

CFSC Newsletter

December/
January 2023



LEARN TO SKATE (LTS)

Session 2 of Learn to Skate is projected to begin January 7 2023: Times TBD

Sundays

LTS Ice Times in December are utilized for private lessons, skill practice & Skate for a Cause routine practice.

12/3 3-4pm North Rink

12/10 3-4pm North Rink

12/17 4:30-5:30pm North Rink

JR. AND SR. CLUB

Friday Evenings

12/1 7:15-9:15pm

12/8 7:15-9:15pm

12/15 7:15-9:15pm

12/22 7:15-9:15pm

12/29 7:15-9:15pm

NORTH RINK

Sunday Ice Times

12/3 4-7pm

12/12 4-7pm

12/17 5:30-7pm

Morning Ice Times

Monday -Friday 6-8am

Monday Evening Ice Times

12/4 7:15-9:15pm

12/11 7:15-9:15pm

12/18 7:15-9:15pm

Wednesday Evening

12/6 8:15-9:15pm

12/13 6-7pm

12/20 8:15-9:15pm

12/27 6-7pm & 8:15-9:15pm



** Subject to projected usage on this date due to the holidays

Note: The ice schedule is always subject to change. To double check the ice schedule, go to our website at www.chippewafigureskatingclub.com & click on the ice schedule link.

The January schedule will come out in a separate email once solidified.

Have a Question?

1. Send a message on the Remind App for quicker responses

Class Name: CFSC Class Code: @6dg3397

2. Not in a rush... email the club at chippewafigureskatingclub@gmail.com

This platform is monitored every 2-3 days.



CONGRATULATIONS

To the Skaters Below for Passing the Following Tests:

Kylie Bernier- Preliminary Singles

Dani Kloss- Pre Silver Skating Skills & Bronze Singles

Elsa Bohman- Pre Silver Singles

Acacia Fischer- Bronze Singles

Kendra Vavra- Pre Preliminary Skating Skills

Kenzie Walczak- Swing Dance & Pre Preliminary Singles

Paityn Bernier- Pre Preliminary Singles

Claire Samb- Preliminary Skating Skills

Olivia Elstran- Pre Preliminary Skating Skills

Deyette Helminski- Adult Bronze Singles



THANK YOU

Kelsey and Kianna Gohde for working at Oktoberfest to raise \$125 for CFSC.



WISSOTA BLADES HIGH SCHOOL FIGURE SKATING TEAM

High School Team
Competition

Sunday, January 21st @
Wisconsin Rapids



Interested in seeing what it is all about...

...Come to watch

CONGRATULATIONS

To The Following LTS Skaters Who Passed The Below LTS Levels

Basic 1

Erma D Greta

Basic 3

Jaylynn Shelby
Victoria

Basic 6

Margaret Kianna
Adeline Abigail
Opal Olivia
Ellie W Evelyn
Gabrielle

Basic 2

Lloyd

Basic 4

Emmelia Nova
Amelia

Basic 5

Atlas Ma
Sloane Cecelia
Reighlynn



BINGO

When: Wednesdays (2nd, 4th, 5th)

6:00-9:00pm

Where: Knights of Columbus Hall

-2 Bingo shifts per family

-2 Pans of bars per worker

-Sign up by visiting our website

www.chippewafigureskatingclub.com

Click on Opportunities → Click on Bingo to find the sign up genius link

FYI: At the beginning of February, bingo shifts maybe be assigned to those who have not worked their bingo shifts if needed.

**-Need to work bingo shifts for skater to participate
In the Spring Show**

Sunday Community Open Skate

Chippewa Area Ice Arena South Rink

Open to the community: free skating, skate rentals

6-8pm

Upcoming Competitions 2022-23

- Northland FS Competition- Duluth, MN
1/18/24-1/21/24
- Badger State Games 1/25/24-1/28/24

***DO NOT SIGN UP FOR A COMPETITION WITHOUT CONSULTING WITH
YOUR COACH FIRST***

***Competition is a personal choice not a requirement.*



Assessment Hour Opportunities

Steel games: concessions or beer server

Slots available from December-April

Sign up using this link: https://www.chippewahockey.org/dib_sessions



Sunday Open Skate Concessions/Pro Shop:

Work concessions or Pro Shop during open skate from
6-8pm

Slots available from December-March

- 1) Use link to sign up: https://www.chippewahockey.org/dib_sessions
- 2) Sign into your SportsEngine account to sign up through Dibs

UPCOMING CFSC EVENTS

Skate for a Cause January 1st

Exhibition Show and Community Fundraiser

National Skate Day January 1st

Community Open Skate

Spring Show Pictures February 4th

North Rink Dryland Area (Starts in the morning)

Spring Show April 5th (7pm), April 6th (5pm),

April 7th (1pm),

CFSC Basic Skills Competition

**Congratulations to all of the skaters that participated in the
competition on your accomplishments.**

A big shout out to Katy Miland and the Competition Team for making this possible for area skaters. A thank you also to Matt Elstran for making the fantastic metal figure skate for our club.



**HAPPY
BIRTHDAY!**

Braylee

Dani



Thank you so much to all who participated in the Bridge to Wonderland Parade in any capacity! We are so blessed and grateful for our club community! You all are part of building a strong club culture! And, oh yeah, check it out...



PARTICIPANTS!

2023 Bridge to Wonderland Parade

**BEST USE OF THEME
CHIPPEWA VALLEY ATVERS**

**BEST ILLUMINATION
WISCONSIN METAL FAB**

**BEST MUSIC
WWIB/WOGO RADIO**

**BEST OVERALL
GREAT NORTHERN CORP**

**BEST ANIMAL
ABUNDANT ACRES GOAT FARM**

**BEST YOUTH
CHIPPEWA FIGURE SKATING CLUB**



Chippewa Figure Skating Club Presents...

SKATE FOR A CAUSE

Our Annual Exhibition Figure Skating Show!

January 1st, 2024 @ 2 pm

Chippewa Area Ice Arena
839 1st Avenue
Chippewa Falls, WI



**All donations will benefit
Hope Village located in
Chippewa Falls!**

WHAT THE DONATIONS WILL BE USED FOR:

Purchasing and funding resources used to grow homes in Hope Village. These homes are used by families who are in need.

IT'S ALSO NATIONAL SKATING MONTH!

Following our show we will have **open skate** to honor this day!

All ages, and skill levels are welcome!



October Board Meeting Minutes

1. General Meeting: Did anyone from Figure Skating work at Oktober fest? Dawn will forward the email to Jodi and she will check in anyone worked for CFSC.
2. Called to Order: 6:07pm
3. Consent agenda **A motion was made by Jessica S to approve the consent agenda and 2nd Holli – motion carried**
 - a. Secretary's Report (Jessica) – Minutes to the September meeting and presidents report attachment
 - b. Treasurer's Report (Tricia) – Income statement through September 2023
 - c. Hockey Report (Katy)- See attached from Amy who attending the October meeting.
4. President's Report (Amy): We need to remember to turn the lights off and lock up our side of the rink when we are the last ones on the ice. They also want us to resurface the ice if we are the last on the ice. We will need to continue to get people trained so that we have people to fulfill this duty. Theresa Wahl's husband is going to get trained on Zamboni.
Do we want to purchase subscriptions to Canva (\$119 for 1 person) for our newsletters, Google Doc Storage (200 GB for one year \$29.99) so that we have enough room in our Drive to store our documents and Remind (for additional characters to send out messages). **A motion was made by Tricia to approve the purchase of additional storage on our google doc storage and 2nd Jessica S – motion carried.** Amy will purchase the extra storage and send the receipt to Tricia to be reimbursed. I have reached out to the sign company. When I get the cost, I will send it out to be approved. (Gold metal banner for our club). We need to change the December meeting from Christmas Day to December 18th at 6pm. Jessica will send the bylaws to the club on 10/31/23.
5. Vice President's Report (Holli):
6. Committee Reports:
 - a. Registration (Jodi/Kayla): We did not get our money from hockey for registration just yet.
 - b. Competition (Katy/Holli): Secured officials, opened registration, Sent out invitations via email and Facebook to 75 clubs, Due to the high level judges, we are able to offer up a test session after competition - through gold singles and skating skills and up to pre-silver pattern dances. The hope is that it brings in more applicants to our competition. Committee meeting on 10/29 - working on open positions and delegating additional tasks. Will look at registration to reach out to parents for concession shifts, Let me know if you know anyone that might be interested in running, Started reaching out for donations, any suggestions is welcome
 - c. Testing (Dawn): nothing else.
 - d. Hockey Report (Katy): See above
 - e. Spring Show (Jessica, Tricia & Mackenzie): We met again on October 22nd for committees. Another meeting on Sunday October 29th with the Show committee. We are raising the rates for LTS - \$50, Jr Club - \$75, Sr Club \$90. **A motion was made by Katy to approve price of the registration fee to increase to the LTS - \$50, Jr Club and Sr Club - \$90 and 2nd Jodi – motion carried**
 - f. Learn to Skate (Jodi/Amanda): We held a coaches meeting on October 15th. Most parents/guardians that attended requested a paper copy of the handbook. We went over many of the highlights in the handbook and shared information about: the CFSC competition, Skate for a Cause, steps to find a private coach, bingo, and the ice show. Brian from Play it Again Sports was also in attendance with Wilson skates for sale for \$50. We also needed to adjust the calendar a bit to accommodate for many of our LTS coaches being unavailable on Sunday, October 22nd. An open skate/skills practice was held in place of regular skating lessons that day, and the end of this LTS session will be extended to December 3rd.
 - g. Bingo (Holli): Holli has not been able to find a steady caller to replace Wendy so Wendy will continue until we need to find another caller. Concessions are going well with baked goods.
 - h. Events (Jessica S.): An ad and Google form will be in the November newsletter to see who can participate in the Christmas parade and to get contact information so I can communicate with families. The theme is Christmas movies and we will be doing Nightmare Before Christmas. We will need a truck, trailer and families/skaters to help decorate. When would be a good date for this? Anyone have a pull barn we could do it in? What has the club done in the past? I don't want to re-invent the wheel. I want to work smarter not harder. Also, do I need a budget for this? What should I purchase.
 - i. Problem solving/Grievance (Jodi/Holli): Nothing
 - j. Marketing (Kayla): Tricia received the domain renewal and will send to Kayla to update.
7. Old Business:
 - a. Senior banners – Amy will reach out to Lindy to get a figure skating picture to put up the banners
8. New Business:
 - a. Pop up changing tents for the show and/or competitions. **A motion was made by Jodi to approve the purchase of quick-change tents for the show and competitions up to \$160.00 and 2nd Holli – motion carried**
 - b. Policy on guest skaters on club ice – They have to have a USFSA membership, sign a waiver and pay a fee. **A motion was made by Jodi to approve to charge guest skaters to skate on our club ice \$15/hr and 2nd Tricia – motion carried**
 - c. Basic 6, Jr & Sr Club parent meeting in November – November 19th at 4:15pm
 - d. The mirrors for the rink have been ordered.

Adjourned to Closed Session – needed
Meeting Adjourned 7:10pm

Next Board Meeting: Monday, December 18, 2023 at 6:00pm