



29th Annual

Eau Claire Figure Skating Competition

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**Sparks- Sternaman Founders Trophy Awarded to top Jr. Freestyle
Skater**

*******2nd Annual High Point Club Trophy Awarded*******

Sanctioned by U S Figure Skating



**March 9 & 10, 2018 Individual Events
March 11, 2018 Synchronized Team
Skating**

Entry Closing Date: January 31, 2018

The Eau Claire Figure Skating Competition will be conducted in accordance with the rules and regulations of U.S. Figure Skating, 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.

ELIGIBILITY/TEST LEVEL: 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 a U.S. Figure Skating member club, a collegiate club or an individual member.

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. Where necessary, levels will be divided into flights as closely as possible by age.

ENTRIES: The fees for single events are \$120 for the first event and \$50 for the next event and \$25 for any other events. Fees for synchronized teams are \$100 per team plus \$15 per skater for all levels except Beginner, which will be \$65 per team plus \$7 per skater.

On-line registration at the Eau Claire FSC website (ecfigureskate.org) is **preferred**; however you may instead submit a paper registration form. Credit or debit card payments will be charged a 3.8% service fee by the credit card service the club is using. If you pay by check a \$10.00 processing fee will be charged. An additional \$25 will be charged for checks that are returned and the skater will only be allowed to compete if payment is subsequently made by cash or money order.

Entries must be either postmarked no later than January 31, 2018 or made on-line prior to midnight January 31, 2018. Late entries may be accepted at the discretion of the Competition Committee, and will be assessed a \$25 late fee. If there is only one skater the event will be cancelled, unless the single entry is due to a withdrawal. The skater may still choose to skate an exhibition. Notification of competition and practice ice times will be available by email with a PIN number to access your account.

SPECIAL NOTE: The Competition Committee and the Chief Referee reserve the right to separate combined Light/dramatic and Interpretive Free Skating groups in order to keep fair group sizes.

REFUND POLICY: Entry fees will not be refunded **after January 31, 2018** unless no competition exists or an event is canceled. There will be no refunds for medical withdrawals. **The online processing fees are not refundable.**

FACILITIES: The competition will be held at Hobbs Ice Arena, 915 Menomonie Street Eau Claire, Wisconsin. The arena has two ice surfaces that will be used for the competition and practices. Rink sizes are 85 x 190. The arena has seating for spectators and a concession stand that will be open during the competition. Dressing rooms are available and vendors will be present. Free parking is available for the event.

MUSIC: Only CD's (standard compact disc format only) will be accepted. They should be clearly marked with the skater's name. CD's must contain only one track and be recorded on CD-R media (no CD-RW's due to compatibility problems). It is suggested that you have a duplicate CD available with you. The official competition music must be turned in at the registration table at the time of check-in. A duplicate CD should be readily available. Music may be picked up at the registration table following each event. Every reasonable care will be taken, but the Eau Claire Figure Skating Club cannot be responsible for CDs left at the end of the competition. **PLEASE HAVE SEPARATE CD'S FOR PRACTICE AND COMPETITION.**

LIABILITY: In accordance with Rule 1600 of the official U.S. Figure Skating Rulebook U.S. Figure Skating, Eau Claire Figure Skating and Hobbs Ice Arena accept no responsibility for injury or damage sustained by any participant in this competition.

JUDGING SYSTEM: The International Judging System (IJS) will be used for the following events: Intermediate, Novice, Junior and Senior short programs
Juvenile, Intermediate, Novice, Junior and Senior Well Balanced Free Skate Events.

Due to the configuration of the arena we are unable to use the IJS mini system for IJS events. Scoring will be entered manually and there will be a delay in receiving results.

All competitors skating in these events need to submit the planned program content form online. This form is found within in Entryeeze. The deadline to submit the form is February 23rd, 2018.

The 6.0 Majority Judging System will be used for all other events (including all levels of the Competitive Test Track).

REGISTRATION: Registration will be available no later than 30 minutes before the first event of the competition and during all scheduled practice ice sessions and competition events. The registration table will be located in the main lobby of Hobbs Ice Arena. **PLEASE REGISTER PROMPTLY UPON ARRIVAL.**

PRACTICE ICE: Sessions of 20 minutes may be reserved in advance for \$12.00 per session. Please complete the practice ice portion of the online registration or with your mailed form. You will be notified when online practice ice registration is available. Skaters will choose their own practice ice sessions. You will receive an email with a PIN number to access your practice ice records and to select your session(s). Practice ice will begin on Thursday evening, March 8, 2018, and continue at various times for the duration of the competition. Reserved practice ice is transferable (to other sessions or skaters), but not refundable. If available, additional practice ice can be purchased at the event for \$15.00. Information regarding available practice ice will be posted on our website.

Synchronized team practice ice will be available for purchase at a cost of \$70 per 15-minute session and will be held on Saturday evening March 10, 2018. You will be notified when online practice ice registration is available.

PHOTOGRAPHY/VIDEOGRAPHY: An official backdrop and podium will be provided for award pictures, by Buckley's Studio of Fine Photography. Awards will be presented on the podium for skaters. Action photos will be available pending vender availability. Skaters may sign up for these services at the designated tables near the registration area. Also note that flash photography on the rinks is not allowed when skaters are on the ice.

At this year's competition 1 video of 1 performance will be provided to each skater. Please bring a memory stick to have the performance downloaded at the competition.

INITIAL/FINAL ROUND FOR FREE SKATE EVENTS: Where necessary Free Skating Events will be divided into flights as closely as possible by age. If there are two or more flights, final rounds will be skated. If there are two flights, the top three in each flight will qualify for a final round skate-off. If there are three or more flights, the top two in each flight will qualify for a final round skate-off. If there are enough entrants for only one flight, there will be no final round for that level. THERE ARE NO FINAL ROUNDS FOR INTRODUCTORY LEVELS FREE SKATE. Final rounds will not count towards the team trophy.

AWARDS: OFFICIAL Medals will be given to the top four skaters in each flight. All Introductory level skaters will receive an award. Awards will not be given for exhibition skating. Plaques will be awarded to the top three skaters in each Finals Event. Trophies will be awarded to the top three synchronized skating teams in each division. Awards and pictures will be held off-ice as soon as official results for each event are posted. Skaters should report to the awards and pictures area immediately following the posting of results. **The 28th Annual Sparks-Sternaman Founders Trophy will be awarded to the top-ranked Junior Freestyle skater.**

2nd ANNUAL HIGH POINT TEAM TROPHY awarded to the club with the most points earned for top 4 places by participating club skaters in all events (excluding the host club ECFSC). Points will be award to the team by 1st place = 4 points, 2nd place= 3 points, 3rd place = 2 points and 4th place = 1 point. Final rounds will not count towards the high point score. Awards or points for the team trophy will not be given for exhibition free skates.

OFFICIAL NOTICES: An official bulletin board will be maintained in the main lobby area of the Arena near 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. A tentative schedule of events will be posted prior to the competition. Skaters are requested to arrive 45 minutes prior to the scheduled time of their event. Events may run ahead at the discretion of the referee.

INFORMATION REGARDING COACHES:

U.S. Figure Skating Rule MR 5.11 Coach Registration

In order to be granted access to work within U.S. Figure Skating sanctioned activities, each coach must complete the following requirements on an annual basis by July 1:

- A. Must be a current full member of U.S. Figure Skating - either through a member club or as an individual member;
- B. Must complete the coach registration process through the U.S. Figure Skating Members Only site, submit proper payment for the annual registration fee of \$30 and, if 18 years of age or older, successfully pass the background screen.
- C. Must complete the appropriate CER courses (A, B, C or D) depending on the highest level of students being coached as of July 1. See rule MR 5.12.
- D. Must submit proof of current general liability insurance with limits of \$1 million per occurrence/\$5 million aggregate.

The local organizing committee/club will have a list of compliant 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.

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 practice sessions. Coaching at U.S. Figure Skating events without proper registration is an ethics violation which is reported to U.S. Figure Skating and PSA.

For more information regarding Coach Compliance, please refer to:
<http://www.usfigureskating.org/Content/Coaching%20Compliance%20Toolkit.pdf>

CONTACT INFO: If you have questions, please contact, please contact Angie Southworth at southwak@hotmail.com or 715-577-1755 or Kristin Walukas at kiwalukas@msn.com.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

Hotel Lodging 2018 Eau Claire Figure Skating Competition

Please book your rooms as early as possible. The guest rooms will release a month prior to the competition and the Chippewa Valley is expected to sell out.

AmericInn Hotel & Suites : 622 Texaco Drive Eau Claire, WI 54703

Block of rooms held under Eau Claire Figure Skating Competition

715-874-4900

Breakfast included \$94.00 plus tax

6 miles from Hobbs Ice Arena

Best Western Plus Eau Claire Conference Center :3340 Mondovi Road Eau Claire, WI

Block of rooms held under Eau Claire Figure Skating

715-838-9989

Breakfast included \$99.99 plus tax

2.1 miles from Hobbs Ice Arena

Country Inn & Suites:3614 Gateway Drive Eau Claire, WI 54701

Block of rooms held under Eau Claire Figure Skating Competition

715-832-7289

Breakfast included \$107.00 plus tax (1-2 adults, additional adults \$10each) No additional charge for children

6.3 miles from Hobbs Ice Area

Metropolis Resort: 5150 Fairview Drive Eau Claire, WI 54701

715-852-6000

Block of rooms held under Eau Claire Figure Skating Club

Chaos Waterpark passes included in stay

Discounted rates to Action City and the Trampoline Park available

\$179.95 plus tax & \$7.95 resort fee per night

7.4 miles from Hobbs Ice Arena

SYNCHRONIZED INFORMATION: All Synchronized events will be held on Sunday March 11, 2018.

A \$4.00 spectator admission will be charged for this event for those 13 and older.



U.S. Figure Skating Nonqualifying Competitions

EVENT: Introductory Levels Compulsory Event

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

- To be skated on ½ ice.
- No music is allowed.
- The skater must demonstrate the required elements and may use any additional elements from previous levels.
- A 0.2 deduction will be taken for each element performed from a higher level.
- *Skaters may have the option to skate one level higher in compulsories than their free skate program.*

Level	Time	Skating rules/standards
Beginner	1:15 max.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Waltz jump• ½ jump of choice• Forward two-foot or one-foot spin - minimum three revolutions (free leg position optional)• Forward or backward spiral
High Beginner	1:15 max.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Toe loop jump• Salchow jump• Forward scratch spin - minimum three revolutions• Forward or backward spiral



U.S. Figure Skating Nonqualifying Competitions

EVENT: COMPULSORY MOVES

General event parameters:

1. No Test – Juvenile: Elements skated on ½ ice
2. Intermediate – Senior: Elements skated on full-ice
3. The skater must demonstrate the required elements (performed once only) 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. Music is not allowed.
6. Skaters may compete at their test level or one level higher.

Level	Time	Skating rules/standards
No-Test	1:15 max.	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Loop jump 2. Jump combination to include a toe loop (may not use a loop or Axel) 3. Solo spin - sit <u>or</u> camel spin - minimum three revolutions 4. Spiral sequence, must include a forward and backward spiral. Additional spirals and balance moves may be included.
Pre-Preliminary	1:15 max.	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Toe Loop jump 2. Jump combination: single/single (no Axel) 3. Sit spin or camel spin - minimum three revolutions 4. Spiral sequence with one forward spiral and one backward spiral (any edge)
Preliminary	1:15 max.	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Single Lutz 2. Jump combination: single/single (may include Axel) 3. Back upright spin - minimum three revolutions 4. Forward inside spiral
Pre – Juvenile	1:15 max.	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Single jump (may include Axel) 2. Jump combination: single/single (may include Axel) 3. Layback spin or camel spin - minimum three revolutions 4. Step sequence - circular
Juvenile & Open Juv.	1:15 max.	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Single Axel 2. Jump combination: single/single or double/single 3. Layback spin or camel spin - minimum three revolutions 4. Step sequence – circular
Intermediate	1:30 max.	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Double Salchow or double toe loop 2. Jump combination: single/single or double/single 3. Flying spin, minimum five revolutions 4. Step sequence – straight line
Novice	1:30 max.	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Double loop 2. Jump combination: double/single or double/double 3. Flying spin - minimum five revolutions 4. Step sequence – straight line
Junior	1:30 max.	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Double flip 2. Jump combination: double/double or triple/double 3. Combination spin - minimum 10 revolutions 4. Step sequence – straight line
Senior	1:30 max.	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Double Lutz 2. Jump combination: double/double or triple/double 3. Combination spin - minimum 10 revolutions 4. Step sequence – straight line



U.S. Figure Skating Nonqualifying Competitions

EVENT: Introductory Levels Free Skate Program

General event parameters:

- Skaters will skate to the music of their choice.
- Level will be determined by the highest free skate test passed. Skaters may compete at the highest level they have passed, or skate up to one level higher.
- Minimum number of spin revolutions are in parentheses following the spin description. Revolutions must be in position.

Level	Jumps	Spins	Step Sequences	Qualifications
Beginner 1:40 Maximum	Max. 5 jump elements: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Jumps with no more than one-half rotation (front to back or back to front). • Max. 2 jump sequences • Max. 2 of any same jump 	Max. 2 spins: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Two upright spins, no change of foot, no flying entry (Min. 3 revolutions) 	Connecting moves and steps should be demonstrated throughout the program	Skaters may not have passed tests higher than U.S. Figure Skating Learn to Skate USA free skating badge tests
High Beginner 1:40 Maximum	Max. 5 jump elements: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Jumps with no more than one-half rotation (front to back or back to front including half-loop) • Single rotation jumps: Salchow and toe loop only. • Max. 2 jump combinations or sequences • Max. 2 of any same type jump. 	Max. 2 spins: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Two upright spins, change of foot optional, no flying entry (Min. 3 revolutions) 	Connecting moves and steps should be demonstrated throughout the program	Skaters may not have passed tests higher than U.S. Figure Skating Learn to Skate USA free skating badge tests



U.S. Figure Skating Nonqualifying Competitions

EVENT: 2017-18 Test Track Free Skate – Introductory through Senior levels

General event parameters:

1. Skaters may not enter both a Well-Balanced Free Skate event and a Test Track Free Skate event at the same nonqualifying competition.
2. Skaters will skate to the music of their choice. Vocal music is permitted at all levels.
3. Level will be determined by the highest Free Skate test passed. Skaters may compete at the highest level they have passed, or “skate up” to one level higher.
4. Minimum number of spin revolutions are in () following the spin description. Revolutions must be in position.
5. The following deductions will be taken:
 - 0.1 from each mark for each technical element included that is not permitted in the event description.
 - 0.2 from the technical mark for each extra element included.
 - 0.1 from the technical mark for any spin that is less than the required minimum revolutions.

Level	Jumps	Spins	Step Sequences	Qualifications
Pre-Preliminary 1:40 maximum	<p><i>Maximum of 5 jump elements:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Jumps with not more than one-half rotation (<i>front to back or back to front including half-loop</i>) • Single rotation jumps: Salchow, toe loop and loop only. • Max. 2 jump combinations or sequences • Max. 2 of any same type jump 	<p><i>Maximum of 2 spins:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Two spins of a different nature, one position only. No change of foot, no flying entry. (Min. 3 revolutions) 	Connecting moves and steps should be demonstrated throughout the program	Skaters may not have passed tests higher than U.S. Figure Skating pre-preliminary free skate test
Preliminary 1:30 +/- 10 sec.	<p><i>Maximum of 5 jump elements:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Jumps with not more than one rotation (no Axels). • Max. 2 jump combinations or sequences • Max. 2 of any same type jump 	<p><i>Maximum of 2 spins:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • One spin in one position; no change of foot, no flying entry. (Min. 3 revolutions) • One spin consisting of a front scratch to back scratch; exit on spinning foot not mandatory. (Min. 3 revolutions per foot) 	Connecting moves and steps should be demonstrated throughout the program	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
Pre-Juvenile 2:00 +/- 10 sec.	<p><i>Maximum of 5 jump elements:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Jumps with not more than one rotation (no Axels). 	<p><i>Maximum of 2 spins:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • One spin in one position, no change of foot (Min. 3 revolutions) 	One step sequence fully utilizing ice surface	Skaters must have passed at least the U.S. Figure Skating preliminary free

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Max. 2 jump combinations or sequences Max. 2 of any same type jump 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> One combination spin: forward camel spin to forward sit spin; change of foot optional (Min. 6 revolutions). Spins may not fly. 		skate test but may not have passed tests higher than pre-juvenile free skate test
Juvenile 2:20 +/- 10 sec.	<p><i>Maximum of 5 jump elements:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Any single jumps, including Axel, are permitted. Max. 2 jump combinations or sequences Max. 2 of any same type jump 	<p><i>Maximum of 2 spins:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> One solo spin in one position, no change of foot (Min. 4 revolutions). One combination spin with one change of foot and at least one change of position, must include two of the basic spin positions. (Min. 4 revolutions per foot) <i>Only solo spin may fly</i> 	One step sequence fully utilizing ice surface	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
Intermediate 2:40 +/- 10 sec.	<p><i>Maximum of 6 jump elements:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Any single jumps. Double jumps permitted: double Salchow and double toe loop. Maximum of 3 jump combinations or sequences Max. 2 of any same type jump 	<p><i>Maximum of 2 spins:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> One must be a flying spin (min 5 revolutions), One must be a combination spin with at least one change of foot and at least one change of position (minimum 4 revolutions per foot). 	One step sequence fully utilizing ice surface	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

Level	Jumps	Spins	Step Sequences	Qualifications
Novice Ladies: 3:00 +/- 10 sec. Men: 3:30 +/- 10 sec.	<p><i>Maximum of 7 jump elements for men and 6 for ladies:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Any single jumps. Double jumps permitted: double Salchow, double toe loop and double loop. Maximum of 3 jump combinations or sequences 	<p><i>Maximum of 3 spins, of a different nature:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> One must be a combination spin with at least one change of foot and at least one change of position (min 5 revs per foot) The other spins are the option of the 	<p>One step sequence or spiral sequence fully utilizing ice surface</p> <p>(see rule 4104 & 4105 for remarks)</p>	Skaters must have passed at least the U.S. Figure Skating intermediate free skate test but may not have passed tests higher than

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Max. 2 of any same type jump 	skater (min 6 revolutions per foot) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> All spins may fly 		novice free skate test
Junior Ladies: 3:30 +/- 10 sec. Men: 4:00 +/- 10 sec.	<i>Maximum of 8 jump elements for men and 7 for ladies:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Any single jumps. Double jumps permitted: double Salchow, double toe loop, double loop and double flip Maximum of 3 jump combinations or sequences Max. 2 of any same type jump 	<i>Maximum of 3 spins of a different nature:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> One spin in one position (Min. 6 revolutions) One flying spin (Min. 6 revolutions) One combination spin consisting of all three basic positions and one change of foot (2 per position, min. 5 revolutions per foot) 	One step sequence fully utilizing ice surface (See rule 4105 for remarks)	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
Senior Ladies: 4:00 +/- 10 sec. Men: 4:30 +/- 10 sec.	<i>Maximum of 8 jump elements for men and 7 for ladies:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Any single jumps. Must include at least four different double jumps, one must be a double Lutz. Triple jumps are not permitted Maximum of 3 jump combinations or sequences Max. 2 of any same type jump 	<i>Maximum of 3 spins of a different nature:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> One spin in one position (Min. 6 revolutions) One flying spin (Min. 6 revolutions) One combination spin consisting of all three basic spin positions and one change of foot (2 per position, min. 5 revolutions per foot) 	Men: Two different step sequences, one being of advanced difficulty, both fully utilizing the ice surface. (See rule 4105 for remarks) Ladies: One step sequence of advanced difficulty, covering the full ice surface and one spiral sequence. (See rule 4104 & 4105 for remarks.)	Skaters must have passed at least the U.S. Figure Skating junior free skate test

<p>INTERMEDIATE LADIES/MEN 2:10 max.</p>	<p>Single or Double Axel</p>	<p>Double or Triple Jump Immediately preceded by connecting steps May not repeat double Axel or the triple jump used in the combination</p>	<p>Jump Combination Single/Double, Double/Double, Single/Triple, or Double/Triple or <u>Triple/triple</u> May not repeat Axel jump or solo jump performed</p>	<p>Spin Only one position No change of foot May start with a fly Min. 5 revs.</p>		<p>Spin Combination With only 1 change of foot Min. 2 different basic positions. Must have all 3 basic positions to receive full value. No flying entry Min. 5 revs. each foot Min. 2 revs in pos.</p>	<p>Leveled Step Sequence Max Level 2. Only Simple Variety (5 turns) or Minimum Variety (7 turns) & rotation in each direction covering at least a 1/3 of the pattern in total for each rotational direction will be evaluated for the level. Fully utilizing the ice surface</p>
<p>NOVICE LADIES 2:30 max.</p>	<p>Single or Double Axel</p>	<p>Double or Triple Jump Immediately preceded by connecting steps May not repeat double Axel or either jump in combo</p>	<p>Jump Combination Double/Double, Double/Triple or Triple/Triple May not repeat double Axel or solo jump performed</p>	<p>Layback, Sideways Leaning, Sit or Camel Spin No change of foot No flying entry Min. 6 revs.</p>		<p>Spin Combination With only 1 change of foot Min. 2 different basic positions. Must have all 3 basic positions to receive full value. No flying entry Min. 5 revs. each foot Min. 2 revs in pos.</p>	<p>Leveled Step Sequence Fully utilizing the ice surface</p>
<p>NOVICE MEN 2:30 max.</p>	<p>Single or Double Axel</p>	<p>Double or Triple Jump Immediately preceded by connecting steps May not repeat double Axel or either jump in combo</p>	<p>Jump Combination Double/Double, Double/Triple or Triple/Triple May not repeat Double Axel or solo jump performed</p>	<p>Camel or Sit Spin With only 1 change of foot No change of position No flying entry Min. 5 revs. each foot</p>		<p>Spin Combination With only 1 change of foot Min. 2 different basic positions. Must have all 3 basic positions to receive full value. No flying entry Min. 5 revs. each foot Min. 2 revs in pos.</p>	<p>Leveled Step Sequence Fully utilizing the ice surface</p>
<p>JUNIOR LADIES 2:40 +/- 10 sec</p>	<p>Double Axel</p>	<p>Double or Triple Lutz Immediately preceded by connecting steps or other free skating movements</p>	<p>Jump Combination Double/Double, Double/Triple or Triple/Triple May not repeat Double Axel or solo jump performed</p>	<p>Flying Sit Spin Flying pos. may be different than landing pos. Min. 8 revs.</p>	<p>Layback, Sideways Leaning or Camel Spin without change of foot No flying entry Min. 8 revs.</p>	<p>Spin Combination With only 1 change of foot Min. 2 different basic positions. Must have all 3 basic positions to receive full value. No flying entry Min. 6 revs. each foot Min. 2 revs in pos.</p>	<p>Leveled Step Sequence Fully utilizing the ice surface</p>
<p>JUNIOR MEN 2:40 +/- 10 sec</p>	<p>Double or Triple Axel</p>	<p>Double or Triple Lutz Immediately preceded by connecting steps or other free skating movements</p>	<p>Jump Combination Double/Triple or Triple/Triple May not repeat Axel jump or solo jump performed</p>	<p>Flying Sit Spin Flying pos. may be different than landing pos. Min. 8 revs.</p>	<p>Camel Spin With only 1 change of foot No flying entry Min. 6 revs. each foot</p>	<p>Spin Combination With only 1 change of foot Min. 2 different basic positions. Must have all 3 basic positions to receive full value. No flying entry Min. 6 revs. each foot Min. 2 revs in pos.</p>	<p>Leveled Step Sequence Fully utilizing the ice surface</p>
<p>SENIOR LADIES 2:40 +/- 10 sec</p>	<p>Double or Triple Axel</p>	<p>Any Triple Jump Immediately preceded by connecting steps or other free skating movements May not repeat Triple Axel or either jump in combo</p>	<p>Jump Combination Double/Triple or Triple/Triple May not repeat Axel jump or solo jump performed</p>	<p>Flying Spin Landing position different than spin in 1 position Min. 8 revs.</p>	<p>Layback, Sideways Leaning, Sit or Camel Spin without change of foot No flying entry Min. 8 revs.</p>	<p>Spin Combination With only 1 change of foot Min. 2 different basic positions. Must have all 3 basic positions to receive full value. No flying entry Min. 6 revs. each foot Min. 2 revs in pos.</p>	<p>Leveled Step Sequence Fully utilizing the ice surface</p>
<p>SENIOR MEN 2:40 +/- 10 sec</p>	<p>Double or Triple Axel</p>	<p>Any Triple or Quadruple Jump Immediately preceded by connecting steps or other free skating movements May not repeat Triple Axel or either jump in combo</p>	<p>Jump Combination Double/Triple, Triple/Triple, Quad/Double, or Quad/Triple May not repeat Axel jump or solo jump performed</p>	<p>Flying Spin Landing position different than spin in 1 position Min. 8 revs.</p>	<p>Camel or Sit Spin With only 1 change of foot No flying entry Min. 6 revs. each foot</p>	<p>Spin Combination With only 1 change of foot Min. 2 different basic positions. Must have all 3 basic positions to receive full value. No flying entry Min. 6 revs. each foot Min. 2 revs in pos.</p>	<p>Leveled Step Sequence Fully utilizing the ice surface</p>

2017-18	JUMP ELEMENTS	SPINS	STEP SEQUENCES
<p>NO TEST</p> <p>1:40 maximum</p> <p>*means element is required</p>	<p>Max 5 Jump Elements</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> All single jumps allowed except for the single Axel <ul style="list-style-type: none"> No single Axels, double, triple or quadruple jumps allowed Number of single jumps (except single Axels) is not limited provided the maximum number of jump elements allowed is not exceeded Max 2 jump combinations or jump sequences <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Jump combinations limited to 2 jumps except that one 3-jump combination with a maximum of 3 single jumps is allowed Jump sequences limited to a maximum of 3 single jumps 	<p>Max 2 Spins</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Spins may change feet and/or position Spins may start with a flying entry Min 3 revs. <p>These spins must be of a different character (For definition see U.S. Figure Skating rule 4103 (E))</p>	<p>Max 1 Sequence</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Step Sequence <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Must use one-half the ice surface Moves in the field and spiral sequences are allowed but will not be counted as elements Jumps may be included in the step sequence <p>If IJS is used, then: ChSt</p>
<p>PRE-PRELIMINARY</p> <p>1:40 maximum</p> <p>*means element is required</p>	<p>Max 5 Jump Elements</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> All single jumps, including the single Axel, allowed <ul style="list-style-type: none"> No double, triple or quadruple jumps allowed Axel may be repeated once as a solo jump or part of a jump sequence or jump combination (maximum of 2 single Axels) Number of single jumps is not limited provided the maximum number of jump elements allowed is not exceeded Max 2 jump combinations or jump sequences <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Jump combinations limited to 2 jumps except that one 3-jump combination with a maximum of 3 single jumps is allowed Jump sequences limited to a maximum of 3 single jumps 	<p>Max 2 Spins</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Spins may change feet and/or position Spins may start with a flying entry Min 3 revs. <p>These spins must be of a different character (For definition see U.S. Figure Skating rule 4103 (E))</p>	<p>Max 1 Sequence</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Step Sequence <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Must use one-half the ice surface Moves in the field and spiral sequences are allowed but will not be counted as elements Jumps may be included in the step sequence <p>If IJS is used, then: ChSt</p>
<p>PRELIMINARY</p> <p>1:30 +/- 10 sec</p> <p>*means element is required</p>	<p>Max 5 Jump Elements</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1 must be an Axel-type jump or a waltz jump* All single jumps, including the single Axel, allowed. Only 2 different double jumps may be attempted (limited to double Salchow, double toe loop and double loop) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Double flip, double Lutz, double Axel, triple and quadruple jumps not allowed An Axel plus up to two different, allowable double jumps may be repeated once (but not more) as solo jumps or part of a jump sequence or jump combination Number of single jumps is not limited provided the maximum number of jump elements allowed is not exceeded Max 2 jump combinations or sequences <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Jump combinations limited to 2 jumps except that one three jump combination with a maximum of 2 double jumps and 1 single jump is allowed Jump sequences limited to a maximum of 3 single or double jumps 	<p>Max 2 Spins</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Spins may change feet and/or position Spins may start with a flying entry Min 3 revs. <p>These spins must be of a different character (For definition see U.S. Figure Skating rule 4103 (E))</p>	<p>Max 1 Sequence</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Step Sequence <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Must use one-half the ice surface Moves in the field and spiral sequences are allowed but will not be counted as elements Jumps may be included in the step sequence <p>If IJS is used, then: ChSt</p>
<p>PRE-JUVENILE</p> <p>2:00 +/- 10 sec</p> <p>*means element is required</p>	<p>Max 5 Jump Elements</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1 must be an Axel-type jump* All single and double jumps allowed except for the double Axel <ul style="list-style-type: none"> No double Axels, triple or quadruple jumps allowed An Axel plus up to 3 different double jumps may be repeated once (but no more) as solo jumps or part of a jump sequence or jump combination Number of single jumps is not limited provided the maximum number of jump elements allowed is not exceeded Max 2 jump combinations or sequences <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Jump combinations limited to 2 jumps except that one 3-jump combination with a maximum of 2 double jumps and 1 single jump is allowed Jump sequences limited to a maximum of 3 single or double jumps 	<p>Max 2 Spins</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1 spin combination, with or without change of foot* <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Min 6 revs 1 spin with only 1 position* <ul style="list-style-type: none"> No change of foot Min 4 revs <p>Both spins may start with a flying entry These spins must be of a different character (For definition see U.S. Figure Skating rule 4103 (E))</p>	<p>Max 1 Sequence</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Step Sequence <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Must fully utilize the ice surface Moves in the field and spiral sequences are allowed but will not be counted as elements Jumps may be included in the step sequence <p>If IJS is used, then: ChSt</p>

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<p>JUVENILE and OPEN JUVENILE</p> <p>2:20 +/- 10 sec</p> <p>*means element is required</p>	<p>Max 5 Jump Elements</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1 must be an Axel-type jump* • All single and double jumps, including the double Axel, allowed <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ No triple or quadruple jumps allowed ○ No more than 3 different double jumps may be repeated and, if repeated, at least one attempt must be in a jump combination or a jump sequence <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ If both executions (of the double) are as solo jumps, the second of these jumps will receive 70% of its original base value ○ No double jump can be included more than twice • Max 2 jump combinations or sequences <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Jump combinations limited to 2 jumps except one 3-jump combination with a maximum of 2 double jumps and 1 single jump is allowed ○ Number of jumps in jump sequence is not limited 	<p>Max 2 Spins</p> <p>1 spin combination; with or without change of foot*</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Min 8 revs ○ Min 2 revs in each position <p>• 1 spin with only 1 position; no change of foot*</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Min 5 revs <p>Both spins may start with a flying entry Spins must be of a different character (For definition see U.S. Figure Skating rule 4103 (E))</p>	<p>Max 1 Sequence</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • One choreographic step sequence* <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Must fully utilize the ice surface
<p>INTERMEDIATE</p> <p>2:40 +/- 10 sec</p> <p>*means element is required</p>	<p>Max 6 Jump Elements</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1 must be an Axel-type jump* • All single, double and triple jumps allowed. No quadruple jumps allowed. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ No more than 2 different jumps with 2 ½ or 3 revolutions may be repeated ○ If any double or triple jumps, including double Axel, are repeated, at least one attempt must be part of a jump combination or sequence <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ If both executions (of the double or triple) are as solo jumps, the second of these jumps will receive 70% of its original base value ○ No double or triple jump can be included more than twice • Max 3 jump combinations or sequences <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Jump combinations limited to 2 jumps except one 3-jump combination is allowed ○ Number of jumps in jump sequence is not limited 	<p>Max 2 Spins</p> <p>1 spin combination; with or without change of foot*</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Min 8 revs ○ Min 2 revs in each position <p>• 1 spin with only 1 position; no change of foot*</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Min 5 revs <p>Both spins may start with a flying entry Spins must be of a different character (For definition see U.S. Figure Skating rule 4103 (E))</p>	<p>Max 1 Sequence</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>One leveled step sequence*</u> • <u>Max Level 2. Only Minimum Variety (5 turns) & Simple Variety (7 turns) and rotation in each direction covering at least 1/3 of the pattern in each direction will be evaluated for the level.</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Must fully utilize the ice surface
<p>NOVICE LADIES</p> <p>3:00 +/- 10 sec</p> <p>*means element is required</p>	<p>Max 6 Jump Elements</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1 must be an Axel-type jump* • All single, double and triple jumps are allowed. No quadruple jumps allowed. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ No more than 1 double Axel and 2 different triple jumps may be repeated, and if repeated, at least 1 attempt must be as part of a jump combination or sequence. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ If both executions (of the double Axel or same triple) are as solo jumps, the second of these jumps will receive 70% of its original base value ○ There is no limit to the number of different double jumps that can be repeated, but no double or triple jump can be included more than twice • Max 3 jump combinations or sequences <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Jump combinations limited to 2 jumps except one 3-jump combination is allowed ○ Number of jumps in jump sequence is not limited 	<p>Max 3 Spins</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1 spin combination; with or without change of foot* <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Min 10 revs ○ Min 2 revs in each position • 1 flying spin with no change of foot or position* <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Min 6 revs • 3rd spin is option of skater <p>All spins may start with a flying entry Spins must be of a different character (For definition see U.S. Figure Skating rule 4103 (E))</p>	<p>Max 1 Sequence</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • One leveled step sequence* <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Must fully utilize the ice surface
<p>NOVICE MEN</p> <p>3:30 +/- 10 sec</p> <p>*means element is required</p>	<p>Max 7 Jump Elements</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1 must be an Axel-type jump* • All single, double and triple jumps are allowed. No quadruple jumps allowed. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ No more than 1 double Axel and 2 different triple jumps may be repeated, and if repeated, at least one attempt must be part of a jump combination or sequence. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ If both executions (of the double Axel or same triple) are as solo jumps, the second of these jumps will receive 70% of its original base value ○ There is no limit to the number of different double jumps that can be repeated, but no double or triple jump can be included more than twice • Max 3 jump combinations or sequences <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Jump combinations limited to 2 jumps except one 3-jump combination is allowed ○ Number of jumps in jump sequence is not limited 	<p>Max 3 Spins</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1 spin combination; with or without change of foot* <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Min 10 revs ○ Min 2 revs in each position • 1 flying spin with no change of foot or position* <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Min 6 revs • 3rd spin is option of skater <p>All spins may start with a flying entry Spins must be of a different character (For definition see U.S. Figure Skating rule 4103 (E))</p>	<p>Max 1 Sequence</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • One leveled step sequence* <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Must fully utilize the ice surface

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<p>JUNIOR LADIES</p> <p>3:30 +/- 10 sec</p> <p>*means element is required</p>	<p>Max 7 Jump Elements</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1 must be an Axel-type jump* • Jumps can contain any number of revolutions <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Of all the triples or quads, only 2 can be executed twice <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ If both executions (of the same triple or quad) are as solo jumps, the second of these jumps will receive 70% of its original base value ○ No double jump, including double Axel, can be included more than twice in total as solo jump or part of a combination/sequence • Max 3 jump combinations or sequences <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Jump combinations limited to 2 jumps except one 3-jump combination is allowed ○ Number of jumps in a sequence is not limited 	<p>Max 3 Spins</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1 spin combination; with or without change of foot* <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Min 10 revs ○ All 3 basic positions with min 2 revs in each position for highest base value • 1 spin with a flying entry* <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Min 6 revs • 1 spin with only 1 position* <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Min 6 revs <p>All spins may change feet and start with a flying entry Spins must be of a different character (For definition see U.S. Figure Skating rule 4103 (E))</p>	<p>Max 1 Sequence</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • One leveled step sequence* <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Must fully utilize the ice surface
<p>JUNIOR MEN</p> <p>4:00 +/- 10 sec</p> <p>*means element is required</p>	<p>Max 8 Jump Elements</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1 must be an Axel-type jump* • Jumps can contain any number of revolutions <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Of all the triples or quads, only 2 can be executed twice <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ If both executions (of the same triple or quad) are as solo jumps, the second of these jumps will receive 70% of its original base value ○ No double jump, including double Axel, can be included more than twice in total as solo jump or part of a combination/sequence • Max 3 jump combinations or sequences <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Jump combinations limited to 2 jumps except one 3-jump combination is allowed ○ Number of jumps in a sequence is not limited 	<p>Max 3 Spins</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1 spin combination; with or without change of foot* <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Min 10 revs ○ All 3 basic positions with min 2 revs in each position for highest base value • 1 spin with a flying entry* <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Min 6 revs • 1 spin with only 1 position* <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Min 6 revs <p>All spins may change feet and start with a flying entry Spins must be of a different character (For definition see U.S. Figure Skating rule 4103 (E))</p>	<p>Max 1 Sequence</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • One leveled step sequence* <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Must fully utilize the ice surface
<p>SENIOR LADIES</p> <p>4:00 +/- 10 sec</p> <p>*means element is required</p>	<p>Max 7 Jump Elements</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1 must be an Axel-type jump* • Jumps can contain any number of revolutions <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Of all the triples or quads, only 2 can be executed twice <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ If both executions (of the same triple or quad) are as solo jumps, the second of these jumps will receive 70% of its original base value ○ No double jump, including double Axel, can be included more than twice in total as solo jump or part of a combination/sequence • Max 3 jump combinations or sequences <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Jump combinations limited to 2 jumps except one 3-jump combination is allowed ○ Number of jumps in a sequence is not limited 	<p>Max 3 Spins</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1 spin combination; with or without change of foot* <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Min 10 revs ○ All 3 basic positions with min 2 revs in each position for highest base value • 1 spin with a flying entry* <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Min 6 revs • 1 spin with only 1 position* <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Min 6 revs <p>All spins may change feet and start with a flying entry Spins must be of a different character (For definition see U.S. Figure Skating rule 4103 (E))</p>	<p>Max 2 Sequences</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • One leveled step sequence* <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Must fully utilize the ice surface • One choreographic sequence* <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Must be clearly visible
<p>SENIOR MEN</p> <p>4:30 +/- 10 sec</p> <p>*means element is required</p>	<p>Max 8 Jump Elements</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1 must be an Axel-type jump* • Jumps can contain any number of revolutions <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Of all the triples or quads, only 2 can be executed twice <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ If both executions (of the same triple or quad) are as solo jumps, the second of these jumps will receive 70% of its original base value ○ No double jump, including double Axel, can be included more than twice in total as solo jump or part of a combination/sequence • Max 3 jump combinations or sequences <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Jump combinations limited to 2 jumps except one 3-jump combination is allowed ○ Number of jumps in a sequence is not limited 	<p>Max 3 Spins</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1 spin combination; with or without change of foot* <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Min 10 revs ○ All 3 basic positions with min 2 revs in each position for highest base value • 1 spin with a flying entry* <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Min 6 revs • 1 spin with only 1 position* <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Min 6 revs <p>All spins may change feet and start with a flying entry Spins must be of a different character (For definition see U.S. Figure Skating rule 4103 (E))</p>	<p>Max 2 Sequences</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • One leveled step sequence* <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Must fully utilize the ice surface • One choreographic sequence* <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Must be clearly visible



U.S. Figure Skating Nonqualifying Competitions

EVENT: Jumps Challenge

General event parameters:

1. Each jump may be attempted twice; the best attempt will be counted.
2. Pre-juvenile and lower will be skated ½ ice; Juvenile – senior will be skated on full ice
3. Jumps with an "*" must be preceded with connecting steps (intermediate – senior)

Level	Time	Skating rules / standards
Beginner	1:15 max.	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Waltz jump (from backward crossovers) 2. ½ flip or ½ Lutz 3. Single Salchow
High Beginner	1:15 max.	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Waltz jump (from backward crossovers) 2. Single Salchow 3. Jump combination – waltz jump-toe loop
No-Test	1:15 max.	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Single toe loop 2. Single loop 3. Jump combination – Any two ½ or single revolution jumps (no Axel)
Pre – Preliminary	1:15 max.	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Single toe loop 2. Single flip 3. Jump combination - Any two ½ or single revolution jumps (no Axel)
Preliminary	1:15 max.	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 5. Single flip 6. Single Lutz 7. Jump combination – Any single jump + single loop (may be Axel)
Pre – Juvenile	1:15 max.	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 5. Single Axel 6. Single or double jump 7. Jump combination – single/single (no Axel)
Juvenile & Open Juv.	1:15 max.	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 5. Single Axel 6. Double Salchow 7. Jump combination – single/single or double/single (no Axel)
Intermediate	1:30 max.	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 5. Single Axel 6. Double loop* 7. Jump combination – double/single (no Axel)
Novice	1:30 max.	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 5. Double loop 6. Double flip* 7. Jump combination – double/double (may be double Axel)
Junior	1:30 max.	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 5. Choice of double or triple jump 6. Double or triple flip* 7. Jump combination – double/double (may be double Axel)
Senior	1:30 max.	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 5. Choice of double or triple jump 6. Double or triple Lutz* 7. Jump combination – double/double or triple/double (may be double Axel)



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EVENT: Spins Challenge

General event parameters:

1. Spins may be skated in any order. Connecting steps are allowed, but will not be taken into consideration in scoring. Spins may not be repeated. Only required elements may be included.
2. All events are skated on ½ ice.
3. Minimum number of revolutions are noted in parentheses.

Level	Time	Skating rules / standards
Beginner	1:30 max.	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Upright one-foot spin (3) 2. Upright two-foot spin (3) 3. Sit spin (3)
High Beginner	1:30 max.	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Upright one-foot spin (3) 2. Upright two-foot spin (3) 3. Sit spin (3)
No-Test	1:30 max.	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Upright one-foot spin (3) 2. Upright two-foot spin (3) 3. Sit spin (3)
Pre – Preliminary	1:30 max.	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 4. Upright one-foot spin (3) 5. Upright back scratch spin (3) 6. Sit spin (3)
Preliminary	1:30 max.	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 8. Forward scratch to back scratch spin (3) 9. Combination spin with no change of foot (4) 10. Sit spin (3)
Pre – Juvenile	1:30 max.	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 8. Camel spin (3) 9. Combination spin – camel to sit spin; no change of foot (6) 10. Forward to backward scratch spin (3 per foot)
Juvenile & Open Juv.	1:30 max.	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 8. Sit spin (4) 9. Combination spin – with change of foot; optional change of position (4 per foot) 10. Girls – layback spin (4); Boys – camel spin (4)
Intermediate	1:30 max.	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 8. Flying camel spin (5) 9. Sit spin to backward sit spin (4 per foot) 10. Combination spin – change of foot & change of position (4 per foot)
Novice	1:30 max.	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 8. Choice of camel, sit or layback spin (6) 9. Camel spin to backward camel spin (4 per foot in position) 10. Combination spin – change of foot & two changes of position (2 per position & 5 per foot)
Junior	1:30 max.	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 8. Flying sit spin or flying reverse sit spin (6) 9. Solo spin of choice (6) – may not fly 10. Combination spin – with change of foot & utilizing all three positions (2 per position & 5 per foot)
Senior	1:30 max.	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 8. Flying spin of choice (6) 9. Solo spin of choice (6) – may not fly 10. Combination spin – with change of foot & utilizing all three positions (2 per position & 5 per foot)



U.S. Figure Skating Nonqualifying Competitions

EVENT: Showcase Events – Artistic

Format:

- Props and scenery are permitted.

General event parameters:

1. Level will be determined by the highest free skate or dance (solo or partnered) test passed. Skaters may compete at the highest level they have passed, or skate up to one level higher.
2. The determination of level will be based upon test requirement at the entry deadline.
3. Current guidelines and procedures for nonqualifying showcase competitions can be found at www.usfigureskating.org, under "Programs" on the National Showcase page.

Artistic Levels

Except for Adult events, skaters must compete at the highest level for which they qualify.

Event	Must meet requirements*	Must not have passed	Age	Time
No Test (does not qualify for National)	No Free Skate test passed	Pre-Preliminary Free Skate OR Any Free Dance	No age restriction	1:30 max
Pre-Preliminary (does not qualify for National)	Pre-Preliminary Free Skate	Preliminary Free Skate OR Any Free Dance	No age restriction	1:30 max
Preliminary	Preliminary Free Skate	Pre Juvenile Free Skate OR Juvenile Free Dance	No minimum age (max age 20)	1:40 max
Pre Juvenile	Pre Juvenile Free Skate	Juvenile Free Skate OR Juvenile Free Dance	No minimum age (max age 20)	1:40 max
Juvenile	Juvenile Free Skate OR Juvenile Free Dance	Intermediate Free Skate OR Intermediate Free Dance	3 and under	2:10 max
Teen	Juvenile Free Skate OR Juvenile Free Dance	Intermediate Free Skate OR Intermediate Free Dance	14-17	2:10 max
Intermediate	Intermediate Free Skate OR Intermediate Free Dance	Novice Free Skate OR Novice Free Dance	17 and under	2:10 max
Young Adult	Juvenile Free Skate OR Juvenile Free Dance	Novice Free Skate OR Novice Free Dance	18-20	2:10 max
Novice	Novice Free Skate OR Novice Free Dance	Junior Free Skate OR Junior Free Dance		2:10 max
Junior	Junior Free Skate OR Junior Free Dance	Senior Free Skate OR Senior Free Dance		2:40 max

Senior	Senior Free Skate OR Senior Free Dance			2:40 max
Event	Must meet requirements* Must have passed Free Skate or Dance Test (solo or partnered, standard, adult, or masters track)	Must not have passed Free Skate or Dance Test (solo or partnered; standard, adult, or masters track) or higher	Age	Time
Adult Pre-Bronze (does not qualify for National)	Adult Pre-Bronze Free Skate OR Pre-Preliminary Free Skate	Adult Bronze Free Skate Preliminary Free Skate OR Any Free Dance	21 and older	1:40 max
Adult Bronze	Adult Bronze Free Skate Preliminary Free Skate Juvenile Free Dance OR Pre-Bronze Dance Test (prior to 4/30/17)	Adult Silver Free Skate Pre Juvenile Free Skate Adult Silver Free Dance Intermediate Free Dance Preliminary Free Dance (prior to 9/2/2000) OR 3rd Figure (prior to 10/1/77)	21 and older	1:40 max
Adult Silver	Adult Silver Free Skate Juvenile Free Skate (prior to 10/1/94) Pre Juvenile Free Skate Adult Silver Free Dance Intermediate Free Dance Preliminary Free Dance (prior to 9/2/2000) OR 3rd Figure (prior to 10/1/77)	Adult Gold Free Skate Juvenile Free Skate (On/after 10/1/94) Adult Gold Free Dance Novice Free Dance Bronze Free Dance (prior to 9/2/2000) OR 4th Figure (prior to 10/1/77)	21 and older	1:40 max
Adult Gold	Adult Gold Free Skate Juvenile Free Skate Adult Gold Free Dance Novice Free Dance OR 3rd Figure (prior to 10/1/77)	Intermediate FS (on/after 10/1/91) Junior Free Dance Silver Free Dance (Prior to 9/2/2000) OR 5th Figure Test (prior to 10/1/77)	21 and older	1:40 max
Masters	Intermediate Free Skate Adult Gold Free Dance Junior Free Dance Silver Free Dance (Prior to 9/2/2000) 3rd Figure Test (prior to 10/1/77) OR 8th Figure Test (10/1/77-9/30/79)		21 and older	1:40 max

* For the US Adult Championships and adult sectional championships, skaters must meet the test requirements for the level at which they want to compete; rules 2540-2552 apply.; and the same level must be chosen for all showcase events at the competition (for example, a skater may not compete in Masters Dramatic Entertainment and Adult Gold Light Entertainment events at the same competition). Adult athletes wishing to be grandfathered into a higher level based on participation at the Adult Championships or National Showcase prior to 4/30/17 may make this request to the National Vice Chair for National Showcase. For all other competitions, skaters must compete at their test level or one level higher, per the above chart. For Basic Skills levels and events, please refer to the U.S. Figure Skating Compete USA Competition Manual for Showcase event levels, elements, qualifications, program lengths and descriptions. For events offered, refer to the competition announcement.



U.S. Figure Skating Nonqualifying Competitions

EVENT: Showcase Events – Interpretive Events

Format: Interpretive is a performance choreographed by the competitor, unaccompanied and unassisted, to music supplied by the competition committee / LOC. Programs should incorporate various elements of expressive movement and skating moves, to enhance the skater's interpretation of the music, rather than technical elements.

- The music will be played continuously during a 30-minute off-ice session in a room and twice during an on-ice warm-up prior to the performance.
 - The room will be attended only by the adult monitor assigned to play the music and the competing skaters.
- **After the warm up, skaters will go back to a room, with no music being played.**
- Skaters will be brought to the ice when the previous skater finishes.
- All competitors in an event will interpret the same music.
- Props are permitted but must be brought into the room prior to listening to the music, and be taken to the ice only when the skater is called to perform. Props may not be pre-positioned on the performance surface.

Current guidelines and procedures for nonqualifying showcase competitions can be found at www.usfigureskating.org, under "Programs" on the National Showcase page.

Interpretative Events and Levels:

Except for Adult events, skaters must compete at the highest level for which they qualify

Level	Program Duration	Test Requirements (Freeskate or Free Dance)
Pre-juvenile and below	1:00 maximum	Skaters may compete at the highest level they have passed, or skate up to one level higher. The determination of level will be based upon test requirement at the entry deadline.
Juvenile - novice	1:30 maximum	Skaters may compete at the highest level they have passed, or skate up to one level higher. The determination of level will be based upon test requirement at the entry deadline.
Junior and senior	1:30 maximum	Skaters may compete at the highest level they have passed, or skate up to one level higher. The determination of level will be based upon test requirement at the entry deadline.
Teen and young adult	1:30 maximum	Skaters may compete at the highest level they have passed, or skate up to one level higher. The determination of level will be based upon test requirement at the entry deadline.
All adult events	1:30 maximum	Skaters may compete at the highest level they have passed, or skate up to one level higher. The determination of level will be based upon test requirement at the entry deadline.



U.S. Figure Skating Nonqualifying Competitions

EVENT: Adult Free Skate Program

General event parameters:

- Skaters will skate to the music of their choice and vocal music is allowed
- To be skated on full ice
- The minimum number of required spin revolutions is indicated in parentheses following the spin description. Revolutions must be in position.

Level	Jumps	Spins	Step Sequences	Qualifications
Adult Beginner 1:40 Maximum	Max. 4 jump elements <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Jumps limited to bunny hop, mazurka, or ballet • Max 1 combination or sequence consisting of only the allowed listed jumps • Max. 2 of any same jump 	Max. 2 spins <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Two forward upright spins, no change of foot, no flying entry (Min. 3 revolutions) 	Connecting moves and steps should be demonstrated throughout the program	Skaters may not have passed tests higher than U.S. Figure Skating Learn to Skate USA Free Skate 1 Badge Test
Adult High Beginner 1:40 Maximum	Max 4 jump elements: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Jumps limited to bunny hop, mazurka, ballet, stag, split, waltz, ½ flip • Max 1 combination or sequence consisting of only the allowed listed jumps • Max. 2 of any same type jump. 	Max 2 spins: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Two upright spins, change of foot optional, no flying entry (Min. 3 revolutions) 	Connecting moves and steps should be demonstrated throughout the program	Skaters may not have passed tests higher than U.S. Figure Skating USA Free Skate 1 Badge Test
Adult Pre-Bronze 1:40 Maximum	Max 4 Jump Elements: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Jump combinations and sequences are optional, but no more than 2 combinations or sequences may be included • 1 jump combination/sequence may consist of three jumps, and the other may have only two jumps. • Each jump may be repeated only once and only as part of a combination or sequence (maximum of 2 of any jump) • Only single and half-revolution jumps are allowed • No single Lutz, single Axel or double jumps are allowed 	Max 2 Spins: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Min 3 revs • Spins with a flying entry are not permitted 	Connecting steps throughout the program are required	Skaters may not have passed tests higher than U.S. Figure Skating Adult Pre-Bronze Free Skate
Adult Bronze 1:50 maximum	Max 4 Jump Elements: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Max 2 combinations or sequences; • 1 combination/sequence may consist of three jumps, and the other may have only two jumps • Each jump may be repeated only once, and only as part of a combination or sequence (maximum of 2 of any jump) • All single jumps are permitted (except single Axel) 	Max 2 Spins: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Spins must be of different character (for definition, see U.S. Figure Skating rule 4103 (E)) • Min 3 revs total if no change of foot • Min 3 revs each foot if change of foot • Min 2 revs in each position 	Max 1 Sequence: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Choreographic Step Sequence Must use at least ½ ice surface	Skaters may not have passed tests higher than U.S. Figure Skating Adult Bronze Free Skate

	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• No single Axel, double or triple jumps are permitted	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• No flying spins are permitted		
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Eau Claire Figure Skating 29th Annual Competition

Name:		U.S. Figure Skating #	
Date of Birth:		Sex:	
Address:			
Email:			
Cell phone:			
Name of parent or guardian:			
Highest MITF test:		Highest free skate test:	
Home figure skating club:			
Coach name:		Coach U.S. Figure Skating#	
Coach email:		Coach cell phone:	

Please mark an "X" in the box next to events you are entering. The entry fee is \$120 for the first event, \$50 for the second event and \$25 for each additional event.

FREE SKATE EVENTS:

Introductory Events	X	Test Track Events	X	Well Balanced Program Events	X
Beginner		Pre-Preliminary		No-Test	
High Beginner		Preliminary		Pre-Preliminary	
		Pre-Juvenile		Preliminary	
		Juvenile		Pre-Juvenile	
		Intermediate		Open Juvenile	
		Novice		Juvenile	
		Junior		Intermediate	
		Senior		Novice	
				Junior	
				Senior	

SHORT PROGRAM:

COMPULSORY MOVES:

JUMPS CHALLENGE:

Short Program	X	Compulsory Moves	X	Jumps Challenge	X
Intermediate		Beginner		Beginner	
Novice		High Beginner		High Beginner	
Junior		No Test		No Test	
Senior		Pre-Preliminary		Pre-Preliminary	
		Preliminary		Preliminary	
		Pre-Juvenile		Pre-Juvenile	
		Juvenile		Juvenile	
		Intermediate		Intermediate	
		Novice		Novice	
		Junior		Junior	
		Senior		Senior	

Spins Challenge		Showcase-Artistic		Showcase-Interpretive	
Beginner		No Test		Pre-juvenile and below	
High Beginner		Pre-Preliminary		Juvenile - Novice	
No Test		Preliminary		Junior- Senior	
Pre-Preliminary		Pre-Juvenile		Teen- Young Adult	
Preliminary		Juvenile		All Adult	
Pre-Juvenile		Teen			
Juvenile		Intermediate			
Intermediate		Young Adult		Adult Free Skate	
Novice		Novice		Adult Beginner	
Junior		Junior		Adult High Beginner	
Senior		Senior		Adult Pre-Bronze	
		Adult Pre-Bronze		Adult Bronze	
		Adult Bronze			
		Adult Silver			
		Adult Gold			
		Adult Masters			

First Event \$ 120
 Additional Event \$ 50
 Additional Event \$ _____ Number of events _____ x \$25
 Practice Ice \$ _____
Total: \$ _____

The completed entry form, with fees, must be postmarked no later than January 31, 2018.

Make check or money order payable to **Eau Claire Figure Skating Club** and mail to: **Angie Southworth 3644 26th Street Elk Mound, WI 54739**. For additional information call: **Angie Southworth 715-874-4877**.

ENTRY FEES ARE NOT REFUNDABLE AFTER THE ENTRY DEADLINE UNLESS AN EVENT IS CANCELED.

Certification of Competitor: The Competitor is eligible to enter the events checked. It is agreed that the competitor and family holds the Eau Claire Figure Skating Club and Hobbs Ice Arena harmless from any and all liability either during practice or the competition, and from any and all liability for damages to or loss of property.

Instructor/coach has verified that the skater/team is entered in the correct level.

The Program Director/Club Officer has verified that the skater/team is in good standing.

Parent/Guardian Signature _____ **Date** _____
Competitor Signature _____ **Date** _____
Instructor/Coach Signature _____ **Date** _____
Program Director/Club Officer _____ **Date** _____