside three-turn R & L
- 2. Forward outside edge on a circle clockwise or counter clockwise
- 3. Forward crossovers 4-6 consecutive both directions
- 4. Backward stroking 4-6 strokes
- 5. Backward snowplow stop R or L

Basic Level 5:

- Backward outside edge on a circle clockwise or counter clockwise
- 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 6:

- 1. Standstill forward inside three turn R & L $\,$
- 2. Bunny Hop
- 3. Forward spiral on a straight line R or L
- 4. Lunge R or L
- 5. T stop R or L

Basic Level 7:

- Standstill forward inside open Mohawk
 R to L and L to R
- 2. Ballet Jump either direction
- 3. Back crossovers to a back outside edge landing position clockwise and counter clockwise
- 4. Forward inside pivot

Basic Level 8:

- 1. Moving forward outside or forward inside three turns R & L $\,$
- 2. Waltz Jump
- 3. Mazurka either direction
- 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 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.
- The skater may use elements from a previous level.
 A 0.2 deduction will be taken for each element performed from a higher level.
 Time 1:00 +/- 10 seconds.

Required Elements

Snc	owplow Sam Program 1 –3	Ba	sic 5
1.	March followed by 2 foot glide and dip	1.	Backward crossovers 4- 6 consecutive in both
2.	Forward 2 foot swizzles 2 - 3 in a row		directions
3.	Forward snowplow stop	2.	Basic one-foot spin - free leg held to side of spinning
4.	Backward wiggles, 2 - 6 in a row		leg - minimum three revolutions
		3.	Side Toe Hop - either direction
			Hockey stop
Bas	sic 1	Ва	sic 6
1.	Forward two foot glide and dip	1.	Standstill forward inside 3 - turn - R & L
2.	Forward two foot swizzles, 6 - 8 in a row	2.	Bunny Hop
3.	Forward snowplow stop	3.	Forward spiral on a straight line - R or L
4.	Backward wiggles, 6 - 8 in a row	4.	Lunge R or L
		5.	T-Stop R or L
Bas	sic 2	Ва	sic 7
1.	Forward one foot glide - either foot	1.	Standstill forward inside open Mohawk - R to L and
			L to R
	Two foot turn in place - forward to backward	2.	Ballet Jump, either direction
3.	Backward two foot swizzles, 6 - 8 in a row	3.	Back crossovers to a back outside edge landing
4.	Forward alternating 1/2 swizzle pumps, in a straight		position, clockwise and counter clockwise
	line 2 - 3 each foot	4.	Forward inside pivot
5.	Moving snowplow stop		
Bas	sic 3	Ba	sic 8
1.	Forward stroking	1.	Moving forward outside or forward inside 3-turns R & L
2.	Forward 1/2 swizzle pumps on a circle, either	2.	Waltz Jump
	clockwise or counter clockwise 4 - 6 consecutive	3.	Mazurka in either direction
3.	Forward Slalom	4.	1 Combination move - clockwise or counter clockwise -
4.	Backward one foot glide - either foot		two forward crossovers into FI Mohawk, step down,
5.	Two foot spin - minimum three revolutions		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
Bas	sic 4		
1.	Standstill forward outside three-turn – R & L		
2.	Forward crossovers 4 - 6 consecutive both		
	directions		
3.	Backward stroking - 4 - 6 strokes		
	Backward snowplow stop - R or L		
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FREE SKATE 1 – 6 COMPULSORY EVENT

Free Skate Level 4 Compulsory

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.
- 5. 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 <u>for each</u> element performed from a higher level.
- 5. Time 1:15 minutes or less.

Free Skate Level 1 Compulsory

Required Elements

	Advanced forward stroking 4 - 6 consecutive Backward outside three-turns R & L One-foot upright scratch spin from backward Crossovers – minimum three revolutions Waltz Jump from backward crossovers	2. 3.	Forward power 3's, 2-3 consecutive sets - R or L Sit spin - minimum three revolutions Loop Jump Waltz jump/loop jump combination
5.	Half Flip Jump		
Fre	ee Skate Level 2 Compulsory	Fr	ee Skate Level 5 Compulsory
1.	Forward outside or inside spiral R or L	1.	Camel spin - minimum three revolutions
2.	Waltz Three's - R or L, 2-3 sets	2.	Forward upright spin to back upright spin -
3.	Beginning back spin - entry optional (min 2 revs)		minimum three revolutions, each foot
4.	Waltz jump, side toe hop, waltz jump sequence	3.	Loop/loop jump combination
5.	Toe Loop Jump	4.	Flip jump
Fre	ee Skate Level 3 Compulsory	Fr	ee Skate Level 6 Compulsory
1.	Forward crossovers in a figure 8		Five step Mohawk sequence - 1 set alternating
2.	Backward inside three-turns, R & L		pattern (refer to Basic Skills Curriculum Freeskate 6)
3.	Back spin - minimum three revolutions	2.	
3.	Salchow Jump		revolutions total
5.	Waltz Jump/toe loop or Salchow/toe loop	3.	Split jump or stag jump
	Jump combination	4.	
	•	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.
- 4. A 0.2 deduction will be taken for each element performed from a higher level.
- 5. Time 1:30 +/- 10 seconds.

Required Elements

Fre	ee Skate 1	Fre	ee Skate 4
1.	Advanced forward stroking 4 - 6 strokes	1.	Forward power 3's, 2 - 3 consecutive R or L
2.	One-foot upright scratch spin from back crossovers	2.	Sit spin – minimum three revolutions
	- minimum three revolutions	3.	Loop Jump
3.	Waltz Jump from back crossovers	4.	Waltz Jump/Loop Jump combination
4.	Half Flip Jump		
Fre	ee Skate 2	Fre	ee Skate 5
1.	Forward outside spiral R or L	1.	Camel spin – minimum three revolutions
2.	Beginning back spin – minimum two revolutions	2.	Forward upright spin to back upright spin - minimum
3.	Waltz Jump, side toe hop, waltz jump		Three revolutions each foot
4.	Toe Loop	3.	Loop/Loop combination jump
		4.	Flip Jump
Fre	ee Skate 3	Fre	ee Skate 6
1.	Forward crossovers in a figure 8	1.	Camel/sit spin combination min of four revolutions total
2.	Back spin – minimum three revolutions	2.	Split or stag jump
3.	Salchow jump	3.	Waltz Jump/1/2 Loop/Salchow combination
4.	Waltz Jump/Toe Loop or Salchow/Toe Loop combination.	4.	Lutz Jump
	COMBINATION.		

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

First Name:	Last Name:		USFS No.:		
Street Address:					
City:			Ziړ	o:	
Home Phone:			_		
Age:		_Date of Birth:			
Program/Club Affiliatio				Male	Female
Coaches Information					
Name of Coach:			_USFS No.:_		
Home Phone #()					
Coaches Email:					
Parent/Chaperone Inform	mation				
Name of Parent/Chapero	one_				
Home Phone #()		Cell Phone # <u>(</u>)		
Highest Level Passed (A	As of June 28, 2014)				
Free Skate:	Date:	MIF:	Da	.te:	
Dance:	Date:	Pairs:	Da	te:	

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Skaters Name:	1	USFS No.:
71100000		08281700

BASIC ELEMENT	S 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 COMPUL	SORY FREE SKATE PROGRA	M 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	

Fee Summary	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)

1. Completed Entry Form (2 pages)

2. Completed Certification Form

3. Completed Practice Ice Form (Advertising Form if Applicable)

4. Check or money order made out to: Wichita Figure Skating Club

Mail All Forms And Monies To:

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Authorization and Certification Form

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

Check List: (Have you Included)

- 5. Completed Entry Form (2 pages)
- 6. Completed Certification Form (this page)
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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 28th, 2014

2014 WICHITA MIDCONTINENT CLASSIC COMPETITION PROGRAM ADVERTISING RATES

state: State:Phone(Front Inside Cover		
Front Inside Cover Full Page Color Back Outside Cover Full Page Color		
Back Outside Cover Full Page Color	\$300.00	
8		\$
Dooly Inside Cover Eull Dogo	\$250.00	\$
Back Inside Cover Full Page	\$200.00	\$
Full Page Ad Full Page	\$150.00	\$
Half Page Ad Half Page	\$75.00	\$
Fourth Page Ad Quarter Page	\$35.00	\$
Business Card Ad	\$25.00	\$
Good Will Ad	\$15.00	\$
Patrons Bronze Level Patrons Silver Level	\$20.00 \$45.00	\$
Patrons Solver Level Patrons Gold Level	\$45.00 \$50.00	\$
Total Enclosed:	φ30.00	\$ \$
Design Selection(see next page)		
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Your Message: (Please print or type)		
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