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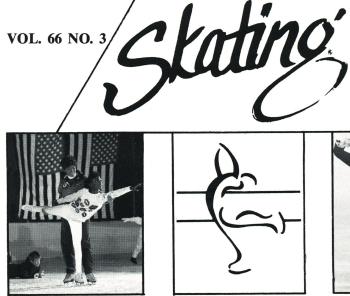
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NEWS BRIEFS

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The International Committee has announced the following selection of skaters for the 1989 World University Games Team, who will compete in Sofia, Bulgaria, March 5 to 12: MEN: James Cygan, Craig Heath, Steven Rice, (alternate, Mark Mitchell): LADIES: Kathaleen Kelly, Nancy Kerrigan, Kelly Ann Szmurlo, (alternate, Carla Schulz); PAIRS: Sharon Carz and Doug Williams. Maria Lako and Rocky Marvel: DANCE: Tracv Sniadach and Leif Erickson, Regina Woodward and Charles Sinek.

The Team Leader will be Edwin Cossitt.

Geremi Weiss will be representing the U.S. at the 20th Merano Spring Trophy, March 24 to 26, with Roger Glenn acting as Team Leader.

National senior bronze medalists, Suzanne Semanick and Ron Kravette will travel to Grenoble, France for the International Christine Laure Trophy ice dancing competition, April 13 to 15, accompanied by Team Leader Nancy Meiss.

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 The Fourth International
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ABC will air the Exhibition of Champions from the 1989 Nationals on Saturday, April 1. The Championships drew high TV ratings with over 6 million people tuning in Saturday and over 5 million on Sunday! The United States Figure Skating Championships recently concluded in Baltimore was the smoothest in many years. A great deal of credit goes to the Local Organizing Committee (LOC) for the fine job they did and the very knowledgeable volunteers selected to Chair their committees.

Another very important factor was the USFSA assuming responsibility for several significant areas, so that the wheel does not need to be re-invented each year. Credentialing and its categories now will be consistent annually with the same designations for Judges (J), Competitors and Coaches (C), Press (P), Volunteers (V), and so forth. Requests for press and coaches' credentials will be directed to the USFSA Headquarters for approval and then processed by the LOC at the appropriate time.

The Press Room, interviews, press conferences, and all the many other functions that go on for the media are being handled by the USFSA Public Relations Director, Kristin Matta, along with Tip Nunn, our Media Consultant. The local ABC affiliate in Baltimore was ecstatic over the smooth handling of their requests for interviews at Nationals. They commented they had never worked with such a competent and friendly group at an event of this magnitude.

The USFSA now coordinates the policy and mechanics for many other LOC areas, such as awards. The staff position of Director of Competitions at National Headquarters, now held by Valerie Powell, and handled on an interim basis for the Baltimore Nationals by our Executive Director, Ian Anderson, will assume many more advisory roles for future Nationals. This staff position has been in place for eighteen months and has proven how effective it can be.



FROM THE PRESIDENT'S DESK

Mrs. Powell and Mr. Anderson are in the final stages of preparing a Nationals Operations Manual with all elements of competition planning and implementation included. This will be a big plus for standardizing Nationals.

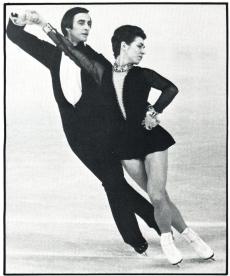
We all look forward to continued success with this program to create a Nationals with fewer problem areas and to provide positive experiences for our skaters, coaches, officials, and audience.

> -Hugh C. Graham, Jr., M.D. President, USFSA

Dr. Graham was a skater in his youth, competing in Singles and Pairs and represented the U.S. in the World Championships in both events. He has served as Team Leader for the Worlds and Olympics, has judged the Worlds and Olympics, is a World Referee, and was a consultant to President Ford's Commission on Olympic Sports. He graduated from Harvard College, received his M.D. from the University of Chicago and did his postgraduate medical studies at the University of Oklahoma, where he now serves as an Associate Clinical Professor of Pediatrics. He has been USFSA President since May 1986.

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THE HALL OF FAME



Liudmila Pakhomova & Alexandr Gorshkov Soviet Union

This feature continues the accounts of the lives and distinguished careers of the most recent members elected to the World Figure Skating Hall of Fame.

by Benjamin T. Wright

The late Liudmila Pakhomova and her partner and husband Alexandr Gorshkov of the Soviet Union occupy a unique place in the pantheon of the sport, having been the first Olympic Champions in ice dancing in Innsbruck in 1976.

That achievement is but one part of an outstanding career, although, obviously, the principal jewel in their crown. They were also pioneers for their country in their chosen discipline. This "indomitable" couple virtually single-handedly brought Soviet ice dancing from its modest beginnings to its position of dominance today, winning in the process six European and six World titles, in addition to the Olympic gold medal.

While ice dancing in its simplest forms (waltz and fourteenstep) was first competed internationally (in North America) as early as 1914, "modern" ice dancing did not appear formally on the scene competitively in Europe until 1950, following the codification and adoption of uniform rules under the guidance of the International Skating Union. The first World Championship in ice dancing was held in 1952 and the first European Championship in 1954, with the first ten years being totally dominated by couples from Great Britain, which had a long tradition in dancing.

A Soviet dance couple first entered the European Championship in 1958, placing thirteenth and last. No Soviet entry appeared again until 1965, when another couple entered the Europeans, placing thirteenth out of fifteen.

Liudmila Pakhomova first entered competition with another partner, Viktor Ryshkin, with whom she is recorded as the Soviet Dance Champions from 1964 through 1966. With him, she entered the European Championship of 1966, only the third Soviet couple to do so, placing seventh out of sixteen, a material improvement over the prior entrants. They also entered the World Championship that same year, the first Soviet couple to do so, placing tenth out of sixteen. It is interesting to note that no Soviet dance judges appeared on the panels of the ISU Championships until 1970. During their entire career, only two Soviet judges served, Igor Kabanov and Irina Absaliamova.

By the 1967 Championships, an "historic" partner change had occurred, much as was later the case in 1973 with Irina Rodnina. Viktor Ryshkin elected to skate with a new partner, Irina Grischkova, with whom he was Soviet Champion in 1967 and placed eighth in the European and seventh in the World Championships. That same year, Liudmila began her now famous partnership with Alexandr, placing second in the USSR, tenth in the Europeans and thirteenth in the Worlds, in their first year of international competition, certainly a modest beginning to their distinguished career.

Liudmila and Alexandr remained the second ranked Soviet couple in 1968, close behind Grischkova-Ryshkin, but both couples enjoyed an almost "meteoric" rise in the rankings, becoming a force for the first time after only two years among the leading ice dancing nations. Pakhomova-Gorshkov were fifth in the European and sixth in the World Championships that year, just one place behind their compatriots in each instance.

The season 1968-69 was a significant one, both for ice dancing in general and for Pakhomova-Gorshkov in particular, for it was in that year that one of the four compulsory dances previously skated was replaced with an original set pattern dance. For the first two years, the dance was skated to a rhythm of the couple's own choosing, but beginning in 1970-71, the required rhythm to be skated each year has been specified by the ISU. For that first year, the rhythm was the Polka.

With their choreographic and interpretive skills, materially aided by their coach, Elena Chaikovskaya, herself a graduate of the State Theatrical Institute in choreography, as was Liudmila herself, the original set pattern dance was ideally suited for the talents of Pakhomova-Gorshkov and was a major factor in their continued success, culminating with their Tango Romantica of 1973-74, later adopted by the ISU as a compulsory dance.

With their compatriots Grischkova-Ryshkin having retired, Liudmila and Alexandr were now the Soviet champions and won the first medals in ice dancing for the Soviet Union in an ISU Championship, with a third place in the 1969 European and a second place in the World Championships, close behind the four time World Champions from Great Britain, Diane Towler and Bernard Ford.

Emerging on the scene that same year were the major competitors of Liudmila and Alexandr for the next four years: Angelika and Erich Buck of the Federal Republic of Germany, fourth in the 1969 Europeans, and Judy Schwomeyer and James Sladky of the USA, third in the 1969 Worlds.

In 1970, with Towler and Ford having retired, Liudmila and Alexandr won the European dance title, the first ISU Championship in ice dancing for the Soviet Union, appropriately enough in their home country, at Leningrad, in what was only the second ISU Championship ever held in the Soviet Union. They defeated the Bucks by unanimous decision, with Tatiana Voituk and Viacheslav Zhigalin, gaining the bronze and second medal for the USSR. Liudmila and Alexandr also received what was probably their first "perfect" mark (of 6.0) in free dancing from one judge.

The most significant championship of their career, even including the later Olympic win, was undoubtedly the 1970 World Championship in Ljubljana, Yugoslavia. With the title open by reason of the retirement of the defending champions, all the aspiring couples placed immediately behind them the prior year would be challenging on virtually an equal basis for the coveted gold medal. When the protocol for the Championship is examined, the closeness of the competition is readily evident. Pakhomova-Gorshkov lost the compulsory dances, which included the original set pattern dance, to Schomeyer-Sladky by the narrow margin of 11 total ordinals to 12 of the majority for second place (there being two ties among the nine judges and therefore no majority for first place.) The Bucks placed third, with two second places.

The free dance was equally as close, being won by Pakhomova-Gorshkov by a majority of five judges to four, thereby winning the gold medal and the first World Championship in ice dancing for the Soviet Union by the same margin, with the Bucks a close third. While total points are no longer used in determining the result and were not a factor in the ultimate decision in 1970, they are illustrative of the closeness of the competition: Pakhomova-Gorshkov 511.4; Schwomeyer-Sladky 511.3; and Buck-Buck 503.2.

The same three couples were to occupy the podium for three years altogether at the World Championships (1970-72), with the Bucks placing second in 1971 and 1972, with Liudmila and Alexandr retaining their title in both years again by close margins.

It was in 1972, that one of two setbacks in the career of Pakhomova-Gorshkov occurred, when they were unexpectedly defeated in the European Championships at Gothenburg, Sweden by the Bucks essentially by virtue of a clear victory in free dancing for the German couple, following a close win in the compulsory dances by them. As we have seen before, Liudmila and Alexandr quickly turned the the tables on their conquerors in the subsequent World Championship, primarily by reason of an outstanding Samba in the original set pattern dance, a rhythm well suited for their styles and skills. The defeat in the 1972 Europeans was the only one suffered by the Soviet couple after 1969 until their retirement in 1976.

It is not an overstatement to say that the level of performance and closeness of the competition between the same three medalists probably represents a standard of competition that was not achieved before and has not been seen since!

In 1973, with Schwomeyer-Sladky having retired, the battle between the Soviet and German couples continued, both in the European Championship at Cologne and in the World Championship at Bratislava, but this time the margin of victory was wider by virtue of an outstanding free dance, for which Pakhomova-Gorshkov earned a total of six "perfect" marks (6.0) in Worlds and one in Europeans, with the Bucks still close behind.

In 1974, with the original set pattern dance rhythm being the Tango, as previously noted, Pakhomova-Gorshkov probably reached their peak, earning in the free dance no less than ten marks of 6.0 in the Europeans and eight in the Worlds, an unprecedented number for that time, but perhaps a forerunner of the "shower" of perfect marks to follow since them.

Liudmila and Alexandr's competition now included Hilary Green and Glyn Watts of Great Britain, second in both ISU Championships in 1974 and their compatriots Natalia Linichuk and Gennadi Karponosov, later World and Olympic Champions and Irina Moiseeva and Andrei Minenkov, later twice World Champions.

In 1975, the second setback of their career occurred, when, after retaining their European title at Copenhagen, Liudmila and Alexandr were forced to withdraw at the last minute from the World Championships at Colorado Springs, due to the illness of Alexandr. The vacant title went to Moiseeva-Minenkov, with Colleen O'Connor and Jim Millns of the USA taking the silver medal, followed by Green and Watts with the bronze.

With ice dancing having been accepted in 1974 as a medal sport, to be competed for



the first time in the 1976 Olympic Winter Games at Innsbruck, any thoughts of retirement for Pakhomova-Gorshkov were inevitably put on hold until after the 1975-76 season. Not having competed in the prior year's Worlds, made the Olympic year a much greater challenge for them than 1970 had been, as is always the case with defending (World) champions and prohibitive favorites.

In the European Championship of 1976 at Geneva, Pakhomova-Gorshkov met the challenge squarely, with a decisive win over Moiseeva-Minenkov, the current World titleholders, and Linichuk-Karponosov, for a Soviet sweep of the medals for the first time, while earning in the process two perfect marks in the original set pattern dance (the Rhumba) and three in free dancing.

At the 1976 Olympic Winter Games in Innsbruck, the pre-eminence of the perennial champions was readily evident right from the first compulsory dance, resulting at the end in a unanimous first place decision by the judges. Moiseeva-Minenkov were a solid second, followed by O'Connor-Millns, who edged out Linichuk-Karponosov for the bronze medal.

In their final competition in the World Championships at Gothenburg (where they had lost to the Bucks four years before), Pakhomova-Gorshkov finished their competitive careers on a truly high note with another unanimous win, including two perfect marks in the Rhumba and no less than ten in free dancing. The other medal winners were again Moiseeva-Minenkov and O'Connor-Millns.

Following their retirement, it was natural for Liudmila, with her own early education and training to begin a career as a choreographer and coach, which was promising right from the beginning. After the birth of a daughter to her and Alexandr in 1977, she was appointed head of the Department of Sports Choreographers of the Theater Arts Institute in Moscow. At the same time, Alexandr began work within the USSR Skating Federation, as well as a judge and referee.

Unfortunately, fate delivered an unkind blow to Liudmila and Alexandr when she contracted leukemia, which, after several periods of remission, caused her untimely death in 1986 at the age of thirty-nine.

Alexandr has continued his career in the federation, and was elected in 1984 first member of the Ice Dance Technical Committee of the International Skating Union, a position in which he continues to serve as a worthy successor to another World Champion in ice dancing (the first), Lawrence Demmy, MBE of Great Britain, a former member and Chairman of the same committee and now an ISU Council member, and himself a member of the Hall of Fame.

Liudmila Pakhomova and Alexandr Gorshkov made an enormous contribution to ice dancing, and he continues to do so as a member of its governing committee. With their choreographic skills and training, they brought to the discipline many new techniques, while embodying in their program and putting onto the ice the essence of Russian classical and national dance. The Tango Romantica is but one part of their legacy, for they were always exemplary champions and sportsmen, both on and off the ice and a credit to their sport. They will long be remembered for their outstanding performances.

Pakhomova and Gorshkov were elected to the World Figure Skating Hall of Fame in 1988.



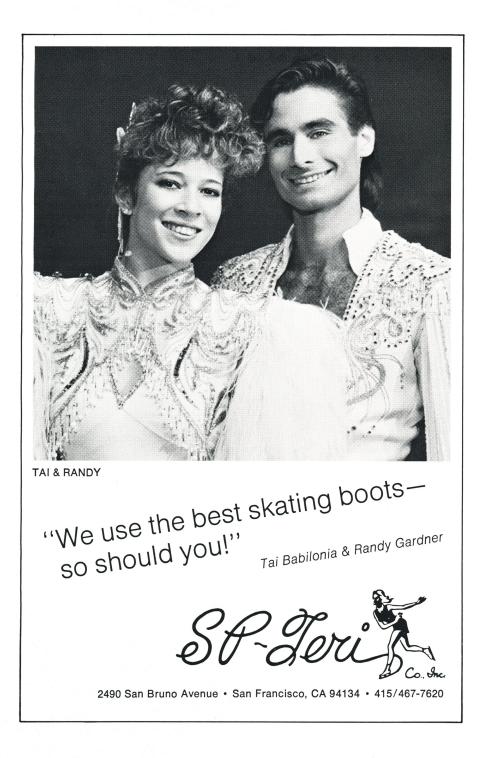
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LOOKING BACK

10 Years Ago - 1979

Linda Fratianne regained the World title she had lost the previous year to Anett Pötzsch, GDR. Tai Babilonia and Randy Gardner won the pair's title at the World Championships in Vienna, breaking a fourteen-year Russian dominance. Peter and Karol Kernedy (1950) are the only other Americans to ever win the World pair title.

20 Years Ago - 1969

The World Championships were held in Colorado Springs, Colorado at the Broadmoor. Tim Wood won his first of two consecutive World titles in the men's competition. Irina Rodnina of the USSR with her first partner, Alexsei Ulanov, won her first of ten consecutive pair's titles. The Russians made a clean sweep of the pair's medals. Judy Schwomeyer and James Sladky won the bronze medal in dance, their first of four World medals.

30 Years Ago - 1959

The World Championships were held at the Broadmoor. David Jenkins won his third consecutive men's title, the last in a string of twelve straight U.S. men's champions. Tim Brown of the U.S. took the bronze. Carol Heiss won her fourth of five World titles, and Ron and Nancy Ludington won the bronze medal in pairs. The U.S. rounded out a medal in every division with Andrée Anderson and Donald Jacoby winning the silver in dance.

40 Years Ago - 1949

Dick Button won his second of five World titles in Paris and Yvonne Sherman (Tutt) won the silver medal in ladies. U.S. pair skaters won two medals in the World championships: Peter and Karol Kennedy the silver, and Ann Davies and Carleton Hoffner, the bronze. Ice dancing was not yet a World Championship event.

50 Years Ago - 1939

Hedy Stenuf won the only medal for the U.S., a silver in ladies, at the World Championships in Budapest. Due to the ensuing war, this would be the last Worlds to be held until 1947.

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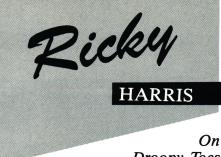
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Droopy Toes Part II

There is a position in Ballet in which you hold your feet in a particular manner in order to perform exercises to help the toes turn out. This position is called "Sur le cou-de-pied." Literally translated, this means "on the neck of the foot." The neck of the foot is the part of the foot between the ankle and the base of the calf.

Sur le cou-de-pied front is the position of one foot placed on the ankle of the other foot, so that the heel protrudes in front of the supporting leg. The knee of the raised leg is bent and turned outward toward the side, the heel of the working foot is placed above the ankle bone. The sole, with instep stretched out and toes pointed, encircles the ankle so that the pointed toes are behind the ankle of the supporting leg.

Sur le cou-de-pied back is the same position of the foot, but the heel of the working foot is placed behind the supporting foot with the toes pointing away. I have found this a very valuable position to train the foot to be "turned up" when it is in an extension such as a camel spin or spiral.

Exercise #1

Hold on to the back of a chair or barre. Place the working foot in *sur le cou-de-pied* in front of the support foot. Feel the stretch of the instep. Relax the working foot on the floor and then quickly place it again in the *sur le cou-de-pied* position front. Do this several times until you understand this position and can place it immediately.

Exercise #2

Place the working foot in *sur le coup-depied* position in back. Relax the working foot and then replace in the position. Repeat until you get the correct position quickly.

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OSGOOD-SCHLATTER'S DISEASE

by Mahlon A. Bradley, M.D.

Knee injuries are the most common injuries in young skaters. Thirty-seven percent of skaters polled at the 1986 Sectional Championships reported knee injuries that required medical attention. Other members of the USFSA Sports Medicine Committee have discussed knee injuries in previous Sports Medicine Briefs. This article will discuss one particular disease of the knee commonly found in active young athletes, along with the symptoms, the cause, and the treatment of the disease.

With the current concern with young athletes attempting more and more technically demanding jumps, lifts, throws, and other maneuvers, Osgood-Schlatter's disease is a case in point that physicians caring for young athletes must be familiar with the development and growth of young bones and muscles. A young athlete's knee is quite different from an adult knee and handles the stresses and strains placed upon it differently than in an adult knee. A young athlete's knee as viewed from the side is compared with an adult knee in Figure 1.

The ligament that straightens the knee connects the knee cap (the patella) to the bony prominence of the tibia called the tibial tubercle. As a child, the tibial tubercle develops in four stages with Osgood-Schlatter's disease occurring in the second stage. Figure 1 depicts a child's knee in stage two of the tibial tubercle. Between the bony parts of the developing tibia is cartilage. It is this cartilage that makes the young knee so different from the adult knee and vulnerable to injury.

The Symptoms: Athletes with Osgood-Schlatter's disease are usually nine to fifteen years old and more likely to be boys than girls. The left knee is more frequently involved than the right. The pain comes and goes, and usually has been there several months before the skater finds it so nagging that it prompts a visit to the doctor. The pain is worse with bending the knee on jump takeoffs and landings, sit spins, or running up and down stairs.

When the coach or doctor examines the skater, the prominence on the front of the tibia (the tubercle) is swollen and tender. The pain can be reproduced by straightening the knee against resistance.

The Cause: Osgood-Schlatter's disease was first described in 1891, but was explained more completely by Osgood and Schlatter in separate articles. Each author felt the cause was trauma to the young knee and was associated with athletic participation. Further studies of the disease by more recent scientists have agreed with Osgood and Schlatter and have suggested that the disease is a fracture (a break) through the young athlete's cartilage due to repetitive pulling on the developing tibial tubercle by the patellar ligament.

The Treatment: The goal of the treatment is to ease the pain. A short period (5 to 7 days) of restricted activity (no jumping, sit spins, stair climbing) may be sufficient.

Some pediatric orthopaedic surgeons may advise early casting of the leg for three to four weeks. It is felt that early casting may reduce the overall duration of symptoms.

If the symptoms are severe enough to affect normal day-to-day activities, then a cylinder cast may be advised for as long as six to eight weeks. After casting, quadriceps muscle strengthening and stretching exercises will be necessary prior to resuming full athletic activities.

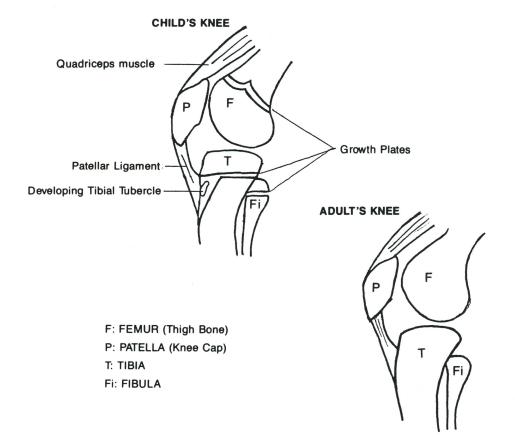
Surgery should *not* be recommended for this disease when the skater's bones are still developing. Only after the growth plates have closed and *only* if symptoms still persist should surgery be considered. Also *not* recommended is the injection of steroids into the patellar ligament. Steroid injections may lead to the destruction of the ligament and/or to the skin over the ligament.

Untreated Osgood-Schlatter's Disease: The untreated skater with Osgood-Schlatter's disease may go on to form extra bone (an ossicle) on the front of the knee at the level of the tibial tubercle. This may become quite tender, swollen, and painful. After the growth plates have closed, a symptomatic ossicle may be surgically removed to relieve the pain.

Prevention: Although the overall outcome of treated Osgood-Schlatter's disease is excellent, it is my belief that this disease can be prevented from occurring at all. I agree wholeheartedly with Dr. Angela Smith's statement that "careful coaching, a gradual increase in training hours and intensity, and emphasis on progressive improvement of muscle strength and flexibility are the best

ammunition against the development of overuse injuries." (See June 1988 Skating, page 18.) Education of coaches, trainers, parents, and skaters about the differences in children's bones and muscles is necessary to prevent overuse injuries such as Osgood-Schlatter's disease. Persistent nagging knee pain in the young skater should be evaluated by a physician with an in-depth knowledge of children's bones and muscles.

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SOUTHWEST PACIFICS

The 1989 Southwest Pacific Champions were held November 15 to 20, 1988, in Burbank, California, hosted by the Los Angeles Figure Skating Club. Complete results appeared in the January issue of *Skating*.

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SENIOR MEN (L to R) Troy Goldstein, Second; Christopher Mitchell, First.



SENIOR LADIES (L to R) Rosanna Tovi, Second; Tamara Kuchiki, First; Cindy Bortz, Fourth; Karen Terry, Third.



SENIOR PAIRS (L to R) Bob Pellaton & Kellie Creel, Second; Kenna Bailey & John Denton, First.



JUNIOR MEN (L to R) John Baldwin, Second; Alex Chang, First; Christopher Beck, Fourth; Richard Alexander, Third.



JUNIOR LADIES (L to R) Lisa Szytel, Second; Natasha Kuchiki, First; Tristen Vega, Fourth; Jennifer Davidson, Third.



JUNIOR PAIRS (L to R) Troy Goldstein & Dawn Goldstein, Second; Richard Alexander & Natasha Kuchiki, First; Cristina Palmieri & Casper Young, Third; Brandee Marvin & Christopher Beck, Fourth.



JUNIOR DANCE (L to R) Stephen Lauman & Dana Schneider, Second; Jay Barton & Kara Berger, First; Ashley Stevenson & Dewayne Browning, Third; Tiffany Gross & Robert Davis, Fourth.



NOVICE MEN (*L to R*) Casper Young, Second; Eddy Ziegler, First; Gregory Sciarotta, Fourth; Richard Wheelock, Third.



NOVICE LADIES (L to R) Tristan Colell, Second; Nicole Bobeck, First; Annie Holton, Fourth; Casey Link, Third.



NOVICE PAIRS (L to R) Bobby Brathwaite & Stephanie Stiegler, Second; Cristin Callaghan & Christopher Gaddis, First; Laura Probst & Douglas Durward, Third.



INTERMEDIATE MEN (L to R) B.J. Risnes, Second; Trifun Zivanovic, First; Kyle Madsen, Third.



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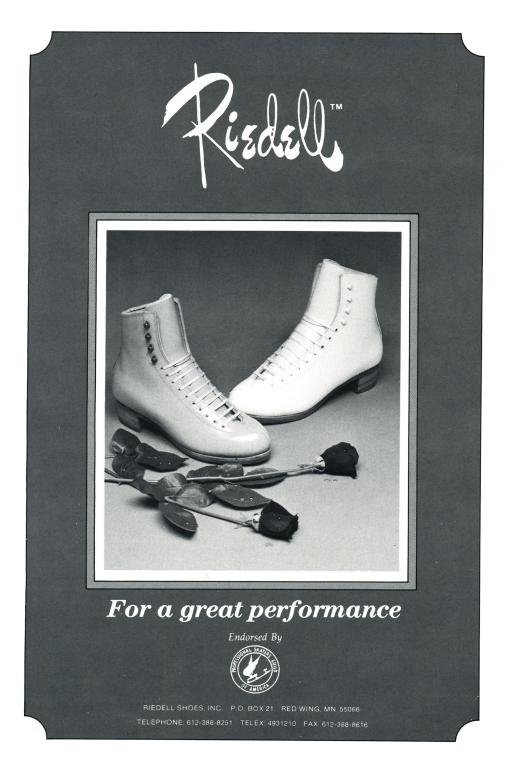
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1989 WEST GERMAN CHAMPIONSHIPS

by Dennis Bird

As it had in 1987, the West Berlin Ice Club once again hosted the West German National Championships December 15 to 17. Three of the titles changed hands, but in the ladies' event, Claudia Leistner won her fifth successive championship. She was never challenged seriously in any part of the event. Runner-up in the Worlds as long ago as 1983, she took fourth place in 1988 in Budapest. If she can keep her nerves under control and land her jumps in Birmingham at the Europeans and in Paris at the Worlds, additional international medals may be hers.

Other competitors had more mixed fortunes. Marina Kielmann, who had a fine Olympic season, was off form and could place no higher than fourth on figures and original programs. She could not hold the double Axel landing in the original program and despite a second-place finish in the long, she finished third overall. Patricia Neske, a German-American, took the silver medal.

Richard Zander also has a U.S. background. Berlin is a lucky city for him, for he won the German men's title the last time it was held there, when Heiko Fischer was injured. This year he regained it, though he needed his lead in figures and OP to do so. Daniel Weiss won the long and was second overall.

Another former winner to make a comeback was Stefan Pfrengle. He won pairs with an earlier partner in 1986, and this time won convincingly with Anuschka Gläser. Retirement of the former ice danc-

RUSSIANS DOMINATE '89 EUROPEANS

by Howard Bass

Great Britain's first European Championships for half a century were unusual-

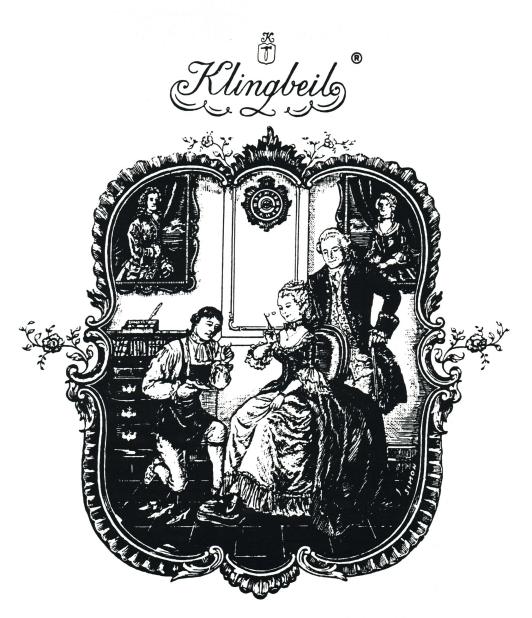


ing champions, Antonia and Ferdinand Becherer, left the way clear for last year's runners-up, Andrea Weppelmann and Hendryk Schamberger. Hendryk's parents were West German dance champions on roller skates in the 1960's.

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	CF	OP	FS		PLACES
1.	1	1	2	Richard Zander	3.0
2.	2	3	1	Daniel Weiss	3.6
З.	4	2	3	Oliver Dechert	5.8
4.	6	6	5	Iwo Svec	11.0
5.	7	4	6	Stefan Schröder	11.2
6.	3	5	7	Peter Fuchs	11.2
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	CF	OP	FS		PLACES
1.	1	1		Claudia Leistner	2.0
2.	2	3		Patricia Neske	5.6
3.	4	4		Marina Kielmann	6.0
4.	3	2		Carola Wolff	6.4
5.	14	5		Nicole Neujahr	13.6
6.	15	6	6	Constanze Jesse	15.6
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1.		1	1	Anuschka Gläser & Stefan	1.5
~		~	•	Pfrengle	3.0
2.		2	2	Sonja Adalbert & Daniele Caprano	3.0
3.		3	3	Heike Hack & Markus Korndörfer	4.5
4.		5	4	Tatiana Demovic & Holger Maletz	6.5
5.		4		Silvia Janson & Stefan Zins	7.0
DAI	NCE				
	CD	OSP	FD		PLACES
1.	1	2	1	Andrea Weppelmann & Hendryk Schamberger	2.6
2.	2	1	2	Petra Zietemann & Frank	3.4
				Ladd-Oshiro	
3.	3	4	3	Antonia Gavazzeni & Wolfgang Wetzler	6.6
4.	6	3		Saskia Stähler & Sven Authorsen	8.2
5.	4	5		Mirijam Stecker & Arne Bayer	9.6
6.	5	6	6	Barbara Liebewein & Roland Herres	11.6

ly staged on two portable rinks in Birmingham's spacious National Exhibition Centre. Ninety-nine skaters from twenty nations took part in the four events. Three titles went to the Soviet Union and the other to the Federal Republic of Germany.

Richard Zander of the Federal Republic of Germany won the men's figures, chased *Continued on page 42*



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SOUTH ATLANTICS

The South Atlantic Regional Championships, hosted by the Stone Mountain Figure Skating Club, were held in Stone Mountain, Georgia, November 11 to 19, 1988. Complete results appeared in the January issue of *Skating*.



SENIOR MEN (L to R) Jon Robinson, First; Keith Tindall, Second.

SENIOR LADIES (L to R) Andrea Catoia, Fourth; Jane Wick, Third; Lily Lee, First; Elizabeth Wright, Second.



SENIOR PAIRS (L to R) Pam Warters & Jeff Warters, Third; Calla Urbanski & Mark Naylor, First; Karen Courtland & David Goodman, Second.

SENIOR DANCE (L to R) Lisa Gove & Scott Myers, Third; Suzanne Semanick & Ron Kravette, First; Regina Woodward & Charles Sinek, Second.





JUNIOR MEN (L to R) Rick Alverson, Fourth; Pete Roberson, Third; Phillip DiGuglielmo, First; Colin Vander Veen, Second.

JUNIOR LADIES

(L to R) Samantha Larson, Fourth; Amy Schneider, Third; Geremi Weiss, First; Karen Ann Gooley, Second.





JUNIOR PAIRS (L to R) Troy West & Holly West, Fourth; Bill

Holly West, Fourth; Bill Brennan & Tiffany Bailey, Third; Aimee Offner & Brian Helgenberg, First; Scott Messmore & Robin Pilossoph, Second.



JUNIOR DANCE (L to R) James Curtis & Wendy Millette, First; Cheryl Demkowski & Jeff Czarnecki, Second.



ADULT MEN (L to R) Richard Schlueter, First; Andrew Norton, Second.



ADULT LADIES (L to R) Wanda Randall, Third; Janie Sheehy, First; Sharon Galloway, Second.



NOVICE PAIRS (L to R) Christina Fitzgerald & Mark Fitzgerald, Fourth; Jennifer Radcliffe & Robert Radcliffe, Third; Kara Paxton & Joseph Bracken, First;

Michelle Tilley & Jeffrey Tilley, Second.

INTERMEDIATE MEN

(L to R) Jeffrey Tilley, First; John Chambers, Second; Stephen Bidon, Third; Stephen Foy, Fourth; Bert Cording, Fifth.





INTERMEDIATE LADIES (L to R) Julie Peacock, Fourth; Meg Sagi, Third; Lisa Carbrera, First; Tyler

Fishman, Second.

INTERMEDIATE DANCE (L to R) Valerie White & Robert Cowhig, First; Susan Mounce & Kevin Elvin, Second; Tina Lai & Wayne Lai, Third.





Following the success of last year's totally sold-out tour of Olympic and World Figure Skating Champions, Tom Collins again has gathered the finest skaters in the world for a six-week tour of the United States, sponsored by Campbell's Soups.

There will be some changes in the roster of performers between the first three weeks and the second three weeks of the tour. 1988 Olympic and World medalists currently planned in the company include: Brian Boitano, Katarina Witt, Brian Orser, Ekatarina Gordeeva and Sergei Grinkov, Marina Klimova and Sergei Ponomarenko, and Tracy Wilson and Rob McCall to appear in all cities with Debi Thomas joining the company for the last three weeks.

From May 19 to June 4 the tour will include: Katarina Witt, Jill Trenary, Caryn Kadavy, Jeri Campbell, Brian Boitano, Brian Orser, Christopher Bowman, Paul Wylie, Kurt Browning, and Victor Petrenko. Also, Natalie and Wayne Seybold, Isabelle Brasseur and Lloyd Eisler, Larisa Selezneva and Sergei Makarov, Ekatarina Gordeeva and Sergei Grinkov, plus Susan Wynne and Joseph Druar, Isabelle and Paul Duchesnay, Tracy Wilson and Rob

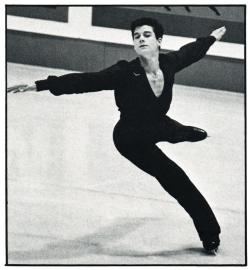


Ekaterina Gordeeva and Sergei Grinkov

McCall, Marina Klimova and Sergei Ponomarenko, and Karyn and Rod Garossino.

The tentative company for the June 6 to 26 tour will feature: Katarina Witt, Debi Thomas, Jill Trenary, Caryn Kadavy, Brian Boitano, Brian Orser, Christopher Bowman, Paul Wylie, Kurt Browning, Alexandr Fadeev, Natalie and Wayne Seybold, Isabelle Brasseur and Lloyd Eisler, Natalia Mishkutenok and Arthur Dmitriev, Elena Bechke and Denis Petrov, Susan Wynne and Joseph Druar, Isabelle and Paul Duchesnay, Tracy Wilson and Rob McCall, Natalia Annenko and Genrikh Sretenski, Karyn and Rod Garossino, and Maia Usova and Alexander Zhulin. (Company members are subject to change.) Please note: Debi Thomas will not be appearing in Houston, San Diego, Tacoma, and Portland.

Tickets will go on sale at different venues at different times. Many have already started. Ticket sales are expected to be brisk. Please check you local arena or ticket outlet agency. The schedule for the tour is on the next page.



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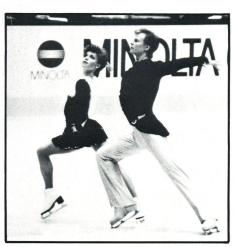
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The USFSA Basic Skills program was introduced in September 1985. Since that time, thousands of skaters nationwide have taken to the ice for the first time to learn to "Skate With U.S."

The new program was initially developed as a replacement for the older Basic Test program designed for and used only by USFSA clubs. "Skate With U.S." was planned as an expansion of basic in-



struction to the grass roots level for persons of all ages. Its goal was to provide comprehensive basic instruction with sequential development to assure success. This would create a greater awareness and participation in the sport and provide opportunities for instruction to a greater audience at all rinks beyond the club level. Where applicable, the program would prepare skaters for entry into the USFSA test structure and/or participation and membership in USFSA and club activities.

From the beginning the program was planned as an inexpensive methodology for teaching, and one with no prerequisites except the students' desire to learn and the instructors' desire to teach a high quality program.

The initial program was developed by John Simon of Rochester, New York, based on years of experience in England, Canada, and the U.S., under the direction of then president, George T. Yonekura. After the initial introduction and implementation met with a high degree of success, it was determined that minor revisions and additions were necessary to expand the program to better fill the needs of students, rinks, and clubs. Cindy Geltz, current chairman of the Basic Skills Committee, undertook the project, with USFSA President Hugh C. Graham, Jr., M.D. committing the USFSA resources needed for such expanded development.

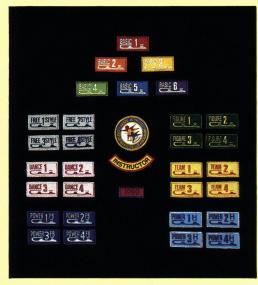
The new, revised *Basic Skills Program Instructor Manual* was introduced in the fall of 1988. Designed to assist instructors with specific skills at each level of the program, it outlines every element and provides notes and standards, test guidelines, and a comprehensive glossary. It also introduces a new aspect of the program requested by many rinks and clubs, "Guidelines for the Compete With U.S. Program."

The revised Skate With U.S. Administration Manual was sent in December 1988, to all 450 USFSA Clubs and 1,800 rinks across the country. Designed for use by skating directors who administer the Basic Skills program, the manual contains details on the registration process, program content, teaching methods, support materials available, and an initial promotional program. Administration Manuals are available from



the USFSA National Headquarters to any rink director or administrator.

Registration in the Basic Skills Program is up 200% over last year. The registration process is simple and fast; for only \$2 per person per year, each member receives a package containing all necessary "goodies" needed to get started: a Basic Skills Membership Card, Record Book with stickers, embroidered logo patch, embroidered year patch, and



a logo sticker. This package has been a great hit with youngsters.

Skating instructors may also register at \$2 and receive an "Instructor Package" which includes a membership card, Instructor Manual, embroidered logo patch, an instructor embroidered rocker, and a logo sticker.

It is important that skaters are registered for *only* registered participants skaters and instructors—are protected under the USFSA's third party liability insurance plan up to \$1,000,000 while they are participating in any Basic Skills skating activity.

Several new, easy-to-use and affordable support materials have been added to the "Skate With U.S." program. Attendance/test records have been combined into one form. Attractive wall charts allow directors to list student names and chart progress. Full-color brochures about the total program are available in quantities for distribution by each rink or club. Test badges, certificates of achievement, logo pins, and ribbons are also available for recognition and awards at various levels. All of these items are optional, but add high visibility to individual programs and are a great success with participants.

New, full-color posters, shown at the beginning of this article are also available. The "I Skate, You Can, Too" poster is designed with a wide bottom band for program administrators to add information on their own classes and programs. Displaying this poster throughout the community is sure-fire promotion at a low cost.

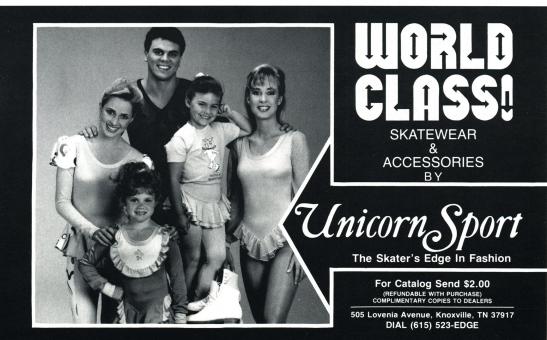
A second poster displays the official "Skate With U.S." badges, clearly showing the various levels and divisions of study that are available under the program. It has proven to be a high incentive builder at many rinks.

A new "Skate With U.S." video is now available for showing at the rink to potential beginning students as well as throughout the local community. Featuring Olympic and World gold medalist, Scott Hamilton, the eight-minute video outlines the different levels and disciplines available in the program. Target groups are physical education departments of area schools, social organizations, Scout troops, church groups, and even personnel departments of corporations who have recreation programs for employees.

The "Skate With U.S." program is spreading like wildfire across the country, accounting for record attendance at some rinks. Last year, during the '87-88 season, approximately 12,000 new Basic Skills members were registered. This year from September 1988 through January 1989, 16,000 new members have been registered in just five months, with continued registrations coming in daily. It is easily anticipated that over 20,000 new Basic Skills members will be registered this year, and registration may even double that of last year.

Now is the time for those who wish to start lessons to find out where the program is being offered in their area and for instructors or skating directors who wish additional information to contact Leslie Gamez, Basic Skills Administrator, at the USFSA National Headquarters. Call 719-635-5200 and

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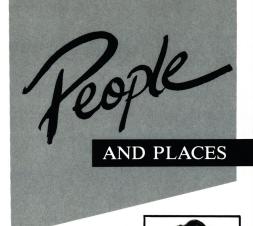


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SKATER REPORTED MISSING



Ilene Misheloff, a member of the St. Moritz Ice Skating Club in Dublin, California, has been reported as a missing person. The thirteen-year-old was last seen on Monday, January 30, walking home from school. She is 5'3" tall, 115 lbs., with dark brown hair and brown eyes. Ilene has braces on her teeth and was wearing a charcoal grey pull-over polo sweater, a horizontally striped pink and grey skirt, and black low-top Keds when she disappeared. She was also carrying a dark blue backpack.

Ilene recently placed third in a Pre-Juvenile Girls event at the Central Pacific Regional Championships, having won the figures. She is a dedicated skater, working on her Second Figure and Silver Dance Tests.

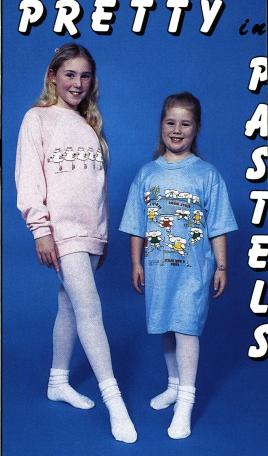
Readers wishing to participate in the search for Ilene may contribute to two special funds that have been set up to aid in her return:

> The Ilene Misheloff Search Fund P.O. Box 8500 Suite 285 Danville, CA 94526

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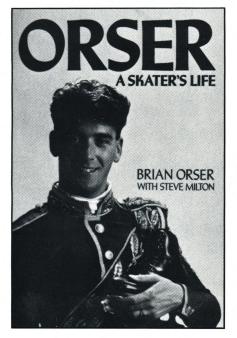
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Dr. Robert W. Buck: Mr. & Mrs. Benjamin T. Wright

Rob Burr: Kristi Hendrix

Barbara J. Carr: Charlotte FSC

Dr. Ko Kuei Chen: Creve Coeur FSC

Lee Cobb: Nelson & Harding

Vincent Dei Cas: Ice & Blades Club of Washington, PA

Peg Garren: Ardelle Sanderson

Jay Grabel: Franklin S. Nelson, M.D., Susan Burghart, J. Barlow Nelson, Marilyn Palik, Jean Paul, Mr. & Mrs. Sherman Smith, Will Smith, Margaret & Duke Weir

Charles H. Hallet: Winterhurst FSC

Nellie Jensen: Highland SC

Mrs. Lillian K. Lanese: Mr. & Mrs. George B. Ludlow, Jr.

Beatrice Van Cleve Lee: Curtis McGraw Foundation

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Dorothy Lucas: Howard Taylor

Doris Ludlow: Mrs. J.W. Varian

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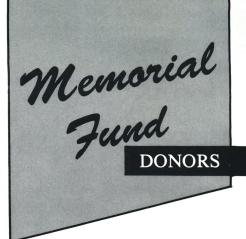
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Mr. & Mrs. F.W. Premer: Mr. & Mrs. Benjamin T. Wright

Helen Anderson Reichert: Mrs. J.W. Varian

Jennifer Ritter: Barbara Lee Bardin, Los Angeles FSC, Mary Roof



Alvin Robinson: Mr. & Mrs. Robert S. Bolton, Rossoni Animal Hospital

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Caroline Schiller: Jacque, Sundee & Kelly Witt

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Raymond Yeager: F. Ritter Shumway

Vince Yeager: Spokane FSC

Katherine Zerkel: Mr. & Mrs. Frederick C. LeFevre

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Tom Collins: John & June Klindworth, Mr. & Mrs. Joseph L. Serafine

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The Birthday of Tommy Dean: Lou & Shirley Sherman

The Wedding of Pam Howard & Bart Capuder: A. Margaret Capuder

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The Retirement of Lyman Wakefield: FSC of Minneapolis

The Retirement of Larry Weber: Sheila Mudd Baker, Ronald W. Chase, Friends with the Recreation Commission

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SENIOR MEN

JUDGES: A-Roger A. Glenn, Appleton, WI; B-Patricia J. Smart, Seattle, WA; C-Joan H. Gruber, Wyomissing, PA; D-Hal E. Marron, Jr., Phoenix, AZ; E-Morry Stillwell, Malibu, CA; F-Doris T. Heinold, Wellesley Hills, MA; G-Dr. William T. Suggs, Ada, MI; H-Steve Winkler, Copalis Beach, WA; I-Monty Hoyt, Bernardsville, NJ. REFEREE: Joseph D. Driano, Edmonds, WA. ASSISTANT REFEREE: Bette Snuggerud, Minnetonka, MN. ACCOUNTANT: Dr. Byron C. Chan, Rancho Palos Verdes, CA.

	CF	OP	FS		PLACES
1.	4	1	1	Christopher Bowman, Los Angeles FSC	3.2
2.	1	2	5	Daniel Doran, Colorado SC	6.6
3.	6	4	2	Paul Wylie, SC of Boston	6.8
4.	8	3	3	Erik Larson, Overlake FSC	8.0
5.	3	5	4	Todd Eldredge, San Diego FSC	8.2
6.	7	6	6	Angelo D'Agostino, Broadmoor SC	12.4
7.	2	8	7	James Cygan, Broadmoor SC	12.6
8.	9	7	8	Mark Mitchell, SC of Hartford	15.8
9.	5	10	10	Doug Mattis, SC of Lake Placid	18.0
10.	13	9	9	Craig Heath, St. Moritz ISC	19.6
11.	14	12	11	Aren Nielsen, Silver Blades FSC of Kansas City	23.8
12.	11	11	13	Steven Rice, SC of New York	24.0
13.	12	13	14	Troy Goldstein, Los Angeles FSC	26.6
14.	15	15	12	Jon Robinson, Stone Mountain FSC	27.0
15.	10	14	15	Christopher Mitchell, Los Angeles FSC	27.4

SENIOR LADIES

JUDGES: A-Dr. Lori Dunn, Harrisburg, PA; B-Shirley M. Hage, St. Paul, MN; C-Janet R. McLeod, Norwalk, CA; D-Anne H. Gerli, New York, NY; E-Shirley Sherman, Wilmette, IL; F-Ida S. Tateoka, South Jordan, UT; G-Susan A. Johnson, Atlanta, GA; H-Bonnie McLauthlin, Denver, CO; I-Reiko Seger, Portland, OR. REFEREE: Charles U. Foster,* Duxbury, MA. ASSISTANT REFEREE: Dorothy G. Dodson, Alexandria, VA. ACCOUNTANT: Paul J. Kreppel,* Williamsville, NY.

	CF	OP	FS		PLACES			
1.	1	1	2	Jill Trenary, Broadmoor SC	3.0			
2.	8	2	1	Kristi Yamaguchi, St. Moritz ISC	5.4			
3.	4	3	3	Tonya Harding, Portland ISC	6.4			
4.	3	4	4	Holly Cook, Utah FSC	7.6			
5.	7	5	5	Nancy Kerrigan, Colonial FSC	10.8			
6.	5	7	8	Kelly Szmurlo, Greater Milwaukee FSC	14.2			
7.	6	10	6	Cindy Bortz, Los Angeles FSC	14.4			
8.	11	8	7	Tonia Kwiatkowski, Winterhurst FSC	16.2			
9.	10	9	9	Tracey Damigella, SC of New York	18.4			
10.	13	11	10	Jenni Meno, Winterhurst FSC	21.8			
11.	9	12	12	Jennifer Leng, SC of Boston	22.8			
12.	12	13	11	Kathaleen Kelly, SC of Lake Placid	23.6			
13.	14	14	13	Kathryn Curielli, FSC of Minneapolis	27.0			
Jeri	Jeri Campbell, Los Angeles FSC, withdrew							

SENIOR PAIRS

JUDGES: A-Betty Sonnhalter, Seal Beach, CA; B-R.A. Glenn; C-Dr. L. Dunn; D-Eleanor Curtis, Granada Hills, CA; E-Matthew H. Zats, St. Paul, MN; F-Nancy C. Steffen, Southampton, NY; G-Marilyn Whelan, Castro Valley, CA; H-H.E. Marron, Jr. I-Marie Pearce, Atlanta, GA. REFEREE: B. Snuggerud. ASSISTANT REFEREE: Walter H. Lupke, Jr., Fort Wayne, IN. ACCOUNTANT: Patricia S. Hunt, Barrington, IL.

	OP	FS		PLACES
1.	2	1	Kristi Yamaguchi & Rudi Galindo, St. Mortiz ISC	2.0
2.	1	2	Natalie Seybold, University of Delaware SC &	2.5
			Wayne Seybold, Fort Wayne ISC	
3.	3	3	Katy Keeley & Joseph Mero, Mesa Verde FSC	4.5
4.	4		Sharon Carz & Doug Williams, All Year FSC	6.0
5.	6		Calla Urbanski & Mark Naylor, University of Delaware SC	8.0
6.	5	6	Kenna Bailey, Utah FSC & John Denton, Arctic Blades FSC	8.5
7.	7	7	Kellie Creel, Los Angeles FSC & Bob Pellaton, La Jolla FSC	10.5
8.	8	8	Elaine Asanakis, University of Delaware SC &	12.0
			Joel McKeever, Dallas FSC	
9.	9		Paula Visingardi & Jason Dungjen, Detroit SC	13.5
10.	11		Ginger Tse & Archie Tse, University of Delaware SC	15.5
11.	10	11	Maria Lako, University of Delaware SC & Rocky Marvel,	16.0
			SC of New York	
12.	12		Shelly Propson, Detroit SC & Scott Wendland, All Year FSC	18.0
13.	13	13	Wendy Weston, Yarmouth IC & Alexander Enzmann,	19.5
			La Jolla FSC	
14.	13	15	Shanda Smith, Detroit SC & Brandon Smith,	21.5
			University of Delaware SC	
15.	16	14	Julianne Thompson, Centennial SC & Brian Geddeis,	22.0
			FSC of Rockford	
16.	15	16	Pamela Warters, Charlotte FSC & Jeff Warters,	23.5
			University of Delaware SC	

SENIOR DANCE

JUDGES: A-Bette Todd, Indianapolis, IN; B-Ann Greenthal, New York, NY; C-Jean Robinson, San Leandro, CA; D-Lester M. Cramer, M.D., Colorado Springs, CO; E-Mary Louise Wright, Belmont, MA; F-Margaret H. Freepartner, Elma, WA; G-Virginia F. LeFevre, Williamsburg, VA; H-Robert J. Horen, Wynnewood, PA; I-A. Jim Larkin III, Salt Lake City, UT. REFEREE: B.T. Wright. ASSISTANT REFEREE: W.H. Lupke, Jr. ACCOUNTANT: Michael Wolek, Laurel, MD.

	CD	OSP	FD		PLACES		
1.	1	1	1	Susan Wynne, Broadmoor SC & Joseph Druar, Seattle SC	2.0		
2.	2	2	2	April Sargent & Russ Witherby, University of Delaware SC	4.0		
3.	3	3	3	Suzanne Semanick, University of Delaware SC & Ron Kravette, Los Angeles FSC	6.0		
4.	5	5	4	Jeanne Miley & Michael Verlich, Los Angeles FSC	9.0		
5.	6	6		Elizabeth McLean, SC of Boston & Ari Lieb, Babson FSC	11.0		
6.	7	7	6	Jodie Balogh & Jerod Swallow, Broadmoor SC	13.0		
7.	8	8	7	Tracy Sniadach, SC of Wilmington & Leif Erickson, Los Angeles FSC	15.0		
8.	10	9	8	Elizabeth Punsalan, Los Angeles FSC & Shawn Rettstatt, Broadmoor SC	17.4		
9.	9	10	9	Dorothi Rodek & Robert Nardozza, Lone Star FSC	18.6		
10.	11	12	11	Lisa Grove, Pittsburgh FSC & Scott Myers, University of Delaware SC	22.6		
11.	13	13	10		23.0		
12.	12	11	12	Jennifer Benz & Jeffrey Benz, Detroit SC	23.4		
13.	14	14	13	Jennifer Goolsbee, Detroit SC & James Schilling, Seattle SC	27.0		
14.	15	15	14	Tiffany Veltre, Arctic Blades FSC & Duane Greenleaf, Los Angeles FSC	29.0		
Ren	Renee Roca & James Yorke, Broadmoor SC, withdrew						

JUNIOR MEN

JUDGES: A–E. Curtis; B–S.M. Hage; C–M. Hoyt; D–J.R. McLeod; E–S. Sherman; F–Carole L. Ludlow, Kent, CT; G–R. Seger; H–Joy Cunningham, Hudson, OH; I–Ann T. Fauver, Gorham, ME. REFEREE: J.D. Driano. ASSISTANT REFEREE: D.G. Dodson. ACCOUNTANT: Dr. B.C. Chan.

	CF	OP	FS		PLACES
1.	1	1	1	Shepherd Clark, Broadmoor SC	2.0
2.	6	2	3	Colin Vander Veen, Atlanta FSC	6.6
3.	3	4	4	John Baldwin, Jr., Los Angeles FSC	7.6
4.	5	7	2	Scott Davis, Lakewood WC	8.2
5.	2	3	6	Gig Siruno, Lake Minnetonka FSC	8.6
6.	4	6	7	Alex Chang, Los Angeles FSC	12.2
7.	12	8	5	Michael Chack, SC of Rockland, New York	14.6
8.	10	5	8	Phillip DiGuglielmo, Philadelphia SC & HS	15.0
9.	8	9	10	Richard Sears, Colonial FSC	18.6
10.	11	10	9	Richard Alexander, Los Angeles FSC	19.4
11.	7	11	11	Tommy Jasper, Skokie Valley SC	20.4
12.	9	12	12	Brian Schmidt, St. Paul FSC	22.8

JUNIOR LADIES

JUDGES: A-A.J. Larkin III; B-N.C. Steffen; C-M.H. Zats; D-E. Curtis; E-J.H. Gruber; F-R.A. Glenn; G-B. Sonnhalter; H-M.L. Wright; I-Glennace L. Cohen, Castle Rock, CO. REFEREE: W.H. Lupke, Jr. ASSISTANT REFEREE: B. Snuggerud. ACCOUNTANT: P.S. Hunt.

	CF	OP	FS		PLACES
1.	3	2	1	Kyoko Ina, SC of New York	3.4
2.	2	5	2	Jessica Mills, Los Angeles FSC	5.8
3.	6	1	3	Tisha Walker, Conejo Valley FSC	6.0
4.	4	3	4	Geremi Weiss, Washington FSC	7.4
5.	1	4	5	Robyn Petroskey, St. Paul FSC	 7.8
6.	5	6	8	Dawn Duhamel, SC of Boston	13.6
7.	9	8	6	Stacy Rutkowski, Skokie Valley SC	14.4
8.	8	12	7	Berkley Villard, Lilac FSC	17.4
9.	7	7	11	Cameryn McCoy, Pilgrim SC	18.0
10.	12	10	9	Meredith Vaughan, Broadmoor SC	19.8
11.	10	11	10	Alice Claeys, Braemar-City of Lakes FSC	20.6
12.	11	9	12	Natasha Kuchiki, Los Angeles FSC	21.8

JUNIOR PAIRS

JUDGES: A–J.H. Gruber; B–L.M. Cramer, M.D.; C–M. Stillwell; D–R.J. Horen; E–B. Todd; F–A.J. Larkin III; G–M. Pearce; H–V.F. LeFevre; I–S. Winkler. REFEREE: D.G. Dodson. ASSISTANT REFEREE: C.U. Foster.* ACCOUNTANT: M. Wolek.

	OP	FS		PLACES
1.	1	1	Jennifer Heurlin & John Frederiksen, Broadmoor SC	1.5
2.	2	2	Natasha Kuchiki & Richard Alexander, Los Angeles FSC	3.0
3.	3	3	Ann-Marie Wells & Brian Wells, SC of Wilmington	4.5
4.	4	4	Angela Deneweth, Detroit SC & John Liotta, Providence FSC	6.0
5.	6	5	Susan Purdy, Detroit SC & Scott Chiamulera,	8.0
			Eagle River SC	
6.	7	6	Paula Losinger & Kenneth Benson, Peninsula FSC	9.5
7.	5	7	Jocelyn Cox, FSC of Madison & Brad Cox,	9.5
			University of Delaware SC	
8.	8	8	Aimee Offner & Brian Helgenberg,	12.0
			University of Delaware SC	
9.	9	9	Dawn Goldstein & Troy Goldstein, Los Angeles FSC	13.5
10.	11	10	Dawn Piepenbrink, All Year FSC & Tim Dever, Arizona FSC	15.5
11.	10	11	Hilary Olney & Steven Moore, Dallas FSC	16.0
12.	12	12	Tiffany Bailey & Bill Brennan, SC of Florida	18.0

JUNIOR DANCE

JUDGES: A-C.L. Ludlow; B-P.J. Smart; C-J. Cunningham; D-R.J. Horen; E-M. Whelan; F-M.H. Zats; G-A. Greenthal; H-M.H. Freepartner; I-G.L. Cohen. REFEREE: B.T. Wright. ASSISTANT REFEREE: W.H. Lupke, Jr. ACCOUNTANT: P.J. Kreppel.*

	CD	OSP	FD		PLACES
1.	1	1	1	Rachel Mayer & Peter Breen, SC of Boston	2.0
2.	3	2	2	Wendy Millette, SC of Boston & James Curtis, Wissahickon SC	4.4
3.	4	3	3	Jeannine Jones & Michael Shroge, Winterhurst FSC	6.4
4.	2	5	4	Ann-Morton Neale, SC of Wilmington & Laurence Shaffer, Seattle SC	7.8
5.	5	4	5	Kara Berger, Los Angeles FSC & Jay Barton, Arctic Blades FSC	9.4
6.	6	7	5	Elisa Curtis, Wissahickon SC & Neale Smull, Peninsula FSC	11.6
7.	8	6	7	Krista Schulz, Port Huron FSC & Jonathan Stine, Broadmoor SC	13.8
8.	7	8	8	Andrea Chow & Martin Chow, SC of Morris	15.6
9.	9	9	9	Katherine Williamson & Ben Williamson, Broadmoor SC	18.0
10.	11	10	10	Lesle Lane & Rob Ferendo, WC of Indianapolis	20.4
11.	10	11	11	Rachel Lane, Pittsburgh FSC & Eric Meier, SC of New York	21.6
12.	12	12	12	Dana Schneider, Arctic Blades FSC & Stephen Laumann, Los Angeles FSC	24.0

NOVICE MEN

JUDGES: A-S.A. Johnson; B-M. Stillwell; C-H.E. Marron, Jr.; D-N.C. Steffen; E-S. Winkler; F-L.M. Cramer, M.D.; G-D.T. Heinold; H-I.S. Tateoka; I-W.T. Suggs. REFEREE: B. Snuggerud. ASSISTANT REFEREE: C.U. Foster.* ACCOUNTANT: M. Wolek.

	CF	FS		PLACES
1.	4	2	Philip R. Dulebohn, Baltimore FSC	6.0
2.	3	4	Michael Weiss, Washington FSC	7.0
З.	5	3	Todd Gairrett, SC of Wilmington	8.0
4.	1	8	Clay Sniteman, Utah FSC	9.0
5.	10	1	John Frederiksen, Broadmoor SC	11.0
6.	2	11	Michael Gricus, Rocky Mountain FSC	13.0
7.	9	6	Gregory Sciarrotta, Jr., Mesa Verde FSC	15.0
8.	8	7	David J. Delago, St. Moritz ISC	15.0
9.	6	9	Eric Bohnstedt, Broadmoor SC	15.0
10.	12	5	Ryan Hunka, Winterhurst FSC	17.0
11.	7	10	Jeff Merica, Bowie FSC	17.0
12.	11	12	Darren Ehrenburg, St. Moritz ISC	23.0

NOVICE LADIES

JUDGES: A–J.R. McLeod; B–Dr. L. Dunn; C–B. McLauthlin; D–J. Robinson; E–A.T. Fauver; F–S. Sherman; G–R. Seger; H–A.H. Gerli; I–S.M. Hage. REFEREE: D.G. Dodson. ASSIST-NT REFEREE: W.H. Lupke, Jr. ACCOUNTANT: P.S. Hunt.

		CF	FS		PLACES
	1.	2	3	Casey Link, Las Vegas FSC	5.0
	2.	5	1	Nicole Bobek, All Year FSC	6.0
	3.	3	4	Danielle Olthoff, FSC of Minneapolis	7.0
	4.	4	6	Kirstin Stoll, Rocky Mountain FSC	10.0
	5.	9	2	Shanel Mayeshiro, Peninsula FSC	11.0
	6.	7	5	Amanda Farkas, SC of Boston	12.0
	7.	1	11	Shannon Smith, Utah FSC	12.0
	8.	6	7	Stephanie Hillstrom, FSC of Minneapolis	13.0
	9.	8	8	Janet Hoschek, SC of New York	16.0
1	10.	10	9	Denise Long, Rochester FSC	19.0
1	11.	12	10	Jennifer Frank, SC of Boston	22.0
-	12.	11	12	Kara Ullom, Atlanta FSC	23.0





(Left to right) Vladimir Petrenko, along with older brother Victor Petrenko and coach Galina Zmievskaia, were all in Portland, Maine, for the 1988 Skate America.

The Dynamic Duo by Gerri Walbert Similarities are also

n the wake of détente and *perestroika*, the United States is pursuing a better understanding with the Soviet Union. However, figure skating has always been a common denominator for international relations between the two countries.

We have admired the balletic beauty of the Protopopovs, the strength and power of Irina Rodnina and Aleksandr Zaitzev, and the timeless grace of Marina Klimova and Sergei Ponomarenko.

The latest duo to capture the imagination of the Americans on the international scene is not a pairs or dance team, but brothers, namely, Victor and Vladimir Petrenko.

Both skate in men's singles and both have won the men's title at the World Junior Figure Skating Championships— Victor in 1984 and Vladimir two years later in 1986. Similarities are also evident in their classically oriented styles, a direct result of their off-ice ballet training. Victor is the elder of the two, born June 27, 1969 in Odessa, one of the chief ports of the Soviet Union located on the Black Sea in the Ukraine.

He started skating at age seven and has been with his present coach Galina Zmievskaia for the past ten years. He laughs shyly when told that his handsome blond looks resemble former Canadian now Los Angeles hockey star Wayne Gretzky.

"Maybe Wayne Grezky looks like him," replies Zmievskaia with a protective, yet wide smile. It is clear she is very proud of her student, and why not?

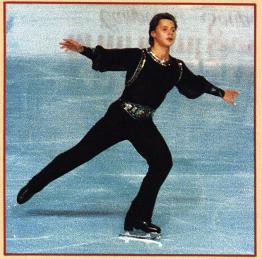
At the age of 19, Victor Petrenko has accumulated an impressive record in figure skating. A member of the USSR World Team the past four years, he placed ninth, fifth, and sixth in the 1985, 1986, and 1987 Worlds respectively. He took second in the 1988 Skate Canada, third in the 1987 and 1988 European Championships, and won the bronze medal at the 1988 Olympic Winter Games in Calgary and again at the 1988 World Figure Skating Championships in Budapest last March.

Vladimir, born February 2, 1971, followed his brother into the sport starting at approximately the same age and studies with the same coach. He made his first appearance at the World Championships last March, where he placed a respectable tenth at the age of 17. Though slightly taller with darker blond hair, he shares the same body build as his older brother and is by far the quieter of the two.

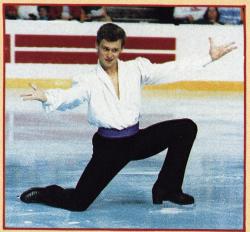
The brothers train together, but does Victor, in true brotherly fashion, give Vladimir advice?

"I give him advice all the time," the elder Petrenko responds with an irrepressible smile and a teasing glance at his younger brother who takes the poke good-naturedly.

Though they are a close-knit family and share a love of music and skating, it is Victor who takes control. He speaks English fairly fluently and often acts as



Vladimir Petrenko was fifth at the 1988 Skate America.



Victor Petrenko performed in special exhibitions at Skate America prior to competing at the 1988 Skate Canada.

quasi-interpreter for his team when in an informal atmosphere. Publically, however, all interviews are conducted in Russian with an official interpreter.

At last year's Skate America in Portland, Maine it was Vladimir Petrenko who competed in the men's event against a strong American contingent headed by Christopher Bowman. He had hoped to medal there, but an inconsistent long program dropped him out of contention, and he finished fifth. Though disappointed, he felt he would show improvement and did so just weeks later by winning the Prize of Moscow News competition, beating out former World Champion Alexandr Fadeev, who finished third.

Victor Petrenko accompanied his brother and coach to Portland, Maine, on his way to his only international competition this season at Skate Canada the following week. He traded several exhibition performances for ice time.

His very popular reception in Portland equaled that of the other Olympians on hand, and his audiencepleasing routines proved that he has benefited greatly from the worldwide Olympic TV coverage and his subsequent travels on the World Tour of *Continued on page 55*

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by the Soviet defending champion, Alexandr Fadeev, Poland's Grzegorz Filipowski, and the Czechoslovak, Petr Barna, in that order.

A duel between Fadeev and Filipowski developed in the original program. Each linked a triple Axel with double loop for the jump combination. Fadeev also included a triple loop and the Pole a triple flip. Fadeev garnered four 5.9 marks for presentation, to take over the lead. Zander dropped to sixth and later withdrew with an injured back.

Fadeev skated his best-ever free, landing eight triples, six of them different and two in combination, and received four 6.0's for presentation. One judge, who awarded only 5.6 for presentation, afterwards explained that she deducted 0.2 because his trousers were "immodest," and this served as a warning to any future contraventions of the new ISU "cover-up" directive.

Many thought runner-up Filipowski, first of the last group to skate, had done well enough to win with only one serious error, but they speculated before the inspired performance of the victor. A gap of four factored points separated third placed Barna from the next best, Russian Dmitri Gromov.

The continuing demise of pairs in Europe was evidenced by an entry of only nine from five nations. Leningrad's Larisa Selezneva and Oleg Makarov never looked in danger, capturing the title undefended by their compatriots, Ekaterina Gordeeva and Sergei Grinkov, because of injury. The winners' superiority in triple throws and triple twist lifts carried the day in a cleverly devised, very artistic program, well varied with shadow spins and jumps.

Mandy Wötzel and Axel Rauschenbach from the German Democratic Republic took second place to deny a Soviet clean sweep, with Natalia Miskutienok and Artur Dmitriev looking great in third slot. The fourth placed Elena Kvitchenko and Rashid Kadyrkaev also impressed the audience with perfectly matched triple toe loops and a superb triple throw Salchow.

The retirement of Natalia Bestemianova and Andrei Bukin did not prevent a Soviet grand slam in the ice dance. Marina Klimova and Sergei Ponomarenko predictably inherited the title after being in B & B's shadow ever since Torvill and Dean retired. Runners-up Maia Usova and Aleksandr Zhulin drew extra attention through Usova's "naughty but nice" bikini-style costume for the compulsory Rhumba, deemed by many to contravene the ISU dress rules-as had Fadeev's original program attire, featuring glittering clawed gloves and a sequined parrot design on his back. The judges will need to be consistent or the regulations will be ignored. Natalia Annenko and Genrikh Sretenski were placed consistently third.

The set pattern Charleston provided much scope for varying interpretations and proved very entertaining. Klimova and Ponomarenko, who gained four 5.9 marks for their Charleston, were later at their elegant best in a free dance which earned two 6.0's for presentation.

Claudia Leistner, in a class on her own among the women, became the first champion from the Federal Republic of Germany in thirty-five years. Her immaculate figures were almost matched by Britain's Joanne Conway, who had outpointed her in that department at Portland, Maine's Skate America.

The two were still first and second after the original program, but Leistner left everyone well behind in the free, punctuating a stylish display with five impressive triples, to deny a first Soviet win for runner-up Natalia Lebedeva.

Another from the Federal Republic of Germany, Patricia Neske, took the bronze in a contest of disappointing standard except for the winner, the only one likely to worry Jill Trenary, Kristi Yamaguchi, or Midori Ito in Paris.

Following a succession of errors from all but Leistner, Conway, the last to skate, let slip a gilt edged chance to wind up the meeting with a medal for the host country. Conway obviously felt the tension and slumped to sixth after failing to land even one triple in her program. It was a disap-

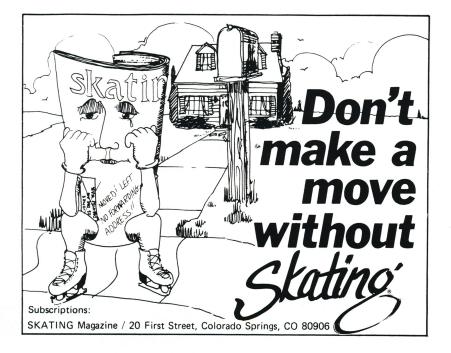
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MEN					
	CF	OP	FS		PLACES
1.	2	1	1	Aleksandr Fadeev, USSR	2.4
2.	3	2		Grzegorz Filipowski, Poland	4.4
3.	4	3		Petr Barna, Czechoslovakia	6.4
4.	11	4		Dmitri Gromov, USSR	10.8
5.	5	5	7	Daniel Weiss, Federal Republic of Germany	12.0
6.	8	8		Viacheslav Zagorodniuk, USSR	13.0
7.	7	6		Axel Mederic, France	
		-			19.4
8.	16	12		Peter Johansson, Sweden	19.6
9.	12	7		Lars Dresler, Denmark	21.0
10.	9	13		Alessandro Riccitelli, Italy	21.4
11.	13	9		András Szaraz, Hungary	21.6
12.	18	11		Ronny Winkler, German Democratic Republic	21.8
13.	15	14	9	Eric Millot, France	23.4
14.	6	16	14	Ralph Burghart, Austria	26.0
15.	10	15	15	Christian Newberry, Great Britain	28.0
16.	19	18	16	Oula Jääskeläinen, Finland	34.4
17.	14	19	18	Tomislav Cizmesija, Yugoslavia	35.0
18.	21	17		Jan Erik Digernes, Norway	35.6
19.	17	21		John Martin, Great Britain	38.4
retir	ed due				
	1	10		Richard Zander, Federal Republic of Germany	
	20	20		Boyko Alexiev, Bulgaria	
	20	20		Boyko Alexiev, Bulgaria	
LAD					
LAD	CF	OP	FS		PLACES
1.	1	1		Cloudia Laistner, Enderel Depublic of Cormonu	
				Claudia Leistner, Federal Republic of Germany	2.0
2.		3		Natalia Lebedeva, USSR	5.4
3.	-	5		Patricia Neske, Federal Republic of Germany	9.2
4.		2		Simone Lang, German Democratic Republic	9.6
5.		7		Natalia Gorbenko, USSR	12.4
6.	2	4		Joanne Conway, Great Britain	13.2
7.		6	5	Evelyn Grossmann, German Democratic Republic	13.4
8.	17	8	4	Surya Bonaly, France	15.6
9.	10	11		Tamara Teglassy, Hungary	18.6
10.	13	10		Yvonne Gomez, Spain	20.2
11.	5	12	12	Zeljka Cizmesija, Yugoslavia	21.2
12.	7	13	11	Yvonne Pokorny, Austria	21.6
13.	14	9	15	Sabine Contini, Italy	26.0
14.	11	15	16	Hélène Persson, Sweden	29.4
15.	21	14	13	Anisette Torp-Lind, Denmark	29.8
16.	15	17		Stefanie Schmid, Switzerland	30.2
17.	9	16		Claude Peri, France	30.2
18.	18	19		Jackie Soames, Great Britain	36.6
19.	19	20	19		38.6
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16th	16	23	Jury	Mirela Gawlowska, Poland	
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ma	20	21		lyota Varalava, Czashaslavakia	
				Iveta Voralova, Czechoslovakia	
	25	18		Sandrine Goes, Belgium	
	22	22		Elina Hänninen, Finland	
	24	24		Anita Thorenfeldt, Norway	
	23	25		Assia Alexieva, Bulgaria	
	26	26		Andrea Granitz, Hungary	

PAIRS					
	OP	FS			PLACES
1.	1	1		sa Selezneva & Oleg Makarov, USSR	1.5
2.	2	2	Man	dy Wötzel & Axel Rauschenbach,	3.0
			Gerr	man Democratic Republic	
З.	3	3	Nata	alia Mishkutienok & Artur Dmitriev, USSR	4.5
4.	4			a Kvitchenko & Rashid Kadyrkaev, USSR	6.0
5.	5	5	Che	ryl Peake & Andrew Naylor, Great Britain	7.5
6.	6	6	Anus	schka Gläser & Stefan Pfrengle,	9.0
			Fede	eral Republic of Germany	
7.	7	7	Lisa	Cushley & Neil Cushley, Great Britain	10.5
8.	8	8	Sonj	a Adalbert & Daniele Caprano,	12.0
			Fede	eral Republic of Germany	
9.	9	9	Anna	a Gorecka & Arkadikusz Gorecki, Poland	13.5
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DAN	CD	OSP	FD		
1.	1	1	1	Marina Klimava & Osnasi Danamana la 11000	PLACES
2.					2.0
2. 3.	2	2		Maia Usova & Aleksandr Zhulin, USSR	4.0
3. 4.	3	3		Natalia Annenko & Genrikh Sretenski, USSR	6.0
	4	4		Klara Engi & Attila Toth, Hungary	8.0
5.	6	6		Stefania Calegari & Pasquale Camerlengo, Italy	11.0
6.	5	5		Sharon Jones & Paul Askham, Great Britain	11.0
7.	8	7		Andrea Juklova & Martin Simecek, Czechoslovakia	14.4
8.	7	8		Dominique Yvon & Frederic Palluel, France	15.6
9.	9	9	9		18.0
10.	11	10	10	Andrea Weppelmann & Hendryk Schamberger,	20.4
				Federal Republic of Germany	
11.	10	11	11		21.6
12.	12	12		Susanna Rahkamo & Petri Kokko, Finland	24.0
13.	13	13		Anna Croci & Luca Mantovani, Italy	26.0
14.	15	15		Karen Quinn & Alan Abretti, Great Britain	29.0
15.	14	14		Krisztina Kerekes & Csaba Szentpetery, Hungary	29.0
16.	16	16		Diane Gerencser & Bernard Columberg, Switzerland	32.0
17.	17	17	17	Ursula Holik & Herbert Holik, Austria	34.0



EASTERNS

The Southern Skating Club of New England hosted the Eastern Sectional Championships in Darien, Connecticut, January 10 to 14, 1989. Complete results appeared in the February issue of *Skating*.



SENIOR MEN (L to R) Jon Robinson, Fourth; Mark Mitchell, Second; Steven Rice, First; Doug Mattis, Third.

SENIOR LADIES (L to R) Jennifer Leng, Second; Nancy Kerrigan, First; Tracey Damigella, Third; Kathaleen Kelly, Fourth.





SENIOR PAIRS

(L to R) Wendy Lee Weston & Alexander Enzmann, Fourth; Maria Lako & Rocky Marval, Second; Calla Urbanski & Mark Naylor, First; Ginger Tse & Archie Tse, Third.

JUNIOR MEN (L to R) Richard Sears, Fourth; Michael Chack, Second; Colin Vander Veen, First; Phillip DiGuglielmo, Third.





JUNIOR LADIES (L to R) Dawn Duhamel, Fourth; Geremi Weiss, Second; Kyoko Ina, First; Cameran McCoy, Third.



JUNIOR PAIRS

(L to R) Tiffany Bailey & Bill Brennan, Fourth; Aimee Offner & Brian Helgenberg, Third; Ann-Marie Wells & Brian Wells, First; Jocelyn Cox & Brad Cox, Second.

JUNIOR DANCE (L to R) Rachel Lane & Eric Meier, Fourth; Wendy Millette & James Curtis, Second; Rachel Mayer & Peter Breen, First; Andrea Chow & Martin Chow, Third.





ADULT SENIOR DANCE (L to R) J. Wixson Smith & Lynn Hayes, Fourth; Harlene Lee & E. Richie VanVliet, Second; Judy Reiner & James Maltby, First; Marion Hogan & Lenny Colarusso, Third.



ADULT JUNIOR DANCE (L to R) Edwin Metcalf & Mary Schroeder, Second; Allyson White & Robert White, First.



NOVICE MEN (*L to R*) Jeff Merica, Fourth; Todd Gairrett, Second; Michael Weiss, First; Philip Dulebohn, Third.



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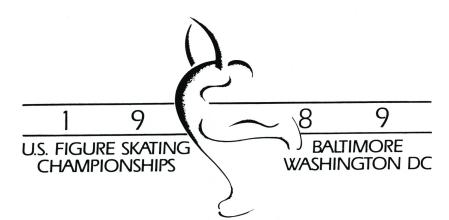
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IN REPLY

To the Editor:

As a longtime reader of *Skating* and as a concerned American I am appalled by the positions embraced by your magazine in Dr. Robert O. Voy's editorial in the November issue. Mass drug testing of athletes is quite simply one of the most foolish and irresponsible notions to come along in years.

To begin with, mass drug testing is an insidious invasion of privacy. Our society does not permit police to randomly invade homes in search of drugs because such searches violate the constitutional requirements of probable cause for a search warrant. By definition such probable cause cannot exist for mass random searches. Our bodies deserve at least as much protection as our homes. Such a wanton disregard for our traditional values of privacy sets a poor example for our youth, many of whom may be called upon to defend our constitutional liberties in the future.

Second, mass drug tests have an unacceptably high error rate. While the hucksters of these services make claims of ninety-nine percent accuracy, independent studies show that real-world accuracies may be poorer than eighty percent-one out of five tests mistaken. This is because mass drug testing services often use substandard analytical procedures and unqualified personnel. Also, these test procedures often cannot distinguish illicit drugs from prescription medicines. The Ohio State University basketball teams are in the practice of pulling players with bad colds from the lineup. This is not because they are too sick to play, but because most prescription decongestants and cough suppressants would trip off the NCAA drug tests.

Third, as a practical matter, there is no illicit drug that can significantly improve a skater's competitive performance. While steroids might be able to build brute strength, they can do little for the things a skating competition is judged by (and keep in mind, that the most notorious group of steroid abusers, the East Germans, seem to successfully beat the tests in every international competition).

I do not dispute that this country has a drug problem, but the true sources of it come



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from failed social, economic, and foreign policies more than anything connected with sports. None of the horror stories of plane crashes cited by Dr. Voy had anything to do with sports. Yes, athletes are highly visible figures, but the scandals of big-time college recruiting, seven figure salary negotiations, and a "win at any cost" attitude have done more to set a bad example for our youth than the few publicized drug overdose cases of recent years. In short, forcing skaters to urinate into a cup after a competition is not the answer. In all fairness your magazine should present a balanced reply to the views given in that editorial.

Timothy K. Christman Columbus, Ohio

Dr. Voy's article was clearly listed as reprinted from the U.S. Olympic Committee Drug Education News so readers would be aware of the USOC's views. As stated on page 1 of each issue, items in Skating do not reflect the position of the USFSA. Your statements on East Germany appear totally biased and unfounded. Although we may not agree with several of your premises, we do present your viewpoint as requested.



MARCH

- 4 "B" Judges School, for Intermediate Judges, sponsored by the Los Angeles FSC, at the Pickwick Ice Arena, 1001 Riverside Dr., Burbank, CA 91506. For information contact: Kim Cozean, Chairman, 23843 Minnequa Dr., Diamond Bar, CA 91765, 714-860-0280.
- 4 **1989 Skate at the Park**, sponsored by the Spokane FSC, at the Riverfront Park Ice Palace, Spokane, WA. Sanctioned non-qualifying freestyle competition featuring Pre-Preliminary through Novice events. For information contact: Kay Gill, 1-800-456-3AAA.
- 3-5 14th Annual Creve Coeur Figure Skating Competition, sponsored by the Creve Coeur FSC, at the Creve Coeur and Queeny Park Ice Arenas, MO. Freestyle, Compulsory Moves, Pairs, Figures, Interpretive, and Dance events. For information contact: Shirley Sisson, 106 Morewood Dr., Manchester, MO 63011, 314-394-4947.
- 3-5 That's Entertainment, ice show sponsored by the New Ulm FSC. 150 skaters in comedy, group, and special numbers. Guest appearance by Olympic skater Grzegorz Filipowski. For information contact: Kaye Green, R.R. 5, New Ulm, MN 56073, 507-354-5708.
- 10-12 Niagara International Competition, sponsored by the Buffalo SC, at the Dann Memorial Rink, Buffalo, NY. Singles, Dance, and Precision events. For information contact: Beth Ruddy, 1141 Delaware Ave., Buffalo, NY 14209, 716-886-0729.
 - 11 Pittsfield Invitational Competition, sponsored by the Pittsfield FSC, at the Pittsfield Boys' Club Rink, 16 Melville St., Pittsfield, MA 01201. Freestyle, Dance Solo, and Showcase events. For information contact: Nancy Regan, 47

Pollock Dr., Pittsfield, MA 01201, 413-442-5637.

- 11-12 Fantasy On Ice, annual ice show sponsored by the Ann Arbor FSC, at the Veterans Ice Arena, 2150 Jackson Rd., Ann Arbor, MI. For information contact: Susan J.B. Wall or Carol Spaly, Ann Arbor Figure Skating Club, P.O. Box 7386, Ann Arbor, MI 48107, 313-769-3511.
- 11-12 Ice Enchantment, ice show sponsored by the Camillus FSC, at Shove Park Rink, Camillus, NY. For information contact: Darlene McFadden, 28 Elm Hill Way, Camillus, NY 13031, 315-487-2604.
- 16-19 17th Annual Ice Travaganza, ice show sponsored by the Wyandotte FSC, at the Yack Arena, Wyandotte, MI. For information contact: Mary Chapman, 313-675-5874.
- 16-19 Massena Invitational Competition, sponsored by the Massena FSC, at the Massena Arena, Massena, NY. For information contact: Larry Faucher, Pres., RD #3, Box 33B, Massena, NY 13662, 315-769-6961.
- 17-19 Heart of America Competition, sponsored by the Silver Blades FSC of Greater Kansas City, at the King Louie Ice Chateau, 8788 Metcalf, Overland Park, KS 66212. Figures, Freestyle, Pairs, and Dance events. Beginner thru Senior level. Also Basic Skills Competition. For information contact: Glenn Hahn, 816-363-3320 or Jean Uher, 913-451-4846.
 - 18 21st Annual Nassau County Free Skating Championships (The Trophy Competition), sponsored by the Cantiague FSC, at Cantiague Park, Hicksville, NY 11801. Figures, Freestyle, Interpretive, and Spotlight events. No test thru Adult categories. Also introducing Tot class in freestyle. For information, please contact: Mr. Charles Como, 3 Crest Rd. East, No. Merrick, NY 11566, 516-221-7738.
- 18-19 Test Session, sponsored by the FSC of Watertown, at the Watertown Ice Arena, William T. Field Drive, Watertown, NY 13601. For information contact: Kathy Lupia, Test Chairman, 315-782-0581.
- 18-19 It's About Time, ice show sponsored by the Timberline FSC, at the Marathon County Multi-Purpose Bldg., Wausau, WI. For information contact: Laura Gall, Show Director, 715-848-3283.
- 24-26 Can/Am Adult Ice Dance Festival Weekend, sponsored by the Skokie

Valley SC, held at the Centennial Park Ice Rink, Wilmette, IL. A weekend of fun and ice dancing. For information contact: Dr. Rich Rossman, 330 Waukegan Rd., Glenview, IL 60025 or 312-729-5200.

- 24-26 Vancouver Ice Dance Weekend, sponsored by the Delta FSC, Delta, B.C. Canada. For information contact: Nesta Davies, 604-946-8617.
 - 30 1989 Eastern Precision Championships, hosted by the Warwick Figure Skaters, to be held at the Lynch Arena, Pawtucket, RI. For information contact: 1989 National Precision Championships, P.O. Box 8439, Warwick, RI 02888.
 - 30 1989 Midwestern Precision Championships, hosted by the Warwick Figure Skaters, at the Thayer Arena, Warwick, RI. For information contact: 1989 National Precision Championships, P.O. Box 8439, Warwick, RI 02888.
- 30-4/2 WIM Competition, sponsored by the Greater Milwaukee FSC Juniors. Freestyle, Figures, Compulsory, Pairs, and Dance events. For information contact: Ralph Dahlman, 4764 So. 39th St., Greenfield, WI 53221, 414-282-3948.
 - 31 **1989 Challenge Cup**, hosted by the Warwick Figure Skaters, at the Thayer

Arena, Warwick, RI. Competition for those Sectional precision teams not qualifying for Nationals. For information contact: 1989 National Precision Championships, P.O. Box 8439, Warwick, RI 02888.

- 31-4/1 1989 National Precision Championships, hosted by the Warwick Figure Skaters, at the Providence Civic Center, Providence, RI. For information contact: 1989 National Precision Championships, P.O. Box 8439, Warwick, RI 02888.
- 31-4/2 1989 Worcester Open, sponsored by the SC of Worcester, at the Worcester Skating Rink, 284 Lake Ave., Worcester, MA. Figures, Freestyle, Compulsory Moves, and Showcase events; Beginner through Senior levels. For information contact: Cynthia A. Bernier, 33 Sycamore St., Millbury, MA 01527, 508-865-5349.

APRIL

- 1-2 Annual Ice Show, sponsored by the FSC of Watertown, at the Watertwon Ice Arena, William T. Field Dr., Watertown, NY 13601. For information contact Linda Sherman, 315-788-5912.
- 7-8 **4th Annual Florida Spring Break Open Competition**, sponsored by the SC of Florida, at the Lighthouse Point Arena,

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- 7-9 Club Spring Festival, sponsored by the Portland ISC, at the Clackamas Town Center, Portland, OR. Figures, Freestyle, and Showcase events. For information contact: Donna Morrison, Competition Chairman, 8742 S.E. Kingswood Way, Gresham, OR 97080, 503-666-4946 evenings.
- 7-9 Philadelphia Area Council Competition, sponsored by the Colonial SC of New Jersey, at the Grundy Skating Rink, 700 Jefferson Ave., Bristol, PA 19007. For information contact: Cheryl Wood, 609-882-0183 or Carol Sutor, 215-788-0527.
- 8-9 Judges School, sponsored by the SC of Florida in connection with the Florida Spring Break Open Competition. Low to Intermediate Figures, Preliminary to Bronze Dances. Judge-In-Charge: Dorothy Dodson. For information contact: Carolyn Grimditch, 305-482-3321.
- 8-9 Mt. Lebanon Invitational, hosted by the Ice & Blades Club of Washington, PA., at the Mt. Lebanon Recreation Center, 900 Cedar Blvd., Mt. Lebanon, PA. Figures, Freestyle, Dance, Solo Dance, Similar Pairs, Compulsory Moves,

Theme Interpretive, and Maneuver Teams events. Beginner through Junior levels. For information contact: Betty M. Galligan, 412-483-5320 or Jean Young, 412-222-6220.

- 8-9 26th Annual New Jersey Council of Figure Skating Clubs Championships, sponsored by the New Jersey Council of FSC's, at the William G. Mennen Sports Arena, 161 E. Hanover Ave., Morristown, NJ 07960. Freestyle, Dance, Interpretive, Precision, and Maneuver Teams events. Open to New Jersey residents or any person who maintains a NJ USFSA Home Club. For information contact: Nancy Noonan, Secretary NJCFSC, 11 B Parkway Village, Cranford, NJ 07016, 201-272-5381.
 - 9 Tarsh Trophy Ladies' Solo American Waltz Competition, sponsored by the Los Angeles FSC, at the Pickwick Ice Arena, 1001 Riverside Dr., Burbank, CA 91506. For information contact: Virginia Vale, Chairman, 4039 Edenhurst, Los Angeles, CA 90039, 213-663-7233.
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Olympic and World Champions which covered ten countries in Europe and twenty-five cities in the United States.

"The girls all scream and throw him flowers," Vladimir chides. Does he enjoy all this attention usually reserved for rock stars?

"Yes, of course," he says charmingly. "Who wouldn't?"

Victor Petrenko knows he is a leading contender for a medal at this year's World Championships, but is quick to say he has a lot of competition. "Christopher Bowman, Kurt Browning of Canada, and teammate Alexandr Fadeev," he said, count among his top competitors, and indeed Browning bested him at the 1988 Skate Canada. Arena, Bowling Green, OH 43403. For information contact: Darlene House-holder, 419-352-7295.

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The upcoming Worlds is wider in scope than the international meets, and with figures worth twenty percent of the the total score, the competition still favors the well-rounded skater. Both Petrenkos have solid figures as well as being excellent free skaters.

As the elder, Victor takes the spotlight now, it may be only a matter of time before he may have to share it with Vladimir. We will have to wait and see what Paris brings.

One cannot but help be reminded of the last time brothers were fellow teammates and competitors on the World scene: Americans Hayes Alan and David Jenkins. Both were World Champions, Hayes 1953 through 1956, and David 1957 through 1959.

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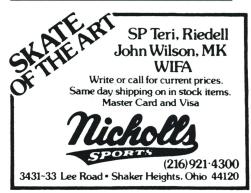
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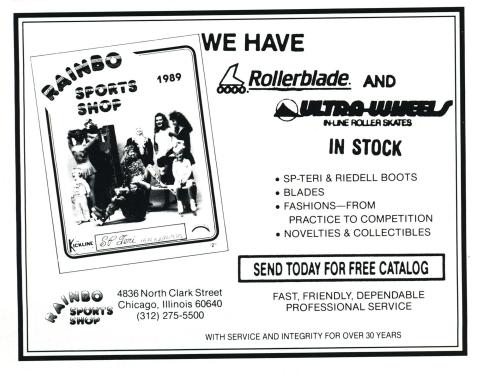
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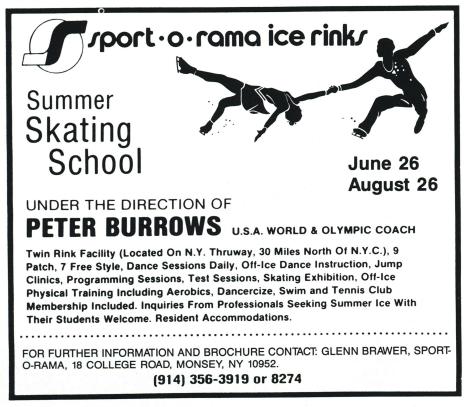
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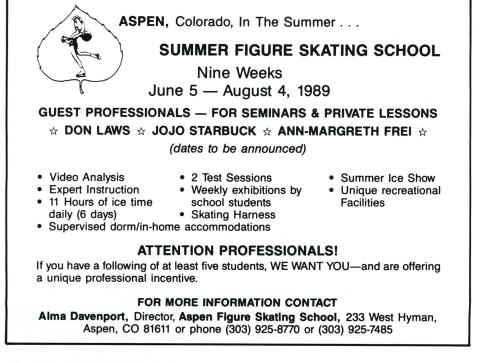
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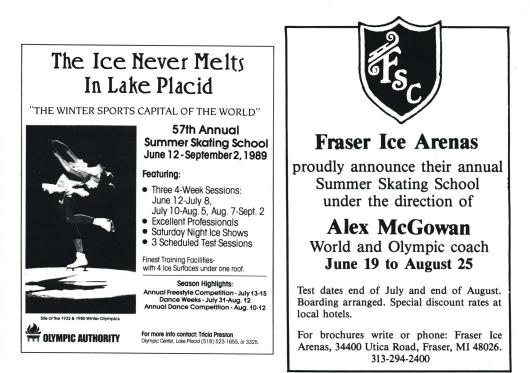
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Ondrej Nepela, 1972 Olympic gold medalist, died February 2 in West Germany of throat cancer. Nepela was the only Czechoslovak to have won an Olympic gold medal in figure skating, along with five European and three World titles. He retired from competition fifteen years ago at the age of twentythree and after touring with Holiday on Ice International in Europe had been a coach for a number of years.

Ricky Harris

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Exercise #3

Place the working foot in *sur le coup-depied* front. Keeping the foot in that position, extend the leg slightly out from the knee, so that the working foot swings slightly to the side and foot is replaced in *sur le coup-depied* in back. Repeat front and back without interruption about ten times. Remember in the back position, the working heel is on the ankle, and the toes are away.

Exercise #4

Start the working foot in *sur le cou-de-pied* in back. Keeping this foot position, slowly stretch the knee until the leg is straight and lifted off the floor in back. Bring foot back to *sur le cou-de-pied* in back of ankle and repeat.

- Count 1—Sur le cou-de-pied back of supporting foot.
- Count 2—Stretch and lift leg in back maintaining the *sur le cou-de-pied* position of foot.

Repeat these two counts ten times.

Exercise #5

Repeat Exercise #4 to the front.

When you have practiced these exercises on the floor enough so that you can hold your foot in *sur le cou-de-pied* position in the air, begin trying to do the same wearing your skating boots. You will find, with constant attention, that you will never again be bothered with "droppy toes"!

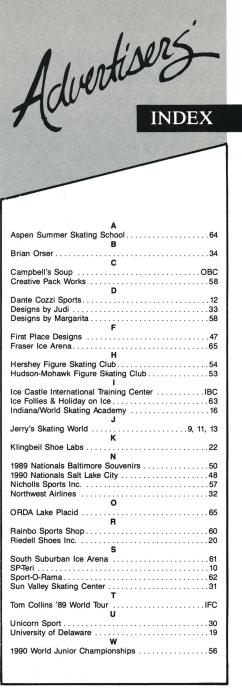
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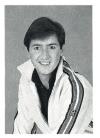
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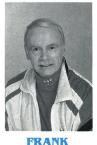




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