

Colonial Figure Skating Club
P.O. Box 517
West Acton, MA 01720



**2010 Colonial Open
Colonial Figure Skating Club
29th Annual Competition
May 14th, 15th & May 16th 2010**

***INCLUDING ADULT ONLY EVENTS &
COMPETITIVE TEST TRACK EVENTS***



Sanctioned by the U. S. Figure Skating

Visit our web site at <http://www.colonialfsc.com>

****ISU Judging System****

Juvenile, Intermediate, Novice, Junior and Senior Events will be judged using the ISU Judging System

Short Program, Free Skate, Dance and Pairs Events

Entry Forms for all Juvenile, Intermediate, Novice, Junior and Senior Competitors will be required to complete

Planned Program Content Form on the US Figure Skating Web Site (Members only page).

All other events will use the 6.0 Judging System

****Critique****

Critiques will be offered for all Short programs (Initial Rounds only) using the IJS Judging System and Juvenile Freeskate (Initial Rounds only)

You must register in advance. Please check critique box on the application form. Only pre-registered skaters will be able to take advantage of critiques.

**** Final Rounds****

Final Rounds will be held for Juvenile-Senior Freeskate (not including restricted Freeskate) and Intermediate – Senior Short Programs for events having 18 or more entries.

2010 Colonial Open Competition

The Colonial Figure Skating Club * May 14, 15 & 16, 2010 * Nashoba Valley Olympia, Boxborough, MA

Entries: This competition is open to all skaters who are members in good standing of the US Figure Skating and will be governed by the rules specified in the 2010 US Figure Skating Rule Book, and errata on the U.S. Figure Skating Web Site. The committee reserves the right to limit the number of competitors in each flight and in each category, to combine or divide groups, and in events where fewer than three competitors apply, to eliminate the category.

Deadline: All entries must be postmarked by USPS no later than **April 1, 2010**. Late entries may be accepted at the discretion of the Competition Committee. A double fee will be charged for any accepted late entries.

Contact: Lynne Sierra @ colonialopen@colonialfsc.com Emails will be answered within 48 hrs.

Mailing Address: 2010 Colonial Open P.O. Box 517, West Acton, MA 01720

Fees: Entry fees, listed below, must accompany the entry form and are payable to Colonial Figure Skating Club.

Event	1 st Event	2 nd Event	3 rd Event
Short Program Freestyle Moves in the Field Individual Compulsory Moves Compulsory Spins Showcase	\$85.00	\$50.00	\$40.00
Dance	\$45.00	\$25.00	\$20.00
Pairs	\$45.00 (per partner-Similar or Mixed)	\$25.00	

Information: Please visit the competition website for updates and changes.

Accidents & Refunds: 3222 applies to accidents, and refunds will only be made in accordance with 3235.

Test & Age: As of **April 1, 2010**, Entry Deadline.

Eligibility: Skaters may enter as many events as they choose and for which the skater is qualified. A skater may compete at one level higher than the skater's current test level, but not below. **Those skaters entering multiple events should be aware that three ice surfaces will be used for the competition.** The committee cannot be responsible for a skater's individual schedule conflicts. The Chief Referee will determine times and days for all events.

Facilities: The Nashoba Valley Olympia has handicap access ramps at our main entrance and inside Olympia III. The snack bar will be open throughout the competition.

- Olympia I, ice surface is 186 x 87
- Olympia II, ice surface is 183 x 84
- Olympia III, ice surface is 184 x 82 with round corners

Credentials: Professionals (Limit Two) listed on application will receive credentials. You must have met the registration requirement with US Figure Skating in order to be allowed to instruct/coach at this sanctioned non qualifying competition.

Admission: Free

ISU Judging System and Critiques : All short programs and Free Skate programs (Individual, Dance & Pairs) for Juvenile, Intermediate, Novice, Junior, and Senior events will be judged according to the ISU Judging System. Skaters participating in Short Programs for Intermediate, Novice, Junior and Senior events will be offered Critiques at the conclusion of their event if pre-registered. Juvenile Freestyle events will also be eligible for critique if preregistered.

Final Rounds: Final Rounds will be held for Juvenile-Senior Freestyle (not including restricted Freestyle) and Intermediate – Senior Short Programs for events having 18 or more entries.

Music: CDs are the only acceptable forms of media. **Cassettes will not be accepted.** CDs must be clearly marked with name, event entered and the music length. Each CD must have only ONE (1) track on it. In the case of short and long programs, two (2) separate disks must be used. Any disc with more than one (1) track will **NOT** be accepted. **Due to compatibility and reliability reasons music may NOT be submitted on re-recordable "CDRW" discs.**

Awards: Awards will be presented to 1st, 2nd, 3rd, and 4th place finishers and will be presented off ice at scheduled intervals throughout the competition.

Schedule and Practice Ice: Competition schedules and practice ice request forms will be posted on our web site at <http://www.colonialfsc.com>. No confirmations will be mailed. Limited practice ice will be available during the competition.

Video: A professional video service will be available. Those interested in video taping for personal use will be asked to use a designated area. No electrical outlets are available and tripods will not be permitted.

Accommodations:

Holiday Inn Boxborough Woods -Boxborough MA (978) 263-8701
Westford Regency – Westford MA (800) 543-7801
Sheraton Four Points - Leominster MA (978) 534-9000
Best Western - Hudson MA (978) 562-1001
Embassy Suites - Marlboro MA (508) 485-5900

Directions to Nashoba Valley Olympia:

From Rt 128: (total distance 12.5 mi) Take exit 29B onto Rt 2 for 7.9 miles to the Concord Prison Rotary. Following signs for Rt 2 continue on Rt 2 for 2.1 miles to a set of traffic lights. 100 yards after these lights bear left onto Rt 111. Continue straight through the next set of lights. Continue straight through West Acton Center and a set of lights. The Nashoba Valley Olympia is just over the Acton/Boxborough town line on the left.

From Rt 495: Take exit 28 onto Rt 111. Travel east on Rt 111 past the Boxborough Holiday Inn and Conference Center for a distance of 2.6 miles. The Nashoba Valley Olympia is on the right just prior to the Acton/Boxborough town line.

Short Program (IJS)

*** (Skaters may only enter one Short Program event.) ***

Intermediate: Juvenile or Intermediate Freeskating test passed. (Program: As specified in 3671)

Novice: Intermediate or Novice Freeskating test passed. (Program: As specified in 3661 & 3662)

Junior: Novice or Junior Freeskating test passed. (Program: As specified in 3651 & 3652) **Group C**

Senior: Junior or Senior Freeskating test passed. (Program: As specified in 3641 & 3642)

Freeskating (IJS Juvenile- Senior)

*** (Skaters may only enter one Free Skating event) ***

No Test: No Freeskating test passed, only single jumps allowed, **no axels or double jumps.** (Program: 1 ½ min)(3721)

Pre-Preliminary: No Freeskating test passed or Pre-Preliminary Freeskating test passed. **Axel, no double jumps** (Program: 1 ½ min) (3711)

Preliminary: Pre-preliminary or Preliminary Freeskating test passed. **Axel plus up to two different double jumps(Limited to double salchow, double Toe Loop and double Loop) which may be repeated in combination or sequence.** (Program: 1 ½ min) (3701)

Pre-Juvenile: Preliminary or Pre-Juvenile Freeskating test passed. **Axel plus up to three different double jumps which can be repeated in combination or sequence.** (Program: 2 min) (3691)

Juvenile: Pre-juvenile or Juvenile Freeskating test passed. (Program: 2¼ min) (3681) **No Triples**

Intermediate: Juvenile or Intermediate Freeskating test passed. (Program: 2½ min) (3672)

Novice: Intermediate or Novice Freeskating test passed. (Program: Ladies 3 min; Men 3½ min) (3663)

Junior: Novice or Junior Freeskating test passed. (Program: Ladies 3 ½; Men 4 min) (3653)

Senior: Junior or Senior Freeskating test passed. (Program: Ladies 4 min; Men 4 ½ min) (3643)

Pairs (IJS)

(Skaters may only enter one Pairs level)

A separate entry form and fee must be submitted for each partner. Pairs are male/female.

Pre-Juvenile: Pre-juvenile Pairs test passed* See rule 4090 for exceptions to tests. (Program: 2:00 min) (4090)

Juvenile: Juvenile Pairs test passed. * See rule 4080 for exceptions to tests. (Program: 2:30 min) (4080)

Intermediate: Intermediate Pairs test passed.* See rule 4070 for exceptions for tests. (Program: 3:00min)(4070)

Novice: Novice Pairs test passed. * See rule 4060 for exceptions for tests. (Freeskate 3:30 min) (Short: 2:50min) (4060)

Group B

Junior: Novice or Junior Pairs test passed. (Freeskate 4 min) (Short :2:50 min) (4050) **Group B**

Senior: Junior or Senior Pairs test passed. (Freeskate: 4:30 min) (Short:2:50 min) (4040) **Group B**

Similar Pairs

(Skaters may only enter one Similar Pairs event, events may be combined if fewer than 4 participants)

A separate entry form and fee must be submitted for each partner. Similar Pairs are male/male or female/female.

Pre-Preliminary/Intermediate: No higher than Intermediate Freeskating test passed. (Program: 2-3 min)

Novice/Senior: Novice, Junior or Senior Freeskating test passed. (Program: 2-3 min)

Competitive Test Track Events-(Test Programs) (6.0 Judging system)

(Skaters will not be able to enter both the Competitive Test Track events and Well Balanced Freeskating events.

Skaters must choose one or the other event) (Age limit 20 years or younger)

Limited Beginner: Skaters may not have passed tests higher than U.S. Figure Skating Basic Skills free skating badge tests (Program: Up to 1:30 +/- 10)

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Pre-Pre Test: Skaters may not have passed tests higher than U.S. Figure Skating pre-preliminary free skate test (Program Time :1:30 +/-10)

Preliminary Test: Skaters must have passed at least the U.S. Figure Skating pre-preliminary free skate test but may not have passed tests higher than the preliminary free skate test. (Program Time: 1:30 +/-10)

Pre-Juvenile Test: Skaters must have passed at least the U.S. Figure Skating preliminary free skate test but may not have passed tests higher than pre-juvenile free skate test (Program Time: 2:00 +/-10)

Juvenile Test: Skaters must have passed at least the U.S. Figure Skating pre-juvenile free skate test but may not have passed tests higher than juvenile free skate test (Program Time: 2:15 +/-10)

Intermediate Test: Skaters must have passed at least the U.S. Figure Skating juvenile free skate test but may not have passed tests higher than intermediate free skate test (Program Time: 2:30 +/-10)

Novice Test: Skaters must have passed at least the U.S. Figure Skating intermediate free skate test but may not have passed tests higher than novice free skate test (Program Time: Ladies 3:00 +/-10 Men 3:30+/-10)

Junior Test: Skaters must have passed at least the U.S. Figure Skating novice free skate test but may not have passed tests higher than junior free skate test (Program Time: Ladies 3:30 +/-10Men 4:00 +/-10)

Senior Test: Skaters must have passed at least the U.S. Figure Skating junior free skate test (Program Time: Ladies 4:00 +/-10Men 4:30 +/-10)

Competitive Test Track Program Requirements

Skaters may enter EITHER the new test track free skate program or the well-balanced track free skate program but **NOT** both during the same non-qualifying competition. Competitors will skate to music of their choice. Deductions **WILL** be made for skaters including technical elements not permitted in the event description.

LEVEL	ELEMENTS (Competitive Test Track)
Limited Beginner	2 Solo spins in an upright position (min 3 revolutions) no change of foot. Jumps with not more than one-half rotation (front to back or back to front); jump sequences are allowed. Maximum 5 Jump elements. Connecting moves and steps should be demonstrated throughout the program.
Beginner	2 Solo spins in an upright position (min 3 revolutions) change of foot optional. Jumps with not more than one-half rotation (front to back or back to front), single rotation jumps: Salchow and toe loop only. Combination jumps or jump sequences are allowed. Maximum of 5 jump elements. Connecting moves and steps should be demonstrated throughout the program.
Pre-Preliminary Test	Two solo spins of a different nature (min 3 revolutions and no flying spins) no change of foot. Single solo jumps allowed (no Axels), jump combinations or sequences using only a waltz jump, toe loop, and Salchow. Maximum 5 Jumping elements. Connecting moves and steps should be demonstrated throughout the program.
Preliminary Test	Two spins of a different nature, combination spins allowed (min 3 revolutions each and no flying spins). Jumps with not more than one rotation (no Axels). Jump combinations and sequences are allowed. Maximum 5 jumping elements. Connecting moves and steps should be demonstrated throughout the program.
Pre-Juvenile Test	Three spins in any position (min 3 revolutions), one must be a combination spin with change of foot optional (min 3 revolutions on each foot or 6 total revolutions and no flying spins). Jumps with not more than one and one half rotation (no Axels). Jump combinations and sequences are allowed. Maximum 5 jumping elements. One step sequence straight line, circular, or serpentine fully utilizing ice surface.
Juvenile Test	Three spins in any position (min 4 revolutions), one must be a combination spin with one change of foot (min 4 revolutions on each foot). May include flying spins. Any single jumps and jump combinations with not more than 1½ rotations. (Axel permitted). Maximum 6 jumping elements. One step sequence straight line, circular, or serpentine fully utilizing ice surface.
Intermediate Test	Three spins in any position (min 4 revolutions), one must be a combination spin with at least one change of foot (min 4 revolutions on each foot). May include flying spins. Any single jumps. Double jumps may only be the double Salchow and the double toe loop. Jump combinations and sequences allowed. Maximum 6 jumping elements. One step sequence straight line, circular, or serpentine fully utilizing ice surface.
Novice Test	Three spins in any position (min 6 revolutions) one must be a combination spin with at least one change of foot (min 5 revolutions on each foot). May include flying spins. Any single jumps. Double jumps may only be the double Salchow, double toe loop and the double loop. Jump combinations and sequences allowed. Maximum 7 jumping elements for men and 6 for woman. One step or spiral sequence (see Rule 3660 for description).
Junior Test	Three spins—one must be a flying spin, a solo spin (6 revolutions each) and a combination spin consisting of all three positions and one change of foot (minimum 2 in each position and minimum 5 revolutions on each foot). Any single jumps and double jumps may only be the double Salchow, double toe loop, double loop and the double flip. Jump combinations and sequences allowed. Maximum 8 jumping elements for men and 7 for ladies. Ladies and Men: One step sequence (see Rule 3650 for description).

Senior Test	Three spins one must be a flying spin, one solo spin (min 6 revolutions on all solo spins) one spin combination consisting of all three positions and one change of foot (minimum 2 in each position and minimum 5 revolutions on each foot). At least four different double jumps one must be a double Lutz. Jump combinations and sequences allowed. Maximum 8 jumping elements for men and 7 for ladies. Men: Two different step sequences. Ladies: One step sequence and one spiral sequence (see Rule 3640 for description).
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Moves in the Field
(Skaters may only enter one Moves in the Field event)

Preliminary: Pre-Preliminary or Preliminary MIF test passed. Pattern 2-consecutive outside and inside spirals; Pattern 3-forward power 3 turns

Pre-Juvenile: Preliminary or Pre-Juvenile MIF test passed. Pattern 5-forward and backward power change of edge pulls; Pattern 6-five step Mohawk sequence

Juvenile: Pre-Juvenile or Juvenile MIF test passed. Pattern 2-forward and backward freeskating cross strokes; Pattern 4-forward double 3 turns

Intermediate: Juvenile or Intermediate MIF test passed. Pattern 4-backward double 3 turns; Pattern 5-Brackets in the Field

Novice: Intermediate or Novice MIF test passed. Pattern 7-Bracket three bracket; Pattern 4-Forward & backward inside counters.

Junior: Novice or Junior MIF test passed. Pattern 3-forward and backward outside rockers; Pattern 5-power pulls

Senior: Junior or Senior MIF test passed. Pattern 1- Sustained edge step; Pattern 5-quick edge step.

Individual Compulsory Moves
(Skater may only enter one individual Compulsory Moves event)

Compulsory moves categories are based on Freeskating tests passed. All compulsory moves programs may not exceed but may be shorter than 1 ½ minutes. Skater **will not** be penalized if shorter than the maximum time. All specified moves must be included. Connecting steps are allowed and will be marked, but such steps should be limited to the minimum necessary to link various moves. Unspecified or additional moves are not permitted and marks will be deducted if any are included. Only one attempt will be allowed.

The program will be skated without music and using only half the ice at the discretion of the Referee.

Pre-Preliminary: No Freeskating tests or Pre-Preliminary Freeskating test passed.

1. Forward stroking with crossovers around end of the rink
2. Salchow
3. Waltz jump
4. Half-flip jump
5. One foot spin

Preliminary: Pre-Preliminary or Preliminary Freeskating test passed.

1. Forward crossovers in figure 8
2. Consecutive outside spirals (one on each foot)
3. Loop jump
4. Waltz jump/toe loop combination (no step or turn between jumps)
5. One foot back spin

Pre-Juvenile: Preliminary or Pre-Juvenile Freeskating test passed.

1. Three turns in the field (RFI 3 turn to LBO 3 turn to RFI 3 turn to LBO 3 turn)
2. Flip jump
3. One single jump combination to include a loop jump (no step or turn between jumps)
4. Attitude or layback spin (ladies) cross foot spin (men)
5. Combination spin-camel to sit spin
6. Consecutive forward outside spirals (1 each foot)

Juvenile: Pre-Juvenile or Juvenile Freeskating test passed.

1. Eight step mohawk sequence (clockwise)
2. Consecutive forward inside spirals (1 foot each)
3. Flip jump
4. Stag jump
5. Combination jump-2 single jumps (no step or turn between jumps)
6. Sit spin
7. Spin combination (1 change of foot, 1 change position)

Showcase
(Skaters may only enter one Showcase event)

Showcase is a form of skating in which the skater will be judged on overall performance. Eligibility rules of the corresponding Freeskating Level apply to all Showcase events. Regardless of the event, the length of all Showcase programs must be within 1 ½ - 2 ½ minutes. Competitors will be judged in the following categories with no order of preference:

1. Technical Merit
2. Costume – its suitability to the music
3. Music Interpretation
4. Choreography – suitability of the program sequence and elements to the music
5. Audience Appeal – overall composition, appearance and style

Compulsory Spins

Skaters may skate up one level. All levels will present a program without music incorporating the spins specified for their level. Programs shall not exceed the stated times but may be shorter without penalty. All levels will be competed on half-ice surface or at the discretion of the Referee. Test qualifications are the same as Ladies/Men's Freeskating event. Footwork sequences are allowed to connect moves, but they will not be marked. **DEDUCTIONS WILL BE MADE FOR ANY JUMPS PERFORMED.**

DIVISION	SKILLS	TIME LIMIT
Preliminary	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. One foot upright spin, optional free foot (3 rev) b. One foot back spin, entry optional (3 rev) c. Sit spin in recognizable sit position (3 rev) 	1.5 min
Pre-Juvenile	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. Camel spin (3 rev) b. One combination spin: Camel spin to sit spin – no change of foot (6 rev in positions) c. Front scratch to back scratch – exit on spinning foot (4 rev each foot) 	1.5 min
Juvenile	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. Forward sit spin (4 rev) b. Ladies: Layback or attitude spin (4 rev) Men: Forward camel spin (4 rev) c. One combination spin with one change of foot (4 rev each foot) – (camel, sit, or attitude positions) 	1.5 min
Intermediate	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. Sit spin to change foot sit spin (4 rev on each foot in position) b. Camel spin to backward camel spin (4 rev on each foot in position) c. Spin combination consisting of one change of foot and one change of position (4 rev on each foot) 	1.5 min
Novice	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. Choice of Camel spin, sit spin or layback spin (6 rev in position) b. Flying Camel spin (5 rev) c. Spin combination consisting of one change of foot and one change of position (5 rev on each foot) 	1.5 min
Junior	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. Flying sit spin or flying change (reverse sit spin) (6 rev in position) b. Layback or cross foot spin (6 rev) c. Spin combination consisting of three positions and one change of foot (5 rev on each foot) 	1 min 40 seconds
Senior	At least 4 spins (solo spins must be min. of 6 rev in position): <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. One must be a flying spin b. One must be a spin combination consisting of at least two positions and at least one change of foot (minimum of 10 total rev) 	1 min 40 seconds

Ice Dance

(Dancers may enter any number of events for which they are eligible)

You may skate at your test level or one level higher. A separate entry form and fee must be submitted for each dance partner. In Mixed Couple events all couples will skate together. Music will be provided by Colonial FSC.

Level	Solo	Shadow
Preliminary	Dutch Waltz	Rhythm Blues
Pre-Juvenile (Pre-Bronze)	Cha Cha	Canasta Tango
Juvenile (Bronze)	Ten Fox	Willow Waltz
Intermediate (Pre-Silver)	European Waltz	Fourteen Step
Novice (Silver)	American Waltz	Killian
Junior (Pre-Gold)	Starlight Waltz	N/A

Senior	(Gold)	Pasa Doble	N/A
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Solo/ Shadow Dance Eligibility Rules

Preliminary: Skaters may have passed the Preliminary but not the Bronze dance test.

Pre-Juvenile (Pre-Bronze): Skaters must have passed the Preliminary but not the Bronze dance test

Juvenile (Bronze): Skaters must have passed the Pre-Bronze dance, but not the Bronze dance test.

Intermediate (Pre-Silver): Skaters must have passed the Bronze test and may have passed any Pre-Silver but no Silver dance tests.

Novice (Silver): Skaters must have passed one Silver dance but not more than one Pre-Gold dance test.

Junior (Pre-Gold): Skaters must have passed one but not more than two Pre-Gold dances.

Senior (Gold): Skaters must have passed the Pre-Gold test.

Mixed Couples

Pre-Juvenile: Both test or higher and two bronze dance test.

Juvenile: Both or higher, the juvenile free dance

Intermediate: Both partners must have passed the intermediate MIF test or higher, the bronze dance test or higher, and the intermediate free dance test. (Under 18 years of age) (4420)

Novice: Both partners must have passed the novice MIF test or higher, at least one dance of the silver dance test and the novice free dance test. (No age requirement) (4410)

Level	Mixed Couples- Compulsory Dance
Pre-Juvenile	Canasta Tango
Juvenile	Fourteen Step
Intermediate	European Waltz
Novice	Blues

Eligibility Rules (Compulsory Dance)

partners must have passed the preliminary MIF (2) preliminary dances but no higher than pre- (Under 14 years of age) (4440)

partners must have passed the juvenile MIF test preliminary dances test or higher and the test. (Under 16 years of age) (4430)

NewFinal Rounds****

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Please Print Clearly

2010 Colonial Open Entry Form

Last Name: _____ First: _____ M/F _____ DOB _____ / _____ / _____

Street _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

E-mail: _____ Phone: (_____) _____ - _____

USFS # _____ Home Club _____ Professional _____

Tests Passed as of **April 1, 2010**:

FS _____ Moves _____ Pair _____ Dance _____

Pair or Dance Partner's Name(s): Event 1 _____ Event 2 _____ Event 3 _____

Partner must complete a separate entry form and pay applicable fee.

Showcase Theme: _____

Please enter me in the following events: Place an "X" in the proper box

Freeskating

- No Test
- Pre-Preliminary
- Preliminary
- Pre-Juvenile

Juvenile
CRITIQUE YES NO

- Intermediate
- Novice
- Junior
- Senior

Competitive Test Track

Freeskating

- Limited Beginner
- Beginner
- Pre-Preliminary Test
- Preliminary Test
- Pre-Juvenile Test
- Juvenile Test
- Intermediate Test
- Novice Test
- Junior Test
- Senior Test

Short Program

CRITIQUE YES NO

- Intermediate
- Novice
- Junior
- Senior

Similar Pairs

- Pre-Pre/ Intermediate
- Novice/ Senior

Pairs

- Juvenile
- Intermediate
- Novice Short
- Novice Free Skate
- Junior Short
- Junior Free Skate
- Senior Short
- Senior Free Skate

Moves in the Field

- Preliminary
- Pre-Juvenile
- Juvenile
- Intermediate
- Novice

Compulsory Moves

- Pre-Preliminary
- Preliminary
- Pre-Juvenile
- Juvenile

Showcase

- Preliminary
- Pre-Juvenile
- Juvenile
- Intermediate
- Novice
- Junior/Senior

Compulsory Spins

- Preliminary
- Pre-Juvenile
- Juvenile
- Intermediate
- Novice
- Junior
- Senior

Mixed Dance-Compulsory

- Pre-Juvenile
- Juvenile
- Intermediate
- Novice

Solo Dance

- Preliminary
- Pre-Juvenile
- Juvenile
- Intermediate
- Novice
- Junior
- Senior

Shadow Dance

- Preliminary
- Pre-Juvenile
- Intermediate
- Juvenile
- Intermediate
- Novice

<u>Singles Events</u>	1 st Event	\$85.00	<u>Dance Events only</u>	1 st Event	\$45.00
	2 nd Event	\$50.00		(Solo, Shadow)	2 nd Event
<u>Pairs</u>	Each Add'l Event	\$40.00	(Mixed Couples)	Each Add'l Event	\$20.00
	Per Partner	\$45.00		Per Partner	\$40.00

Double Fees for late entries

TOTAL AMT ENCLOSED \$ _____

Please have your Professional sign here verifying that you have entered the correct event(s): _____

I certify that _____ is an eligible person of the USFS, is a member in good standing, and is eligible to skate in the specified event(s). Club _____ Club Officer signature: _____ Name _____ USFS # required _____ USFS# _____

USFS, Colonial Figure Skating Club and Nashoba Valley Olympia undertake no responsibility for damages or injuries suffered by the skaters. As a condition of and in consideration of acceptance of their entries or participation therein, all entrants with their parents or guardians shall be deemed to agree to assume all risks of injury to their person and property resulting from, caused by or connected with, the conduct and management of this competition, and to waive and release any and all claims which they might have against any official, the USFS, Colonial Figure Skating Club or Nashoba Valley Olympia and its officers. All entries shall be accepted on such condition. (USFS 3222)

Skater Signature _____ Legal Guardian _____ Date _____

Checks payable to CFSC. Mail to CFSC- Colonial Open ; P.O. Box 517; W. Acton, MA 01720

Complete the following for credit card payment:

VISA/MASTERCARD # _____ EXP. DATE _____ AMOUNT DUE _____

Cardholder Name _____ Signature _____

Billing Address _____

Office Use Only: Date Rec'd _____ Amount _____ Payment Type _____

2010 Adult Colonial Open Events* New *
Please see separate entry form

Eligibility: This event is open for participation to all eligible competitors who are members in good standing of U.S. Figure Skating per rule 3050, E.R 1.02 and 1.06. Skaters may compete in as many disciplines as qualified by test level but may compete in only one event per discipline. A skater may compete at one level higher than the skater's current test level, but not below. **Those skaters entering multiple events should be aware that three ice surfaces will be used for the competition.** The committee cannot be responsible for a skater's individual schedule conflicts. The Chief Referee will determine times and days for all events.

Age Categories: Per rule 3292, there shall be age categories for all free skate and interpretive events. For the 2010 competitive season, the age categories are as follows:

- Class I: 21 years through 30 years
- Class II: 31 years through 40 years
- Class III: 41 years through 50 years
- Class IV: 51 years through 60 years
- Class V: 61 years and over

All age categories may be divided / combined depending on the number of entries and this authority lies with the chief referee. Events with two skaters will automatically be combined with the closest appropriate group. Proof of age is required for all events. The LOC reserves the right to require additional information.

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Adult Free skate	\$85.00	\$50.00	\$40.00
Adult Moves in the Field			
Adult Individual Compulsory Moves			
Adult Compulsory Spins			
Adult Jumps			
Adult Interpretive (Showcase)			
Dance	\$45.00	\$25.00	\$20.00
Pairs	\$45.00 (per partner Mixed)	\$25.00	

Accidents & Refunds: 3222 applies to accidents and refunds will only be made in accordance with 3235.

Test & Age: As of **April 1, 2010** Entry Deadline.

Please refer to standard application for additional competition details

All Adult events will be judged using the 6.0 Judging System.

Adult Freeskating (6.0 Judging System)
 *** (Skaters may only enter one Free Skating event) ***

3750 Masters Senior Free Skate — Music not to exceed 3:40

A competitor in the masters senior free skate event must have passed at least the standard junior free skate test or prior to Oct. 1, 1977, at least the 6th figure test.

3760 Masters Junior Free Skate — Music not to exceed 3:40

A competitor in the masters junior free skate event must have passed the standard novice free skate test or prior to Oct. 1, 1977 the 4th Figure test; and no higher than the standard junior free skate test, or prior to Oct. 1, 1977, the 7th figure test.

3770 Masters Novice Free Skate — Music not to exceed 3:10

A competitor in the masters novice free skate event must have passed the standard intermediate free skate test, or prior to Oct. 1, 1977 the 3rd figure test; and no higher than the standard novice free skate test or prior to Oct. 1, 1977, the 5th figure test.

3780 Adult Gold Free Skate — Music not to exceed 2:40

A competitor in the adult gold free skate event must have passed the adult gold free skate test and no higher than the standard juvenile free skate test, the ISI freestyle 6, or prior to Oct. 1, 1977, the 2nd figure test.

3790 Adult Silver Free Skate — Music not to exceed 2:10

A competitor in the adult silver free skate event must have passed the adult silver free skate test and no higher than the adult silver free skate test, the standard juvenile free skate test, the ISI freestyle 5, or prior to Oct. 1, 1977, the 2nd figure test. No double jumps permitted.

3800 Adult Bronze Free Skate — Music not to exceed 1:50

A competitor in the adult bronze free skate event must have passed the adult bronze free skate test and no higher than the adult bronze free skate test, the standard preliminary free skate test, the ISI freestyle 4, or prior to Oct.- 1, 1977, the 2nd figure test. No axel and no double jumps permitted.

3805 Adult Pre-Bronze Free Skate — Music not to exceed 1:40

A competitor in the adult pre-bronze free skate event must have passed the adult pre-bronze free skate test and no higher than the adult pre-bronze free skate test, the standard pre-preliminary free skate test, or the ISI freestyle 3. No lutz, axel, or double jumps are permitted. No flying spins permitted.

Adult No-Test Free Skate — Music not to exceed 1:40

A competitor in the adult no test free skate event must not have passed any US Figure Skating tests and no higher than the ISI freestyle 2. Only half jumps, salchows, and toe loop jumps are allowed.

Adult Pairs (6.0 Judging System)
(Skaters may only enter one Pairs level)

A separate entry form and fee must be submitted for each partner.

Adult and masters pairs events consist of free skate only. These events will be conducted and judged in accordance with the provisions of rule 2060. Each pair shall consist of a lady and a man and will be judged with **emphasis on unison and musical interpretation**. Please consult the appropriate descriptions of a well-balanced pairs program in the 2010 Rulebook (Rules 4116, 4121 and 4123 and 4125)

4115 Masters Pairs – Music not to exceed 3:40

One partner in the adult masters pair event must have passed at least one of the following tests: the standard intermediate pair test or the standard intermediate free skate test. The other partner must meet the requirements for this level or must have passed no less than one level lower (adult gold pair test, adult gold free skate test, standard juvenile pair test, or standard juvenile free skate test). For purposes of these requirements, the adult gold pair and free skate tests are considered to be one level lower than the standard intermediate pair and free skate tests.

4120 Adult Gold Pairs – Music not to exceed 3:40

One partner in the adult gold pair event must have passed at least one of the following tests: the adult gold pair test and no higher, the adult gold free skate test and no higher, the standard juvenile pair test and no higher, or the standard juvenile free skate test and no higher. The other partner must meet the requirements for this level or must have passed no less than one level lower (adult silver pair test, adult silver free skate test, standard juvenile free skate test or have met the test requirements [excluding age] for the standard preliminary pair event).

4122 Adult Silver Pairs – Music not to exceed 2:40

One partner in the adult silver pair event must have passed at least one of the following tests: the adult silver pair test and no higher, the adult silver free skate test and no higher than adult gold free test, or the standard pre -juvenile free skate test and no higher than the juvenile standard, or have met the test requirements (excluding age) for the standard pre -juvenile pair event. The other partner must meet the requirements for this level or must have passed no less than one level lower (adult bronze pair test, adult bronze free skate test, standard preliminary pair test or standard preliminary free skate test).

4124 Adult Bronze Pairs – Music not to exceed 2:10

Both partners in the adult bronze pair event must have passed at least one of the following tests: the adult bronze pair test and no higher, the adult bronze free skate test and no higher than adult silver free skate , standard preliminary pair test and no higher, or the standard preliminary free skate test and no higher than standard pre-juvenile.

Adult Compulsory Spins

Spins must be skated exactly as stated, but may be skated in any order. Connecting steps may be used, but will not affect scoring. All Spin events are skated without music on 1/2 ice surface. Only one attempt per element is permitted.

Gold/Masters 1:30 max

1. Solo spin (min 5 revs)
2. Flying spin (min 4 revs)
3. Combination Spin with only one change of foot and at least two changes of position (min 4 revs each foot)

Bronze 1:30 max

1. One Foot Upright Spin (min 4 revs)
2. One Foot Back Spin (entry optional, min 3 revs)
3. Sit, Broken leg or Attitude Spin (min 3 revs)

Silver 1:30 max

1. Forward Camel Spin (min 3 revs)
2. Layback, Attitude or Sit Spin (min 4 revs)
3. Combination Spin with only one change of position – change of foot optional (min 3 revs each position)

Pre-Bronze 1:15 max

1. One Foot Upright Spin (min 3 revs, optional leg position)
2. Two Foot Spin (entry optional, min 3 revs)
3. Pivot

Adult Compulsory Moves
(Skater may only enter one Adult Compulsory Moves event)

Moves must be performed without music and in any order with connecting steps necessary to link the various moves together. Compulsory Moves events are limited to 1/2 ice surface, **except** for Gold/Masters which is skated on full ice. Mandatory deductions will be taken for unlisted or additional elements such as jumps, spins, repetitions or unsuccessfully executed moves. Only one attempt per element is permitted.

Gold/ Masters 2:00 max

1. Axel
2. Lutz-Loop combination
3. Waltz-half-Loop-Flip combination
4. Camel-sit spin (min 4 revs each)
5. Straight-line footwork sequence
6. Layback or attitude (ladies) or cross-foot (men) spin

Bronze 1:00 max

1. Salchow
2. Toe-Loop
3. Waltz-Toe-Loop combination
4. Sit spin (min 3 revs)
5. Straight-line footwork sequence

Silver 1:30 max

1. Flip
2. Loop
3. Single-single combination jump
4. Camel spin (min 3 revs)
5. Back spin
6. Straight-line footwork sequence

Pre-Bronze 1:00 max

1. Waltz jump
2. Toe-Loop
3. Half-Flip - Half-Flip combination
4. One foot spin (min 3 revs)

No-Test 1:00 max

1. Two-foot spin (min 3 revs)
2. Lunge and forward inside pivot
3. Forward Edges (minimum 2 outside and 2 inside skated consecutively)
4. Bunny Hop

**Adult Jumps
(Skater may only enter one Jump event)**

Jumps must be skated exactly as stated and in the order stated. Connecting steps may be used but will not affect scoring. All Jump events are skated without music on 1/2 ice surface, **except** for Gold/Masters which is skated on full ice. Only one attempt per element is permitted.

Gold/Masters 1:30 max

1. Lutz
2. Axel
3. Two jump combinations
(may include doubles)

Bronze 1:00 max

1. Salchow
2. Loop
3. Single/Single combination

Silver 1:15 max

1. Flip
2. Loop
3. Single/single combination

Pre-Bronze / No Test 1:00 max

1. Waltz
2. Waltz/Toe-Loop combination
3. Half Flip

**Adult Moves in the Field
(Skaters may only enter one Moves in the Field event)**

Please see the USFS Rulebook for a complete description of each required moves pattern.

Masters Senior: Senior Pattern #5- Quick Edge Step; Senior Pattern #2- Extension spiral

Masters Junior: Junior Pattern #5 – Power Pulls; Junior Pattern #6 – Choctaw Sequence

Masters Novice: Novice Patterns #4 – Forward and backward Inside and Outside Counters; Novice Pattern #7 – Bracket, Three-turn, Bracket Sequence

Adult Gold: Intermediate Pattern # 4-Backward Inside Double Three Turns; Intermediate Pattern # 5-Inside Slide Chasse

Adult Silver: Pre-juvenile Pattern #3- Forward outside to back inside three turns in the field ; Pre-preliminary Pattern #5

Forward right and left foot spirals

Adult Bronze: Preliminary Moves Pattern #3; -Forward Power Three Turns - Preliminary Moves Pattern#4-Alternating Crossovers to Back Outside Edges

Adult Pre-Bronze/ No-Test: Pattern #2 – Basic Consecutive Edges; Pattern #3 – Forward and Backward Crossovers

**Adult Interpretive (Showcase)
(Skaters may only enter one interpretive event)**

Adult and masters interpretive free skate events shall consist of a variety of skating moves and elements selected for their value in enhancing the skater's interpretation of the music. Axels and double jumps will not be permitted. Costumes that enhance the performance by appropriately reflecting the character of the music and theme will be considered in the judging. Props are permitted as long as they stay with the skater at ALL times. Props on the ice, thrown into the audience, placed on the boards or on the judges' table are NOT permitted. No "special effects" such as water, fire, pyrotechnics, dry ice, or loud noises. Costumes that contain particles that may mar or leave anything on the ice surface are considered unsafe and will not be allowed. This includes, but is not limited to feathers, boas, shaving cream, and excessive beading.

In interpretive events, skaters will be judged on their ability to interpret the music and develop a theme by using their skating skills. The judges will use two marks. The first mark is for skating technique and the second mark is for presentation. **There will be no final rounds in interpretive events. On the entry form you must identify whether you are entering Artistic/Dramatic OR Comedy/Character. A theme or type of program should also be stated on the entry form (8 words or less). This information is given to the judges.** Entries may be divided or combined, depending on the # of entries in each style of program, this authority lies solely with the Chief Referee. If you do not submit a theme or type of program, you will be arbitrarily assigned to a category.

In marking the skating techniques of the program, these aspects must be considered:

- a) Ease, flow, glide, sureness, power and depth of the edges;
- b) Ability to vary the speed and direction of the skating;
- c) Variety of expressive and innovative moves;
- d) Succession of movement within the program;

- e) Utilization of space and ice coverage;
- f) Style

In marking the presentation of the program, the following aspects must be considered:

- a) Interpretation of the music and rhythm, or theme;
- b) Musical timing and understanding of the phrasing of the music;
- c) Use of the entire body to develop the artistic and music expression;
- d) Creativity;
- e) Choreography - art of arranging movements;
- f) Variation in tempo, tension, emotion, movements;
- g) Suitability of music to the skater;
- h) Internal motivation of movements and expression projected to the audience.

In all Interpretive Events - Vocal music is permitted; age categories will be the same as for free skate events as presented in Eligibility.

3810 Masters Interpretive Free Skate - Music not to exceed 1:40

A competitor in the masters interpretive free skate event must meet the minimum requirements for the adult gold free skate event, any masters free skate or pair event, or have passed at least one adult silver or standard silver dance test.

3820 Adult Interpretive Free Skate - Music not to exceed 1:40

A competitor in the adult interpretive free skate event must meet the requirements for the adult bronze free skate event or the adult silver free skate event, or have passed the complete pre-bronze test, and have passed no higher than the complete adult pre-silver or standard pre-silver dance test.

Adult Ice Dance

(Dancers may enter any number of events for which they are eligible)

You may skate at your test level or one level higher. A separate entry form and fee must be submitted for each dance partner.

In Mixed Couple events all couples will skate together. Music will be provided by Colonial FSC. The dance events will be conducted and judged in accordance with the provisions of rule 4250 and 4260. All dances will be ONE ROUND ONLY (dances listed below), age groups may be combined. The number of patterns to be skated is as listed in rule 4230, but may be reduced at the discretion of the referee. Age groups may be combined.

4470 Adult Gold Dance: One partner must have passed at least one standard, adult, or masters gold dance; the other partner must have passed at least one standard, adult or masters pre-gold dance. **Dance: Kilian**

4480 Adult Pre-Gold Dance: One partner must have passed at least one standard, adult, or masters pre-gold dance; the other partner must have passed at least one standard, adult, or masters silver dance. Neither partner may have completed the gold/adult gold dance test. **Dance: Paso Doble**

4491 Adult Silver Dance: One partner must have passed at least one standard, adult or masters silver dance; the other must have passed at least one standard, adult or master pre-silver dance. Neither partner may have passed more than one pre-gold/adult pre-gold dance. **Dance: American Waltz**

4495 Adult Pre-Silver Dance: One partner must have passed at least one standard, adult or masters pre-silver dance; the other partner may have passed at least one standard, adult or masters bronze dance. **Dance: American Waltz**

4500 Adult Bronze Dance: Both partners must have passed one standard adult or masters pre-silver dance. Neither partner may have passed more than one standard, adult or masters silver dance. **Dance: Fourteen Step**

4505 Adult Pre-Bronze Dance: Both partners must have completed the standard, adult or masters pre-bronze dance test but no higher than the standard, adult or masters bronze dance test. **Dance: Rhythm Blues**

Adult Solo Dance

Competitors in the Solo Dance events may choose any number of dances listed below that are at the test level that he or she has partially completed, completed, or one level higher than he or she has completed. Age groups may be combined depending on the number of entries in each event. Skaters may enter more than one solo dance event. Two (2) patterns will be skated for each dance, and music will be provided by Colonial FSC.

- Pre-Gold:** Blues
- Silver:** Rocker Foxtrot
- Pre-Silver:** Foxtrot
- Bronze:** Willow Waltz
- Pre-Bronze:** Fiesta Tango
- Preliminary:** Canasta Tango

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ADULT Entry Form – 2010 Colonial Open Entry Form

Last Name: _____ First: _____ M/F _____ DOB _____ / _____ / _____

Street _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

E-mail: _____ Phone: (_____) _____ - _____

USFS # _____ Home Club _____ Professional _____

Tests Passed as of **April 1, 2010**:

FS _____ Moves _____ Pair _____ Dance _____

Pair or Dance Partner's Name(s): Event 1 _____ Event 2 _____ Event 3 _____

Partner must complete a separate entry form and pay applicable fee.

Showcase Theme: _____ Age Category: I (21-28) II (29-35) III (36-45) IV (46-55) V (56+)

Please enter me in the following events: Place an "X" in the proper box

Adult Freeskating

- Masters Sr
- Masters Jr
- Masters Novice
- Gold
- Silver
- Bronze
- Pre-Bronze
- No Test

Adult Compulsory Moves

- Masters/Gold
- Silver
- Bronze
- Pre-Bronze
- No Test

Adult Solo Dance

- Pre-Gold
- Silver
- Pre-Silver
- Bronze
- Pre-Bronze
- Preliminary

Adult Pairs

- Masters
- Gold
- Silver
- Bronze

Adult Jumps

- Masters/Gold
- Silver
- Bronze
- Pre-Bronze/ No Test

Adult Dance

- Gold
- Pre-Gold
- Silver
- Pre-Silver
- Bronze
- Pre-Bronze

Adult Moves in the Field

- Masters Sr
- Masters Jr
- Masters Novice
- Gold
- Silver
- Bronze
- Pre- Bronze/No Test

Adult Spins

- Masters/Gold
- Silver
- Bronze
- Pre-Bronze/ No Test

Adult Interpretive – (Showcase)

- Masters- Artistic/Dramatic
- Masters- Light Entertainment/Comedy
- Adult- Artistic/Dramatic
- Adult - Light Entertainment /Comedy

Fees:

<u>Singles Events</u>	1 st Event	\$85.00	<u>Dance Events-only</u>	1 st Event	\$45.00	
	2 nd Event	\$50.00		(Solo, Shadow)	2 nd Event	\$25.00
	Each Add'l Event	\$40.00		(Mixed Couples)	Each Add'l Event	\$20.00
<u>Pairs</u>	Per Partner	\$45.00		Per Partner	\$45.00	

Double Fees for late entries

TOTAL AMT ENCLOSED \$ _____

Please have your Professional sign here verifying that you have entered the correct event(s): _____

I certify that _____ is an eligible person of the USFS, is a member in good standing, and is eligible to skate in the specified event(s). Club _____ Club Officer signature: _____ Name _____ USFS # required _____ USFS# _____

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Skater Signature _____ Legal Guardian Signature _____ Date _____

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