



# 2011 Buckeye Adult Figure Skating Open

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Cincinnati, OH



- Hosted By:** The Figure Skating Club of Cincinnati  
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- Event Location:** The Sphere (formerly "Sports Plus")  
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**Registration Deadline: October 3, 2011**

**GENERAL RULES:**

The 2011 Buckeye Adult Figure Skating Open is sanctioned U.S. Figure Skating and will be conducted under the rules set forth in the 2011-2012 edition of the U.S. Figure Skating Rulebook and this announcement. Particular note should be taken of these sections:

- Rule 3055: Eligibility to compete
- Rule 1460: Events to be skated
- Rule 3520: Duration and Warm-up Periods

**ELIGIBILITY AND LIABILITY:**

The competition is open to ALL skaters age 18 and older who are current eligible members of either the Basic Skills Program and/or are full members of U.S. Figure Skating in good standing for the 2011-2012 season. Skaters may compete in as many disciplines as qualified by test level and age. Age and test qualifications as of October 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2011 (close of entries), will determine classification. All skaters may skate at, or one level above, their highest test level, but not both (with the exception of Solo Dance and Open Dance). At the referee's discretion, men and women may be combined into a single event, and events may be divided or combined by age group, or canceled.

U.S. Figure Skating, FSCC and The Sphere accept no responsibility for injury or damage sustained by any participant in this competition. This is in accordance with Rule 3222 of the official U.S. Figure Skating Rulebook.

**AGE CATEGORIES:**

The following age categories apply to all events:

- Young Adult: 18 to 20 years
- Class I: 21 to 30 years
- Class II: 31 to 40 years
- Class III: 41 to 50 years
- Class IV: 51 to 60 years

Class V: 61 years and over

**ENTRIES AND FEES:**

**All entries must be postmarked or received online no later than October 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2011.** The entry fee must be included with the completed application. Late entries may be accepted at the discretion of the competition committee and referee, and will be subject to a \$20 late fee. Skaters wishing to change their event after the close of entries may be subject to a \$20 change of event fee. There will also be a \$20 service fee for returned checks. Register online at [www.skatecincinnati.org/buckeye](http://www.skatecincinnati.org/buckeye)

First solo event (if Full ice event):	\$75.00 ( <b>\$85.00 if IJS event</b> )
First solo event (if Basic Skills event or Half-ice event):	\$45.00
First partnered event (Dance, Pairs, Couples Showcase):	\$40.00 per skater
Team maneuvers event:	\$60.00 per team, paid by team captain
Each additional solo event (Full ice, Half ice, or Basic Skills):	\$35.00 per event
Each additional partnered event:	\$25.00 per person, per event

*\* Note: Entry fees do not apply for coaches in the Open Dance event. Here, a coach is defined as a person, eligible or ineligible, who receives financial benefit for instructing figure skating. The entry fee waiver for coaches is meant to accommodate the added expense incurred by skaters who are bringing in coaches for this event. If an individual is skating as a competitor in another solo or partnered event, he/she may not skate as a "coach" in the Open Dance event.*

**REFUNDS:**

**No refunds for events will be made after the closing date (October 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2011) unless the event is canceled by the referee.** Refunds will not be issued if a skater has personal conflicts with the referee's schedule. Refunds will not be given for missed practice sessions; however, a skater is allowed to change his/her practice ice time before the session occurs. Out of courtesy for other skaters who may be waiting for practice ice time, please make any practice ice time change requests well in advance.

**PROJECTED DATES OF EVENTS:**

Most events, including all freeskating, pairs, and compulsory events, are projected to take place on Saturday, Nov 12. Dance events, Team events, and/or Dramatic and Light Entertainment Skate events MAY take place on Sunday, Nov 13, depending on the number of entries and the discretion of the referee.

**JUDGING SYSTEM:**

IJS will be used for the Free Skating events at the Gold and Masters levels for SINGLES events only. The 6.0 system will be used for all other events.

**PLANNED PROGRAM CONTENT SHEET:**

Competitors in the IJS events are **required** to submit a planned program Content Sheet. The PPCS is to be completed **online** by November 5<sup>th</sup>, 2011. Please go to [www.usfsaonline.org](http://www.usfsaonline.org) and follow the instructions to complete your planned program content sheet. Designate Buckeye Adult Open to receive your forms.

**EVENT SCHEDULES:**

A final competition and practice ice schedule will be posted at [www.skatecincinnati.org/buckeye](http://www.skatecincinnati.org/buckeye) approximately 10 days prior to the competition. The competition schedule is set by the referee, and no changes will be made to the schedule once it is announced unless an error has been made by the referee.

**PRACTICE ICE:**

There will be practice ice available Friday evening November 11<sup>th</sup> and Saturday morning, November 12<sup>th</sup>, 2011. There may be other practice ice times during Saturday and/or Sunday, depending on ice availability, pre-registration demand, and competition scheduling. The pre-paid rate for practice ice is \$10.00 for 25 minutes per skater. Skaters may also purchase practice ice at a walk-on rate of \$12 per 25 minutes if space is still available. Please pre-register for practice ice using the online registration system linked at [www.skatecincinnati.org/buckeye](http://www.skatecincinnati.org/buckeye)

You will be able to select practice ice times online after the competition schedule is completed. **Practice ice selection is done on a first-come, first-served basis for all skaters who pre-register.** All skaters registered for the competition will receive a confirmation message from the EntryEeze Online Registration system with a PIN. Use your

PIN and US Figure Skating number to select practice ice time. After pre-registered skaters have an opportunity to select practice ice, all other skaters will have the opportunity to purchase and select practice ice at the "walk-on" rate.

**SCRATCHES:**

If you become unable to compete, please be courteous to your fellow competitors and organizing committee by contacting [registration@skatecincinnati.org](mailto:registration@skatecincinnati.org) as soon as possible. No refunds will be issued for scratched events.

**MUSIC:**

The skater must provide their own music for all Freeskating, Dramatic Skate, and Light Entertainment Skate programs **on CDs only** (no tapes will be accepted). CDs should be clearly marked with the name of the skater, event entered and length of music (not skating time). Competition music is to be turned in at the time of registration. Skaters should arrive with a backup CD. CDs can be picked up at the registration desk after their event. The organizing committee will not accept responsibility for damage or loss of music but will take every precaution to ensure their safety. Rules governing music selection can be found in the U.S. Figure Skating rulebook, rules 3501-3502.

**ARENA FACILITIES:**

All events will be held at The Sphere, which has dressing rooms, two restaurants, a pro shop and free parking. The Sphere has two ice surfaces, each measuring 200' by 85'. Admission to the Buckeye Adult Open competition is free.

**AWARDS:**

All events will be final rounds. Awards will be presented to first through fourth places. An awards schedule will be posted near the results area and/or in the event program.

**EVENT PROGRAM:**

An official Buckeye Adult Open will be provided to all competitors. To place a "Good Luck" ad, please use the enclosed form, or order online before Nov 1, 2011. Please note that late entries may not appear in the official program.

**TEST SESSION:**

A test session will be available to all competitors on Sunday, November 13, 2011 at the conclusion of the competition. Out-of-club fees will be waived for Buckeye competitors. However, priority will be given to FSC Cincinnati home club member if the test session is full.

- Test session information will be posted at [www.skatecincinnati.org/tests](http://www.skatecincinnati.org/tests)
- For more information, please contact Ashley Carlson at [testing@skatecincinnati.org](mailto:testing@skatecincinnati.org)

**LODGING:**

The official host hotel is the **Wingate by Wyndham in Blue Ash**, located 3.1 miles from the rink at 4320 Glendale-Milford Rd, Cincinnati, OH 45242, (513) 733-1142. Please mention the Buckeye Adult Open or group code CGBUC1 for the group rate of \$81/night. Rates include a complimentary breakfast. For more information about our host hotel please visit [www.wingatecinci.com](http://www.wingatecinci.com)

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## DESCRIPTIONS OF EVENTS

### I. SINGLES FREE SKATING

The following events will be skated on full ice, to music of the skater's choice. Vocal music is permitted for all events as per Rule 3502. Skaters may compete at or one level higher than their current US Figure Skating freeskating test level. Well-Balanced Program rules apply for all free skating events. **IJS scoring will be used for Masters and Gold events.** Please refer to Well-Balanced Program requirements and IJS scoring guidelines linked from the US Figure Skating website: [http://www.usfigureskating.org/New\\_Judging.asp?id=358](http://www.usfigureskating.org/New_Judging.asp?id=358) and to the most current US Figure Skating rulebook. References to specific test requirements and well-balanced program descriptions from the current rulebook are stated below. Age groups may be combined at the discretion of the referee and consultation with skaters depending on number of entries.

Event Name	Description	Time (max)
Masters Junior/Senior (IJS)	Requirements: Rule 3740; Program requirements: Rule 3741	3:40
Masters Int/Novice (IJS)	Requirements: Rule 3745; Program requirements: Rule 3746	3:10
Adult Gold (IJS)	Requirements: Rule 3780; Program requirements: Rule 3781	2:40
Adult Silver	Requirements: Rule 3790; Program requirements: Rule 3791	2:10

Adult Bronze	Requirements: Rule 3800; Program requirements: Rule 3801	1:50
Adult Pre-Bronze	Requirements: Rule 3805; Program requirements: Rule 3806	1:40
Adult High Beginner (Basic Skills Event)	May not have passed any US Figure Skating Free Skating Test or above ISI Freestyle 2. No spin above a one-foot upright spin. 1/2 rotation jumps, salchow, and toeloop are allowed	1:40
Adult Int. Beginner (Basic Skills Event)	May not have passed any US Figure Skating Test (including Moves in the Field) or above ISI Delta. Any skills from the Basic Skills 1 – 8, Adult Basic Skills 1 – 4 or ISI Pre-Alpha through Delta are allowed.	1:40
Adult Low Beginner (Basic Skills Event)	May not have passed above Basic Skills 4 or Adult Basic Skills 2. Any skill from Basic 1-4 or Adult Basic Skills 1 and 2, plus bunny hop, lunge or spiral are permitted	1:40

## II. PAIRS FREE SKATING

Well-Balanced Program rules apply for all free skating events. Please refer to Well-Balanced Program requirements linked from the Adult Skating page of the US Figure Skating website:

[www.usfsa.org/New\\_Judging.asp?id=358](http://www.usfsa.org/New_Judging.asp?id=358) and to the most current US Figure Skating rulebook. References to specific test requirements and well-balanced program descriptions from the current rulebook are stated below. Events may be combined at the discretion of the referee and consultation with skaters depending on number of entries.

Event Name	Description	Time (max)
Masters Pairs	Test and age requirements as stated in 4115. Elements as stated in 4116	3:40
Adult Gold Pairs	Test and age requirements as stated in 4120. Elements as stated in 4121.	3:40
Adult Silver Pairs	Test and age requirements as stated in 4122. Elements as stated in 4123.	2:40
Adult Bronze Pairs	Test and age requirements as stated in 4124. Elements as stated in 4125.	2:10
Centennial Pairs	Test and age requirements as stated in 4126. Elements as stated in 4127.	3:10

## III. DANCE EVENTS

### DANCE EVENTS:

In the dance event, skaters may only skate on one team. Tests from any dance testing track--Standard, Adult, and/or Masters—satisfy the test requirements/restrictions. Age groups may be combined depending on the number of entries in each event. The number of patterns to be danced will be determined by the current US Figure Skating rulebook (4231). Only one round (Initial Round) will be skated. Music for each dance will be provided by the Competition Committee.

Event Name	Test/Age Requirements	Dances
Adult Gold Dance	Test requirements as stated in 4470.	Kilian, Starlight Waltz
Adult Pre-Gold Dance	Test requirements as stated in 4480.	American Waltz, Paso Doble
Adult Silver Dance	Test requirements as stated in 4491.	European Waltz, Tango
Adult Pre-Silver Dance	Test requirements as stated in 4495.	Willow Waltz, Foxtrot
Adult Bronze Dance	Test requirements as stated in 4500.	Cha Cha, Ten-Fox
Adult Pre-Bronze Dance	Test requirements as stated in 4505.	Dutch Waltz, Cha Cha
Centennial Dance	Test and age requirements as stated in 4510.	Fourteenstep, American Waltz
Preliminary Dance	Neither partner may have passed higher than the Pre-Bronze Dance Test.	Dutch Waltz, Canasta Tango

### SOLO DANCE EVENTS:

Competitors in the Solo Dance events may choose any number of dances listed below that are at the highest test level that he or she has partially completed, completed, or one level higher than he or she has completed. Age groups may be combined depending on the number of entries in each event. Genders will be combined for this event. Skaters may enter more than one solo dance event. The number of patterns to be skated will be determined by the current US Figure Skating Rulebook (4231).

International Silver Samba

<b>Gold</b>	Argentine Tango
<b>Pre-Gold</b>	Starlight Waltz
<b>Silver</b>	Tango
<b>Pre-Silver</b>	Foxtrot
<b>Bronze</b>	Hickory Hoedown
<b>Pre-Bronze</b>	Cha Cha
<b>Preliminary</b>	Dutch Waltz

**OPEN DANCE EVENTS:**

There are no test restrictions for this event. A dance couple will consist of an eligible (non-coach) skater and a coach, or two eligible skaters. Partners may be of differing test levels. Medals will be awarded to eligible (non-coach) skaters only. Each Dance is a separate event. Age groups may be separated or combined depending on the number of entries in each event. Music for each dance will be provided by the Competition Committee. The number of patterns to be danced will be determined by the current US Figure Skating rulebook (4231).

<b>Event Name</b>	<b>Dance</b>
Gold Open Dance	Quickstep
Pre-Gold Open Dance	Blues
Silver Open Dance	American Waltz
Pre-Silver Open Dance	Fourteenstep
Bronze Open Dance	Willow Waltz
Pre-Bronze Open Dance	Swing Dance
Preliminary Open Dance	Dutch Waltz

**IV. DRAMATIC SKATE AND LIGHT ENTERTAINMENT SKATE EVENTS**

Dramatic Skate and Light Entertainment Skate events shall consist of a variety of skating moves and elements selected for their value in enhancing the skater's interpretation of the music he or she has chosen. Costumes that enhance the performance by appropriately reflecting the character of the music, thereby enhancing the theme, will be considered in the judging. **Competitors who qualify for more than one level based on the test requirements must compete at the highest level for which they qualify (Rules 3810 and 3820).**

Skaters may enter both Dramatic Skate and Light Entertainment Skate events. If a situation arises where only a single skater has signed up for a category and/or level, the two categories of events may be combined and/or the Masters/Gold levels or the Silver/Bronze levels may also be combined. Men and ladies may also be combined at the discretion of the referee and/or Competition Committee. Skaters placing fourth and higher in artistic/showcase solo events may be qualified to enter the next National Showcase. For more information, contact Melissa Bowman, National Vice Chair for National Showcase at [patinage\\_tx@verizon.net](mailto:patinage_tx@verizon.net).

<b>Event Name</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>Time (max)</b>
Masters Dramatic Skate	Requirements: Rule 3810; Program requirements: Rule 3811	1:40
Masters Lt Entertainment Skate	Requirements: Rule 3810; Program requirements: Rule 3811	1:40
Adult Gold Dramatic Skate	Requirements: Rule 3810; Program requirements: Rule 3811	1:40
Adult Gold Lt Entertainment Skate	Requirements: Rule 3810; Program requirements: Rule 3811	1:40
Adult Silver Dramatic Skate	Requirements: Rule 3820; Program requirements: Rule 3821	1:40
Adult Silver Lt Entertainment Skate	Requirements: Rule 3820; Program requirements: Rule 3821	1:40
Adult Bronze Dramatic Skate	Requirements: Rule 3820; Program requirements: Rule 3821	1:40
Adult Bronze Lt Entertainment Skate	Requirements: Rule 3820; Program requirements: Rule 3821	1:40
Adult Beginner Dramatic Skate (Basic Skills Event)	A competitor in the Beginner Adult Interpretive may not have passed the Adult Pre-Bronze Free Skating test, the Pre-Bronze Dance test, the Pre-Preliminary tests, nor above ISI Freestyle 2.	1:40
Adult Beginner Lt Entertainment Skate (Basic Skills Event)	A competitor in the Beginner Adult Interpretive may not have passed the Adult Pre-Bronze Free Skating test, the Pre-Bronze Dance test, the Pre-Preliminary tests, nor above ISI Freestyle 2.	1:40

**COUPLES SHOWCASE EVENTS:**

**Couples Showcase** - Either mixed or similar gender; at least one skater must meet the requirements of the Adult Pre-Bronze Free Skating event. Max Time: 1:40

**Beginner Couples Showcase (Basic Skills)** - Either mixed or similar gender; neither skater may have passed higher than the Pre-Bronze Free Skating test. Max Time: 1:40

**V. COMPULSORY EVENTS****COMPULSORY MOVES EVENTS:**

Moves must be performed without music and in any order with connecting steps necessary to link the various moves together. Times stated are maximum times. Except for Gold/Masters, all Compulsory Moves Events limited to 1/2 ice surface. Mandatory deductions will be taken for unlisted or additional elements such as – jumps, spins, repetitions or unsuccessfully executed moves.

Event Name	Description	Time
Masters/Adult Gold Compulsory Program (FULL ICE)	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Axel</li> <li>2. Lutz-Loop combination</li> <li>3. Solo single or double jump (no restrictions)</li> <li>4. Combination spin with one change of position and one change of foot (min. 4 revolutions each foot)</li> <li>5. Circular or straight line step sequence (full ice or full circle)</li> </ol>	2:00
Adult Silver Compulsory Program (Half Ice)	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Flip jump</li> <li>2. Loop-Loop combination</li> <li>3. Solo Single jump (Axel permitted)</li> <li>4. Combination spin, one change of position, change of foot optional (min. 3 revolutions each position, entry optional)</li> <li>5. Circular or straight line step sequence (half ice or half circle)</li> </ol>	1:30
Adult Bronze Compulsory Program (Half Ice)	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Salchow jump</li> <li>2. Waltz jump – toe loop combination</li> <li>3. Solo single jump (no Lutz or Axel)</li> <li>4. Forward sit spin (min. 3 revolutions)</li> <li>5. Step or spiral sequence (half ice or half circle)</li> </ol>	1:30
Adult Pre-Bronze Compulsory Program (Half Ice)	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Waltz jump</li> <li>2. Toe Loop</li> <li>3. Half Flip</li> <li>4. One foot spin (min. 3 revolutions)</li> <li>5. Sequence of two spirals OR two lunges OR one lunge and one spiral</li> </ol>	1:30
Adult High Beginner Compulsory Program (Basic Skills Event, Half Ice)	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Two-foot spin (min. 2 revolutions)</li> <li>2. Waltz jump</li> <li>3. Lunge or spiral</li> <li>4. Backward crossovers – minimum of 5 consecutive in one direction</li> </ol>	1:30
Adult Int. Beginner Compulsory Program (Basic Skills Event, Half Ice)	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Forward outside edges (R and L)</li> <li>2. Forward crossovers – minimum of 5 consecutive in one direction</li> <li>3. Bunny Hop</li> <li>4. Backward one foot glide</li> </ol>	1:30
Adult Low Beginner Compulsory Program (Basic Skills Event, Half Ice)	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Forward two foot swizzles – minimum of 5 consecutive</li> <li>2. Snow plow stop</li> <li>3. Backward skating (wiggles or swizzles)</li> <li>4. Forward one foot glide</li> </ol>	1:30

**SPINS ONLY EVENTS:**

Spins must be skated exactly as stated but may be skated in any order. Connecting steps may be used but will not affect scoring. Times stated are maximum times. All Spin events are skated without music on 1/2 ice surface. The spin events are also open to young adults at their appropriate levels.

Event Name	Description	Time
Masters/Adult Gold Spins	1. Solo spin – non-flying entry (min 5 revs) 2. Solo spin – flying entry (min 4 revs) 3. Combination spin with only one change of foot and at least one change of position (min 4 revs per foot)	1:30
Adult Silver Spins	1. Camel spin (min 3 revs) 2. Layback, attitude, or sit spin (min 4 revs) 3. Combination spin with only one change of position and no change of foot (min 3 revs in each position)	1:30
Adult Bronze Spins	1. One-foot upright spin (min 4 revs) 2. One-foot back spin (min 3 revs) 3. Sit spin (min 3 revs)	1:30
Adult Pre-Bronze Spins	1. One-foot upright spin (min 3 revs) 2. Two-foot spin (min 3 revs) 3. One or two-foot spin of the skater's choice (min 3 revs)	1:30

**JUMPS ONLY EVENTS:**

Jumps must be skated exactly as stated, but may be skated in any order. Connecting steps may be used but will not affect scoring. Times stated are maximum times. All Jumps only events are skated without music on 1/2 ice surface, except for Masters and Gold which shall be skated on full ice. The jumps only events are also open to young adults at their appropriate levels.

Event Name	Description	Time
Masters Jumps – FULL ICE	Axel; Single or double jump; Combination of any two jumps (no triples)	1:30
Adult Gold Jumps – FULL ICE	Axel; Lutz; Single/single or Double/single combo (2toe or 2sal only)	1:30
Adult Silver Jumps	Flip; Loop; Single/single combo (axels ok)	1:15
Adult Bronze Jumps	Toe Loop; Salchow; Single/single combo (no axel)	1:15
Adult Pre-Bronze Jumps	Waltz; Half Flip; Choice of Toe Loop, Salchow, or Half Loop	1:00
Adult Beginner Jumps (Basic Skills Event)	Waltz; Bunny Hop; Choice of Mazurka, Ballet Jump, Half Flip	1:00

**VI. TEAM MANEUVERS**

In this event, each maneuver listed will be performed by a member of a 3-5 person team. Both men and ladies may compete on the same team. Each member of a team may perform one or two maneuvers. However, a skater may not perform more than one element in each category (i.e. one skater cannot perform all of the jumps, etc). Skaters on a team do not have to represent the same club. A skater may not represent more than one team.

Each team should submit the names of the team members at the time of registration. Teams must have a team name and a team captain (a contact person). The team captain will be responsible for the entry fee. If a team member is unable to compete due to illness or injury, a teammate may perform the maneuver in the absent skater's place, provided that no individual member on a team is performing more than two maneuvers. A team may list one alternate skater.

**Competition format:**

Team maneuvers will be performed on full ice, with no music, and will follow this format:

1. When the event is called, all skaters will take the ice for a 2 minute STROKING ONLY warmup.
2. Skaters will be directed to find a "base" for their team somewhere on the ice (along the boards).
3. The referee will call the first element (e.g. solo spin).
4. The designated skater from each team will have approximately 1 minute to warm up the called element.
5. The referee will direct the designated skater from each team to perform the element, one at a time.
6. Once all teams have had their skater complete the element, the next element will be called. Repeat #3-5.

Each element will be evaluated by the judges, but final placements will be determined by the combined performance of the entire team. Connecting moves between elements will not be considered in the scoring of this event. No props may

be used at any time in the team competition.

**Masters Team Maneuvers** – No test restrictions:

- SPINS: Flying spin  
Combination spin with one change of foot (unlimited changes of position)
- JUMPS: Axel jump  
Jump combination of any two single jumps (may not repeat axel) or a double and a single jump.
- STEPS: Circular, serpentine, or straight line step sequence

**High Team Maneuvers** – Skaters may have passed no higher than the Juvenile or Adult Gold FS test:

- SPINS: Camel spin (entry optional)  
Combination spin with one change of position (change of foot optional)
- JUMPS: Lutz jump  
Jump combination of any two single jumps (may include axel)
- STEPS: Circular or straight line step sequence

**Low Team Maneuvers** – Skaters may have passed no higher than the Preliminary or Adult Bronze FS test:

- SPINS: One foot upright spin (entry optional)  
Sit spin
- JUMPS: Waltz jump  
Jump combination or sequence of any two single or half revolution jumps (no axel)
- STEPS: Forward spiral and backward spiral (may be on same foot, does not need to be in a sequence)

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Entries must be postmarked by October 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2011

Online registration also available: [www.skatecincinnati.org/buckeye](http://www.skatecincinnati.org/buckeye)

Competitor's Last Name:		First Name:		USFS #:	
Address:			Email address:		
City:		State:	Zip:	Phone: (      )	
Competitor's Club (please do not abbreviate):		Date of Birth:	Age:	Sex:	
Highest FS Test passed:		Highest Pair Test passed:		Highest Dance Test passed:	
Partner's Name(s):					
Primary Coach's Name:			Coach's USFS #:		
Coach's email address:			Coach's Phone Number:		

## Please check all events you are entering

<p><b>Freeskating</b></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Low Beginner (Basic)  <input type="checkbox"/> Int. Beginner (Basic)  <input type="checkbox"/> High Beginner (Basic)  <input type="checkbox"/> Pre-Bronze  <input type="checkbox"/> Bronze  <input type="checkbox"/> Silver  <input type="checkbox"/> Gold (IJS)  <input type="checkbox"/> Masters Int/Nov (IJS)  <input type="checkbox"/> Masters Jr/Sr (IJS)</p> <p><b>Pairs Freeskating</b></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Bronze  <input type="checkbox"/> Silver  <input type="checkbox"/> Gold  <input type="checkbox"/> Masters  <input type="checkbox"/> Centennial</p> <p>_____ (partner's name)</p> <p><b>Dance</b></p> <p><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  <input type="checkbox"/> Centennial</p> <p>_____ (partner's name)</p>	<p><b>Solo Dance</b></p> <p><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  <input type="checkbox"/> International</p> <p><b>Dramatic Skate*</b></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Beginner (Basic)  <input type="checkbox"/> Bronze  <input type="checkbox"/> Silver  <input type="checkbox"/> Gold  <input type="checkbox"/> Masters</p> <p><b>Lt Entertainment Skate*</b></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Beginner (Basic)  <input type="checkbox"/> Bronze  <input type="checkbox"/> Silver  <input type="checkbox"/> Gold  <input type="checkbox"/> Masters</p> <p><i>*Dramatic and Lt Ent Skate may be combined in cases of single skater events</i></p> <p><b>Couples Showcase</b></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Beginner (Basic)  <input type="checkbox"/> Adult</p> <p>_____ (partner's name)</p>	<p><b>Compulsory Moves</b></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Low Beginner (Basic)  <input type="checkbox"/> Int. Beginner (Basic)  <input type="checkbox"/> High Beginner (Basic)  <input type="checkbox"/> Pre-Bronze  <input type="checkbox"/> Bronze  <input type="checkbox"/> Silver  <input type="checkbox"/> Gold/Masters</p> <p><b>Spins Only</b></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Pre-Bronze  <input type="checkbox"/> Bronze  <input type="checkbox"/> Silver  <input type="checkbox"/> Gold/Masters</p> <p><b>Jumps Only</b></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Beginner (Basic)  <input type="checkbox"/> Pre-Bronze  <input type="checkbox"/> Bronze  <input type="checkbox"/> Silver  <input type="checkbox"/> Gold  <input type="checkbox"/> Masters</p>	<p><b>Open Dance</b>  <i>(provide partner's name in space provided)</i></p> <p><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 _____</p> <p><b>Team Maneuvers</b>  <i>(only complete if you are the team captain)</i></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Masters    <input type="checkbox"/> High    <input type="checkbox"/> Low</p> <p>Team name: _____</p> <p>Team captain: _____</p> <p>Team members:</p> <p>1) _____  2) _____  3) _____  4) _____  5) _____  alt) _____</p>
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Certification of Contestant – **THE COMPETITOR IS ELIGIBLE TO ENTER THE EVENTS CHECKED. IT IS AGREED THAT THE COMPETITOR AND FAMILY HOLDS THE FIGURE SKATING CLUB OF CINCINNATI HARMLESS FROM ANY AND ALL LIABILITY FOR INJURIES EITHER DURING PRACTICE OR THE COMPETITION, AND FROM ANY AND ALL LIABILITY FOR DAMAGES TO OR LOSS OF PROPERTY.**

Club/Group Authorized Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Competitor Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**EVENT FEES**

First solo event (if Full ice event)		\$75.00 \$85.00 if IJS	=
First solo event (if Basic Skills or Half-ice event)		\$45.00	=
Each additional solo event fee (Full ice, Half ice, or Basic skills)	\$35.00 each	X	=
Team maneuvers event (paid by team captain only)	\$60.00 per team	X	=
Partnered Events (first event)*	\$40.00 per person	X	=
Partnered Events (additional event)	\$25.00 per person	X	=
Prepaid Practice Ice	\$10.00 per session	X	=
Program Ads (personal messages)	\$5.00 per message	X	=
<b>Late fee</b> <b>(if postmarked after Oct 3, 2011 and accepted by referee)</b>		\$20.00	=
<b>Make checks payable to FSC Cincinnati</b>		<b>TOTAL</b>	=

\* Note: Entry fees do not apply for coaches in the Open Dance event. Here, a coach is defined as a person, eligible or ineligible, who receives financial benefit for instructing figure skating. The entry fee waiver for coaches is meant to accommodate the added expense incurred by skaters who are bringing in coaches for this event. If an individual is skating as a competitor in another solo or partnered event, he/she may not skate as a "coach" in the Open Dance event.

Coach's name and US Figure Skating # for Open Dance: \_\_\_\_\_

**OTHER FEES (IF APPLICABLE):**

Service fee for returned checks: \$20.00 per check  
 Change event fee\*\*: \$20.00 per event, if approved by referee

\*\* Changing events after the registration deadline is subject to approval by the referee. Please double-check your entries with your coach, and/or contact the competition chairs PRIOR to the entry deadline to make sure you are entered in the correct events.

**Mail check and completed entry form to:** Buckeye Adult Open Registration  
 c/o Cathy Brinkman  
 3215 Hardisty Ave.  
 Cincinnati, OH 45208

Planned Program Content Sheets (PPCS) must be submitted **online** by November 5<sup>th</sup>, 2011. Please go to [www.usfsaonline.org](http://www.usfsaonline.org) and follow the instructions to complete your PPCS.

**ENTRY FEES ARE NOT REFUNDABLE AFTER THE ENTRY DEADLINE UNLESS AN EVENT IS CANCELLED BY OUR REFEREE.**

## 2011 Buckeye Adult Open Practice Ice Pre-Registration

Choose practice ice sessions online: [www.skatecincinnati.org/buckeye](http://www.skatecincinnati.org/buckeye)

There will be practice ice available Friday evening November 11 and Saturday morning, November 12, 2011. There may be other practice ice times during Saturday and/or Sunday, depending on ice availability, pre-registration demand, and competition scheduling. A practice ice and competition schedule will be posted at [www.skatecincinnati.org/buckeye](http://www.skatecincinnati.org/buckeye) approximately two weeks prior to the competition.

Practice ice is \$10 for 25 minutes if prepaid, or \$12 to walk on (as space permits).

You will be able to select practice ice times online after the competition schedule is completed. **Practice ice selection is done on a first-come, first-served basis for all skaters who pre-register.** All skaters registered for the competition will receive a confirmation message from the EntryEeze Online Registration system with a PIN. Use your PIN and US Figure Skating number to select practice ice time. After pre-registered skaters have an opportunity to select practice ice, all other skaters will have the opportunity to purchase and select practice ice at the "walk-on" rate.

Name \_\_\_\_\_ E-Mail \_\_\_\_\_

Events to be skated \_\_\_\_\_

Number of sessions requested \_\_\_\_\_ Total cost at \$10/ session \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**MAIL CHECK AND COMPLETED PRACTICE ICE FORM WITH ENTRY FEES, OR REGISTER ONLINE**

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### PROGRAM ADS

If you wish to place a personal message in the 2011 Buckeye Adult Open event program, please use the space below to write your message. Personal messages are \$5.00 each and are restricted to approximately 144 characters (no larger than a Twitter post). Larger ads with graphics may also be purchased—please contact [buckeyeopen@skatecincinnati.org](mailto:buckeyeopen@skatecincinnati.org). All ads will be printed in black and white.

Personal message ads may also be purchased online after registration, up to November 1, 2011.

Insert message here:

**MAIL CHECK AND COMPLETED PROGRAM AD FORM WITH ENTRY FEES, OR REGISTER ONLINE**