

Rocket City Classic 2008

August 22nd - 24th, 2008

**IJS Judging System will be used for Juvenile thru Senior Single Events
Test Track events for Juvenile thru Senior**

Test Session: August 22nd, 2008

Sponsored by the
The Skating Club of Huntsville

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To be held at:
Benton H. Wilcoxon Municipal Ice Complex
3185 Leeman Ferry Road
Huntsville, AL 35801

Officials

Chief Referee: Laura Maki
Asst. Referee: Heather Schonrock
Accountants: Rebecca Watford, Mike Meyers

Sanctioned By



If you have any questions please contact:

Competition Chair
Linda Leonard
200 Tidewater Dr.
Madison, AL 35758
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Rules/Conduct/Eligibility

The competition is open to all amateur skaters who are members in good standing with U.S. Figure Skating and will be governed by the rules specified in the current U.S. Figure Skating Rulebook except as noted. Skaters may enter events according to their age and test level as of 24 July 2008. Skaters may compete at one level higher than the skater's current test level. However, skaters may only enter one level per event (i.e. Juvenile Free Skate only and not Intermediate Free Skate also). Any event with a large number of entries will be divided into smaller groups by birth date for events below the Juvenile level. The competition committee reserves the right to divide or combine any event, if necessary, and to cancel any event (with full refund of entry fee) due to lack of participants. An event will be held if there are two or more competitors.

Basic Skills Events Only: The competition is open to all beginner skaters who are either enrolled in a class program and/or receiving private instruction. Skaters must be members of U.S. Figure Skating. Anyone who has passed the U.S. Figure Skating Pre-Preliminary Free Skating Test is not eligible. Please complete the enclosed [Basic Skills Entry Form](#) and return it with payment by July 25, 2008.

IJS Events: IJS Competitors are responsible for registering their IJS Planned Program Content for the Rocket City Classic 2008 in the US Figure Skating Online Event Registration Website located in the Member's only section of the US Figure Skating Website. IJS Competitors that are planning to skate mixed levels, i.e. Juvenile Short and Intermediate Free must notify the SC of Huntsville so that the competitor is placed in the desired event. Please complete the Planned Program Content Form in the online registration system not later than August 15, 2008.

Test Session: A test session, for all skating disciplines, at all levels, including gold level, will be held prior to the start of the competition on Friday, August 22nd, 2008. If time permits, test practice ice will be offered prior to the start of the test session. Please complete the enclosed [Test Session Application Form](#) and return it with payment by July 25th, 2008

Entries: Entries must be postmarked no later than **July 25, 2008**. Late entries will be included at the discretion of the competition committee and the chief referee. A late fee of \$30.00 will be charged. Any entry form changes made after the closing date will be assessed a \$30.00 fee. All insufficient funds returned checks will be charged a \$30.00 handling fee. Please complete the enclosed [Rocket City Entry Form](#) and return it with payment no later than **July 25, 2008**.

Competition Schedule: A tentative schedule of events will be available on or about **August 15, 2008**. The schedule will be posted on The Skating Club of Huntsville website (<http://www.schsv.com>).

Entry Fees:

First Event (Pre-Preliminary – Senior; and solo dance)	\$80.00
Pair/Dance first event.....	\$37.50 each skater
Additional Events (Pre-Preliminary – Senior, and solo dance).....	\$35.00
Pair/Dance second event.....	\$17.50 each skater
First Event (Basic Skills)	\$35.00
Additional Events (Basic Skills).....	\$20.00

Make Checks Payable to: The Skating Club of Huntsville and mail with completed entry form to:

Linda Leonard
200 Tidewater Dr
Madison, AL 35758

Registration: The registration desk will be open beginning Friday, August 22nd at the start of official practice ice. Skaters are required to check the official bulletin board for any changes. Posting of such notices, changes or announcements shall be considered sufficient notice to all participants.

Music: All competition music must be on CDs clearly labeled with the skater's name, club name, and event on the side that is to be played. All CDs must be prepared by skater and contain only the skater's program. Commercial CDs with multiple programs will not be accepted. CDs may be picked up at the registration desk after each event. The competition committee will take all reasonable precautions to safeguard your music; however, the committee will not accept responsibility for accidental damage. Competitors are reminded to bring at least one back-up CD and have it available rink side.

Awards:

- Medals will be given for 1st through 4th places for Pre-Preliminary through Senior level. In Basic Skills events, medals will be given for 1st through 3rd places; ribbons will be given to subsequent placements.
- An award schedule will be posted on the Official Bulletin Board in the rink.

Facilities: Due to a renovation project at the Benton H. Wilcoxon Ice Complex, we will be limited to the use of one rink. The rink is 200' by 85' with slightly rounded corners and hockey barriers. Full-service snack bar and Pro Shop are available on site.

Dressing Rooms: There are locker rooms (including bathrooms and stalls) available for changing into skating costumes. No changing should be done in the public restrooms.

Photography and Video:

- Professional video and photography services will be available.
- Hand-held personal video/photography equipment is permitted in the spectator area only. The competition committee restricts personal video taping/photography to your child only. No other recording will be permitted without committee approval. Video taping/photography of any event for personal profit is not allowed. No video equipment may be plugged into arena outlets.
- Video and Photography will be provided by 5Marks Video

Practice Ice: Advance purchase of practice ice is available for \$10.00 per 30 minute session. Practice ice will be available for purchase at the event at \$12.00 per 30-minute session space permitting. Pairs and Dance Couples are \$10.00 per person. Practice ice will begin Friday August 22nd. **The competition and practice ice schedule will be posted in The Skating Club of Huntsville website (<http://www.schsv.com>).** No practice ice will be scheduled by phone. The practice ice desk will be located at the registration desk. Due to length of session no music will be played during practice ice, other than dance. For advance purchase of practice ice, **please complete and send the attached [Practice Ice application](#) and return your check and request postmarked by July 25, 2008, to:**

Linda Leonard
200 Tidewater Dr.
Madison, AL 35758

Accommodations: The official hotel for the competition is the **Holiday Inn Downtown**. Rooms are available for \$95.00 per night. Reservations must be made by August 1, 2008 to ensure the group rate. Reservations can be made online at www.holidayinn.com/huntsvilleal or by calling 1-800-465-4329. Please use the following code when making your reservations: **PCS**
The hotel has a full service restaurant and a Starbucks coffee shop in the lobby.

Admission: The competition is open to the general public for viewing at no charge.

Critiques: Critiques will be offered only for all IJS events. Critiques will be open only to skaters and their coaches. The schedule of critiques will be provided at registration.

Refunds: Refunds will be given only for competitor overpayment or event cancellation. Furthermore, if only one competitor signs up for an event, an exhibition performance will be scheduled for the competitor(s) rather than an automatic cancellation of the event. Refund checks for competitor overpayment or event cancellation (at the discretion of The Skating Club of Huntsville) will be available at registration.

Competition events and requirements: Two entries in a division will constitute a competition. Entrants may skate one level above that for which they are qualified. Skaters may enter only one event per category. For example, a skater may not enter both Pre-Juvenile and Juvenile Free Skate events. Pre-juvenile events and below will be divided by age. Every effort will be made to place those skaters over the age of 12 into separate groups. Travel plans should **NOT** be based solely upon any tentative schedule published prior to the start of the competition. Please be at the rink 45 minutes before the start of your event.

National Showcase

NATIONAL SHOWCASE 2008: A COMPETITION IN THEATRICAL SKATING

Singles competitors who place 1st through 4th in a singles artistic event may qualify for National Showcase 2008. Eligible skaters will have placed 1st through 4th as previously described and will have passed the Preliminary Free Skating test and above OR completed requirements for Adult Interpretive Free Skating and above. Duets and Ensembles need not qualify by placement for National Showcase. Please contact Melissa Bowman (email patinage_tx@verizon.net, phone 972-208-2852), Vice Chair for National Showcase.

FREE SKATE: Music provided by the skater. Program duration variance of +/- 10 seconds is permissible.

EVENT	REQUIREMENTS	DURATION
Pre-Preliminary A – NO AXEL	Must have passed Pre-Preliminary Freestyle Test and no higher. No double jumps.	1:30 minutes.
Pre-Preliminary B – Axel permitted	Must have passed Pre-Preliminary Freestyle Test. No double jumps.	1:30 minutes.
Preliminary A – NO AXEL or double jumps.	Must have passed Preliminary Freestyle Test and no higher.	1:30 minutes
Preliminary B – Rule 3701	Must have passed Preliminary Freestyle Test and no higher.	1:30 minutes
Pre-Juvenile Rule 3691	Must have passed Pre-Juvenile Freestyle Test and no higher.	2:00 minutes
Juvenile (IJS Event) (12 or under as of 09/01/08) Rule 3681	Must have passed Juvenile Freestyle Test and no higher.	2:15 minutes
Open Juvenile (IJS Event) (13 or over as of 09/01/08) Rule 3681	Must have passed Juvenile Freestyle Test and no higher.	2:15 minutes
Intermediate (IJS Event) Rule 3672	Must have passed Intermediate Freestyle Test and no higher.	2:30 minutes
Novice (IJS Event) Rule 3663	Must have passed Novice Freestyle Test and no higher.	3:00 minutes (ladies) 3:30 minutes (men)
Junior (IJS Event) Rule 3653	Must have passed Junior Freestyle Test and no higher.	3:30 minutes (ladies) 4:00 minutes (men)
Senior (IJS Event) Rule 3643	Must have passed Senior Freestyle Test.	4:00 minutes (ladies) 4:30 minutes (men)

*** Open events have no maximum age restriction for this competition.**

TEST TRACK FREE SKATE: Music provided by the skater. Program duration variance of +/- 10 seconds is permissible.

Juvenile (no age restrictions)	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.	Must have passed Juv FS and no higher.	Time: 2:15
Intermediate	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.	Must have passed Intermediate free skate test and no higher.	Time: 2:30 +/-10
Novice	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. One step or spiral sequence (see Rule 3640 for description).	Must have passed Novice free skate test and no higher.	Time: Ladies 3:00 +/-10 Men 3:30+/-10
Junior	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. Men: Two different step sequences Ladies: One step sequence and one spiral sequence (see Rule 3640 for description).	Skaters must have junior free skate test and no higher.	Time: Ladies 3:30 +/-10 Men 4:00 +/-10
Senior	Four spins (min 6 revolutions on all solo spins)-one must be a flying spin, one solo spin, 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).	Skaters must have senior free skate Test.	Time: Ladies 4:00 +/-10 Men 4:30 +/-10

SHORT PROGRAMS: Full ice; music provided by the skater.

EVENT	REQUIREMENTS	DURATION (Min.)
Juvenile/Open Juvenile Short Program (IJS Event):	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Jump combination — one double jump and one single jump or two double jumps 2. Axel (may not be repeated) 3. Solo Jump — single or double jump (may not be repeated) 4. Solo spin — min 5 revs in position (may commence with a jump) 5. Spin combination — only one change of foot and at least one change of position (4 revs each foot) 6. Step sequence — straight line, circular, or serpentine 	2:00 maximum
Intermediate (IJS Event) Rule 3671	Must have passed Intermediate Freestyle Test.	2:00 maximum
Novice (IJS Event) Rule 3661/3662	Must have passed Novice Freestyle Test.	2:30 maximum
Junior (IJS Event) Rule 3651/3652	Must have passed Junior Freestyle Test.	2:50 maximum
Senior (IJS Event) Rule 3641/3642	Must have passed Senior Freestyle Test.	2:50 maximum

Compulsories: Eligibility by age and test level as described for Free Skate events. Moves are skated without music or stops between the moves. Moves may be done in any order. Non-prescribed or additional moves will be penalized. Combination jumps may not have a change of foot or turn between the jumps. An axel is considered a single jump. Pre-Juvenile and below will be performed on half-ice. Required individual jumps cannot be repeated as part of the combination jump.

EVENT	REQUIREMENTS	DURATION
Pre-Preliminary	Salchow; Waltz/Toe Loop Combination; One Foot Spin (min. 4 rev.); Forward Spiral; connecting steps.	1:00 minute max. Half Ice
Preliminary	Flip; Sit Spin (min. 4 rev); Forward Spiral (outside edge); Combination jump consisting of 2 single jumps; Connecting Steps; Axel permitted.	1:00 minute max. Half Ice
Pre-Juvenile	Lutz; Combination Jump Consisting of Two Single Jumps; Camel Spin (min. 4 rev); Forward Inside Spiral; Front scratch spin to back scratch-exit on spinning foot; Connecting Steps.	1:00 minute max. Half Ice

Artistic: Eligibility by test level as described for Free Skate events. Vocal music may be used. Appropriate costumes are encouraged but not mandatory and should not pose a safety hazard to the skater. Judging will emphasize artistic expression, originality, creativity and musical interpretation. Only handheld props may be used. Costume accessories, once removed, are props. Nothing may be placed on the ice surface. Levels may be combined.

EVENT	REQUIREMENTS	DURATION
Pre-Preliminary	No Double Jumps. Max.3 Spins	1:30 minutes
Preliminary	No Double Jumps. Max 3 Spins	1:30 minutes
Pre-Juvenile	No Double Jumps. Max 3 Spins	1:30 minutes
Juvenile	No Double Jumps. Max 3 Spins	1:30 minutes
Open Juvenile	No Double Jumps. Max 3 Spins	1:30 minutes
Intermediate	Maximum 3 Spins.	2:00 minutes
Novice	Maximum 3 Spins.	2:00 minutes
Junior	Maximum 3 Spins.	2:00 minutes
Senior	Maximum 3 Spins.	2:00 minutes

Jumps: Eligibility by test level as described for Free Skate events. Jumps must be performed in the order listed with minimal connecting steps. Only one attempt permitted for each jump.

EVENT		Duration
Pre-Preliminary	Salchow, toe-loop, loop/loop combination	1:00 minute max ½ ice
Pre-Juvenile	Axel, single lutz/single loop combination	1:15 minutes max ½ ice
Juvenile/Open Juvenile	Axel. Double/single combination, double toe loop	1:15 minutes max full ice
Intermediate	Single Axel, double loop, 2 double jump combo	1:30 minutes max full ice
Novice	Double loop, double flip, 2 double jump combo	1:30 minutes max full ice
Junior	Double Axel, double flip, 2 double or triple/double combo	1:30 minutes max full ice
Senior	Double Axel, double lutz, triple/double or triple/triple combo	1:30 minutes max full ice

Spins only event: Entrants will qualify according to their Free Skate level. Spins may be joined with appropriate connecting moves and will be skated on 1/2 ice. There will be a 1-1/2 minute time limit, and no music. Spins must be skated exactly as stated, but may be performed in any order.

EVENT	REQUIREMENTS
Pre-Preliminary	One-foot spin, optional free leg (minimum 3 revs.); two-foot spin (minimum 3 revs.); sit spin (minimum 3 revs.)
Preliminary	Scratch spin (minimum 5 revs.); sit spin (minimum 3 revs.); camel spin (minimum 3 revs.)
Pre-Juvenile	Camel spin (minimum 4 revs.); change foot sit spin (minimum 4 revs. Each foot); front to back scratch spin (minimum 4 revs. Each foot) exiting on spinning foot.
Juvenile	Spin combination with 1 chg of foot and 1 chg of position (minimum 4 revs. Each foot); flying camel spin (minimum 5 revs.); chg foot sit spin (minimum 5 revs each foot).
Open Juvenile	Same as Juvenile
Intermediate	Spin combination with 1 chg of foot and 2 changes of position (minimum 5 revs. Each foot); camel spin to back camel spin (minimum 4 revs. Each foot); layback spin (ladies- minimum 5 revs.) or flying camel spin (men- minimum 5 revs.)
Novice	Flying camel (minimum 6 revs.); spin combination with 2 changes of foot and 2 changes of position (minimum 15 revs. Total); layback spin (ladies- minimum 6 revs.) or cross-foot spin (men- minimum 6 revs.).
Junior	Flying sit spin (minimum 6 revs.); spin combination with 3 changes of position and 1 change of foot (minimum 5 revs. Each foot); layback spin (ladies- minimum 6 revs.) or cross-foot spin (men- minimum 6 revs.)
Senior	Flying spin of choice (minimum 6 revs.); spin combination with at least 2 changes of position and 2 changes of foot (minimum 15 revs. Total); solo spin of skater's choice (minimum 8 revs.)

Pair events: Pair competition will consist of a freestyle program for Preliminary, Juvenile and Intermediate. It will consist of both short and long programs as separate events for Novice through Senior.

EVENT	REQUIREMENTS	DURATION
Preliminary	Passed Preliminary Pair Test, neither partner higher	1:30 minutes
Juvenile	Passed Juvenile Pair Test.	2:30 minutes
Intermediate	Passed Intermediate Pair Test.	3:00 minutes
Novice	Passed Novice Pair.	SP 2 minutes, 50 seconds LP 3:30 minutes
Junior	Passed Junior Pair Test.	SP 2 minutes, 50 seconds LP 4:00 minutes
Senior	Passed Senior Pair Test.	SP 2 minutes, 50 seconds LP 4:30 minutes

NOTE: Pair Events will be marked under the 6.0 system

Solo dance: Eligibility by test level as described for Free Skate events. Two dances will be skated and will be posted prior to competition. Awards will be presented for total dance event. Ladies and men may compete against each other.

EVENT	REQUIREMENTS	COMPETITION DANCES
Preliminary	Passed no more than one Pre-Bronze dance.	Dutch Waltz, Canasta Tango, Rhythm Blues.
Pre-Bronze	Passed no more than one Bronze dance.	Swing Dance, Cha-Cha, Fiesta Tango.
Bronze	Passed no more than one Pre-Silver dance.	Hickory Hoedown, Willow Waltz, Ten-Fox.
Pre-Silver	Passed no more than one Silver dance.	14 Step, European Waltz, Foxtrot.
Silver	Passed no more than one Pre-Gold dance.	American Waltz, Tango, Rocker Foxtrot.
Pre-Gold	Passed no more than one Gold dance.	Killian, Blues, Paso Doble, Starlight Waltz.
Gold	Passed no more than one International dance.	Quickstep, Viennese Waltz, Westminster Waltz, Argentine Tango.

Couple Dance – Compulsory: Requirements listed apply to both partners. Both competition dances will be skated.

EVENT	REQUIREMENTS	COMPETITION DANCES
Pre-Juvenile	Passed at least two Preliminary dances; no higher than complete Pre-Bronze dance test.	Cha Cha, Swing
Juvenile	Passed at least complete Preliminary dance test.	Willow Waltz, Ten Fox
Intermediate	Passed at least complete Bronze dance test.	Fourteen Step, European Waltz
Novice	Passed at least one Silver dance test.	American Waltz, Paso Doble
Junior	Passed at least two Pre-Gold dance tests.	Starlight Waltz, Paso Doble
Senior	Passed at least the complete Gold dance test.	Paso Doble, Viennese Waltz

Free Dance: Rule 4270. Test and age restrictions to both partners will apply.

EVENT	REQUIREMENTS	DURATION
Juvenile	Must have passed the Juvenile Moves in the Field and Free Dance tests. Under 16 year of age as of 9/01/08	2:15 +/- 10 sec.
Intermediate	Must have passed the Intermediate Moves in the Field and Free Dance tests, Under 18 year of age as of 9/01/08	2:30 +/- 10 sec.

ROCKET CITY CLASSIC 2008

Entry Form

Hosted by The Skating Club of Huntsville

NAME: _____ SEX: _____ BIRTH DATE: _____ AGE: _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY, STATE, ZIP _____

E-MAIL ADDRESS _____

PHONE: HOME _____ WORK _____ CELL _____

U.S. FIGURE SKATING NO. _____ HOME CLUB _____

(Please do not Abbreviate Club Name)

HIGHEST TEST PASSED: Free Skate: _____ Pairs: _____ MIF: _____ Dance: _____

Partner Name: _____

Partner U.S. FIGURE SKATING No. _____

(Partner is required to submit a separate entry form)

FILL IN CIRCLE BESIDE EACH EVENT ENTERED

<u>Pre-Preliminary</u> <input type="checkbox"/> Free Skate A <input type="checkbox"/> Free Skate B <input type="checkbox"/> Compulsories <input type="checkbox"/> Spins <input type="checkbox"/> Artistic <input type="checkbox"/> Jumps	<u>Preliminary</u> <input type="checkbox"/> Free Skate A <input type="checkbox"/> Free Skate B <input type="checkbox"/> Compulsories <input type="checkbox"/> Spins <input type="checkbox"/> Artistic <input type="checkbox"/> Jumps	<u>Pre-Juvenile</u> <input type="checkbox"/> Free Skate <input type="checkbox"/> Compulsories <input type="checkbox"/> Spins <input type="checkbox"/> Artistic <input type="checkbox"/> Jumps	<u>Juvenile</u> <input type="checkbox"/> Free Skate <input type="checkbox"/> Test Track (all ages) <input type="checkbox"/> Short Program <input type="checkbox"/> Spins <input type="checkbox"/> Jumps
<u>Open Juvenile</u> <input type="checkbox"/> Free Skate <input type="checkbox"/> Short Program <input type="checkbox"/> Spins <input type="checkbox"/> Artistic <input type="checkbox"/> Jumps	<u>Intermediate</u> <input type="checkbox"/> Free Skate <input type="checkbox"/> Test Track <input type="checkbox"/> Short Program <input type="checkbox"/> Spins <input type="checkbox"/> Artistic <input type="checkbox"/> Jumps	<u>Novice</u> <input type="checkbox"/> Free Skate <input type="checkbox"/> Test Track <input type="checkbox"/> Short Program <input type="checkbox"/> Spins <input type="checkbox"/> Artistic <input type="checkbox"/> Jumps	<u>Junior</u> <input type="checkbox"/> Free Skate <input type="checkbox"/> Test Track <input type="checkbox"/> Short Program <input type="checkbox"/> Spins <input type="checkbox"/> Artistic <input type="checkbox"/> Jumps
<u>Senior</u> <input type="checkbox"/> Free Skate <input type="checkbox"/> Test Track <input type="checkbox"/> Short Program <input type="checkbox"/> Spins <input type="checkbox"/> Jumps <input type="checkbox"/> Artistic	<u>Pairs</u> <input type="checkbox"/> Preliminary <input type="checkbox"/> Juvenile <input type="checkbox"/> Intermediate <input type="checkbox"/> Novice Free Skate <input type="checkbox"/> Novice Short Program <input type="checkbox"/> Junior Free Skate <input type="checkbox"/> Junior Short Program <input type="checkbox"/> Senior Free Skate <input type="checkbox"/> Senior Short Program	<u>Couple Dance</u> <input type="checkbox"/> Pre-Juvenile <input type="checkbox"/> Juvenile <input type="checkbox"/> Intermediate <input type="checkbox"/> Novice <input type="checkbox"/> Junior <input type="checkbox"/> Senior	<u>Solo Dance</u> <input type="checkbox"/> Preliminary <input type="checkbox"/> Pre-Bronze <input type="checkbox"/> Bronze <input type="checkbox"/> Pre-Silver <input type="checkbox"/> Silver <input type="checkbox"/> Pre-Gold <input type="checkbox"/> Gold
<u>Free Dance</u> <input type="checkbox"/> Juvenile <input type="checkbox"/> Intermediate			

COMPETITOR/PARENT STATEMENT: I understand that this entry must be post marked by **July 25, 2008**. The competition committee reserves the right to limit the number of entries accepted or cancel an event if necessary. The undersigned agrees to hold harmless U.S. Figure Skating, The Skating Club of Huntsville and the Benton H. Wilcoxon Municipal Ice Complex and their employees and agents from any loss, damage, and/or injury that may be sustained by the entrant in any manner while participating in any of the activities of said competition

Parent or Guardian's Signature

Competitor's Signature

CLUB CERTIFICATION: I have read this entry form and certify that it is complete and that to the best of my knowledge, the entrant is eligible to enter the events specified. He/she is a member of my club in good standing, and is an eligible skater in accordance with the rules of U.S. SKATING.

Club Officer or Test Chairperson

Home Club

COACH'S CERTIFICATION: I have read this entry form and certify that the skater is eligible to enter the above events.

COACH'S NAME (PLEASE PRINT)

TELEPHONE NO.

EMAIL

COACH'S SIGNATURE

COACH'S U.S. FIGURE SKATING NO.

ENTRY FEES:

First event: \$80.00 \$ _____
 Each additional event is \$35.00: # of events _____ X \$35.00 = \$ _____
 Total Entry Fee: \$ _____

Please Make Checks Payable to:
THE SKATING CLUB OF HUNTSVILLE.

to:

Linda Leonard
 200 Tidewater Dr
 Madison, AL 35758

(Schedules and Practice Ice Information will be emailed)

FOR COMMITTEE USE ONLY:

CHECK NO.	AMOUNT DUE	PAID	OWED	REFUND

**Practice Ice Reservation Form
For Rocket City Classic 2008
Hosted by The Skating Club of Huntsville**

NAME: _____ SEX: _____ BIRTH DATE: _____ AGE: _____
 ADDRESS: _____
 CITY, STATE, ZIP: _____
 E-MAIL ADDRESS: _____

COACH'S NAME: _____ COACH'S PHONE: _____
 COACH'S EMAIL: _____
 DATE OF ARRIVAL: _____

LIST EVENTS ENTERED, INCLUDING LEVEL

Advance purchase of practice ice is available for \$10.00 per 30 minute session. Practice ice will be available for purchase at the event at \$12.00 per 30-minute session space permitting. Pairs and Dance Couples are \$10.00 per person. Practice ice will begin Friday, August 22nd,. Please indicate how many sessions and at what level you would like to purchase in advance. No music will be played during practice ice due to the length of the sessions, with the exception of dance. No practice ice will be scheduled by phone or email. The practice ice desk will be located at the registration desk.

Type:	# of Sessions	Level
Free Skate (including spins, artistic, etc.)		
Pairs		
Basic Skills		
Dance		
TOTAL		

TOTAL NUMBER OF SESSIONS = _____ X \$10.00 PER SESSION = \$ _____

Please Make Checks Payable to:
THE SKATING CLUB OF HUNTSVILLE.
Mail the Completed Practice Ice Application Form and Practice Ice Fees to:
 Linda Leonard
 200 Tidewater Dr
 Madison, AL 35758
NOTE: A SEPARATE CHECK FOR PRACTICE ICE MUST ACCOMPANY PRACTICE ICE FORM

For Committee Use Only

Check No.	Amount Due	Paid	Owed	Refund

Basic Skills Competition

Compulsory Programs – No Music

U.S. Figure Skating Free skate Levels 1 – 6, Limited Beginner and Beginner

ELEMENTS EVENT – BASIC SKILLS CURRICULUM FOR COMPULSORIES

Time limit: 1:00

- To be skated on ½ ice
- No music
- All elements must be skated in the order listed with limited connecting steps

<p>Free Skate Compulsory 1</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Advanced forward stroking 4 – 6 consecutive 2. Basic forward outside and forward inside edges: 4 – 6 of each 3. Scratch spin from backward crossovers 4. Waltz jump from backward crossovers 5. Half flip jump 	<p>Free Skate Compulsory 4</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Spiral sequence: forward inside spiral, forward inside Mohawk, back outside spiral (clockwise or counter clockwise” 2. Forward power 3 turns; 2 – 3 consecutive sets (right or left) 3. Sit spin 4. Loop jump 5. Waltz jump/toe loop jump
<p>Free Skate Compulsory 2</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Forward outside and forward inside spiral (right or left) 2. Waltz 3's – right or left 3. Beginning back spin – optional entry 4. Waltz jump, side toe hop, waltz jump sequence 5. Toe loop jump 	<p>Free Skate Compulsory 5</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Spiral Sequence: forward outside spiral, forward outside 3-turn, one backward crossover, back inside spiral 2. Camel Spin 3. Forward upright spin to back upright spin 4. Loop/toe loop jump 5. Flip jump
<p>Free Skate Compulsory 3</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Forward crossover in a figure 8 2. Advanced forward outside swing rolls; 4 – 6 consecutive 3. Back Spin 4. Salchow jump 5. Waltz jump/toe loop or Salchow/toe loop 	<p>Free Skate Compulsory 6</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. 5-step Mohawk sequence – 1 set alternating patten (see basic 6 curriculum) 2. Camel/sit spin combination – 4 revolution minimum 3. Split jump or stag jump 4. Waltz jump, ½ toe loop, Salchow combo 5. Lutz jump
<p>Limited Beginner Compulsory</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Waltz Jump 2. ½ jump of choice 3. Forward two foot or one foot spin (optional free leg position) 4. Forward or backward spiral 	<p>Beginner Compulsory</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Toe loop jump 2. Salchow jump 3. Forward scratch spin 4. Forward or Backward spiral

MUSIC PROGRAM EVENTS

FOR SNOWPLOW SAM AND BASIC 1-8 PROGRAMS WITH MUSIC (vocals permitted)

1. Program duration: 1 minute +/- 10 seconds
2. Program to be skated on full ice
3. Order of elements is optional and not restricted to the number of times an element is done, length of glides, number of revolutions, except where otherwise stated.
4. ALL required elements must be included. Skaters may use elements from LOWER levels, but elements from HIGHER levels are NOT permitted.

<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 5. Snow Plow Sam/Tots (ages 5 and under) 6. March followed by a two foot glide and dip 7. Forward two foot swizzles, 2 – 3 in a row 8. Forward snowplow stop 9. Backward wiggles, 2 – 6 in a row 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 10. Basic 5 11. Backward outside edge on a circle (clockwise or counter clockwise) 12. Backward crossovers, 6 – 8 consecutive (clockwise AND counter clockwise) 13. One foot spin – 3 revolutions minimum 14. Side top hop (either direction)
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 15. Basic 1 16. Forward two foot glide 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 20. Basic 6 21. Forward inside 3 turn (right AND left)

17. Forward two foot swizzles, 6 – 8 in a row 18. Forward Snowplow stop 19. Backward wiggles, 6 – 8 in a row (Continued on next page)	22. T-stop (right or left) 23. Bunny hop 24. Forward spiral on a straight line 25. Lunge
26. Basic 2 27. Forward one foot glide (either foot) 28. Backward two foot swizzles, 6 – 8 in a row 29. Two foot turn in place – forward to backward 30. Moving snowplow stop 31. Forward alternating ½ swizzles pumps, in a straight line across width of ice	32. Basic 7 33. Forward inside open Mohawk (right to left AND left to right) 34. Ballet jump 35. Back crossovers to a back outside edge landing position (clockwise AND counter clockwise) 36. Forward inside pivot
37. Basic 3 38. Forward stroking 39. Forward ½ swizzle pumps on a circle, 6 – 8 consecutive (clock wise or counter clock wise) 40. Moving forward to backward two foot turn (either direction) 41. Backward one foot glide (either foot) 42. Two foot spin	43. Basic 8 44. Moving forward outside or forward inside 3 turns (right AND left) 45. Waltz jump 46. Mazurka 47. Combination move (from basic 8 curriculum, clockwise or counter clockwise) 48. Beginning one foot upright spin (free foot position optional)
49. Basic 4 50. Forward outside edge on a circle (clockwise or counter clockwise) 51. Forward crossovers, 6 – 8 consecutive in both directions (clockwise AND counter clockwise) 52. Forward outside 3 turn – right AND left 53. Backward stroking 54. Backward snowplow stop	55.

**FREE SKATE PROGRAMS – with music (vocals permitted)
U.S. Figure Skating Free Skate 1 – 6**

- o Program duration is 1:30 minutes +/- 10 seconds
- o Full Ice
- o Order of elements is optional and is not restricted to the number of times an element may be done, length of glides, number of revolutions etc., except where otherwise stated.
- o All required elements MUST be included.
- o Skaters may use elements from lower levels, but elements from higher levels are not permitted.

Free Skate Compulsory 1 1. Advanced forward stroking 4 – 6 consecutive 2. Basic forward outside and forward inside edges: 4 – 6 of each 3. Scratch spin from backward crossovers 4. Waltz jump from backward crossovers 5. Half flip jump	Free Skate Compulsory 4 56. Spiral sequence: forward inside spiral, forward inside Mohawk, back outside spiral (clockwise or counter clockwise) 57. Forward power 3 turns; 2 – 3 consecutive sets (right or left) 58. Sit spin 59. Loop jump 60. Waltz jump/toe loop jump
Free Skate Compulsory 2 1. Forward outside and forward inside spiral (right or left) 2. Waltz 3's – right or left 3. Beginning back spin – optional entry 4. Waltz jump, side toe hop, waltz jump sequence 5. Toe loop jump	Free Skate Compulsory 5 1. Spiral Sequence: forward outside spiral, forward outside 3-turn, one backward crossover, back inside spiral 2. Camel Spin 3. Forward upright spin to back upright spin 4. Loop/toe loop jump 5. Flip jump
Free Skate Compulsory 3 1. Forward crossover in a figure 8 2. Advanced forward outside swing rolls; 4 – 6 consecutive 3. Back Spin 4. Salchow jump 5. Waltz jump/toe loop or Salchow/toe loop	Free Skate Compulsory 6 1. 5-step Mohawk sequence – 1 set alternating patten (see basic 6 curriculum) 2. Camel/sit spin combination – 4 revolution minimum 3. Split jump or stag jump 4. Waltz jump, ½ toe loop, Salchow combo 5. Lutz jump

**Limited Beginner and Beginner Free Skate Programs
With Music – no vocals**

Limited Beginner

- Skater may not have passed tests higher than U.S. Figure Skating Basic Skills Free Skating Badge tests
- Program duration 1:30 +/- 10 seconds
- Full ice
- A well balanced program will consist of:
 - Solo spins in a upright position (minimum 3 revolutions)
 - Jumps with not more than ½ rotation – front to back or back to front
 - NO combination jumps or jump sequences
 - Connecting moves and steps should be demonstrated throughout the program

Beginner

- Skater may not have passed test higher than U.S. Figure Skating Basic Skills Free Skating badge tests.
- Program duration 1:30 +/- 10 seconds
- A well balanced program will consist of:
 - Solo spins in a upright position (minimum 3 revolutions)
 - Jumps with not more than ½ rotation
 - Salchow and Toe loop ONLY
 - No combination jumps or jump sequences
 - Connecting moves and steps should be demonstrated throughout the program

Artistic: Eligibility by test level as described for Free Skate events. Vocal music may be used. Appropriate costumes are encouraged but not mandatory and should not pose a safety hazard to the skater. Judging will emphasize artistic expression, originality, creativity and musical interpretation. Only handheld props may be used. Costume accessories, once removed, are props. Nothing may be placed on the ice surface. Levels may be combined.

Level	Requirements	Time
Snow Plow Sam/ Basic 1	Elements from the free skate categories may be used	1:00 minute max
Basic 2/3	Elements from the free skate categories may be used	1:00 minute max
Basic 3 / 4	Elements from the free skate categories may be used	1:15 minutes max
Basic 5 / 6	Elements from the free skate categories may be used	1:30 minutes max
Basic 6 / 7	Elements from the free skate categories may be used	1:30 minutes max
Free skate 1/2	Elements from the free skate categories may be used	1:30 minutes max
Free skate 3 /4	Elements from the free skate categories may be used	1:30 minutes max
Free skate 5/6	Elements from the free skate categories may be used	1:30 minutes max
Limited beginner/beginner	Elements from the free skate categories may be used	1:30 minutes Max

**TEST SESSION APPLICATION
FOR THE 2008 ROCKET CITY CLASSIC COMPETITION**

Hosted by The Skating Club of Huntsville

(Note: Please Read Test Application Procedures. *Fees listed apply to Skating Club of Huntsville members and members of reciprocal Clubs. See procedures for details or contact the SC of H Test Chair)

Skater's Name		USFS No.	
Address		Parent's Name	
City, State, Zip		Today's Date Date of Birth	
Phone: Home - Cell - Email		Test Date	
Home Club Home Rink		Partner's Name (Dance/Pair)	
Professional's Signature and USFS No.		If Retest, Date of Last Test	
Please check all that apply			
MOVES IN THE FIELD	Fee(s)*	DANCE (fee per skater per dance)	Fee(s)*
<input type="checkbox"/> Pre-Preliminary PPM	\$40	Check one:	
<input type="checkbox"/> Preliminary PM	\$40	<input type="checkbox"/> Regular <input type="checkbox"/> Adult <input type="checkbox"/> Solo <input type="checkbox"/> Master	
<input type="checkbox"/> Pre-Juvenile PJM	\$50		
<input type="checkbox"/> Juvenile JM	\$50	Preliminary:	
<input type="checkbox"/> Intermediate IM	\$55	<input type="checkbox"/> DW <input type="checkbox"/> CT <input type="checkbox"/> RB	\$25 each
<input type="checkbox"/> Novice NM	\$65	Pre-Bronze:	
<input type="checkbox"/> Junior JRM	\$75	<input type="checkbox"/> SD <input type="checkbox"/> CC <input type="checkbox"/> FIT	\$25 each
<input type="checkbox"/> Senior SRM	\$85	Bronze:	
ADULT MOVES IN THE FIELD		<input type="checkbox"/> HH <input type="checkbox"/> WTW <input type="checkbox"/> TF	\$30 each
<input type="checkbox"/> Pre-Bronze APBM	\$40	Pre-Silver	
<input type="checkbox"/> Bronze ABM	\$50	<input type="checkbox"/> 14S <input type="checkbox"/> EW <input type="checkbox"/> FT	\$35 each
<input type="checkbox"/> Silver ASM	\$55	Silver:	
<input type="checkbox"/> Gold AGM	\$65	<input type="checkbox"/> AW <input type="checkbox"/> T <input type="checkbox"/> RF	\$45 each.
FREESKATING		Pre-Gold:	
<input type="checkbox"/> Pre-Preliminary PPF	\$35	<input type="checkbox"/> PD <input type="checkbox"/> K <input type="checkbox"/> BL <input type="checkbox"/> SW	\$50 each
<input type="checkbox"/> Preliminary PF	\$35	Gold:	
<input type="checkbox"/> Pre-Juvenile PJF	\$35	<input type="checkbox"/> VW <input type="checkbox"/> WW <input type="checkbox"/> QS <input type="checkbox"/> AT	\$60 each
<input type="checkbox"/> Juvenile JF	\$40		
<input type="checkbox"/> Intermediate IF	\$55	FREE DANCE (fee per skater)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Novice NF	\$60	<input type="checkbox"/> Juvenile FD	\$30
<input type="checkbox"/> Junior JRF	\$65	<input type="checkbox"/> Intermediate FD	\$30
<input type="checkbox"/> Senior SRF	\$70	<input type="checkbox"/> Novice FD	\$40
ADULT FREESKATING		<input type="checkbox"/> Junior FD	\$45
<input type="checkbox"/> Pre-Bronze PBF	\$40	<input type="checkbox"/> Senior FD	\$50
<input type="checkbox"/> Bronze BFR	\$40		
<input type="checkbox"/> Silver SFR	\$55	BASIC SKILLS	
<input type="checkbox"/> Gold GFR	\$65	<input type="checkbox"/> Each Test	\$5
PAIRS (fee per Skater)			
<input type="checkbox"/> Preliminary PPR	\$25	FEE CALCULATION	
<input type="checkbox"/> Juvenile JVP	\$30	Test Fees	
<input type="checkbox"/> Intermediate IPR	\$35	*Fee for Non SC of H Members (\$20/session) – see procedures	
<input type="checkbox"/> Novice NPR	\$40	*Fee for USFS individual members (\$40/session)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Junior JPR	\$45		
<input type="checkbox"/> Senior GPR	\$55		
<input type="checkbox"/> Adult Bronze ABP	\$40		
<input type="checkbox"/> Adult Silver ASP	\$45		
<input type="checkbox"/> Adult Gold AGP	\$55		
		TOTAL FEE	

Test form will not be processed without all required signatures
(See following page)

Signature of Parent/Guardian if applicant is under 18 years
of age or signature of applicant if 18 years or over.

Professional's Signature

Professional's U.S. SKATING Number

- Test fees above are for RCC 2008 competitors, The Skating Club of Huntsville members, and non-competitors from reciprocal agreement clubs. Reciprocal clubs are Birmingham FSC, Point Mallard FSC, Nashville FSC, Georgia FSC, Atlanta FSC, and Knoxville FSC. All others will be charged an additional 50% unless the tester is participating in the 2008 Rocket City Classic competition. In that case, the addition test fee is waived.
- Late Applications MAY be accepted at the discretion of the Skating Club of Huntsville Test Chair and the Rocket City Classic Competition Chairs. A late fee of 25% total test fee will be charged for late payments.
- Prospective test candidates must be members in good standing with their respective clubs to be eligible to test. A letter of permission from the home club test chairperson or club officer must be attached to this form if the skater's home club is not the The Skating Club of Huntsville.
- No refund or credit of test fee shall be given if the test is cancelled after the deadline date.
- THE SKATING CLUB OF HUNTSVILLE reserves the right to limit the number of tests due to possible time constraints.

Make checks payable to: The Skating Club of Huntsville

Note: A separate check for the Test Session must accompany the Test Session Form.

Mail Forms and Fees to: The Skating Club of Huntsville
Attn: Test Chair
200 Tidewater Drive
Madison, AL 35758

For more information concerning the Test Session e-mail HSVTestChair@comcast.net

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Check No.	Amount Due	Paid	Owed	Refund

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