

37th Annual Tri-State Free Skating Championships

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Co-hosted by Greenbrier Figure Skating Club and West Shore Figure Skating Club

DATES: April 4 – 7, 2002 (Thursday – Sunday)

PLACE: Greenbrier Ice Rink • 6200 Pearl Road • Parma Heights, OH 44130 • 1-440-842-5005

Chairpersons: Barbara Gould • (440) 572-3750 • gould@stratos.net
Kathy Gentile • (330) 483-4355 • skaterville@zoominternet.net
For questions, please email either chair or telephone 9 a.m. – 8:30 p.m. only.

RULES: The competition will be conducted in accordance with the rules as set forth in the 2001-02 Rulebook for the 2001 competition season.

ELIGIBILITY:

The competition is open to all eligible persons from Indiana, Ohio, Michigan, Western Ontario and other invited guests. Adult skaters are invited to participate and will be grouped accordingly. Test status is based as of 2/22/02.

Single skaters may skate at their Free Skating Test Level (as of 02/22/02) or at one level higher -- **BUT NOT BOTH**. Skaters may not compete below their test level as of 02/22/02. Pairs and Dancers may not move up a level. Skaters must be registered members of the USFSA or CFSA for the 2001-2002 year, either through membership in a member club or as individual members.

Beginner through Juvenile events with a large number of entries will be divided into smaller groups by skater birth date. Intermediate - Senior events will be by random draw.

ENTRIES & FEES:

No refunds will be issued after the closing date unless the event is cancelled for lack of participation. Two entries constitute a competition in any event. ***No refunds will be issued for any other reason, including medical, except in the case of a death in the immediate family.*** If incomplete entries are received, you will receive a collect phone call to obtain the information.

Fees will be as follows:

Single Events:

\$ 50.00 for the 1st FS / Compulsary or Pairs event
\$ 25.00 for each additional event

Couples Events: (SEND THESE ENTRIES TOGETHER)

\$ 50.00 for the first couples event (per person)
\$ 25.00 for each additional couples event (per person)

If you are entering **Solo DanceOnly**, the fee is \$25.00 for the **FIRST** Solo Dance Event. \$ 5.00 for each additional dance event.

Entry fees must be paid by check or money order (US funds only) and made payable to: Tri-States '02, and MUST ACCOMPANY APPLICATION. Persons using checks without sufficient funds will be charged an additional \$30.00 fee per check and all further payments must be made by money order. Skaters will not be allowed to practice or compete until all such debts are satisfied.

Any skater who has signed up for the wrong event, and does not give authorization until after the skating schedule has been finalized, will be assessed a \$10 fee. This fee will be collected at the time of registration.

PAYMENT & APPLICATION DEADLINE:

The acceptance of your entry is based on the postmark. Please follow the procedure as listed below.

1. *A postage meter will NOT be considered acceptable proof of mailing date.*
2. *Applications must be filled out completely and must bear the official US Post Office no later than February 24, 2002. **NO LATE ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED.***
3. Please do not use certified mail or a delivery service. It slows down the delivery process and complicates the pick-up process.
4. Please include a stamped, self-addressed, legal size envelope if you wish to receive a copy of the official practice ice and competition schedule.

PAYMENT & APPLICATION DEADLINE, continued:

Separate checks should be issued for entry fees and practice ice (if applicable). Mail entries to:

Tri-States 2002
Mrs. Barbara Gould
22019 Country Way
Strongsville, OH 44149-9201

PRACTICE ICE:

Practice ice will be 30 minutes long. It begins Wednesday, April 3, 2002 on a first-come, first-served basis, at a rate of \$7.00 for each session. **PRACTICE ICE SESSIONS ARE NON-REFUNDABLE.** Please refer to the Practice Ice Order Form for more detailed practice ice information.

ARENA SIZE: 185' x 85'. Locker rooms and a concession area are available.

ADMISSION: Admission is free.

REGISTRATION:

Registration begins Wednesday, April 3, 2002, from 7 – 9:00 p.m. at the rink or at any time during the competition. **Registration is required at least 2 hours prior to your event.** All competitors, coaches and chaperons must register. The registration committee will be available to answer questions and give directions.

OFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS:

An official notice board will be kept at the Registration Desk. It is the responsibility of competitors and coaches to check this board frequently for schedule changes, messages and other pertinent competition information.

MUSIC:

Competitors should bring 2 cassette tapes. All cassettes must be marked with the skaters name, event, and the length of program. The preferred length of cassettes is C-10. **Tapes longer than C-30 WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.** **Music should be recorded on one side only.** **Broken, damaged, or improperly marked cassettes will be rejected.** If you have any music questions, please contact Jim Cunningham at 330/656-3416.

CASSETTES MUST BE SUBMITTED TO THE REGISTRATION DESK – NO LATER THAN TWO (2) HOURS BEFORE THE START OF YOUR EVENT. Competitors should bring 2 cassette tapes. One is submitted at registration and the second is to be kept by the competitor as an emergency backup. Music is reclaimed at the Registration Desk within 15 minutes after the completion of the event for which it was used.

FIRST AID: First aid facilities will be available on-site.

OFFICIAL HOTEL: Clarion Hotel (I-71 and Bagley Road)
17300 E. Bagley Road
Middleburg Heights, OH 44130
440/ 243-5200
Room rate: \$69.00 *When making reservations, please advise that you are with Tri-States.*
See lodging form for other motels/hotels in the area.

AWARDS:

Medals will be given for First, Second and Third place in each event. A Fourth place ribbon will also be awarded. In the interest of good sportsmanship and out of consideration to all medallists, it is requested that all who qualify, attend award ceremonies, wearing their skating outfits and skates. Award presentations and official photos will take place at designated times throughout the competition.

LIABILITY: Liability for The Greenbrier Figure Skating Club and West Shore Figure Skating Club is in accordance with USFSA Rule CR 10.12.

PLEASE NOTE: *Skaters are asked to refrain from wearing any type of necklace or jewelry that may break off and fall on the ice. All beading should also be secure.*

TRI-STATE FREE SKATING CHAMPIONSHIPS
EVENT CATEGORIES, TIMES AND REQUIREMENTS

FREE SKATING EVENTS

<u>FREE SKATING LEVEL</u>	<u>MINUTES</u>	<u>MUST HAVE PASSED</u>
- <i>Beginner A</i>	1	No test required
- <i>Beginner B</i>	1 ½	No test required
- <i>Pre-Preliminary</i>	1 ½	Pre-Preliminary Free Skating Test
		** NOTE: consult USFSA Rule SSR 4.07 for allowed elements (Axel allowed, no doubles)
- <i>Preliminary</i>	1 ½	Preliminary Free Skating Test
		** NOTE: consult USFSA Rule SSR 4.07 for allowed elements (Axel & up to two doubles allowed)
- <i>Pre-Juvenile</i>	2	Pre-Juvenile Free Skating Test
		** NOTE: consult USFSA Rule SSR 4.07 for allowed elements (Axel & up to four doubles allowed)
- <i>Juvenile</i>	2	Juvenile Free Skating Test
- <i>Intermediate</i>	2 ½	Intermediate Free Skating Test
- <i>Novice</i>	3	Novice Free Skating Test
- <i>Junior</i>		
<i>Ladies</i>	3 ½	Junior Free Skating Test
<i>Men</i>	4	Junior Free Skating Test
- <i>Senior</i>		
<i>Ladies</i>	4	Senior Free Skating Test
<i>Men</i>	4 ½	Senior Free Skating Test
- <i>Adult</i>		25 years of age
<i>Bronze</i>	Not to exceed 1:40	Adult Bronze Free Skating Test
<i>Silver</i>	Not to exceed 2:10	Adult Silver Free Skating Test
<i>Gold</i>	Not to exceed 2:40	Adult Gold Free Skating Test

PAIRS EVENTS

<u>MIXED PAIRS</u>	<u>MINUTES</u>	<u>MUST HAVE PASSED</u>
- <i>Preliminary</i>	1 ½	Preliminary, but not Juvenile Pair Test
- <i>Juvenile</i>	2	Juvenile, but not Intermediate Pair Test
- <i>Intermediate</i>	2 ½	Intermediate, but not Novice Pair Test
- <i>Novice</i>	3	Novice, but not Junior Pair Test
- <i>Junior</i>	4	Junior, but not Senior Pair Test
- <i>Senior</i>	4 ½	Senior Pair Test

<u>SIMILAR PAIRS</u>	<u>MINUTES</u>	<u>MUST HAVE PASSED</u>
- <i>Junior Similar</i>	2	Pre-Preliminary Free Skating Test, but neither partner can have passed the Novice Free Skating Test.
- <i>Senior Similar</i>	3	Pre-Preliminary Free Skating Test, and at least one of the partners must have passed the Novice Free Skating Test or higher.

COUPLES DANCE EVENTS

<u>CATEGORY</u>	<u>BOTH PARTNERS MUST...</u>	<u>DANCES</u>
- <i>Preliminary</i>	Not have completed the Bronze Dance Test.	Dutch Waltz, Canasta Tango/ Rhythm Blues, Swing Dance
- <i>Juvenile</i>	Not have completed the Pre-Silver Dance Test.	Fiesta Tango, Ten-Fox/ Cha Cha, Willow Waltz
- <i>Intermediate</i>	Not have completed the Silver Dance Test.	Hickory Hoedown, Foxtrot/14 Step, European Waltz

COUPLES DANCE EVENTS, continued

CATEGORY	BOTH PARTNERS MUST...	DANCES
- <i>Novice</i>	Not have completed more than one Pre-Gold Dance Test.	European Waltz, Tango/ Paso Doble, Blues
- <i>Junior</i>	Not have completed more than three Gold Dances.	Viennese Waltz, Rocker Foxtrot/ Quickstep, Blues
- <i>Senior</i>	Have passed the entire Pre-Gold Dance Test.	Ravensburger Waltz, Quickstep/ Golden Waltz, Blues
- <i>Adult</i>	No test requirement. Both skaters must be at least 25 years old.	Fiesta Tango, Ten-Fox/ Willow Waltz, 14-Step

FREE DANCE WILL BE A SEPARATE EVENT

- <i>Intermediate Free Dance</i>	2 minutes
- <i>Novice Free Dance</i>	2 ½ minutes
- <i>Junior Free Dance</i>	3 minutes
- <i>Senior Free Dance</i>	4 minutes

SOLO DANCE

SOLO DANCE	EACH DANCE IS A SEPARATE EVENT AND DANCER MUST...
Dutch Waltz	Not have completed the Bronze Dance Test
Canasta Tango	Not have completed the Bronze Dance Test
Rhythm Blues	Not have completed the Bronze Dance Test
Swing Dance	Not have completed the Pre-Silver Dance Test
Cha Cha	Not have completed the Pre-Silver Dance Test
Fiesta Tango	Not have completed the Pre-Silver Dance Test
Hickory Hoedown	Not have completed the Silver Dance Test
Willow Waltz	Not have completed the Silver Dance Test
Ten-Fox Waltz	Not have completed the Silver Dance Test
Fourteenstep	Not have completed more than one Pre-Gold Dance Test
European Waltz	Not have completed more than one Pre-Gold Dance Test
Foxtrot	Not have completed more than one Pre-Gold Dance Test
American Waltz	Not have completed more than three Gold Dance Tests
Tango	Not have completed more than three Gold Dance Tests
Rocker Foxtrot	Not have completed more than three Gold Dance Tests
Viennese Waltz	Not have passed the entire Pre-Gold Dance Tests
Westminster Waltz	Not have passed the entire Pre-Gold Dance Tests
Quickstep	Not have passed the entire Pre-Gold Dance Tests
Argentine Tango	Not have passed the entire Pre-Gold Dance Tests

NOTES FOR DANCERS

1. The group of dances drawn for the Initial Round will not be used for the Final Round.
2. If there are a large number of entries in any dance event, the event will be divided into groups by birth date of the older partner, or the individual in the case of Solo Dance.
3. In the Initial and Final Rounds of all Dance events, the couples shall dance each dance one couple at a time.
4. Solo Dancers may enter only one solo dance category. Solo Dancers skate only one round.
5. The Referee will determine the number of patterns skated.

SHOWCASE

Levels are:	I	-	Beginner , Pre-Preliminary and Preliminary
	II	-	Pre-Juvenile & Juvenile
	III	-	Intermediate & Novice
	IV	-	Junior & Senior

The length of the program is not to exceed 1 ½minutes.

There are no required elements in Showcase events. Identify your theme. Emphasis is placed on the theatrical and entertainment value of the skater's performance, rather than on the technical accuracy of specific moves.

Costumes and props are encouraged to help illustrate the act. ***Props are limited to those the skater can carry or push on to the ice themselves (in one trip).*** Live props are not permitted. Skaters may not be assisted during the set up time. The set up time **should not take more than 30 seconds**. Skaters may not be given off ice assistance during the performance. Props may not use flame/smoke or any substance that will alter the surface of the ice. Use caution with glitter, feathers, etc., not wet mops, whipped cream or shaving cream, as they stick to the ice.

NOTES FOR SHORT PROGRAMS AND COMPULSORY MOVES

1. No music will be played except for Juvenile, Intermediate, Novice, Junior and Senior Short Programs. The elements of the Pre-Preliminary, Preliminary, Pre-Juvenile and Adult Compulsory Moves will be skated without music and within the time listed. Pre-Preliminary, Preliminary, Pre-Juvenile and Adult Compulsory Moves will be skated on ½ the rink surface.
2. The required elements may be skated **IN ANY ORDER**. Unprescribed additional jumps or spins are not permitted. Marks will be deducted if any are included.
3. Jumps and combination jumps will be evaluated on: speed and flow from takeoff to landing; cleanness or takeoff; height of jump; body position in the air; and control of landing. Combination jumps must have no steps or turns between combined jumps.
4. Spins and combination spins will be evaluated on: number of revolutions; speed of revolutions; center of spins; body position in the spin; and control of the exit from the spin.
5. Footwork will be evaluated on: difficulty of steps; neatness; sureness and cleanness of steps; speed of travel; and body position.

COMPULSORY CATEGORIES / PROGRAM TIMES & REQUIRED ELEMENTS

Category: Beginner

Time: 1:00 Minute or less

Skated without music on ½ the rink surface

Required Elements:

1. Bunny Hop
2. Upright Scratch Spin (*minimum 3 revolutions*)
3. Waltz Jump
4. Spiral
5. Lunge

Category: Pre-Preliminary

Time: 1:00 Minute or less

Skated without music on ½ the rink surface

Required Elements

1. ½ Flip or ½ Lutz Jump
2. Salchow Jump
3. Waltz Jump - Toe Loop Combination with no steps or turn between
4. Upright Scratch Spin (*minimum 3 revolutions*)
5. Spiral

Category: Preliminary

Time: 1:00 Minute or less

Skated without music on ½ the rink surface

Required Elements:

1. Flip Jump
2. Back Scratch Spin (*minimum 3 revolutions*)
3. Salchow - Loop Jump Combination with no steps or turns between
4. Spiral
5. Split Jump

Category: Pre-Juvenile

Time: 1:15 Minutes or less

Skated without music on ½ the rink surface

Required Elements:

1. Camel Spin (*minimum 3 revolutions in camel position*)
2. Lutz Jump
3. Straight Line or Diagonal Footwork
4. Flip - Loop Combination Jump with no steps or turns between
5. Sit-Change-Sit Spin (*minimum 3 revolutions on each Foot in sit position*)

Category: Adult Bronze

Time: 1:15 Minutes or less

Skated without music on ½ the rink surface

Required Elements:

1. Straight Line or Diagonal Footwork
2. Salchow Jump
3. Waltz Jump – Toe Loop Combination
4. Upright Scratch Spin (*minimum 3 revolutions*)
5. Spiral

Category: Adult Silver/Gold

Time: 1:15 Minutes or less

Skated without music on ½ the rink surface

Required Elements:

1. Camel Spin (*minimum 3 revolutions in camel position*)
2. Flip Jump or Lutz Jump
3. Waltz Jump-Loop Jump Combination
4. Back Scratch Spin (*minimum 3 revolutions*)
5. Straight Line or Diagonal Footwork

Category: Juvenile Short Program

Time: 1:40 Minutes or less

Skated on full rink surface to music of skaters' choice

Required Elements:

1. Jump combination consisting of two (2) single revolution jumps, or a double jump followed by a single revolution jump, with no steps or turns between (*no Axel*)
2. Axel Jump
3. Double Jump of skaters' choice (*may not repeat jump done in combination*)
4. Solo spin (*no flying spins, no change of foot or position*), minimum of four (4) revolutions.
5. Combination spin with only one change of foot and one change of position (*minimum of four [4] revolutions per foot*)
6. Step sequence (*straight line, circular or serpentine*)

Category: Intermediate Short Program

Time: 2:00 Minutes or less

Required Elements:

Short Program as defined in current USFSA Rule Book

Category: Novice Short Program

Time: 2:15 Minutes or less

Required Elements:

Short Program as defined in current USFSA Rule Book

Category: Junior Short Program

Time: 2:40 Minutes or less

Required Elements:

Short Program as defined in current USFSA Rule Book

Category: Senior Short Program

Time: 2:40 Minutes or less

Required Elements:

Short Program as defined in current USFSA Rule Book

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TRANSMITTAL FORM

Competitor's Name *(please print clearly)*: _____

Competitor's USFSA Number: _____

Club Name *(no abbreviations, please)*: _____

Competition Forms:

Entry Form..... \$ _____

Club Officer Certification..... _____

Practice Ice Form (with separate check)..... \$ _____

Competition Merchandise Order Form (with separate check) \$ _____

Volunteer Form..... _____

Advertising Order Form..... \$ _____

Please make checks payable to Tri-States 2002, unless otherwise requested on the order form.

Please note any competition committee requests for issuance of separate checks, separate submission deadlines and the designated return point for advertising, advance ticket orders, practice ice and advertising order forms.

Send entry form and all information forms together. Pairs, Couples Dancers, please mail both entry forms together for designated events.

**Tri-States '02
Attn: Barbara Gould
22019 Country Way
Strongsville, OH 44149**

*******Deadline For Postmark Is No Later Than*****
Midnight, February 24, 2002**

ENTRY FORM

37th ANNUAL TRI-STATE FREE SKATING CHAMPIONSHIPS

NAME (print clearly): _____ USFSA #: _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____ ST: _____ ZIP: _____

HOME CLUB (no abbreviations): _____

TELEPHONE: (_____) _____ GENDER: ____ F ____ M

YOUR AGE AS OF MARCH 1, 2001: _____ DATE OF BIRTH (M/D/Y): _____

In case of questions, may we contact you via email? _____ yes _____ no

Name of E-mail contact: _____ E-mail address: _____

	Highest Test Passed	Test Date (M/Y)	Coach
Free Skate			
Dance			
Pairs			

PLEASE CHECK EVENTS YOU WISH TO ENTER: TURN OVER FOR REQUIRED SIGNATURES

Free Skate		Compulsory
	Beginner A	
	Beginner B	
	Pre-Preliminary	
	Preliminary	
	Pre-Juvenile	
	Adult Bronze	
	Adult Silver	
	Adult Silver/Gold	
	Adult Gold	

	Dance Couples	Partner's Name
	Preliminary	
	Juvenile	
	Intermediate	
	Novice	
	Junior	
	Senior	
	Adult	

	Free Dance	Partner's Name
	Intermediate	
	Novice	
	Junior	
	Senior	

Free Skate		Short Program
	Juvenile	
	Intermediate	
	Novice	
	Junior	
	Senior	

Solo Dance – Check Which Dances Within Level You Wish To Skate. The Fee is \$5 for first dance and \$5 for each additional dance event.

Level 1	Dutch Waltz	Canasta Tango	Rhythm Blues
Level 2	Swing Dance	Cha Cha	Fiesta Tango
Level 3	Hickory H.	Willow Waltz	Ten-Fox
Level 4	14-Step	European	Foxtrot
Level 5	American W.	Tango	Rocker FT
Level 6	Viennese W.	Westminster	
	Quickstep	Argentine	

Show Case	
	I – Beginner, Pre-Pre & Preliminary
	II – Pre-Juvenile & Juvenile
	III – Intermediate & Novice
	IV – Junior & Senior

	Pairs	Partner's Name
	Preliminary	
	Intermediate	
	Novice	
	Junior	
	Senior	
	Junior Similar	
	Senior Similar	

Entries, along with the correct fee, must be post-marked no later than 02/24/02. Make check payable to Tri-States '02.

TURN OVER FOR REQUIRED SIGNATURES

**IMPROPERLY COMPLETED, OR UNSIGNED APPLICATIONS
WILL AUTOMATICALLY DISQUALIFY A COMPETITOR.**

Please enclose a stamped, self-addressed, legal size envelope for the return of your schedule.

Mandatory Competitor Signature(s)

Certification By Athlete and Parent Guardian

ATHLETE: I agree to conduct myself, both on and off the ice, in a manner that will reflect favorably upon this Competition and upon the sport of figure skating, and that is consistent with the high standards of the sport. I agree to respect the person and property of other, and in the event I cause injury, damage, or loss to another or to the property of another, I hereby indemnify the USFSA, the Greenbrier Figure Skating Club, their officers, members committees, representatives employees, volunteers and agents and agree to hold them harmless against any and all claims that another person may have or which may arise out of such injury, damage or loss, together with any reasonable costs and attorney's fees that may be incurred as a result of such claims, whether valid or not.

Waiver and Release of Liability

ATHLETE/PARENT/GUARDIAN: I understand that the USFSA and the Greenbrier Figure Skating Club undertake no responsibility for damages or injuries, or loss of property suffered by the competitors. As a condition of and in consideration of the acceptance of their entries or participation therein, their person and property resulting from, caused by or connected with, the conduct and management of the competition, and to waive and release any and all claims which they may have against any officials, the USFSA, the club holding the competition and its officer, and their entries shall be accepted only on such condition (CR 10.12)

Signature of Competitor: _____ **Date:** _____

Parent/Guardian: _____ **Date:** _____

(if Contestant is under age 18)

Coach's Certification

I have read this entry form and certify that it is complete and that the competitor is eligible to enter the events selected.

Please Print

Name of Coach: _____ USFSA #: _____

Signature of Coach: _____ Date: _____

Home Phone: (_____) _____ E-Mail: _____

Certification of Competitor by Club Officer

To the best of my knowledge, the statements on this application are true and correct. The contestant is a member of my Club in good standing in accordance with the rules of the USFSA. Please note that the club test chair is not necessarily an officer. **Only the Club President, Vice President, Treasurer or Secretary is eligible to sign this form.** If you are an individual member, you will certify your own form.

Please Print

Club Officer Name:		USFSA#:
Signature:		Date:
Title:	Daytime Phone:	
Club Name:		Signer's Email:

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PRACTICE ICE APPLICATION

You are entitled to purchase one practice session per event entered. However, to ensure your practice ice we encourage you to pre-order with this form. We want to give everyone a fair chance, but prime ice time is in short supply and we cannot afford to leave ice vacant. Therefore, we reserve the right to sell any such entitled ice if not ordered at least 24 hours ahead of each session.

NO ICE WILL BE SOLD OVER THE PHONE.

Ice may be pre-ordered using this form, otherwise you may purchase ice in person at the ice rink before the competition begins. The practice ice schedule is not set until after the competition schedule is confirmed and all pre-orders are received. There will be practice ice available starting Wednesday, April 3, 2002. The practice ice will be at Greenbrier Ice Rink.

Tentative practice ice schedule:

**Wednesday, April 3, 2002 – 9:00 a.m. – TBD
Thursday, Friday, Saturday – To be announced**

Practice ice sessions run 30 minutes on a first-come, first-served basis. No music will be played except for dance.

**Pre-Order Cost: \$ 7.50 – for each short program/free skate session
 \$ 7.50 – for each pair and dance session (per person)**

~~✂~~ Check level entered if you desire practice ice for a specific event (shaded areas not available). ~~✂~~

Skater Name: _____ **USFSA #:** _____

Club Name (no abbreviation): _____

	Compulsory Moves	Short Program	Free Skating	Mixed Pairs	Similar Pairs	Couples Dance	Solo Dance
Beginner							
Pre-Preliminary							
Preliminary							
Pre-Juvenile							
Adult							
Juvenile							
Intermediate							
Novice							
Junior							
Senior							

Total number of practice ice sessions requested _____ x \$ 7.50 = \$ _____

Enclose this form and a check payable to “Tri-States '02 Practice Ice” for the total amount due. Return this form and check with your competition application to:

**Tri-States '02
Mrs. Barbara Gould
22019 Country Way
Strongsville, OH 44149**

The Practice Ice Desk will be open only during the hours practice ice is in session.

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MERCHANDISE ORDER FORM

Competition Pins	<i>contemporary design featuring skates and the text, "Tri States 2002 – Cleveland, OH"</i>	\$ 5.00
Baseball Caps	<i>Denim cap with choice of navy, black or khaki bill</i>	\$ 10.00
Short-Sleeve Tees	<i>100% cotton Hanes Beefy T with embroidered logo</i> Youth sizes: XS – XL / Adult sizes: Small - XXL Color: White	\$ 9.00 youth sizes \$ 10.00 adult sizes \$ 11.00 for XXL sizes
Long-Sleeve Sweatshirts	<i>Jerzees Super Sweats with embroidered logo</i> Youth sizes: XS – XL / Adult sizes: Small – XXL Color: White	\$ 15.00 youth sizes \$ 17.00 adult sizes \$ 18.00 for XXL sizes
Plaid Boxers	<i>100% cotton flannel boxer, no fly, elastic waist</i> Available only in adult sizes Small – XL Colors: Black Stewart (red, blue, green, white), Black Watch (blue, black, green), and Dress Gordon (blue, green, white, yellow) plaids	\$ 12.50 with logo \$ 11.00 without logo
Fleece Vests	<i>Full front zip, pockets, anti-pilling fabric, twill taping inside neck</i> Available only in adult sizes Small – XL Color: Black	\$ 27.00 XS – XL sizes \$ 29.00 for XXL sizes
Fleece Jackets	<i>Full front zip, pockets, anti-pilling fabric, twill taping inside neck</i> Available only in adult sizes Small – XL Color: Black	\$ 33.00 XS – XL sizes \$ 35.00 for XXL sizes

LIMITED AMOUNTS OF MERCHANDISE WILL BE AVAILABLE FOR SALE DURING THE COMPETITION



**Tri-States MERCHANDISE ORDER FORM –
ENCLOSE WITH A SEPARATE CHECK IN YOUR COMPLETED APPLICATION**

(print clearly)

Name: _____ Skating Club _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: (_____) _____ Email: _____

Items will be available for pick up at the Tri-States Boutique inside the rink starting the first day of competition.

Item You Wish To Order	Amount	Item Size	Item Color	Price Per Item
				\$
				\$
				\$
				\$
				\$
				\$
TOTAL DUE: MAKE CHECK PAYABLE TO TRI-STATES '02				\$

Signature: _____ Date: _____

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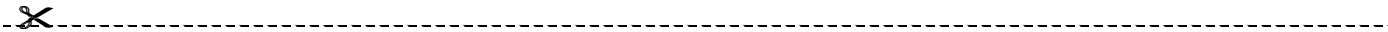
“RULES FOR VIDEOTAPING AND STILL PHOTOGRAPHY”

The privilege extended to you to attend this event is conditioned upon your observance of the rules that follow. Your failure to follow these rules will result in revocation of the privilege and you will be asked to leave the rink.

To assure the safety of the skaters, protect skater privacy, and prevent improper commercial use of images of skaters.

1. All individuals using video or camera equipment must complete and submit to the management of the event a registration form (bebw).
2. Such individuals must produce photo identification at the time of registration (such as a drivers license).
3. Upon submission of the registration form, you consent to being photographed or videotaped by the management of the event for purposes of identification.
4. Subject to these rules, still photographs may be taken. **NO FLASH UNITS MAY BE USED DURING EVENTS!**

Any person who improperly uses an image of a skater for commercial use will be liable to the skater for applicable damages.



**VIDEOGRAPHY – PHOTOGRAPHY REGISTRATION FORM
Tri-States 2002 Championships**

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: (_____) _____

NAME OF SKATER (s) To Be Videotaped or Photographed	Events In Which You Will Be Taping or Taking Photos

Signature: _____ Date: _____

37th ANNUAL TRI-STATE FREE SKATING CHAMPIONSHIPS PROGRAM ADVERTISEMENT ORDER FORM

Please print clearly

Organization, Business or Individual: _____

Contact Person: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Business Phone: (_____) _____ Evening Telephone: (_____) _____

Salesperson: _____ GFSC WSFSC

Premium Program Advertising

Advertising Space	Size	Cost
Back Cover	5" x 8"	\$165.00 SOLD
Page 3	5" x 8"	\$165.00
Inside Front Cover	5" x 8"	\$150.00
Inside Back Cover	5" x 8"	\$150.00
Center Spread	11" x 8"	\$275.00

Program Advertising

Advertising Space	Size	Cost
Full Page	5" x 8"	\$110.00
Half Page	5" x 4"	\$ 75.00
Quarter Page	2.5" x 4"	\$ 45.00
Business Card or 1/8 Page	2.5" x 2"	\$ 30.00
Deluxe Personal Gram*	Two lines (up to 60 characters)	\$ 20.00
Patron Acknowledgment/ Standard Personal Gram*	One line (up to 30 characters)	\$ 10.00

***Personal Grams** are a great way for parents, family, friends or skating enthusiasts to thank your coach or wish your favorite skater or club good luck. *Each line is 30 characters. Please print clearly!*

Line One: _____

Line Two: _____

All prices are for camera-ready art! Ads should be presented in a camera-ready stat, velox or high-resolution format, sized to the specifications/dimensions provided. All ads will be printed as Black & White. **MAKE ALL CHECKS PAYABLE TO TRI-STATES '02. Please send all forms, artwork and your check or money order no later than March 5, 2002.**

Mail to: Tri-States '02 Program
c/o Mrs. Patricia Golinski
1145 John Glenn Drive
Seven Hills, Ohio 44131
Phone: 216/ 524-7628 email: pgolinski@ohiocpa.net

2002 Tri-State Free Skating Championships

April 4 – 7, 2002

Lodging Information

There is a host of hotels and restaurants and shopping within a 5-mile radius of Greenbrier Ice Rink. Rooms have been blocked out at the host hotel at a discounted rate. You must indicate your affiliation with the Tri-State 2002 Competition, the Greenbrier Figure Skating Club, or figure skating to get these rooms. For more details on any hotel listed below, please contact that property directly.

Hotels

Radisson Hotel – Cleveland SW

7230 Engle Road
Middleburg Heights, OH 44130
Ph: 44-243-4040 Fax: 440-243-3178
*On-site restaurants, indoor pool, sauna
self-service laundry, 237 guest rooms*

Hampton Inn & Suites

7074 Engle Road
Middleburg Heights, OH 44130
Ph: 440-234-0206 Fax: 440-234-0208
Complimentary breakfast, self-service laundry

Comfort Inn – Cleveland Airport

17550 Rosbough Dr.
Middleburg Heights, OH 44130
Ph: 440-234-3131 Fax: 440-234-6111
Complimentary breakfast 6 – 10 a.m.

Motel 6

7219 Engle Road
Middleburg Heights, OH 44130
Ph: 440-234-0990 Fax: 440-234-3475

Residence Inn

17525 Rosbough Dr.
Middleburg Heights, OH 44130
Ph: 440-234-6688 Fax: 440-234-3459
*Dinner delivery from local restaurants,
self-service laundry, 3 floors/158 suites*

Towne Place Suites

7325 Engle Road
Middleburg Heights, OH 44130
Ph: 440-816-9300 Fax: 440-816-9305
*Dinner delivery from local restaurants,
self-service laundry, 3 floors/95 suites*

Courtyard By Marriott

7345 Engle Road
Middleburg Heights, OH 44130
Ph: 440-243-8785 Fax: 440-243-8835
*On-site restaurant, dinner delivery from local
restaurants, self-service laundry, 5 floors/154 rooms*

There is a complete range of restaurants in the area, ranging from fast food to full service casual dining.

Points of Interest:

- **Parmatown Mall – within 1.5 miles of Greenbrier Ice Rink**
- **Southpark Mall – I-71 South, exit 231 (5 miles south of host hotel)**
- **Outlet Malls – Aurora Farms (Aurora, OH 45 min. East) & Buckeye Factory Outlet (Lodi, OH 20 min South)**
- **Cleveland Metroparks Zoo & Rainforest, Rock-N-Roll Hall of Fame,**
- **Great Lakes Science Center/IMAX Theatre, Cleveland Museum of Art**

2002 Tri-State Free Skating Championships

Volunteer Sign Up

As many of you may know, it takes an enormous amount of volunteer hours to run a competition such as this. *We welcome your help – even if for a few hours.* Parents, family members, friends and skating enthusiasts... **if you are interested in volunteering some of your time prior to, or during the event, please complete this form and return it to the name/address at the bottom of the form by 03/05/02 or with your skater’s entry form.** The committee chair coordinating each activity will be in contact with you.

Volunteers who work a minimum of four hours during the competition may receive a coupon that entitles them to a discount on Tri-State 2002 souvenirs sold by Greenbrier Figure Skating Club. This discount applies only to souvenir merchandise sold during the competition. All volunteers will have access to refreshments at the coach/volunteer hospitality suite while at the competition.

Please print clearly

Name(s): _____

Home Phone: (_____) _____ Work Phone: (_____) _____ Cell Phone: (_____) _____

Address: _____

Home Club: (if applicable) _____ E-mail: _____

Name of your skater (if applicable): _____

Volunteer Areas – Indicate below the areas where you would like to work. Check all areas of interest.

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|-------------------------|------------------------------|----------------------|----------------------------------|
| Registration Desk | Competition Ice Monitors | Runners/General Help | Anywhere Needed |
| Souvenir Sales/Boutique | Practice Ice Monitors | Accounting Room | Coach/Volunteer Hospitality Room |
| Judges Hospitality Room | Competition Set-Up/Dismantle | Greeter | |

Time – Indicate below which days and times you will be available to work.

	Thursday, April 4	Friday, April 5	Saturday, April 6	Sunday, April 7
7 a.m. – 10 a.m.				
10 a.m. – 1 p.m.				
1 p.m. – 4 p.m.				
4 p.m. – 7 p.m.*				
7 p.m. – 10 p.m. (or to the end of comp. day)				

** If you work during the day and can only arrive after 5 p.m., please note this.*

For more information, please contact Barbara Gould or Kathy Gentile, competition co-chairs, 9 a.m. – 8:30 p.m. daily.

Please mail completed form to:

Tri-States '02 Volunteers c/o Kathy Gentile - 6271 Neff Road - Valley City, OH 44286 - or enclose with your skater’s application.