

# Spring Fling 2017

## **Annual Basic Skills Figure Skating Competition**

Monday, May 1, 2017 from 4:00-6:00 p.m.

Entries must be posted online by 11:59 p.m. on Thursday, April 13, 2017

A cap of 50 skaters has been placed

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Lisa Davis, Referee

Lisa Ellis, Accountant

Sanctioned by:





Spring Fling 2017 will be conducted in accordance with the rules and regulations of U.S. Figure Skating and Learn to Skate USA, as set forth in the current Rulebook as well as any pertinent updates which have been posted on the U.S. Figure Skating web site.

This competition is open to all eligible, restricted, reinstated or readmitted persons as defined by the Eligibility Rules, and is a currently registered member of Cottonwood Heights Figure Skating Club or Cottonwood Heights Learn-to-Skate (LTS) program.

#### ELIGIBILITY/TEST LEVEL:

**Test level**: Competition level is the highest test passed as of the entry deadline, in the discipline the skater is entering. Entrants may skate one level above that for which they qualify, but they may not skate down in any event.

#### **COMPETITION EVENTS:**

The Spring Fling 2017 competition includes Basic Skills, Introductory Levels and Well Balanced/Test Track through Preliminary.

EVENTS	First event	As an additional event
Snowplow Sam-Basic 6, Pre Free Skate and Free Skate 1-6	\$25.00	Not applicable
Introductory Levels (Beginner, High Beginner)	\$25.00	Not applicable
Well Balanced (No-Test – Preliminary) and Test Track (Pre Preliminary- Preliminary)	\$25.00	Not applicable

#### **ENTRIES**:

Online registration will be available starting Monday, March 14 until 11:59 p.m. on Thursday, April 6 via secured credit card transaction at <a href="https://www.entryeeze.com">www.entryeeze.com</a>. An email will be sent to the skater's primary coach and home club when a skater's entry is processed to verify accuracy of entry. Your credit card statement will show a charge to Entryeeze, LLC. Online entry will close once the cap of 50 skaters has been reached or at 11:59 p.m. on Thursday, April 6, whichever comes first. IT IS IMPORTANT TO REGISTER EARLY!

One or more entries in a category will constitute an event. Groups may be divided or combined by age, sex, or randomly at the discretion of the Chief Referee. Entries after 11:59 p.m. on Thursday, May 6 will be considered late, and will be accepted at the discretion of the Referee and Competition Chairperson, and subject to a \$20.00 late fee. Changes or additions to event entries after skating groupings are posted are not permitted unless deemed necessary by the Chief Referee. If the changes/additions are permitted by the Chief Referee, a \$20.00 event change fee will be collected by CHFSC.

<u>REFUND POLICY:</u> Entry fees will not be refunded after 11:59 p.m. on Thursday, April 6 unless no competition exists or is canceled. There will be no refunds for medical withdrawals. The online processing fees are not refundable. Checks returned for non-sufficient funds and contested credit card charges will be assessed a \$20.00 fee. Payment of the fee will be required in cash or with a money order before the skater is allowed to participate in events.

#### **FACILITIES**:

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The arena is approximately 10 miles southeast of downtown Salt Lake City. The enclosed ice surface is 100' by 200' with slightly rounded corners. Dressing rooms will be available to skaters. Dressing rooms are unsupervised. Please bring skate guards and do not leave valuables unattended. Neither Cottonwood Heights FSC nor the Cottonwood Heights Recreation Center will be responsible for missing valuables. There is no charge to watch the competition events.

MUSIC: All competitors must provide their own music on CD (No CD-RWs, DVD-R or mini discs allowed). Each CD must be clearly labeled with the skater's name, event, side to be played, and length of program. There must be only one track recorded on the CD, with no more than a 5-second lead in. Please bring a second copy of the CD and have it available at rink side in case a backup is needed. Music must be turned in at the registration desk one (1) hour prior to the event to be skated and picked up following the event. Cottonwood Heights FSC is not responsible for any music not picked up by the end of the competition.

<u>LIABILITY</u>: U.S. Figure Skating, Cottonwood Heights Figure Skating Club and Cottonwood Heights Recreation Center accept no responsibility for injury or damage sustained by any participant in this competition. This is in accordance with Rule 1600 of the official U.S. Figure Skating Rulebook.

JUDGING SYSTEM: The 6.0 System will be used to judge all events.

<u>REGISTRATION DESK:</u> The registration desk will be open one hour before the first event and run through the last event of the day. The registration desk will be located in the lobby of the rink. PLEASE REGISTER PROMPTLY UPON ARRIVAL.

PRACTICE ICE: Not available.

<u>VIDEOTAPING AND PHOTOGRAPHY</u>: **No personal flash photography** is allowed in the rink area during competition. Flash photography is dangerous to the skaters! The competition committee reserves the right to remove anyone from the rink who ignores requests and warnings regarding the use of flash photography.

There will be **no personal videotaping of other competitors** during the competition. Videotaping of warm up periods where multiple skaters are on the ice is not allowed.

<u>AWARDS</u>: Awards will be presented immediately following the posting of the results for each event. They will be provided to all 1st - 4th place finishers in each event and will be presented as a group. All remaining skaters in each event will receive a participation award.

<u>OFFICIAL NOTICES:</u> An official bulletin board will be maintained at the registration desk. It is the responsibility of each competitor, parent, and/or coach to check the bulletin board frequently for any schedule changes and/or additional information. Skaters are requested to arrive 60 minutes prior to the scheduled time of their event. <u>A tentative schedule of events will be posted online at http://www.entryeeze.com as soon as it is available.</u> All skaters should confirm their event time at the registration desk. The referee may begin any competition event up to 30 minutes early.

#### **INFORMATION REGARDING COACHES:**

To coach at a U.S. Figure Skating competition, a professional coach or choreographer must be:

- Declared by a skater in the registration process with the club
- Listed as Coaches Education Requirement (CER) <u>Category A or B (Category C for Basic Skills events)</u> compliant for the current season
- Current with Coach Registration (requires annual fee and background check)
- A current member in good standing with U.S. Figure Skating
- A current member in good standing with the PSA
- A coaches' requirements chart can be found here: http://www.usfigureskating.org/Content/Coaches%20Requirement%20Chart.pdf.

The local organizing committee/club will have a list of coaches who are cleared for a credential at the competition. Coaches will need to check in at the event registration desk and show a government issued photo I.D. to receive a credential. Coaches who are NOT on the list will need to show proof of membership in BOTH U.S. Figure Skating and the PSA, a Coaches Registration card, proof of Category A or B (C for Basic Skills) compliance in CER, and a photo I.D. at check in. If a coach cannot provide a photo I.D. and is not on the list or cannot produce the necessary documents, he or she will not be allowed a credential – no exceptions. We strongly urge all coaches to have their cards with them. Non-credentialed coaches will not be permitted in the designated coaching area at rink side during events including during warm-up.

#### **CONTACT INFO:**

Competition Chairperson: Nicole Lambert, colielambert@msn.com

Competition Co-Chairperson: Ellie Nielsen, elliekaramati@gmail.com

Entryeeze/Registrar: Ellie Nielsen, elliekaramati@gmail.com

Chief Referee: Lisa Davis

Email is preferred contact method.

## U.S. FIGURE SKATING NONQUALIFYING COMPETITION EVENTS

## Please follow the link below for the Compete USA requirements:

https://www.usfigureskating.org/content/Compete%20USA%20Manual.pdf

### Use the following references for your skater:

Snowplow Sam-Basic 6 : Page 8

Pre Freeskate-Freeskate 6 : Page 10

Introductory Levels: Page 12

Well Balanced Levels (No test-Preliminary): Page 13-14

Test Track Levels (Pre Preliminary-Preliminary): Page 15