



# *LEARN TO SKATE COMPETITION*

## Junior Snowflake

Potsdam Figure Skating Club  
Saturday, January 27, 2024  
Pine Street Arena  
43 Pine Street Potsdam, NY 13676  
9:00 am-3:00 pm

Deadline for entries – Wednesday, January 17, 2024  
Entry Fee - \$30.00 per first event and \$15.00 per additional event.  
Fun Event (if time allows)- free to all participants.

\$10.00 late fee will be charged after January 17, 2024

Register at EntryEeze: (insert when set up)

The registration table will be open 1 hour before the competition begins. Skater will not be allowed to compete until they have registered. Please register at least one hour before your competition time.

The annual *Compete USA Learn to Skate Competition*, sponsored by the Potsdam Figure Skating Club will be held at Pine Street Arena in Potsdam on **Saturday, January 27, 2024**. This is a United States Figure Skating approved Basic Skills Competition.

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## **MISSION STATEMENT:**

The purpose of the competition is to promote a FUN, introductory, competitive experience for the beginning skater.

## **ELIGIBILITY RULES FOR PARTICIPANTS**

The competition is open to ALL skaters who are current eligible (ER 1.00) members of either Learn to Skate USA and those who are full members of U.S. Figure Skating. Members of other organizations are eligible to compete but must be registered with Learn to Skate USA or a member club. There will be no more than six competitors maximum in an event and all six should receive an award.

### **Eligibility and Test Requirements:**

Eligibility will be based on skill level as of the closing date of entries. All **Snowplow Sam and Basic 1-6** skaters must skate at highest level passed or one level higher and NO official U.S. Figure Skating tests may have been passed, including Moves in the Field or individual dances.

For the **Pre-Free Skate, Free Skate 1-6, Aspire to Preliminary** eligibility will be based only upon highest free skate test level passed. Moves in the Field test level will not determine skater's competitive level. Skaters may skate at highest level passed OR one level higher, but not both levels in the same event during the same competition. Skaters may not compete at more than one level in the same type event at the same competition.

## **ENTRIES AND FEES**

All entries must be submitted no later than January 17, 2024 on EntryEeze. Late entries will be accepted only at the discretion of the organizers and are subject to a \$10.00 late fee after January 17, 2024. Entry fees are per person, U.S. Dollars. The event fee is \$30.00 for the first event and \$15.00 for each additional event. NO refunds after the closing date unless the event is canceled by the Potsdam Figure Skating Club. All entries must be submitted and paid for through entry ease.

## **AWARDS**

Everyone will receive an award. All events will be final rounds. Medals will be awarded to first, second, and third places. ALL other places will receive ribbons. ALL awards will be made at appropriate times throughout the competition.

## SCHEDULE OF EVENTS



Schedule will be posted on the Potsdam Figure Skating Club facebook page and website (Potsdamfsc.org) no later than January 24, 2024.

### PRACTICE ICE

Practice Ice will be available on the day of the competition. A section of the ice will be dedicated to warm-up for skaters.

### MUSIC

The music for all free skating programs and showcase must be provided on CD's by the skater. CD's 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.

### CERTIFICATION OF COMPETITOR:

It is agreed that the competitor and family holds the PFSC, officers and the Village of Potsdam harmless from any and all liability either during practice or the competition, and from any and all liability for damages to or loss of property.

### EVENTS OFFERED/FORMAT/REQUIREMENTS:

**This competition includes events for skaters who have passed no higher than the preliminary free skate**

- Basic Elements – Snowplow Sam through Basic 6
  - [https://www.usfigureskating.org/sites/default/files/media-files/Snowplow%20Sam%20-%20Basic%206%20program%202023-24\\_%20Jan%201-Jun%2030.pdf](https://www.usfigureskating.org/sites/default/files/media-files/Snowplow%20Sam%20-%20Basic%206%20program%202023-24_%20Jan%201-Jun%2030.pdf)
- Basic Skills Program to music – Snowplow Sam to Basic 6
  - [https://www.usfigureskating.org/sites/default/files/media-files/Snowplow%20Sam%20-%20Basic%206%20program%202023-24\\_%20Jan%201-Jun%2030.pdf](https://www.usfigureskating.org/sites/default/files/media-files/Snowplow%20Sam%20-%20Basic%206%20program%202023-24_%20Jan%201-Jun%2030.pdf)
- Compulsory Event – Pre-Free Skate to Free Skate 6
  - [https://www.usfigureskating.org/sites/default/files/media-files/Snowplow%20Sam%20-%20Basic%206%20Elements%202023-24\\_%20Jan%201-Jun%2030.pdf](https://www.usfigureskating.org/sites/default/files/media-files/Snowplow%20Sam%20-%20Basic%206%20Elements%202023-24_%20Jan%201-Jun%2030.pdf)

- Free Skate Program to music – Pre-Free Skate to Free Skate 6
  - [https://www.usfigureskating.org/sites/default/files/media-files/Pre%20Free%20-%20Free%20skate%206%20Program%202023-24\\_%20Sept%201-Dec%2031.pdf](https://www.usfigureskating.org/sites/default/files/media-files/Pre%20Free%20-%20Free%20skate%206%20Program%202023-24_%20Sept%201-Dec%2031.pdf)
  
- Aspire Compulsory Moves-
  - [https://www.usfigureskating.org/sites/default/files/media-files/Aspire%20Compulsory%202023-24\\_Jan%201-Jun%2030.pdf](https://www.usfigureskating.org/sites/default/files/media-files/Aspire%20Compulsory%202023-24_Jan%201-Jun%2030.pdf)
  
- Excel Compulsory Moves – Pre-Preliminary to Preliminary
  - [https://www.usfigureskating.org/sites/default/files/media-files/Excel%20-%20Well%20Balanced%20Compulsory%202023-21\\_Jan%201-Jun%2030.pdf](https://www.usfigureskating.org/sites/default/files/media-files/Excel%20-%20Well%20Balanced%20Compulsory%202023-21_Jan%201-Jun%2030.pdf)
  
- Excel Free Skate –Pre-Preliminary to Preliminary
  - [https://www.usfigureskating.org/sites/default/files/media-files/Excel%20Free%20Skate%202023-24\\_Jan1-Jun%2030.pdf](https://www.usfigureskating.org/sites/default/files/media-files/Excel%20Free%20Skate%202023-24_Jan1-Jun%2030.pdf)
  
- Aspire Free Skate-
  - [https://www.usfigureskating.org/sites/default/files/media-files/Aspire%20Free%20Skate%201-4%202023-24\\_Jan%201-Jun%2030.pdf](https://www.usfigureskating.org/sites/default/files/media-files/Aspire%20Free%20Skate%201-4%202023-24_Jan%201-Jun%2030.pdf)
  
- Spins Challenge – Aspire to Preliminary
  - [https://www.usfigureskating.org/sites/default/files/media-files/Spin%20Challenge%202023-24\\_%20Jan%201-June%2030.pdf](https://www.usfigureskating.org/sites/default/files/media-files/Spin%20Challenge%202023-24_%20Jan%201-June%2030.pdf)
  
- Jumps Challenge – Aspire to Preliminary
  - [https://www.usfigureskating.org/sites/default/files/media-files/Jump%20Challenge%202023-24\\_%20Jan%201-June%2030.pdf](https://www.usfigureskating.org/sites/default/files/media-files/Jump%20Challenge%202023-24_%20Jan%201-June%2030.pdf)
  
- Showcase Events – Basic Skills through Preliminary
  - <https://www.usfigureskating.org/sites/default/files/media-files/2023-24%20Showcase%20Guidelines%20-%20Approved%20Version.pdf>



- Music Interpretation – Free Skate to Preliminary
  - <https://www.usfigureskating.org/sites/default/files/media-files/2023-24%20Showcase%20Guidelines%20-%20Approved%20Version.pdf>

Program Requirements can be found online at:

<https://www.usfigureskating.org/program-requirements>

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**ENTRY FEES ARE NOT REFUNDABLE AFTER THE ENTRY DEADLINE  
UNLESS AN EVENT IS CANCELED.**

**Certification of Competitor: The Competitor is eligible to enter the events checked. It is agreed that the competitor and family holds the Potsdam PFSC, officers and Village of Potsdam harmless from any and all liability either during practice or the competition, and from any and all liability for damages to or loss of property.**