

Southern Oregon Figure Skating Club News

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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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Board of Directors/Officers

Gina Myers (President)

Donna Mills (Vice-President)

Astrid Pulley (Treasurer/Secretary)

Clinic with Alec!

Alec will be skating in our show again this year. He will also be offering a clinic on Friday, November 30th from 6:15-7:45. He will be focusing on presentation skills since the show is the next day, but is also open to other suggestions. Send Donna any ideas you have. Cost will be around \$30 (covers ice time and Alec's time), depending on how many skaters are interested. You will need to pre-pay to register for the clinic. Email or text Donna if you are interested.

Upcoming Events



November 1 Happy Birthday Kristelin! November 7 Holiday show practice @ The Rink, 7:30 p.m. November 13 Board meeting @ The Rink, 6:30 p.m. **November 14** Wednesday morning ice, 6:30-7:30 a.m. November 14 Holiday show practice @ The Rink, 7:30 p.m. November 15 OSC Call (Nancy & Gina), 7:00 p.m. November 17 First Frost @ Ashland Rink, 7:00 p.m. November 21 Holiday show practice @ The Rink, 7:30 p.m. November 26 Happy Birthday Kelly! **November 28** Wednesday morning ice, 6:30-7:30 a.m. November 28 Holiday show practice @ The Rink, 7:30 p.m.

December 1 Holiday show practice @ The Rink, 7:30 p.m. Holiday show practice @ The Rink, 3:45 p.m. Holiday show @ The Rink, 5:00 p.m.

New Member

Please join us in welcoming Sarah to the club. We are thrilled to have you as part of our club and part of our holiday program!

Holiday Show Update



We are so excited that Donna is choreographing our program again this year! We have 18 skaters for the show on December 1. Come watch the Whos from Whoville skate with their favorite Grinch!

First Frost

Several of our skaters will be kicking off the Ashland rink's season by skating in the annual First Frost celebration. Come out and cheer them on

Alyssa Radda Sara Negrete Saturday night, November 17 at 7:00 p.m. There will be public sessions before and after so bring your skates!

New Ice Rules

Committee Chairs

Test - Sara Negrete Membership - Gina Myers

Ice - Donna Mills

Sanctions - Nancy Artoff

Publicity & Publications-Astrid Pulley

Ways & Means - Nancy Artoff

Junior Reps - Ginger Davis & Loralie Pulley

Public Sessions

Reminders of public session rules:

- Freestyle moves (i.e. jumps and spins)
 will be allowed on public session
 Monday through Friday ONLY, and only
 if there are fewer than 50 skaters on
 the ice.
- No Jumps and spins on weekend public sessions.
- If there are fewer than 10 skaters, freestyle skaters can practice on the full ice.
- If there are 11-50 skaters, the middle will be coned off and freestyle moves may be practiced only in the coned off area.
- If there are more than 50 skaters, no freestyle moves allowed.
- NO camel spins or spirals allowed at any time.

Freestyle Sessions

Please see separate email for detailed rules on these sessions. This is a work in progress, so let's give it a little time to make it successful. Any suggestions to make it better are always welcome. We will discuss again at our next board meeting.

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Other

Accountant – Gina Myers
OSC contact – Nancy
Artoff

Social media coordinator - Sueann Wilson

Learn to Skate Coaches & Helpers Needed



The rink is desperately looking for coaches and helpers for the LTS program. Please see Donna or Ellen if you are interested, even if it's part time. Coaches are paid by the rink and helpers are compensated with ice time. Hope you will consider helping out!



Katelyn Savino

Katelyn Savino has been skating here at The RRRink since she was 3 years old. She has competed in two NW Pacific Regionals competitions, in addition to many local exhibitions.

In addition to her amazing skating skills, she is a very accomplished violinist. She has played violin since she was 6 years old. Katelyn is a member of the Youth Symphony of Southern Oregon and Siskiyou Violins. She was recently invited to join the Rogue Valley Symphony of Southern Oregon and is their youngest member! She has performed at the Britt Festival with the Piano Guys, at the Walt Disney Concert Hall, and this spring she will be performing at Carnegie Hall for the second time. Most recently she performed the National Anthem at a packed house at the Moda Center for a Trailblazers basketball game. We are so proud of you Katelyn!