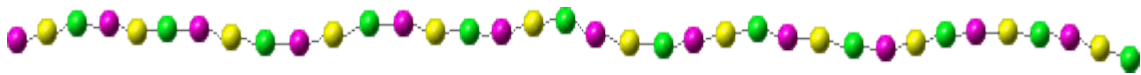


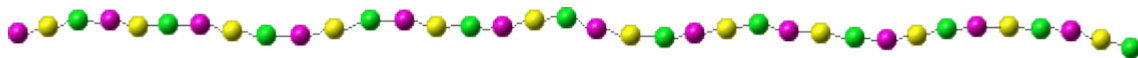


The Edge Ice Arena
18th Annual
Mardi Gras
Team Competition

February 3 & 4, 2018
735 E. Jefferson, Bensenville, IL
630-766-8888
www.bensenville.il.us



ENTRY DEADLINE—JANUARY 6, 2018



Events Offered for Tots thru Adults

Tots

Solo & Compulsories

Pre-Alpha, Alpha, Beta, Gamma, Delta

Solo, Compulsories, Spotlight, Stroking, Spiral

Freestyle 1-10 Open Freestyle Levels

Solo, Compulsories, Music Interp, Spotlight, Artistic, Footwork, Spin, Spiral

Couple Events

Couples Spotlight (L,B,S,G,P) , Jump & Spin (L,B,S,G,P), Couples Music Interp, Couples Dance

Team Events

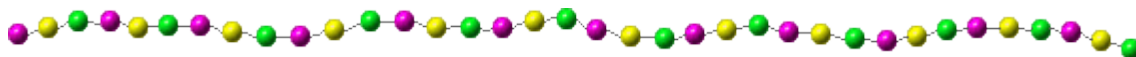
Family Spotlight, Ensembles, Team Compulsories

Synchronized

Skating, Formation, Advanced Formation, Open Skating, Production, Dance

SOLOS, COMPULSORIES AND INTERP WILL BE HELD ON ONE DAY

Endorsement # 1-3175-2017





Program Waiver:

PARTICIPATION AGREEMENT, SWIMMING AND SKATING EQUIPMENT RENTAL AGREEMENT, RELEASE OF LIABILITY, WAIVER OF CLAIMS AND ASSUMPTION OF RISK BY SIGNING THIS DOCUMENT YOU ARE ENTERING INTO A CONTRACT WHEREIN YOU MAY BE WAIVING CERTAIN LEGAL RIGHTS, INCLUDING THE RIGHT TO Sue. TO The Edge Ice Arenas ("Arena"), Water's Edge Aquatic Center ("Aquatic Center"), the Village of Bensenville, their owners, directors, agents, employees, and/or representatives of the above listed organizations.

ASSUMPTION OF RISK: I am aware that ice skating and swimming involve certain inherent risks, dangers and hazards which can result in serious personal injury or death. I am also aware that ice skating arenas and the aquatic center contain potential dangers to the ice skating and swimming public. As such, I hereby freely agree to assume and accept any and all known and unknown risks of injury while participating in ice skating and aquatic center activities. I further recognize and acknowledge that the risks inherent in the sport of ice skating and swimming can be greatly reduced by taking lessons, abiding by the Skater Responsibility Code and the Swimming Responsibility Code (now known as your "Responsibility Code") and by using common sense.

RELEASE AND WAIVER OF CLAIMS AGREEMENT: In consideration of allowing me to participate in the Arena's Ice Skating programs and the Aquatic Center's swimming lessons; in consideration of the loan or rental to me of skating and swimming equipment, I hereby agree to the fullest, and extent permitted by law as follows: 1. TO ACCEPT FOR USE AS IS any equipment loaned or rented to me and to keep it in my possession at all times.

2. TO WAIVE ANY AND ALL CLAIMS that I have or may in the future have against the Arena and the Aquatic Center, any of the parties named above and/or the Rental Shop and 3. TO RELEASE the Arena, the Aquatic Center and any party named above and/or the Rental Shop from any and all liability for any loss, damage, injury or expense that I may suffer, or that my next of kin may suffer, arising from the ice skating and swimming programs at the Arena and the Aquatic Center and as a result of my participation in the Arena's ice skating programs and the Aquatic Center's swimming programs and the use of the equipment loaned or rented to me, due to any cause whatsoever, including negligence of breach of contract regarding the design, manufacture, selection, installation, maintenance or adjustment of the equipment and in the operation, supervision, design, or maintenance of the Arena and the Aquatic Center.

ARBITRATION: In consideration of allowing me to participate in the Arena's ice skating programs and the Aquatic Center's lessons, and in the consideration of the loan or rental to me of ice skating and swimming equipment, I hereby agree to submit to binding arbitration any and all claims which I believe I may have against the Arena and the Aquatic Center's, the above named parties and/or the Rental Shop arising from my participation in the Arena's ice skating programs and the Aquatic Center's swimming programs and use of the equipment loaned or rented to me. The arbitration shall be pursuant to the rules of the American Arbitration Association. The arbitrators shall apply the Federal Rules of Evidence to all proceedings. Arbitration shall be commenced within one (1) year from the date on which any alleged claim first arose. Further, the arbitration shall be held in the town where the Arena and Aquatic Center is located, unless otherwise mutually agreed to by all parties. The submission to the American Arbitration Association shall be unlimited and the arbitration award may be enforced by any court of competent jurisdiction.

BINDING EFFECT OF AGREEMENT: In the event of my death or incapacity, this Agreement shall be effective and binding upon heirs, next of kin, executors, administrators, assigns and representatives. ENTIRE AGREEMENT: In entering into this Agreement, I am not relying upon any oral or written representation other than what is set forth in this Agreement I HAVE READ AND UNDERSTAND THIS AGREEMENT AND I AM AWARE THAT BY SIGNING THIS AGREEMENT I AM WAIVING CERTAIN LEGAL RIGHTS, INCLUDING THE RIGHT TO SUE THE ARENA AND THE AQUATIC CENTER, ITS OWNERS, MANAGERS, EMPLOYEES AND/OR THE RENTAL SHOP.

Participant Signature: _____ **Date:** _____
(if participant is Under 18 Legal Guardian must sign)

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ **Date:** _____



Mardi Gras Competition

HOME RINK _____

**SOLO, COMPULSORY, INTERP
WILL BE ON THE SAME DAY**

**Tot-Delta Entry Form
PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY**

Skater's Name _____ ISI # _____ Gender: Female Male

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Date of Birth _____ Age as of 2/3/18 _____ Phone # _____

E-mail _____ Coach's Name _____

Coach's E-mail _____ Coach's Phone # _____ Coach's ISI # _____

Skating Level (Please Circle Appropriate level)

Tot Pre-Alpha Alpha Beta Gamma Delta

EVENTS

- SOLO COMPULSORIES STROKING (Pre-Alpha-Delta)
 SOLO SPOTLIGHT LOW (Alpha-Delta) Character LT Entertainment
 SPIRAL (Alpha-Delta) Music Interp

Couple Events

- Couple Spotlight Low (Alpha-Delta) Character Light Entertainment

Partner Name _____ ISI # _____

Entry Fees: Single Event-\$55.00 2nd Event- \$15.00 3rd or More events \$10.00

1st Event _____ \$55.00

4th Event _____ \$10.00

2nd Event _____ \$15.00

5th Event _____ \$10.00

3rd Event _____ \$10.00

**All checks are to be made payable to
The Edge Ice Arena**

TOTAL \$ _____

Credit Card # _____ Expiration Date _____

(We DO NOT accept American Express)

Name on card _____ Code on Back _____

Tot-Delta Entry Form Cont'd

All competition forms are due by January 6, 2018. A \$25.00 late fee will be added to entries received after deadline. No refunds will be given out without a doctor's medical note. No time and day requests will be accepted. Any changes (level or age) after the schedule has been posted will result in a \$10.00 change fee.

Are you an active member of USFS who has competed at the novice level or above level in the last two years?

YES NO

ALL INFORMATION BELOW MUST BE COMPLETED

I skate at this competition at my own risk and represent _____

RINK NAME

Skater PRINTED NAME

Parent Signature

I declare that the information on this form is true and this skater is a registered member of ISI

Skating Director's Verification

Coach Name _____ Coach E-mail _____

Coach phone # _____ ISI # _____

ISI Certified Judge? YES NO

BRONZE SILVER GOLD SYNCHRO

PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY

HOME RINK _____

SOLO, COMPULSORY & INTERP EVENTS WILL BE HELD ON THE SAME DAY

**Mardi Gras Competition
Freestyle Entry Form**

Skater's Name _____ ISI # _____ Gender: Female Male

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Date of Birth _____ Age as of 2/3/2018 _____ Phone # _____

E-mail _____ Coach's Name _____

Coach's E-mail _____ Coach's Phone # _____ ISI # _____

OPEN FREESTYLE SOLO EVENT (Please circle appropriate box)

BRONZE SILVER GOLD PLATINUM
_____ SHORT _____ LONG _____ SHORT _____ LONG

FREESTYLE LEVEL (Please Circle Appropriate box)

FS 1 FS 2 FS 3 FS 4 FS 5 FS 6 FS 7 FS 8 FS 9 FS 10

CHECK EVENTS TO BE ENTERED

Solo (FS1-10) Compulsory Music Interp Spin (FS 4-10)

Solo Artistic Bronze/FS 1-3 Silver/ FS 4-5 Gold/FS 6-7 PLAT/8-10

Solo Spotlight Bronze/FS 1-3 Silver/ FS 4-5 Gold/FS 6-7 PLAT/8-10

Character Light Entertainment

Footwork Bronze (FS 1-3) Silver (FS 4-5) Gold (FS 6-7) PLATINUM/8-10

Spiral Event Bronze (FS 1-3) Silver (FS 3-4) Gold (6-7)

COUPLE EVENTS (Please check the box)

Couple Spotlight: Bronze Silver Gold Platinum

Character Light Entertainment **Partner Name** _____ **ISI #** _____

Jump & spin: Bronze Silver Gold Platinum

Partner Name _____ **ISI #** _____

Couples Music Interp **Partner Name** _____ **ISI #** _____

Freestyle Entry Form (cont'd)

Entry Fees: Single Event \$55.00 2nd & 3rd Events - \$15.00 each 4th or More events \$10.00 each

1st Event _____ \$55.00

4th Event _____ \$10.00

2nd Event _____ \$15.00

5th Event _____ \$10.00

3rd Event _____ \$15.00

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Are you an active member of USFS who has competed at the novice level or above level in the last two years? YES NO

ALL INFORMATION BELOW MUST BE COMPLETED

I skate at this competition at my own risk and represent (rink name) _____

Skater Printed Name

Parent Signature

I declare that the information on this form is true and this skater is a registered member of ISI

Skating Director's Verification

Coach Name _____ Coach E-mail _____

Coach phone number _____

ISI Certified Judge? YES NO

BRONZE SILVER GOLD SYNCHRO

PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY

HOME RINK _____

Mardi Gras Competition
Team Form

Team Name _____ Number of Skaters _____
RINK _____ Coach's Name _____
Coach's Email _____ Phone # _____

EVENT

Formation Advanced Formation Skating Open Skating
 Dance Production

TOT JR. YOUTH YOUTH SR. YOUTH
 TEEN ADULT

FAMILY SPOTLIGHT ENSEMBLE

Team Compulsories _____
(Level)

Entry Fees

OF Skaters _____ X \$15.00 + \$15.00 District 8 Referee Program Fee= \$ _____

Skating Director Verification

Team Coach Signature

ISI Certified Judge? YES NO

BRONZE SILVER GOLD SYNCHRO

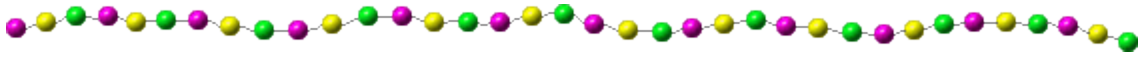
Attach a team roster including full name, age (7/1/2017), ISI member number of all team members.
Note any skater has completed novice at or above the novice level at any USFS National competition
in the last 2 years.

Checks Made payable to: **The Edge Ice Arena**

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ELIGIBILITY

All skaters must be individual members of the Ice Skating Institute (ISI). Skaters must enter the highest test passed and must be registered with ISI before January 6, 2018. ALL ENTRIES MUST BE RECEIVED BY January 6, 2018. We reserve the right to limit entries. Entries received after January 6 will be accepted at the discretion of the competition director and are subject to a \$25.00 late fee. **THERE WILL BE NO REFUNDS, NO EXCEPTIONS.** Requests for day or time will not be accepted.

CONVERSION CHART

Skaters who have passed the following USFS tests should refer to the ISI conversion chart as follows:

Pre-Prelim-FS 3/Open Bronze
Novice-FS 7/Open Platinum

Prelim-Pre-Juv-FS 4/Open Silver
Jr-Sr-FS 8/Open Platinum

Juv-Int-FS 6/Open Gold

COMPETITION STANDARDS

The Mardi Gras competition will be conducted in strict accordance with the rules and regulations set forth in the **current 2016 edition** of the ISI Handbook. It is strongly suggested that coaches and skaters refer to the current publications which are available at the ISI Office and or website (www.skateisi.org)

CHECK IN & REGISTRATION (Skaters & Coaches)

Skaters are to register and check in one (1) hour before scheduled event. **First events of the day participants need not check in more than 1/2 hour before.** Coaches and Judges are also required to check in for credentials and judging assignments.

CDs (no cassettes) must be turned in at time of registration and properly labeled. CDs may be picked up at registration desk after event. Unclaimed CDs will not be returned by mail.

Competition Schedule will be posted on the District 8 website 2 weeks prior to competition. (www.learntoskate.org) and the Village of Bensenville website (www.bensenville.il.us)

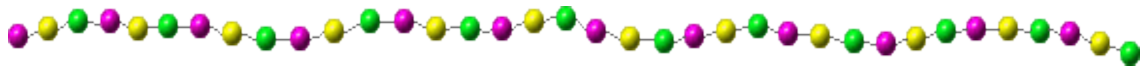
AWARDS

All skaters will receive an award for all placements.

COACHES AND JUDGES

In accordance to the ISI rules and regulations ALL COACHES with participating skaters are REQUIRED to be and ISI Professional Member. Any coach attending and/or signing a competitors registration form is expected to judge . It is the responsibility of the team coach or skating director to ensure that a judge is provided for no less than a two (2) hour judging assignment per 1-10 events from that facility. Team points may be deducted if this requirement is not fulfilled. The competition director reserves the right to deny access to competition door and hospitality without proper coaching and judging credentials. All coaches will be contacted for judging times.





SOLO COMPULSORIES

Skaters may perform maneuvers in any order using minimal connecting steps. Additional maneuvers of any sort are NOT allowed and will be penalized.

Alpha—FS 5 will use half (1/2) ice FS 6-8 will get use of full ice

There is no penalty for the quantity of strokes or crossovers performed in the Alpha & Beta levels. Only the quality of these maneuvers is to be judged.

ALPHA

Forward Stroking
One-foot Snowplow Stop
Left over Right Forward
Crossovers

BETA

Backward Stroking
Left over Right Backward
Crossovers
T-Stop Left Foot

GAMMA

Right Forward Mohawk
Combination
Right Forward Outside
3-Turn
Hockey Stop

DELTA

Lunge
Bunny Hop
Right Forward Inside
3-Turn

F.S. 1/Bronze

Waltz Jump
Forward Spiral
2-Foot Spin

F.S. 2/Bronze

½ Lutz Jump
Dance Step Sequence
1-Foot Spin

F.S. 3/Bronze

Toe Loop
Salchow
Change Foot Spin

F.S. 4/Silver

Half Loop Jump
Flip Jump
Sit Spin

F.S. 5/Silver

Axel Jump
Lutz Jump
Camel Spin

F.S. 6/Gold

Double Salchow
Split Falling Leaf
Spin Combination w/3 positions change of foot

F.S. 7/Gold

Double Toe Loop or
or Double Toe Walley
Flying Camel
Opposite Direction Jump
(must perform both directions)
Opposite jump 2nd)



F.S. 8/Platinum

Double Loop Jump
Split Lutz Jump
Flying Sit Spin Or Axel Sit Spin

F.S. 9/Platinum

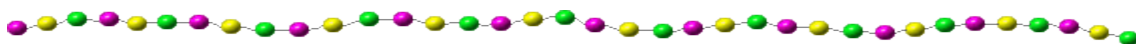
Flying Camel into Jump Sit spin
Axel Double Loop
Double Lutz

F.S. 10/Platinum

Death Drop
Dbl Axel/Dbl Toe loop combination
3 Arabian Cartwheels or Butterfly jumps
In a row

Registrations due by January 6, 2018
Competition Director Susan D'Aquila - sdaqila@bensenville.il.us

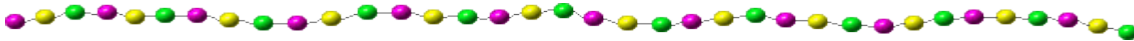
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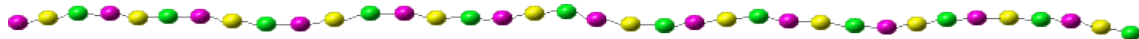
SPECIAL SKATER COMPULSORIES

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| SS 1
Dip Standing Still
March in Place
Proper Fall & Get Up | SS 2
Marching moving
Dip Standing Still
2 Ft Glide | SS 3
1 Ft glide (any)
Forward Swizzles (3-4)
Bkwd Swizzles or Wiggles |
| SS 4
T-Position and Push
Fwd Crossovers
Standing Still (any)
Intro to Forward Stroking | SS 5
Forward Stroking
3 Fwd Crossovers (R/L)
3 Fwd Crossovers (L/R) | SS 6
2 Ft Turn Fwd to Bkwd
1Ft Back Swizzles (L or R)
Intro To Back Stroking |
| SS 7
Backward Stroking
3 Back Crossovers R//L
3 Back Crossovers L/R | SS 8
Right Forward Inside Mohawk Turn
Left Forward Inside Mohawk Turn
RBO, LBO Edge on Curve | |
| SS 9
Right Forward Outside 3 turn
Any Forward Mohawk
Choice of Stop (Either T, Hockey,
2ft or 1ft Snowplow) | SS 10
Left Forward Inside 3 Turn
Bunny Hop
Lunge | |

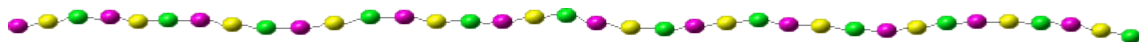


SPIN EVENT (FS 4-9) —Skaters perform designated spin 2 times

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|-----------------|---------------------------------|---------------------|-------------------|
| FS 4 Sit Spin | FS 5 Camel Spin | FS 6 Sit Change Sit | FS 7 Flying Camel |
| FS 8 Flying Sit | FS 9 Flying Camel into Jump Sit | | |



SPIRAL EVENT –Skaters will perform **FORWARD** Spiral (any edge)
 Skater will be timed for length and judged on form and position.
 Grouped by Alpha-Delta, Bronze/FS 1-3, Silver/FS 4-5, Gold/FS 6 & above





COACHES & JUDGES

All Coaches are to Check in at the Registration Desk to pick up your credential and sign up for a judging assignment if not done so in advance. You must have a credential to put your skaters on the ice at the ice door and to enter Coaches/Judges Hospitality.

All Coaches with participating skaters at any ISI Competition are required to be current ISI Professional Members are expected to be involved in competition judging. Additionally Judging Certifications are required. It is your responsibility as a coach to be informed, educated and certified to best benefit your skaters

There are many educational and coaching benefits to serving as a competition judge:

- Gain Invaluable Knowledge of all Events
- Gain Invaluable Knowledge of Program Layout
- Learn how to avoid common coaching mistakes
- Earn the respect of your fellow coaches, parents and skaters
- Network and Meet other Coaches

Mostly YOU contribute to the success of the competition and your skater's experience

You will be receiving an email requesting your judging availability once the schedule is complete. Reply promptly to insure that your assignment works conveniently to your schedule.

Look forward to seeing old Friends & Meeting New ones

Susan D'Aquila
Competition Director
Edge Figure Skating Director