

TO: Columbus Figure Skating Club Members

RE: 2007-2008 Membership Application

Please remember that the USFSA calendar year runs from July 1, 2007 to June 30, 2008. Those skaters competing at Regionals must have renewed their USFSA membership prior to the September 1 competition form deadline to be eligible to compete!

Enclosed are your 2007-2008 USFSA and Columbus Figure Skating Club applications. Early renewal will allow more timely receipt of your membership cards and ice contracts. Everyone skating at OSU ice rink must be a current USFSA/CFSC member. Please do not let your membership lapse if you plan on testing or competing later this summer.

Members that renew before June 23, 2007 may take a \$5 discount on their membership fee. Renewals postmarked after June 23 will be charged the full rate of \$80.

Those who specify the Columbus Figure Skating Club as their home club will receive priority contract and other session and activity scheduling over non-home club members. Following is a capsule explanation of Home Club membership. (For further clarification, see MR 6.06 in the USFSA Official Rule Book.) Only persons who intend to be home club members of the Columbus Figure Skating Club should pay the home club fee and join the USFSA through CFSC. Anyone who desires to represent another USFSA club as a competitor or official of any kind, or serve on the council thereof, should join the CFSC as a non-home club member and should submit their USFSA form via their home club. All persons skating on CFSC sessions must be members of the CFSC with the exception of guest privileges for USFSA members from clubs outside of a fifty mile radius of Columbus who also actually reside outside of this area. Area college students who wish to maintain a different home club status must also join the CFSC to skate on club sessions during the academic year.

Membership renewals must be returned to Terry Hamilton, Membership Chair.

Be sure you have made all necessary corrections to the personal information on the USFSA forms as your membership cards will be printed from these forms. NOTE: Senior members, please indicate your birth date. The USFSA has specifically requested that you give a date. Please do not put 'adult' in the space. Your application will be held until the correct date is provided.

Thank you for your cooperation.

**Terry Hamilton
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