

# Southern Oregon Figure Skating Club

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#### **Useful Links**

www.usfsaonline.org *Manage your USFS account* 

www.USFSA.org Everything you need to know about skating!

www.OSC.org

Site for Oregon skate clubs. Has test and other event information.

Contact Us sofscmail@gmail.com www.sofsc.org

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Gina Myers (President)

Donna Mills (Vice-President)

Astrid Pulley (Treasurer/Secretary)

Alyssa Radda

Sara Negrete

#### Welcome to a New Year!

Welcome to a new year of skating! With a new year comes change; our goal is to provide periodic updates via this newsletter to keep everyone informed of important club news in a timely matter. We have a lot of fun and challenging events coming up, so check our website often (see below) for all the details.

# Upcoming Events

August 20-24 August 24 August 25 September 1 September 12 September 16 September 17 September 20 Skate Camp, Medford Rink Happy Birthday Kendra! USFS Test Session, Medford Rink, 7:45 a.m. Happy Birthday Kristin! Board Meeting, Medford Rink, 6:00 p.m. Exhibition of Stars, Medford Rink, 2:00 p.m. Happy Birthday Donna! OSC Call (delegates only), 7:00 p.m.

## Governance and Leadership



We have some changes in the club's governance and leadership. Please check the sidebar for a list of directors, officers, club chairs, and other members who participate in all the off-ice tasks for the organization. In order to take full advantage of freestyle sessions, please hold any club discussions off-ice. Thank you!

### New Website! www.sofsc.org

A big shout out to Alyssa Radda, who took on the big task of bringing the website in-house. For many years, Zack Allot, Nancy Artoff's son, has been faithfully keeping up our website. We decided to give Zack a much-deserved break and take on the task ourselves. Thanks to Alyssa, on the new website you will be able to:

- View our club calendar
- Download latest forms for membership and all upcoming events
- Contact the club's email (sofscmail@gmail.com)
- Browse a list of our regular events and view photos of our fabulous skaters

#### **Committee Chairs**

Test – Sara Negrete

Membership - Gina Myers

Ice - Donna Mills

Sanctions – Nancy Artoff

Publicity & Publications-Astrid Pulley

Junior Reps – Ginger Davis & Loralie Pulley

#### Other

Accountant – Gina Myers

OSC contact – Nancy Artoff

Social media coordinator - Sueann Wilson

## **US Figure Skating Compliance**



USFS has instituted new rules for the protection of its members. Skaters and volunteers under 18 have no compliance tasks to complete. Adults who wish to volunteer closely with the skaters can contact Gina or Sara about requirements for compliance.

One of the results of this new USFS policy is stricter enforcement of club and locker room security.

**Club Room Updated Rules**: Please restrict access to the club room to members only. There is a list posted on the club room door with current members. We will be issuing a new door lock code. Please do not share this with anyone. Thank you!

#### Volunteer Opportunities

With all the upcoming club activities comes several opportunities to help. Here is where you are most needed:

- **Club Room**: We are always looking for everyone to pick up after themselves, but there are a few things that need to be done periodically. Sueann has posted a sheet in the club room for skaters to sign to assist with keeping this room clean and tidy.
- Learn to Skate: Ellen has asked us to set up a table in the lobby on Week 5 of each LTS session to answer questions about figure skating and to advertise for our club. We are looking for volunteers to help with this. Again, there is a sign-up sheet in the club room with the specified dates needed for the LTS sessions starting in September.