



Sherwood Figure Skating Club

Membership Application July 1, 2011 through June 30, 2012

Application for membership in SFSC subjects the member to all the rules and regulations of the Club and U.S. Figure Skating

Skater's Name: _____ Parent's name: _____

Address _____ City: _____ State/zip: _____

Home Phone: _____ Cell: _____

Emergency Contact: _____ Emergency Phone: _____

Skater Email: _____ Parent/Guardian Email: _____

Please Check One:



Gold Membership

\$195.00



Silver Membership

\$135.00



Bronze Membership

\$60.00

Memberships

___ Gold membership second skater of same family:

Name _____ USFSA# _____ DOB _____ Gender _____ \$170.00

___ Gold membership third skater of same family:

Name _____ USFSA# _____ DOB _____ Gender _____ \$150.00

___ Silver Membership \$135.00

___ Bronze Membership \$60.00

___ Coaches/Judges \$60.00

___ Coaches who compete/test \$80.00

___ Associate Home Club Member) \$60.00

*Sherwood Figure Skating Club is a non-profit organization staffed entirely by volunteers. Any support you can give is greatly appreciated and necessary to keep this club going. Please see the attached application for more details on how you can help.

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YES –I WOULD LIKE TO HELP:

___ I would like to make a tax deductible contribution of \$_____

___ Please contact me. I would like to volunteer. I can do the following:

___ Club Ice Monitor ___ Competition help ___ Fundraising ___ Hospitality

___ just call me: _____

TOTAL DUES: \$_____

Please make check payable to Sherwood FSC or if paying by Credit card:

Card # _____ Exp Date: _____ Security code _____

Name on Card _____

- Please charge the full membership amount to the above referenced card. _____ (please initial),
or
- I authorize Sherwood FSC to charge monthly installments of \$21.00 per month for each skater membership (Gold membership only) on the above referenced credit card. _____ (please initial)

Membership applications may be left in SFSC mailbox at Sherwood Ice Arena or mail to:

SFSC Membership Chair

PO Box 1393

Sherwood, OR 97140

Questions? Contact: Carrie Mitchell at script85@live.com

Parent/Guardian Contact (members under 18 years)

Name _____ Telephone _____

Signature _____

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Benefits of Membership

Gold Membership: \$195.00 first family member, \$170.00 second family member, \$160.00 third family member.

- Free Friday night Club Ice skate sessions (SFSC reserves the right to cancel Club Ice without notice).
- Partial reimbursement for test sessions passed.
- Free Friday night clinics with club coaches offered once a month.
- U.S. Figure Skating registration for 1 year.
- U.S. Figure Skating magazine.
- Inclusion in all club sponsored social activities.
- 10% discount at NW Skate Authority (excludes boots, blades and sharpening).
- Free Sherwood FSC backpack.
- Purchase SFSC jacket, pants and dresses at a discounted rate.
- Full reimbursement for entry fee's for skater's who qualify out of regionals.

Silver Membership: \$135.00 per member

- Discounted Friday night Club Ice (\$8.00 per session).
- Discounted Friday night clinics with club coaches (\$15.00 includes ice time and clinic) offered monthly.
- U.S. Figure Skating magazine.
- Inclusion in all club sponsored social activities.
- 10% discount at NW Skate Authority (Excludes, boots, blades and sharpening).
- Ability to test and compete in U.S.F.S. activities.
- Purchase SFSC jacket, pants and dresses at a discounted rate.

Bronze Membership: \$60.00

This is designed for skaters who have begun competing and would like to participate in USFS Basic Skills competitions (such as Sherwood Invitational held each August). This 1-year membership allows

- Participation in any U.S.F.S. Basic Skills competition.
- Inclusion in some club sponsored social activities.
- Discounted rates on SFSC jacket, pants and dresses and 10% discount at SW Skate Authority
- Discounted Friday night Club Ice (\$10.00 per session).

Coaches and Judges: \$60.00

- U.S. Figure Skating registration
- U.S. Figure Skating magazine
- Coach on Club Ice at no charge.

Coaches who Compete/Test: \$80.00

- Free Club Ice
- Discount on club jackets

Non-Home Club Membership (Associate):

This membership is designed for skater who skates and represents another club but would like to be informed of seminars and activities at our club.

- Skate Club Ice for \$10.00 per session.

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Sherwood Figure Skating Club Policy:

- If you are planning in skating in the Sherwood Invitational August 27 & 28, 2011, your membership application **must** be received by July 31, 2011.
- Gold membership can pay in monthly installments of \$21.00 via debit/credit card.
- Only Gold Membership is eligible for partial reimbursement. You need to be signed up before August 31, 2011 to be eligible.
- All membership dues are non-refundable.
- There will be a \$25.00 fee plus any other bank fees affiliated for any check returned for non-payment.
- Explanation to members/parents: Sometimes television stations request a taping of a successful skater or an interview with a winning team or a filming of a club sessions. A newspaper reporter may ask to interview an academic contest winner or members of our club. If you are willing for this to occur, we request that you complete the form below and sent it with the membership registration form. It will remain on file at the Sherwood FSC.
- There will also be times when pictures and/or information about contest winners or member's skating information will be posted on the SFSC web page or local newspaper. This media release form will serve as permission to post such information as needed.

SFSC Media Release Agreement 2011-2012

I hereby give permission to The Sherwood Figure Skating Club to allow news media to photograph/interview myself/my child. It is my understanding that this photograph/interview or portions thereof will be used for public view. I also agree to allow Sherwood Figure Skating Club to post pictures and/or information related to skating and/or competition/testing results of myself/my child on the Sherwood FSC website.

I agree to participate in this project without financial remuneration, and I understand that this releases the Sherwood Figure Skating Club/photographer/interviewer from any future claims, as well as from any liability, arising from the use of the said photograph/interview.

_____ I do agree to the Media Release Statement.

_____ I do not agree to this Media Release Statement and request that myself/my Childs's picture DO NOT appear on the Sherwood FSC web site or any uses.

Member Name _____ Date _____ Age _____

Please print clearly

Signature _____ Relationship to Skater _____

(Parent or guardian if under 18 years of age)

U.S. Figure Skating Parent Code of Conduct

Codes of Conduct give everyone a guide to what is expected of us if we are part of an organization, participating in a sport, or as spectators at our child's events.

Preamble: The essential elements of character-building and ethics in sports are embodied in the concept of sportsmanship and six core principles; respect, responsibility, fairness, caring, trustworthiness and good citizenship. The highest potential of sports is achieved when competition reflects these "six pillars of character" (Arizona Sports Summit Accord).

By signing below I hereby agree that:

1. I will encourage good sportsmanship by demonstrating positive support for all skaters, coaches and officials at every practice session, competition and test session.
2. I will place the emotional and physical well being of my child ahead of my personal desire to win.
3. I will encourage my child to skate in a safe and healthy environment.
4. I will inform my child's coach of any physical disability or ailment that may affect the safety of my child or the safety of others.
5. I will teach my child that doing one's best is more important than winning, so that my child will never feel defeated by the results of a competitive event.
6. I will never ridicule or yell at my child or other participant for making a mistake or blame my child's teammates for placement in a competition.
7. I will do my best to make skating fun and will remember that my child participates in sports for his/her own enjoyment and satisfaction not mine.
8. I will ask my child to treat other skaters, coaches, fans and officials with respect, regardless of race, creed, color, sexual orientation or ability.
9. I will applaud a good effort in both victory and defeat emphasizing the positive accomplishments and learning from the mistakes.
10. I will teach my child to resolve conflicts without resorting to hostility or violence.
11. I will be a positive role model for my child and other skaters.
12. I will demand a figure skating environment for my child that is free of drug or alcohol abuse and agree that I will not use or provide to a third party any drug proscribed by applicable federal, state, or municipal law.
13. I will not assist or condone any competing athlete's use of a drug banned by the International Olympic Committee, International Skating Union, United States Olympic Committee, or US Figure Skating, or, in case of athletes, to use such drugs or refuse to submit to properly conducted drug test administered by one of these organizations.
14. I will not provide alcohol to, or condone the use of alcohol by minors, abuse alcohol in the presence of athlete members, or at US Figure Skating activities or, in the case of athletes, consume alcoholic beverages while a minor,
15. I will encourage my child's coach to continue their education and training through programs offered by US Figure Skating, the Professional Skaters Association and other accredited organizations.
16. I will respect my child's coach and refrain from coaching my child or other skaters during competitions and practices because it may conflict with the coach's plan or strategies.
17. I will respect the decisions of officials and their authority during competitions and test sessions and teach my child to do likewise.
18. I will show appreciation and recognize the importance of volunteers and club officials.
19. I will study the rules of the US Figure Skating and teach my child accordingly so that we have an understanding and appreciation of the rules of competition and membership.
20. I will support all the opponents in my child's competition and respect the rights of all skaters to participate.

Signature _____ Date _____

WAIVER AND RELEASE 2011-2012

NOTICE: THIS IS A LEGALLY BINDING CONTRACT

In consideration of myself (or my minor child) being permitted by Sherwood Figure Skating Club to participate in club-sponsored events, I agree to the following:

I ACKNOWLEDGE THE INHERENT RISKS ASSOCIATED WITH FIGURE SKATING

I understand that; (a) the sport of figure skating is a hazardous athletic activity; (b) participation in figure skating or related training may result in serious injury including but not limited to permanent disability, paralysis or death; (c) these risks and dangers may be caused by the acts or omissions of the officers, directors, members or agents of Sherwood Figure Skating Club, the acts or omissions of other participants, accidents, breaches or contract, or other causes; (d) these risks may arise from foreseeable or unforeseeable causes. I further understand that the club is a community in which open communication takes place. That communication may include the discussion of coaches, officials, skaters, and parents. I agree to be bound by the ethics rules of the U.S. Figure Skating and the Parent's Code of Conduct. I agree to process any grievance or wrong done by the spoken work, writing in any form, or broadcast or publication that is related to skating through the grievance processes of the club, U.S. Figure Skating, or the PSA, and to be bound by the result as a final and complete resolution.

I AGREE TO ASSUME ALL RISKS OF PERSONAL INJURY

In return for being allowed to participate in the skating and non-skating activities of the Sherwood Figure Skating Club either myself or for my minor child or ward, I agree to assume all risks foreseen or unforeseen, foreseeable or unforeseeable that arise from participation in the sport of figure skating regardless of the cause except for deliberate and unprovoked physical assaults and the injury or damage that may cause. I accept the financial all responsibility for any losses and/or damages, whether caused in whole or in part by the conduct of the officers, directors, members or agents of the Sherwood Figure Skating Club. On behalf of myself, my personal representatives and my heirs, hereby voluntarily agree to release, waive, discharge, hold harmless, defend and indemnify Sherwood Figure Skating Club, its officers, directors, members and agents, from any and all claims, action or losses for bodily injury, property damage, wrongful death, loss of services, loss of companionship or otherwise which may arise out of my (or my minor child's) participation in club-sponsored activities. I specifically understand that I am releasing, discharging and waiving any claims or actions that I may have for the negligent acts or other conduct by the officers, directors, members or agents of the Sherwood Figure Skating Club. I agree to process any grievance or wrong done by the spoken word, writing in any form or broadcast or publication that is related to skating through the grievance processes of the Club, US Figure Skating or the PSA and to be bound by the result as a final and complete resolution. Further, to the extent that any claim by me or on behalf of my child or ward (arising from my skating activities while a member of the Club) against any third party results in a claim by that party against the Sherwood Figure Skating Club for indemnity or contribution, I will save, defend, hold harmless and indemnify the Sherwood Figure Skating Club from that third party claim.

BY MY SIGNATURE BELOW I WARRANT THAT I:

- 1) Am at least 18 years of age, and am otherwise legally competent to sign this Agreement;
- 2) Have read the above statement and understand their provisions;
- 3) Understand the risks associated with participation in figure skating activities;
- 4) Assume full responsibility for the consequences of choosing to participate;
- 5) Hereby knowingly and intentionally release and hold harmless the Sherwood Figure Skating Club, it's officers, directors, members and agents from any and all claims, demands, injuries, actions (including third party claims), and damage of any kind and nature whatsoever which arise out of or in connection with participating in this activity, regardless of whether such claims are based upon negligence or other grounds.
- 6) Hereby knowingly and intentionally release and hold harmless the Sherwood Ice Arena it's employees and agents from any and all claims, demands, injuries, actions (including third party claims), and damage of any kind and nature whatsoever which arise out of or in connection with participating in this activity, regardless of whether such claims are based upon negligence or other grounds.
- 7) Agree to be bound by and abide by the Rules, Regulations and Bylaws of the Sherwood Figure Skating Club and U.S. Figure Skating and understand that violation of these rules may result in loss of membership in U.S. Figure Skating and/or The Sherwood Figure Skating Club.
- 8) Understand dues are due and payable upon submitting this application.
- 9) Acknowledge that Information on this Application is true and correct and is part of Skater's U.S. Figure Skating record.

Participant Name _____ Date _____ Age _____

Please Print Clearly

Signature _____ Relationship to Skater _____

(Parent or guardian if under 18 years of age)