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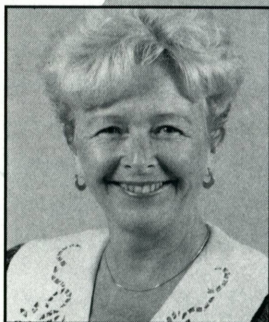
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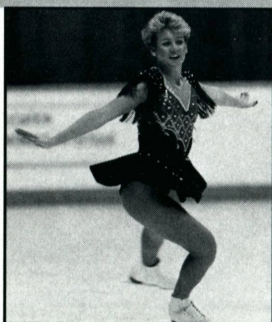
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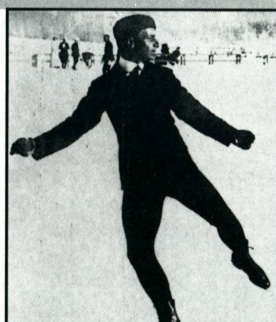




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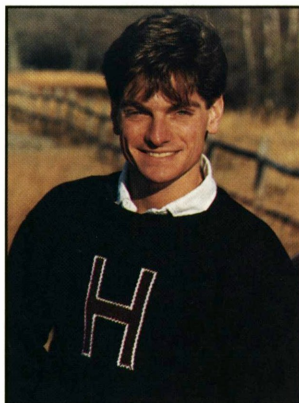
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# News Briefs

JAMES ALLEN HAMILTON



Paul Wylie

1990 USFSA World Team member Paul Wylie was awarded a Harvard letter during "An Evening With Champions" figure skating benefit held last November.

Wylie is a Harvard senior scheduled to graduate later this spring. He joins an elite group of four other Harvard graduates in receiving a letter for a non-academic sport, including Dick Button, John Misha Petkevich, Dudley Richards, and Hugh C. Graham, M.D.

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The Women's Sports Foundation recently awarded Nicole Bobek a grant to be used toward

entry fees and competition expenses. She was one of 17 individuals and two teams that received grant money. Bobek finished fourth at World Junior Championships last December, and second at 1991 Midwesterns.

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Kurt Browning was honored in December with the Lionel Conacher Award as the Canadian Top Male Athlete of 1990. The Award, presented by Broadcast News, was voted on by sports writers and broadcasters throughout Canada, and marks the first time ever that it has been presented to a figure skater since its inception in 1932.

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The 1991 World Championships in Munich will be televised on NBC March 15, 8:00 P.M. EST, March 16, 2:30 P.M. EST, March 17, 3:00 P.M. EST, and 7:00 P.M. EST, and March 23 at 2:00 P.M. EST. Check local listings for any schedule changes.

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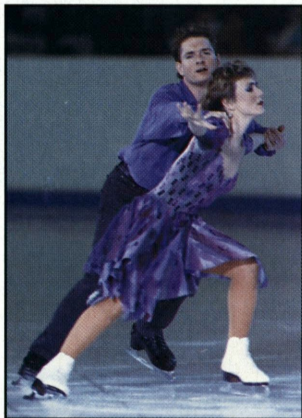


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The month of December kept professional figure skaters busy on the competition circuit.

First, December 8, NutraSweet World Professional Figure Skating Championships were held in Landover, Md. Brian Boitano, USA; Denise Biellmann, SWI; Barbara Underhill and Paul Martini, CAN, Pairs; and Joyce Torvill and

Christopher Dean, GBR, Dance, took home top honors. Underhill and Martini were also awarded the 1991 Professional Skater of the Year Award presented annually by *American Skating World*. Those same skaters finished first at the NutraSweet Challenge of Champions in Barcelona, Spain December 14. Rounding out the month, the Professional Skaters Guild of America (PSGA) held its Championship in Orlando, Fla., December 14-16. Charlene Wong, Scott Hamilton, Underhill and Martini, and Natalia Bestemianova and Andrei Bukin won the events at this competition.

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Jill Trenary was named one of 10 finalists for the 1990 AAU James E. Sullivan Memorial Award. The award has been presented annually by the Amateur Athletic Union

since 1930, and is awarded to the nation's outstanding amateur athlete. Based on qualities of character, leadership, sportsmanship, and ideals of amateurism, the Sullivan Award is voted on by 2,500 persons representing the AAU Board of Directors, AAU Sullivan Award Committee, previous Sullivan Award winners, AAU life members, the United States Olympic Committee Board of Directors, and select media.

Other nominees include speedskater Bonnie Blair, pentathlete Lori Norwood, wrestler John Smith, swimmer Mike Barrowman, basketball player Teresa Edwards, boxer Eric Griffin, football player Raghib Ismail, distance runner Lynn Jennings, and skier Donna Weinbrecht.

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## 1991 USFSA SPRING MEETING OF THE USFSA BOARD OF DIRECTORS

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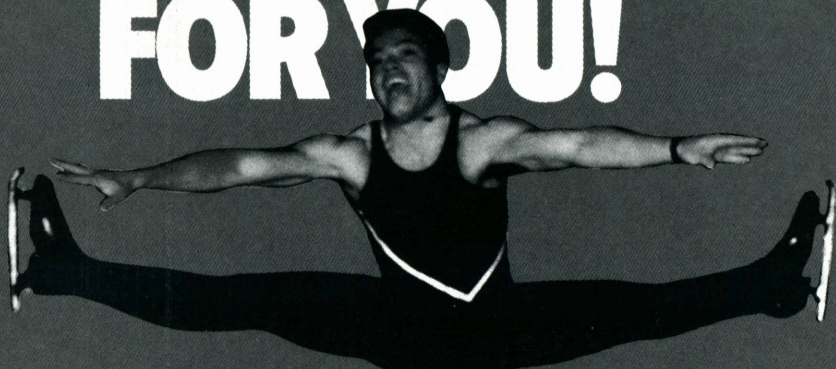
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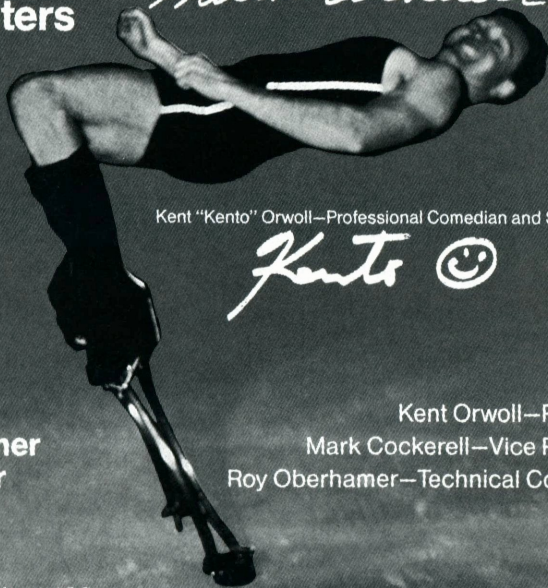
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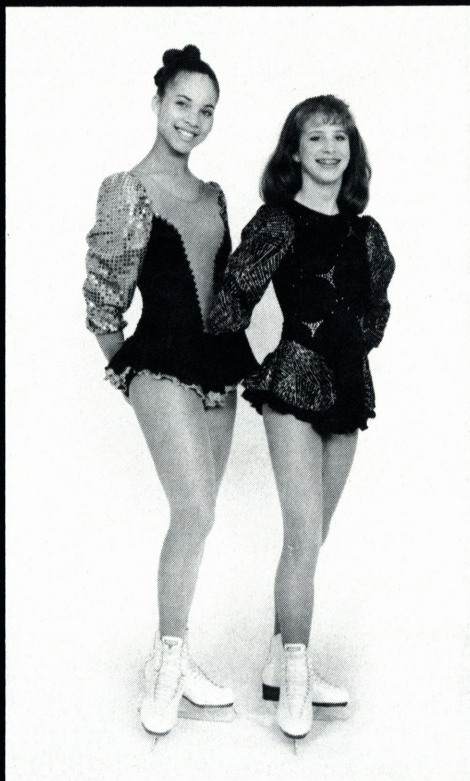
The delegates to the 1990 United States Figure Skating Association Governing Council Meeting approved interim eligibility rules for athletes who wish to compete in USFSA and International Skating Union sanctioned competitions and championships during the year beginning May 1990 to May 1991. Refinements or changes are now being considered for presentation at the 1991 Governing Council Meeting. If you have questions or suggestions that would be helpful to this process please submit them to National Headquarters, in care of Eligibility Rules Drafting Committee, before April 15.

A new format for the 1991 Governing Council meeting structure will be reported on and finalized at the March Executive Committee meeting. Suggestions for these changes were taken from questionnaires distributed to delegates at the 1990 Governing Council Meeting. For example, many members desired a speedier rules process and return of the committee round table discussion period. Other requested changes will also be made at the May meeting.

I look forward to a high attendance of club delegates to participate in USFSA business during the 1991 Governing Council Meeting in May and to also enjoy the sunshine and fun in Orlando.

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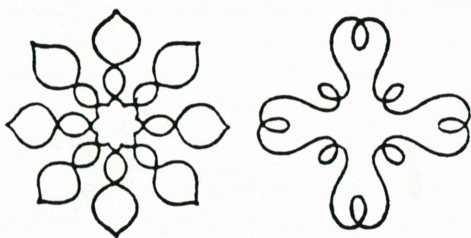
# AND THEN THERE WERE NONE

## A Fond Remembrance of Compulsory Figures at the World Championships

### Part I

by Susan A. Johnson

*When the World Championships are conducted in Munich this month, for the first time in the long history of the event, there will be no figures. Such was the decision of the 1988 ISU Congress, which voted to eliminate figures from ISU Senior and Junior championships starting in 1991. This seems an appropriate time to look back and remember what was once the most important part of figure skating—at least in the English language they gave the sport its name—before the skating of figures at the World Championships becomes only a distant memory.*



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Figures have been a part of skating championships for as long as anyone can remember. In the earliest recorded competitions, two different types of figures were often performed—the standard figures as we know them today, and the special figures, which were complex and intricate designs of the skater's own creation. These special figures flourished in the late 19th and early 20th centuries; they were contested as a separate event in

the 1908 Olympic Games, but were never a part of the World Championships. In 1897, the third ISU Congress approved a schedule of 41 figures (all based on the figure eight), proposed by Great Britain. Although many modifications of this schedule were suggested over the years, none were ever made, and the figures in every World Championships, from 1896 through 1990, were drawn from it.

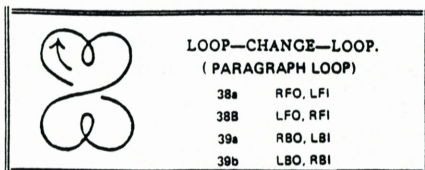
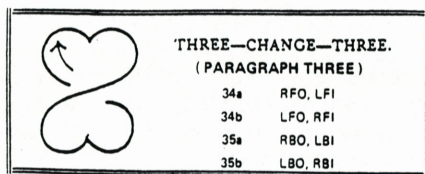
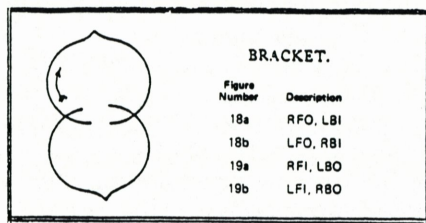
### AT FIRST THERE WERE TWELVE . . . 1896-1947

#### The Pre-World War I Years: 1896-1914

From the first World Championships in St. Petersburg (now Leningrad) in 1896, through the first Championships held after World War II in Stockholm in 1947 (no Championships were held in the years 1915-1921 and 1940-1946, due to World Wars I and II), competitors were required to perform up to 12 compulsory figures. Six figures were selected from the ISU schedule and skated with both right- and left-foot starts, except for the few figures designed to be started right only. The figures chosen for the first World Championships were ISU numbers 18a and b, 19a and b (the simple brackets), 34a and b, 35a and b (the paragraph threes), and 38a and b and 39a and b (the paragraph loops). Figures were clearly the dominant discipline in figure skating, representing 60 percent of each competitor's score throughout



the 12-figure era (and indeed until 1969). In these early years, the free skating segment was known as "free figures," and consisted of little more than figure elements skated at speed and spaced about the ice surface.



*Figures skated by the men at the first World Championships in St. Petersburg (Leningrad) 1896.*

*Above drawings are taken from the Art of Skating, by Irving Brokaw.*

The World Championships were, at first, the exclusive province of men, and just four participants contested the inaugural Championships in 1896. The winner of the figures, and the first champion, was Gilbert Fuchs of Germany.

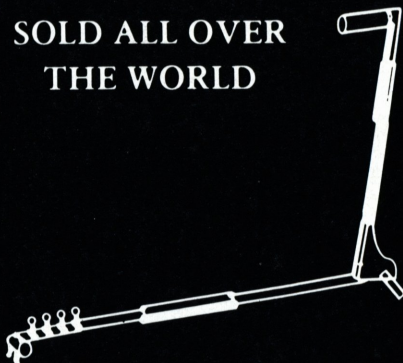
In one of the earliest published accounts of a World championship, *The Times of London* reported following the 1898 event, "The Prince of Wales took a keen interest in the competition, and was a spectator of the whole of the afternoon's work when the 11 compulsory figures were skated."

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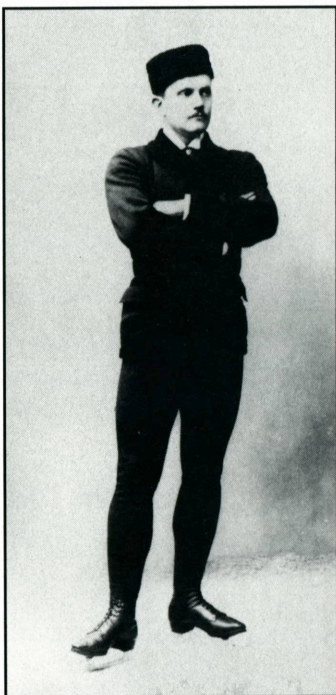
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*Gilbert Fuchs*

In 1902, an earthquake shook the figure skating world when Madge Syers of Great Britain submitted an entry for that year's Championships in London. Nigel Brown, in his book *Ice Skating: A History*, writes: "It was a World championship and so open to all skaters, distinction of sex not existing, and it was never expected a lady would dare to enter. In this Championship Madge Syers skated so well that many believed she should have won. As runner-up to the great Ulrich Salchow (in both the compulsory figures and overall, in a field of four) she set the skating world talking."

The immediate reaction of the ISU was to bar women from entering future championships against men. The 1903 ISU Congress decreed that women should not be allowed to compete because: "(1) the dress prevents the judges from seeing the

feet; (2) a judge might judge a girl to whom *he* was attached; and (3) it is difficult to compare women with men."

At its 1905 meeting, the ISU Congress bowed to pressure and instituted the first official championship for women, called at the time "Ladies Championship of the ISU." [Fearing perhaps that to do so would devalue "The Championship," (i.e., that open only to men), it was not specifically designated the Ladies World Championship until 1924.] Syers entered the first such championship in 1906 in Davos, unanimously winning the compulsory figures and the title from a field of five. She repeated the feat in 1907.

One of the true masters of the art of compulsory figures during the pre-World War I era was Ulrich Salchow of Sweden. While he is best remembered for the jump which bears his name, he won the figures at every World Championships from 1899 until 1911 (with the exception of 1906 when he did not enter). He was also the World Champion in 10 of those 12 years.



*Madge Syers*





Ulrich Salchow

H.J. Clarke, then president of the ISU, provided a fascinating description of the ladies' figure event in Davos in 1912: "In those days it was not considered necessary to skate the compulsory figures on clean ice. The whole rink was open to the public until about 10:30 A.M. when a few chairs were placed on the ice to mark the space reserved for the Championship figures, and a few skaters, of which I was one, were asked to patrol the ice to see that the competitors were not obstructed by other skaters. I have never seen this happen since.

#### **The Years Between the World Wars: 1922-1939**

Two dominant skaters of the inter-War era, begun with the resumption of the World Championships in 1922, were Karl Schäfer of Austria and Sonja Henie of Norway. Schäfer finished third in his first appearance in 1927, and won the

compulsory figures, the free skating, and the title of World Champion every year from 1930 until 1936. His record of *unanimous* first placements by the judges in *both* figures and free skating in 1930, 1932, 1933, and 1935 is unrivaled by any other skater in the history of the event to the present day.



Karl Schäfer

The judges' marks for Schäfer's figures at the 1930 Championships nonetheless aroused some controversy. In a Boston newspaper report, Richard L. Hapgood wrote, "The judging of the Europeans was sound on the whole, despite the fact that one judge gave Schäfer of Austria perfect marks, (6) on 11 of his 12 school figures, and 5.8 on the 12th. Never before, so far as is known, has 6 been given so freely in a world figure skating contest. The mark was perfectly ridiculous, for no one can really do perfect figures . . ."





Sonja Henie

Sonja Henie was 11 years old when she competed in her first World Championships in Oslo in 1924, finishing fifth among seven ladies. Two years later in Stockholm, she rocketed to second place behind the defending four-time champion, Herma Jaross-Szabo of Austria. Henie then went on to win the figures, the free skating, and the Championships in every subsequent year through 1936. Her first victory in Oslo in 1927 was a controversial one. The panel (at that time left to the discretion of the local organizing committee) consisted of three judges from Norway, who placed her first, and two from Austria and Germany, who preferred Jaross-Szabo. Austria subsequently protested and demanded the cancellation of the Championships. In view of a similar protest from the British regarding the composition of the panel at the 1927 men's Championships in Davos, the ISU Congress ruled that henceforth "every member

of the ISU has the right to send one, *and one only*, of its Judges to all Figure Skating Championships, and from these the panel of Judges is composed."

U.S. judge Joel B. Liberman said of Henie's figures at the 1930 World Championships in New York, "In her school figures, Sonja is slow motion. She sticks to the trace like a veteran. Her forced turns are just good enough to get by, but at loop-change-loop she is a wizard."

Writing in *Skating* about the 1932 World Championships in Montreal, Brian Meredith reported, "The school figures skated at the Winter Club all day Wednesday, the 17th, were of an extraordinarily high standard, though to watch them for too long made the onlookers dizzy. Sonja, . . . Miss Vinson and others laid down tracings that were scarcely an inch or two apart, turns that coincided beautifully and figures whose balance and symmetry could not have been bettered by an instrument." Indeed in this event, Henie's marks for the figures averaged more than 5.5, and Schäfer's more than 5.6.

After the 1936 World Championships in Paris (the first in which open marking was used), Theresa Weld Blanchard wrote in *Skating*, ". . . there had been many rumors that this was Sonja's last competition. Other years I had heard she was retiring, so I put little stock in it until the last school figure was skated. Her right loop change loop forward was excellent and she got a 6 from the Norwegian judge; her left one was, as far as we could tell, not nearly up to the right and she got 6 again from the Norwegian judge! Then I decided the rumor was true and that he wanted the pleasure of marking her last two competitive school figures perfect."

It was during these years that the first skaters from the United States made their appearances at the World Championships. Beatrix Loughran was not only the



## 1947—The Last Twelve-Figure Year

Only five men, among them Richard T. Button of the United States, entered the first post-war World Championships, but the ladies' entry, at 19, was the largest in history. As U.S. judge Lyman Wakefield reported in *Skating*, "The ladies school figures were skated over two six-hour days, and were divided three figures on both feet making six figures on each day. The weather during these days varied from four below zero with some wind and snow to warmer, calmer periods. It was always a welcome relief for judges when the signal was sounded for lunch and tea. Each night the lights had to be turned on to finish out the figures." And Basil Dean wrote in the *Boston Evening Citizen*: "... an icy wind whistled across Stockholm's open-air Olympic Stadium and knife-like snow flurries cut the skaters' cheeks and covered the ice with a thin wind-blown powder of snow. Barbara Ann (Scott, of Canada) came off the championship rink after both her appearances this morning with eyes red-rimmed and streaming from the sharp wind. . . . But these hazards had little outward effect on her matchless skating. Snow-sweeping crews told me that the three tracings of the turns she made in both figures covered a width of considerably less than one inch. Such accuracy was well-reflected in the judges markings, which included a high proportion of near-perfect 5.6's and 5.7's . . ." Scott was awarded first place in the figures and overall by eight of the nine judges. Dick Button unanimously won the men's free skating, but could not overcome the lead compiled by Hans Gerschwiler of Switzerland in the figures, and remained

in second place; however, he left an indelible impression on the minds of everyone who saw him.

first American to enter a World Championships in Oslo in 1924, but took the bronze medal in a field of seven ladies. Roger Turner and Nathaniel Niles were the first men to represent the USA in Berlin in 1928, placing fifth and 10th, respectively, among the 10 men entered. A second U.S. lady, Maribel Vinson, also made an auspicious debut that year in London, placing second of six ladies, only behind Henie.

Although figures were and would long continue to be the dominant factor in World championship skating, harbingers of their future demise were already beginning to appear. A. Winsor Weld, first President of the USFSA, wrote in *Skating* in 1927, "By no means would I go so far as to advocate the complete elimination from competitions of 'school figures'; although good arguments might be advanced even for this. I do suggest, however, a distinct reversal of their present rating as compared with free skating."

*Part II of this article will appear in the April 1991 issue of Skating.*

*The author wishes to express her thanks to Benjamin T. Wright for his assistance with the articles.*

*Susan A. Johnson has admired figures for more than 40 years—first as a skater and then as a judge. She is an international judge, chairman of the USFSA Tests Committee, and former chairman of the USFSA Judges Committee.*



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by Jack Booth

Precision skating has made great strides from its early beginnings, but in the past two years the growth has been phenomenal. It has come a long way from marching down the ice and simply skating a series of maneuvers to whatever music happened to be playing. Now we see artistic performances done to beautiful music along with moves and transitions that are created to express what the music is saying.

Torvill and Dean revolutionized free dance when they choreographed every small move of the body. The film *Flashdance* employed a fantastic use of the whole body to express the music. We are now seeing these methods being used by our better precision teams. Every movement of every muscle, from the tip of the toe to the top of the lifted hand, is involved in expressing the music. It is disheartening to see beautiful footwork being done when the rest of the body is completely out-of-sync. When an arm is raised, it should be raised in time and to the style of the music. If the music is smooth, the skaters' movements should be smooth. Likewise, when the music is powerful and energetic, the movements of the skaters should convey the excitement. Musical accents in the program should be matched by the skaters' interpretation through arm movements, bends, kicks, extensions, and head movements.

Every change in the music should show not only a change in tempo, but more importantly, a change in emotion and expression. A person should be able to view a silent video of a waltz

being skated and still be able to know that a waltz is being done. As has been said before, a team should visually recreate for the audience what the music is creating audibly. In other words, they should see what they hear.

Transitions from one tempo to another used to be a weak spot in precision. Teams would simply stop and wait for the new music to start up, or there would be a few measures of complete confusion on the ice before the new formation and new music were finally established. Teams are now finding that they are more successful if they start the transition while the old tempo is still in progress. As an example, if the new music is faster, the team would double the timing of their footwork going into it (and also start changing the body's expression) in order to be completely ready for the new music. This enables them to enter into the new tempo cleanly—in sync with the music and with clean movements.

There have also been innovative changes in the type of music being chosen for precision programs. Teams such as the Garfield Heights Goldenettes and Royallettes, who won the Senior and Junior divisions at last year's Nationals, have shown that choosing a theme, such as "Swan Lake" or "Carmen," and building a program around it, can lead to success. This method results in a more unified program which builds to a climax, as opposed to a program consisting solely of unrelated short segments.

Teams also need to be aware of the importance of the beginning and end of their program. They need to remember that they are making an impression, good or bad, from the minute they step onto the ice. A good group warm-up can set the mood of the programs as compared to the team that simply goes out as individuals and strokes around on the ice or checks the ice for bobby pins, etc. (The latter should have already been done by sweepers between teams.)

The end of the program is the team's last chance to impress the audience and the judges. Their bow should reflect the theme of the program. The team also needs to control their excitement at having concluded their program and wait on the ice until all the marks have been read. This is especially important

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**LALIQUE TROPHY  
PARIS, FRANCE  
NOVEMBER 9-11, 1990**

*by Jean-Christophe Berlot*

Mme. Marie-Claude Lalique, the famous French designer of Lalique crystal, had two things in mind when she decided to create and sponsor a skating trophy four years ago. First, she wanted to gather some of the top skaters of the world. And second, she wanted to bring back together the flavor of fashion, sport, glamour, and art figure skating had during the Belle Epoque in Paris. Her efforts could not be better exemplified than by the skaters she presented to the French audience this year.

### **Pairs**

Elena Bechke and Denis Petrov, of the USSR, easily won the pairs event. Their free program was an amazing display of their talent and innovative skills. A superlative synchronization between the two, beautiful edges, interesting choreography with most creative attitudes, and an array of triple jumps gave them a clear-cut victory. Evgenia Cheryshova and Dmitri Sukhanov, also from the USSR, gave a demonstration of their stylish and trick-box precise skating and finished second. Michelle Menzies and Kevin Wheeler of Canada were third. There were no skaters from the U.S. as the American representatives, Angela Deneweth and John Denton, had to withdraw before the trip because of an injury.

### **Dance**

Stefania Calegari and Pasquale Camerlengo of Italy led the dance competition, from the compulsory Argentine Tango, to the end. Their free program was a rendering of entertainment and humor sequences *à l'Américaine*, with innovative steps making it even more effective on the ice. Second were the French, Sophie Moniotte and Pascal Lavanchy, whose dramatic interpretation of the "Phantom of the Opera" earned them two first places and warm applause from their home audience. Angelika Krylova and Vladimir Leliuk, from the USSR, were certainly the fastest dancers on the ice at Lalique

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this year, and their exhibition to "Spartacus" earned them a deserved bronze medal. Jacqueline Petr and Mark Janoschak of Canada took fourth place with an innovative "automaton" free dance. Jeanne Miley and Michael Verlich, the U.S. representatives, received a warm welcome from the Parisian audience and finished sixth.

### **Men**

Even though he was a clear favorite of the men's event, Christopher Bowman experienced quite a difficult time in the original program, where he two-footed the triple flip of his combination and turned the following triple toe into a double. He nonetheless managed to end up second in this section, right behind last year's trophy winner, Viascheslav Zagorodniuk of the Soviet Union. In the free program, however, no doubt was left as to whom would win the trophy. Bowman skated right before Zagorodniuk, and the way he performed his opening triple Lutz set the tone of the whole program including his trademark triple flip to triple toe which followed. Bowman has added a new force of conviction into his moves, and his mastery has turned into true class. Zagorodniuk could not hold the suspense as he missed his two planned triple Axels. He did not need to fall for Bowman to win, however, so wonderful the exhibition of the American had been. Elvis Stojko of Canada was an unexpected but welcome third.

### **Ladies**

In the ladies' original program, French jumping prodigy Surya Bonaly put her hand down on the triple Lutz of her combination but she nonetheless led this section. Right behind were Nancy Kerrigan of the U.S. and Lenka Kulovana of Czechoslovakia. In the free, Kulovana's beautiful line, balletic grace, and



near-perfect technique gave a thrill to the audience. She pulled up one spot and finished second overall. Kerrigan also had a very classical and pure line on the ice, and the consistency of her edges was a delight to watch. Apart from a triple flip turned into a double and a fall on a double Axel, her program was strong and entertaining, with beautiful camels and innovative steps and spins. Kerrigan dropped one place to third overall, but the French will remember her as a great promise for skating. Bonaly has improved her rotation abilities again, even attempting a quadruple Salchow. She secured all triples otherwise (except the Axel), received an ovation from the audience, and the competition's gold medal.

With only four days for the whole stay, the competitors had little time to tour Paris. They

tried to take advantage of the last day to visit the Orsay Museum and the Eiffel Tower, but most ran out of time and some even missed the start of the final ceremony! The champions of Paris came back to the ice in front of a packed arena for the final exhibitions, along with Lalique guest stars Paul and Isabelle Duchesnay, Ekaterina Gordeeva and Sergei Grinkov, and Viktor Petrenko. Even though Christopher Bowman did squirt Mme. Lalique a bit with his water pistol in his final Rolling Stones exhibition, she was certainly not the last to applaud him and his colleagues.

*Jean-Christophe Berlot is the Editor of Patinage magazine and a frequent contributor to Skating.*



**ODESSA, USSR**  
**NOVEMBER 28-DECEMBER 2, 1990**

*Pictured at right: (top) U.S. team members stopped at St. Basil's on their way to Odessa; (left) Michael Verlich, Stacey Rutkowski, Katie Wood, Audrey Williams, Jeanne Miley, Bob Young, Joan Burns, Doug Mattis, Cindy Caprel, Darlene Gilbert and Matthew Hall; (right) Katie Wood and Todd Reynolds.*



#### MEN

	OP	FS	
1.	2	1	Aleksei Urmanov, USSR
2.	1	2	Mikhail Shmerkin, USSR
3.	3	3	Oleg Tataurov, USSR
4.	6	4	Dmitri Dmitrenko, USSR
5.	5	5	<b>Doug Mattis, USA</b>
6.	4	6	Roman Kudryavtsev, USSR
7.	8	7	Marius Negrea, Romania
8.	10	8	Matthew Hall, Canada
9.	9	9	Marek Szaszor, Poland
			Yuri Tzymbalyuk, USSR, withdrew

#### PLACES

2.0
2.5
4.5
7.0
7.5
8.0
11.0
13.0
13.5

# LADIES

	OP	FS	PLACES
1.	2	1 Olga Markova, USSR	2.0
2.	1	2 <b>Staci Rutkowski, USA</b>	2.5
3.	4	3 Liudmila Ivanova, USSR	5.0
4.	5	4 Tatiana Klenina, USSR	6.5
5.	3	5 Elena Kushnir, USSR	6.5
6.	8	6 Yulia Kulibanova, USSR	10.0
7.	7	8 Natalia Gorbenko, USSR	11.5
8.	10	7 Alma Lepina, USSR	12.0
9.	6	9 Yulia Mashintseva, USSR	12.0
10.	9	10 Christine Czerni, Austria	14.5
11.	11	11 Yukako Ogino, Japan	16.5
12.	12	12 Ritsuko Umehara, Japan	18.0
13.	13	13 Milena Marinovich, Bulgaria	19.5
14.	15	14 Marta Andreella, Italy	21.5

Tzvetelina Yankova, Bulgaria, withdrew  
 Natalia Lebedeva, USSR, withdrew  
 Tatiana Malinina, USSR, withdrew

# PAIRS

	OP	FS	PLACES
1.	2	1 Evgenia Shishkova & Vadim Naumov, USSR	2.0
2.	1	2 Elena Leonova & Sergei Petrovskii, USSR	2.5
3.	4	3 Yulia Borisova & Valery Artiukhov, USSR	5.0
4.	3	4 Elena Nikonova & Nikolai Apter, USSR	5.5
5.	6	5 Svetlana Titkova & Oleg Maksiutov, USSR	8.0
6.	5	6 Elena Lidinkina & Denis Tikhonov, USSR	8.5
7.	9	7 <b>Katie Wood &amp; Todd Reynolds, USA</b>	11.5
8.	8	8 Marina Khalturina & Andrei Kryukov, USSR	12.0
9.	7	10 Natalia Mudresova & Aleksei Letov, USSR	13.5
10.	10	9 Anna Tabacchi & Salvade Massino, Italy	14.0

# DANCE

	CD	OD	FD	PLACES
1.	1	1	1 Ilona Melnichenko & Gennadyi Kaskov, USSR	2.0
2.	3	2	2 Irina Anciferova & Oleg Granenov, USSR	4.4
3.	2	3	3 Natalia Linets & Aleksei Kisilitsin, USSR	5.6
4.	4	4	4 <b>Jeanne Miley &amp; Michael Verlich, USA</b>	8.0
5.	5	5	5 Tatiana Navka & Samvel Gezalyan, USSR	10.0
6.	7	6	6 Margarita Drobyazko & Povilas Vanagas, USSR	12.6
7.	6	7	7 Kayo Shirahata & Tanaka Hiroshi, Japan	13.8
8.	7	8	8 Elena Grushina & Ruslan Goncharov, USSR	15.8
9.	9	9	9 Stefania Lombardi & Alberta Reani, Italy	17.8



**OSLO - PIRUETTEN**  
 OSLO, NORWAY  
 NOVEMBER 30-DECEMBER 2, 1990

# SENIOR MEN

	OP	FS	PLACES
1.	2	1 Sergei Dudakov, USSR	2.0
2.	3	2 <b>Shepherd Clark, USA</b>	3.5
3.	1	3 Sergei Artemov, USSR	3.5
4.	5	4 Fabrice Garattoni, France	6.5
5.	4	5 Jan Erik Digernes, Norway	7.0



6.	7	6	Niclas Karlsson, Sweden	9.5
7.	6	8	John Augustsson, Sweden	11.0
8.	9	7	Hakan Bystrom, Sweden	11.5
9.	8	9	Josko Cerovac, Yugoslavia	13.0

#### SENIOR LADIES

	OP	FS		PLACES
1.	3	1	Maria Butyrskaya, USSR	2.5
2.	1	4	Gina Fulton, Great Britain	4.5
3.	6	2	Mari Niskanen, Finland	5.0
4.	5	3	Stephanie Ferrer, France	5.5
5.	2	5	Yvonne Pokorny, Austria	6.0
6.	4	7	Maria Fuglsang, Denmark	9.0
7.	10	6	Mila Kajas, Finland	11.0
8.	7	8	Anita Thorenfeldt, Norway	11.5
9.	9	9	Astrid Winkelmann, Netherlands	13.5
10.	8	10	Marie-Theres Wenzel, Austria	14.0
11.	13	11	Vibecke Sorensen, Norway	17.5
12.	11	12	Hayley Antal, Australia	17.5
13.	14	13	Dunja Huda, Austria	20.0
14.	12	14	Victoria Scott, Norway	20.0
Marianne Aarnes, Norway, withdrew				
Cecilie Willberg, Sweden, withdrew				

#### JUNIOR MEN

	OP	FS		PLACES
1.	1	1	Illa Kulik, USSR	1.5
2.	2	2	Alexandr Klimkin, USSR	3.0
3.	5	3	Richard Leroy, France	5.5
4.	3	4	Trevor Fraser, Canada	5.5
5.	4	4	Michael Hopfes, Federal Republic of Germany	6.0
6.	6	6	Ashley Wilson, Australia	9.0
7.	7	7	Roland Burghart, Austria	10.5

#### JUNIOR LADIES

	OP	FS		PLACES
1.	1	1	Anna Rechnio, Poland	1.5
2.	2	2	Sarah Abitbol, France	3.0
3.	4	3	Stephanie Walker, Great Britain	5.0
4.	5	4	Julia Lavrenchuk, USSR	6.5
5.	3	5	Mojca Kopac, Yugoslavia	6.5
6.	9	7	Conny Stuijver, Netherlands	11.5
7.	12	6	Aneta Wojcinska, Poland	12.0
8.	10	8	Andrea Kus, Austria	13.0
9.	7	10	Allyson Fish, Federal Republic of Germany	13.5
10.	6	12	Johanna Bjorsell, Sweden	15.0
11.	14	9	Anna Rosman, Sweden	16.0
12.	8	13	Sara Axelsson, Sweden	17.0
13.	13	11	Elena Maria Sarasa, Spain	17.5
14.	11	15	Lisa-Mare Pembroke, Australia	20.5
15.	17	14	Nancy Broeders, Netherlands	22.5
16.	16	16	Anne Mette Poulsen, Denmark	24.0
17.	15	18	Camilla Rismyhr, Norway	25.5
18.	18	17	Karin Hrdlicka, Austria	26.0
19.	21	19	Tine Hestbak, Denmark	29.5
20.	19	20	Petra Hrdlicka, Austria	29.5
21.	20	21	Monica Nielsen, Norway	31.0
22.	24	22	Ruth Charlotte Wessel, Norway	34.0
23.	22	23	Victoria Larsson, Sweden	34.0
24.	23	24	Elisabeth Hopland, Norway	35.5



## SNOWFLAKE INVITATIONAL

BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS, USA  
DECEMBER 26-29, 1990

### SENIOR CHAMPIONSHIP

1. Les Pirouettes De Laval, Canada
2. Goldenettes, USA
3. Haydenettes, USA
4. National Capital, Canada
5. Tokyo Women's College, Japan
6. Calalta Ice Illusions, Canada

### MAJORITY

- 6/1
- 7/2
- 5/3
- 6/4
- 5/5
- 7/6

Eliminated after initial round

### GROUP A

4. Mini-Minneapplettes, USA

### GROUP B

4. The Cutting Edge, USA
5. Mexico '90, Mexico

Eliminated after initial round

### GROUP A

4. Minneapplettes, USA

### GROUP B

4. Fraserettes, USA

### JUNIOR CHAMPIONSHIP

1. Team Surprise, Sweden
2. Les Etincelles De Charlesbourg, Canada
3. Brampton Ice Angels, Canada
4. Les Pirouettes De Laval, Canada
5. Shoreliners, USA
6. Edmonton Junior, Canada

### MAJORITY

- 5/1
- 4/2
- 6/3
- 5/4
- 5/5
- 7/6

### JUVENILE CHAMPIONSHIP

1. Les Coccinelles De Charlesbourg, Canada
2. Angelettes, USA
3. Brampton Littlest Angels, Canada
4. Skating Aces, USA

### MAJORITY

- 4/1
- 5/2
- 6/3
- 7/4

Eliminated after initial round

### GROUP A

3. CBN Sailors On Ice, Canada

### GROUP B

3. Ice Cubes, USA

### SENIOR SILVER

1. Fraserettes, USA
2. Minneapplettes, USA

### MAJORITY

- 6/1
- 7/2

Eliminated after the initial round

### GROUP A

4. Royalettes, USA
5. Goldrush, USA
6. Tokyo Women's College, Japan

### GROUP B

4. Crystal Blades, USA
5. Hakk Teamskaters, Sweden
6. Siddis Team, Norway
7. Ollin Coatl, Mexico

### JUNIOR SILVER

1. Royalettes, USA
2. Goldrush, USA
3. Crystal Blades, USA
4. Hakk Teamskaters, Sweden
5. Tokyo Women's College, Japan
6. Siddis Team, Norway
7. Ollin Coatl, Mexico

### MAJORITY

- 7/1
- 6/3
- 5/3
- 5/4
- 4/4
- 5/6
- 7/7

### NOVICE CHAMPIONSHIP

1. Les Pirouettes De Laval, Canada
2. Ice Mates, USA
3. Les Alteses, Canada
4. Brampton Angelettes, Canada
5. Black Magic, Canada
6. Fraser Juniores, USA

### MAJORITY

- 5/1
- 6/2
- 5/3
- 4/3
- 5/4
- 7/6

### NOVICE SILVER

1. The Cutting Edge, USA
2. Mini-Minneapplettes, USA
3. Mexico '90, Mexico

### MAJORITY

- 6/1
- 7/2
- 7/3

### JUVENILE SILVER

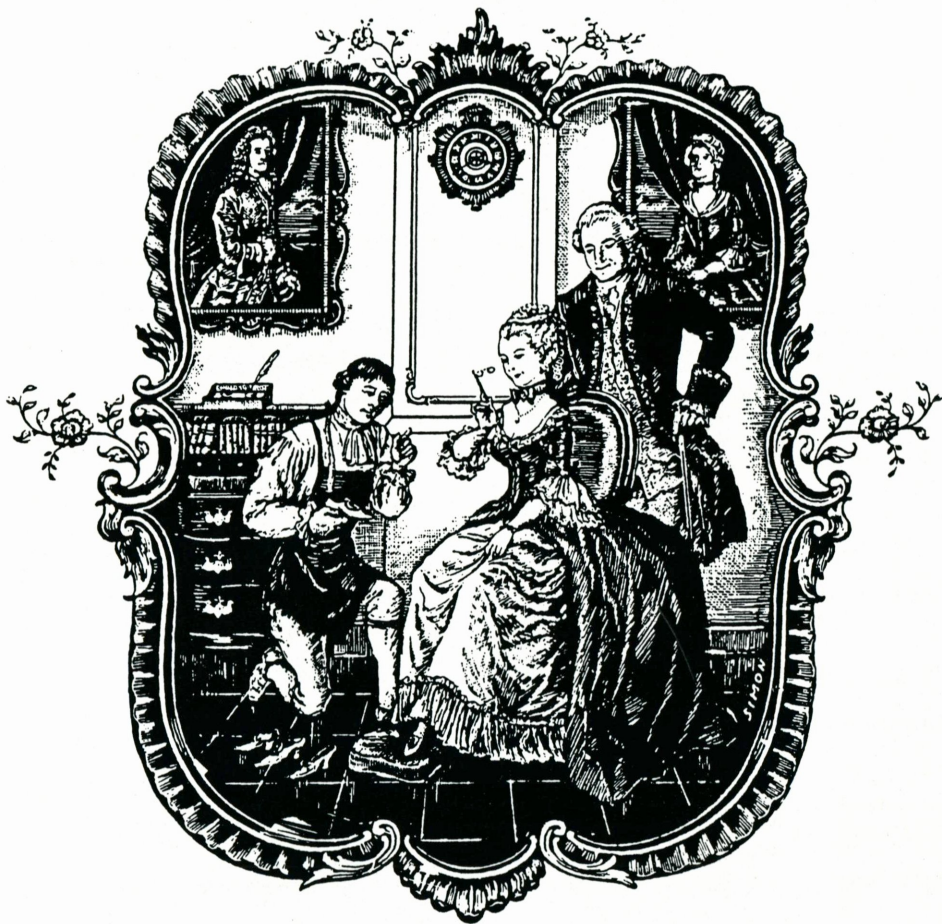
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## Prevention of Lower Limb Pain in Figure Skating Athletes

by Haik Gharibians

The purpose of this article is to discuss the prevention of athletic injuries with focus on anatomical and mechanical problems. More specifically, I will be relating my comments to figure skating.

When athletes complain of pain they are usually told to take a period of rest and abstain from a rigorous program of training. This recommendation is very stressful to an athlete who must participate in local, national, or international competition in a short while. Thus, he or she may disregard the recommendation, or follow it, and in either case face the disappointment of not being able to compete. This is a common and unfortunate experience in figure skating which can easily be prevented. The purpose of this article is to highlight the major anatomical and mechanical factors that precipitate pain and soreness in the lower limbs of figure skaters and to explain some effective preventive measures.

As a therapist, I see many athletes in figure skating with lower limb pain. The coach usually has told the athlete that his pain is due to shin splints and to "Go see the therapist."

In my practice, I estimate that 80 percent of such referrals are not shin splints. There are two primary reasons for lower limb pain. The first cause is that the athlete has started heavy training right after a seasonal break and the compartment muscles of the lower limbs are weak. In such cases, I recommend that the athlete continue training but include specific exercises to build up the compartment muscles. This approach allows the athlete to retain his confidence, remain psychologically fit, and to pursue his athletic goals safely.

The second, and most common, lower limb pain is caused by the overuse of: (a) tibialis anterior; (b) extensor digitorum brevis and longus; and (c) extensor hallucis brevis and longus. Making strong and excessive effort in using these muscles injures their musculotendinous units with signs and symptoms as observed by: (a) pain or palpating tibial crest; (b) decreased range of motion at ankle; (c) pain or

dorsiflexion and hyperextension of toes; and (d) tight plantar flexors.

All of these muscle-strain problems could be the result of blade imbalance. If the blade is not properly adjusted, the leg muscles would have to overwork with an up and down motion of the toes in order to compensate for blade imbalance. By properly adjusting and sharpening the blades, the pain should disappear within 72 hours, and the athlete can return to a full training schedule.

An athlete is a dedicated and disciplined individual. His entire day-to-day activity is organized around an athletic program. An athlete is competitive, and strives to reach goals. This individual can be psychologically devastated when told to be off training in order to be cured of his pain. It is even more unfortunate when the discontinuation of training will not really be effective because the underlying anatomical or mechanical problems causing the pain have not been addressed.

The athlete should be viewed in a holistic manner. It is essential that in treating a specific pain, the concept of mind, body, and spirit remain in focus. The approach suggested in this article is aimed at prevention and the holistic treatment of lower limb pain in figure skaters. This approach is based on the understanding that disruption and inactivity may destroy the athlete's ambition, and should be avoided when at all possible.

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# Adult Skaters Accepting the Challenge

by Deb Vestal

*Where are the judges? Let's get this over with. Don't get too tired. Stay warm. Don't overdo it. Oh, no, here come the judges.*

I looked over at the judges marching in to judge my Adult bronze free skating test. Instead of three, a whole mob of judges marched in. Everyone had come to see the first Adult test to be taken at the St. Paul FSC.

I squinted my eyes over at the first judge. Could it be? The judge-in-charge, Janet Allen, was the chairman of the USFSA Singles and Pairs Committee which created the Adult tests.

Allen motioned me over to her. "Are you going to skate to music?" she asked. I shook my head, no, and asked, "Why are there so many judges?" She smiled saying, "It is the first time any of us have ever seen an Adult test. We are all here to get a feel for it."

My first feeling was embarrassment. I remember the other testers in the warm-up room saying how easy their tests were with half-revolution jumps. Mine was much easier. All I had to do was two half-revolution jumps, two spins, and that would be it. It was the easiest of the easy. I couldn't mess up now.

The Plexiglas panels were filled with faces watching as I began to skate. I barely noticed. I was in my own world skating my best.

The test was over in a flash and I left the rink with a smile. Most of the judges smiled back. I had passed my test.

Talking to Allen after the test session, she talked about the new Adult test structure. "The tests came about because of requests directly to the USFSA and

through different committees. The tests are for those who would probably never reach their golds through the regular test schedule."

She went on to say that an adult can go through the regular test structure or the new Adult structure or both. But once the Novice free skating or fourth figure test has been passed, adults are excluded from taking the Adult tests.

"We just didn't want people who have their gold or their eighth test to step in," explained Allen. "Because they have already achieved that. It was to give more people a chance—to make the gold reachable. I think that the hard part (in putting the tests together) was not to make it too easy nor out of reach for too many people."

To make the silver and gold tests more important, intermediate and high test judges respectively must judge the tests. "I think it adds prestige to it," said Allen.

And what did she think of seeing her first Adult test? "Well, I didn't even know that I was going to judge an Adult test when I came to the rink this morning. I never ask what I am going to be judging. When I heard that there was going to be an Adult test, I knew that would be fun.

"All the judges felt real good about it. Of course, you were really easy to judge because you passed very easily."

A shade of red passed through my face as I thanked Allen for her kind comments. Several of the coaches stopped me and told me I skated rather well. The sense of embarrassment of doing something too easy slowly faded.

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# Canadians Tap All But One Gold Medal Honor At SunLife Skate Canada '90

—11-year-old American Joanna Ng Captures Ladies Interpretive Title

by Peter K. Robertson



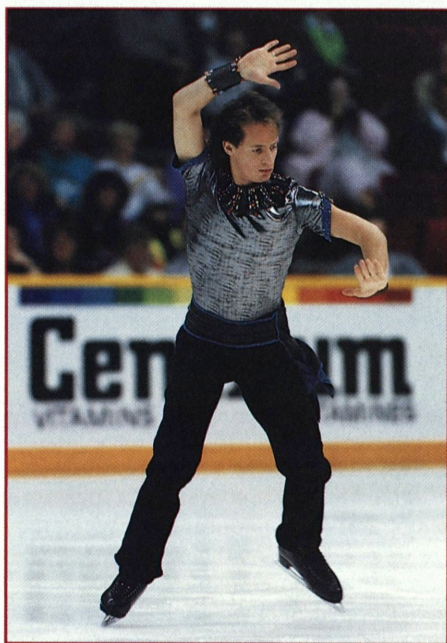
*Pictured above are members of the U.S. contingent to Skate Canada. They are: (front row, l to r) Calla Urbanski, Joanna Ng, Elaine Asanakis, Jennifer Heurlin, John Frederiksen, and Ida Tuteoka. (back row) Mary Cook, Rocky Marval, Mark Mitchell, Holly Cook, Roger Glenn, Joel McKeever, Peter Breen, Rachel Mayer, and Larry Holliday.*

Lethbridge, Alberta, host city for the 1990 SunLife Skate Canada International, had a very tough act to follow after last year's successful event in Cornwall, Ontario. But the city's inhabitants fully met the challenge, coming up with a well organized and enthusiastically attended competition with a distinctly Western flavor, right up to the closing banquet which turned out to be a barbecue. Even Mother Nature helped out by supplying some very pleasant fall weather with temperatures that ranged up to 70 degrees. The skaters responded to the hospitality with genuine appreciation, producing fine performances and a few upsets.

## Men

Certainly the biggest draw at this year's SunLife Skate Canada, as well as the clearest favorite, was Kurt Browning: not only a two-time Canadian and World champion, but a native Albertan as well. With Grzegorz Filipowski the only other men's competitor present currently ranked in the top 10 in the world, Browning was not expected to have much difficulty procuring the gold medal. He did prevail, but it was not quite as simple as that prediction would imply.

The men's original program, unlike the ladies', was rife with errors. The first skater, Dmitri Gromov of the USSR did only a double Axel/double toe loop com-



**Men's Gold**  
**KURT BROWNING**  
**CAN**

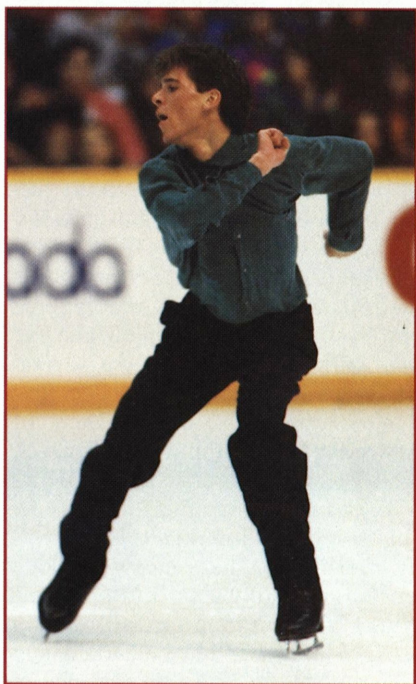
bination and then touched down on a triple Lutz. West German Daniel Weiss also touched down on the triple loop in his jump combination, but his usual audience-pleasing choreography assured him higher presentation marks. Both Cameron Medhurst of Australia and Canada's Norm Proft lost ground with double Lutz/double toe loop combinations that should have begun with triples.

Browning was the first to land a really good combination, a huge triple Axel followed by a double toe loop. He also landed a good triple flip and was clearly heading for a first-place finish when he mislanded a double Axel. It appeared as if he had simply jumped too high to check out of the jump correctly. The mistake cost him in the marks for required elements, of course, but the striking choreography by Brian Power brought him excellent marks for presentation. The program is dark and mysteri-

ous, quite unlike anything Browning had done previously. The unusual and effective arm positions are much more polished than they were at the Goodwill Games. His performance moved him into the lead, but had opened the door for Filipowski.

The Polish skater wasted no time taking advantage. He matched Browning jump for jump, except that he was successful with the double Axel as well. By an odd coincidence, his program had a mid-Eastern flavor similar to Browning's and was choreographically one of the most interesting routines he has ever put together. His clean program deservedly moved him into first place and dropped Browning to second.

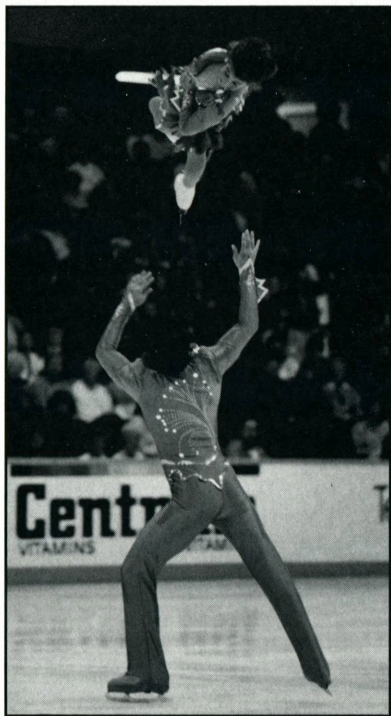
American Mark Mitchell also attempted the triple Axel/double toe loop combination, but was unable to land the toe loop cleanly. The rest of his elements were fine and he skated throughout with musicality and good line to "When a Man Loves a Woman." He moved into



**Men's Bronze**  
**MARK MITCHELL**  
**USA**

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**Pair's Gold**  
**ISABELLE BRASSEUR &**  
**LLOYD EISLER**  
**CAN**

third place. The final skater was Oliver Hoener of Switzerland who, after a good triple loop/double loop, failed in his solo triple toe loop. He finished sixth, just behind Proft and Medhurst, but ahead of Weiss and Gromov.

Unfortunately, all of the performances in the free skating were flawed to some extent. Each of the lower ranked men had trouble with at least one of the several triple jumps he attempted. Hoener fell from a toe loop, Masakazu Kagiya from a Lutz, Gromov and France's Nicolas Petorin from Axels, and Weiss from Lutz and loop attempts.

The first of the top men to skate was Proft, fresh from his victory at Skate Electric. He had problems initially, over-rotating a triple toe loop and falling from triple Lutz and flip, but he rallied and

finished strongly with three good triples, two Salchows and a toe loop. Fifth place in the long kept him fourth overall.

He was followed by Mitchell, who had the cleanest program of the night. He featured six triples, including an Axel and a Lutz, although the only one in combination was a triple toe loop following a double flip. The only slip was a double Axel at the end of the program opened to a single. His presentation was effective as well, set to unusual music: Leonard Bernstein's score from *On the Waterfront*. His marks were 5.5 to 5.8 and he easily took the bronze medal.

For Medhurst, it was an off night. Although his choreography, which appropriately incorporated "Waltzing Matilda," delighted the audience, he fell from triple flip and triple Lutz attempts, and dropped in the final standings to sixth place behind Weiss.

Next up was Browning with the most technically ambitious program of the event, filled with triple jump combinations. Not everything came off successfully: he over-rotated a triple Axel and fell from a triple loop near the end, but he landed a triple toe loop/double toe loop, triple flip/triple toe loop, a second triple Axel, and a triple Salchow. The program, set to the music of the Sons of Italy, is a striking vehicle for him. His marks, ranging from 5.5 to 5.9, were easily good enough to win the gold.

The final skater was Filipowski. After falling out of his opening triple Axel, he managed four other triples: Lutz, flip, loop, and Salchow, none of them in combination. His choreography did not duplicate the improvement he showed in the original program, and he just managed to prevail over Mitchell for the silver medal, the judges splitting four-three in his favor.

## **Pairs**

The pairs' event was one in which clear favorites existed. 1990 World Silver

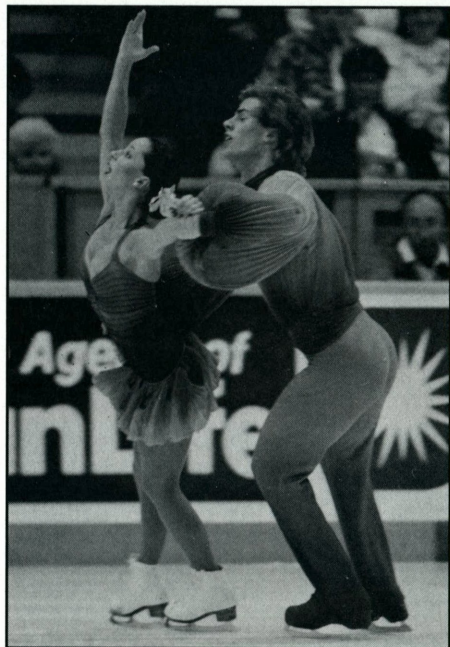
Medalists Isabelle Brasseur and Lloyd Eisler of Canada were expected to win; their strongest competition coming from teammates Michelle Menzies and Kevin Wheeler, bronze medalists at last year's Skate Canada, and a young Soviet pair, Evgenia Shishkova and Vadim Naumov.

Brasseur and Eisler were the first of the top contenders to skate the original program. Choreographed by Uschi Keszler to "Yes Sir, That's My Baby," this was a witty Charleston number, highlighted by a superb double twist and a wonderful overhead lift. Eisler's slight unsteadiness landing the individual double Axel was the only noticeable blemish. Their marks for required elements ranged from 5.3 to 5.6, and those for presentation from 5.6 to 5.8. This set a standard that none of the other couples would reach.

Inez Mueller and Ingo Steuer, a young East German pair now skating for the Federal Republic of Germany, followed with a competent performance marred only by Mueller's two-footed landing of the double Axel. The first of the two American pairs, Jennifer Heurlin and John Frederiksen, had worse problems with their double Axels—he stepping out of the landing and she falling.

Then came Shishkova and Naumov. Confirming that the double Axel was the troublesome element this evening, Shishkova singled hers in an otherwise strong performance. Marks of 4.7 to 5.2 for the elements and 5.0 to 5.7 for presentation put them in second place at this point.

Menzies and Wheeler opened with a double twist and then two cleanly landed side-by-side double Axels, easily the best of the night. Except for some difficulty coordinating the entry into their individual flying sit spins, this was a strong performance that brought marks of 5.2 to 5.6 and moved them ahead of the Soviets into second place.

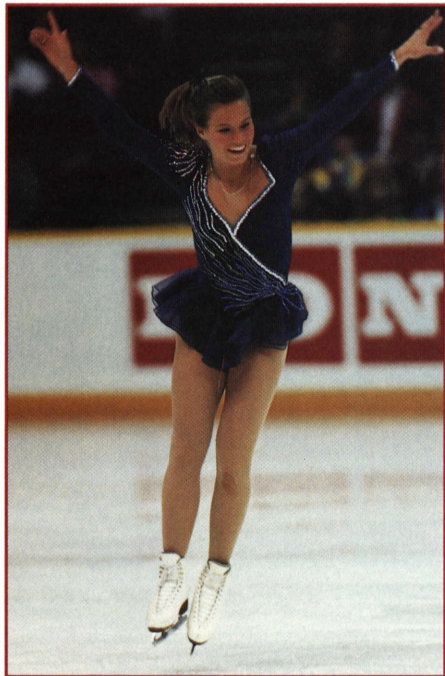


**Dance Gold**  
**JACQUELINE PETR &**  
**MARK JANOSCHAK**  
**CAN**

The final pair was the second American entry, Elaine Asanakis and Joel McKeever. Again the double Axels were their undoing, as Asanakis singled hers. The other elements were successfully completed, enabling them to take fifth place behind Brasseur and Eisler, Menzies and Wheeler, Shishkova and Naumov, and Mueller and Steuer. Heurlin and Frederiksen finished one spot back in sixth.

Heurlin and Frederiksen fought back, however, in the free skating. Skating to selections from the musical *Song & Dance*, they again had difficulty with the individual double Axels. That was the only serious error, though, as they included a lateral twist, throw double Axel, and triple Salchow jumps, and a pair of fine death spirals. Fourth place in the long program moved them into fourth overall.





**Ladies' Gold**  
**JOSEE CHOUINARD**  
**CAN**

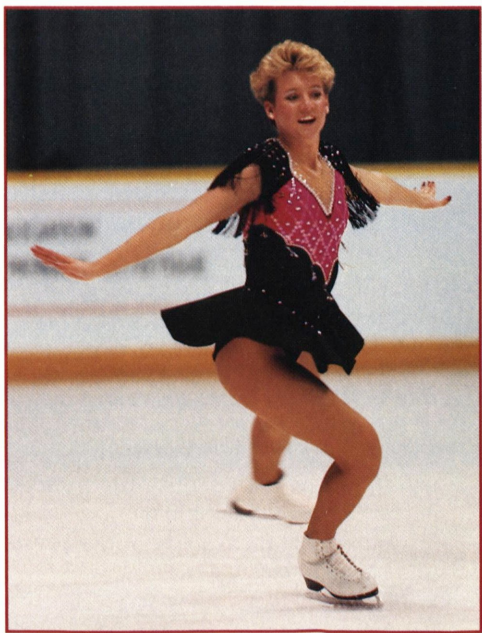
Asanakis and McKeever were less fortunate. She fell from a double flip and there were problems with unison on the individual moves. Lacking some of the technical content of their compatriots (for example, a throw double Salchow, rather than a triple), they dropped to seventh in the free skating, as well as in the final results.

They were followed by Shishkova and Naumov. A fall by Naumov on the opening side-by-side triple toe loops seemed to unsettle them and their unison suffered throughout their program. The double Axels lacked synchronization, she touched down on a throw triple Salchow, and they fell out of one of their lifts. Nevertheless, the high level of difficulty in the routine, which included a triple twist and a throw triple toe loop, brought them marks of 5.3 to 5.7 and moved them into a final second place.

Immediately after came Brasseur and Eisler. If they were not quite at their best, it was more than good enough. Skating to music by John Tesh, they opened with a great lateral triple twist and also included a throw triple loop, a triple twist, a hydrant lift, two fine death spirals, and very impressive lifts. Brasseur fell from her double Axel and a throw triple Salchow was landed on two feet, but unlike the other pairs they did not let the mistakes affect the rest of the program. The marks for technical merit were 5.5 to 5.7 and for artistic impression 5.6 to 5.8. As in the original program, they were placed first by all seven judges.

Mueller and Steuer encountered many problems, most of them owing to her inexperience. She is only 16 to her partner's 24, and this showed as she doubled a triple toe loop and singled the double Axel and loop jumps. They dropped to a final fifth place.

The last skaters were Menzies and Wheeler, still with a chance for the gold. Their technically ambitious program started off well, with very strong individ-



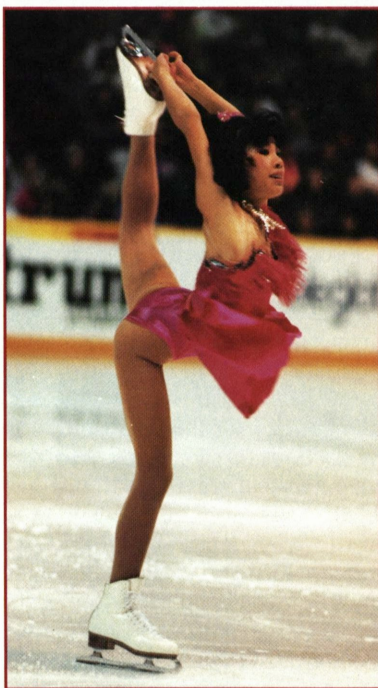
**Ladies' Bronze**  
**HOLLY COOK**  
**USA**

ual double Axels and a fine throw triple Salchow. They attempted side-by-side triple Salchows, but Wheeler fell from his and, more surprisingly, the throw double Axel also resulted in a fall. Despite the content, their timing wasn't quite on after the mistakes. Although it appeared to be very close between them and the Soviets, the judges dropped them to third place, giving this couple the bronze medal for the second year in a row.

## Dance

The one event which had no clear favorite was ice dancing. The field included six couples who had competed at Halifax last March, none placing higher than 13th, as well as four couples from Canada, the Soviet Union, and the United States, who have yet to make it to the World Championships.

At the conclusion of the first compulsory dance, the Quickstep, the Canadians Jacqueline Petr and Mark Jan-



**Ladies' Interpretive – Gold**  
**JOANNA NG**  
**USA**



**Men's Interpretive – Gold**  
**STEVEN BELANGER**  
**CAN**

oschak were narrowly in the lead, followed by Irina Romanova and Igor Iaroshenko of the USSR. In third place were Anna Croci and Luca Mantovani of Italy, followed by the Polish duo Malgorzata Grajcar and Andrzej Dostatni. Americans Rachel Mayer and Peter Breen were sixth.

Petr and Janoschak strengthened their lead with a convincing victory on the Argentine Tango. Romanova and Iaroshenko were again second, but the Italians and Poles reversed their previous positions and thus finished the compulsories tied under the new marking system. Mayer and Breen were seventh but maintained their hold on sixth place overall.

The rhythm for the new original dance was the Blues, and it was interesting to



see what the dancers would come up with faced with this challenge. The majority seemed to put as much emphasis on emoting as on skating. Petr and Janoschak chose to be different and won this section with a dance that stressed line and edges; it was a program whose appeal was probably greater for other ice dancers than for the general audience. The Soviets were again second, but Croci and Mantovani were third, giving them sole possession of third place and pushing Grajcar and Dostatni down to fourth. Mayer and Breen's original dance probably had the most genuine "blues" feeling and should perhaps have moved them up a place, but they remained solidly in sixth.

Mayer and Breen also had the misfortune to draw first to skate the free dance. Starting out to a jazzy rendition of "Summertime," they fell early in their program and again on the final move. They could place no higher than eighth in the free and seventh overall, giving up sixth to the second Canadian entry Jennifer Nocito and Brad Hopkins, whose free dance was very well skated.

Croci and Mantovani were the first of the top five to skate. Set to baroque sounding music, their program told a straightforward love story. Traditional though the number may have been, they skated with sensitivity toward the music and each other. Nevertheless, they were placed fourth in the free dance and in the final results.

The British couple of Ann Hall and Jason Blomfield followed. Skating to "The Sorcerer's Apprentice" by Dukas, they were appropriately attired in costumes that rather wittily suggested a wizard's garb, ornamented with stars and moons. The choreography followed this theme as well, but it wasn't quite able to hold the interest fully for four minutes. They maintained the fifth spot they had held throughout the competition.

Grajcar and Dostatni performed to a real hodge-podge of music, ending up with "Take My Breath Away" from the movie *Top Gun*. Choreographically, it seemed old-fashioned, but it was strongly skated and clearly a real audience pleaser. The judges responded as well, giving them third place in the free dance and the bronze medal.

The Soviets skated a technically difficult program that seemed to bear little connection to the accompanying music and made no particular impression on the audience. Most memorable was Iaroshenko's costume: black, with a fluorescent green stripe spiraling down one leg and what looked like a handprint of the same color on the knee of the other leg! What this had to do with either the program or the music was not apparent. Presumably due to their level of difficulty, they had no problem holding on to the silver medal.

That Petr and Janoschak were once again planning something different was clear just from looking at their costumes. Unlike the standard dance outfits most of the couples were wearing, theirs were boldly stylized almost to the point of a cartoon. Made up entirely of primary colors, they were inspired by a Mondrian painting and were designed by Toller Cranston, who also worked on the choreography. The dance is set to Danny Elfman's music from the Pee Wee Herman movie *Pee Wee's Big Adventure* and tells of the comic strip adventures of a suburban couple who find themselves in the big city for the first time. It is filled with unusual positions and steps, all seemingly dictated by the music, and clearly has far more in common with the world of modern dance than with the more traditional ballet that influences so much of ice dancing. Despite a couple of rough spots, the end result captivated the audience and enough of the judges to give this team the gold medal.



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# NEW ENGLANDS

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## 1991 NEW ENGLAND CHAMPIONSHIPS BOXBOROUGH, MASSACHUSETTS NOVEMBER 28-DECEMBER 1, 1990

### SENIOR MEN FREE SKATING

JUDGES: 1-Doris T. Heinold, Wellesley Hills, MA; 2-Shirley Holdsworth, Lexington, MA; 3-Lucy J. Brennan, New York, NY; 4-Donald R. Jones, Hyannis, MA; 5-Joan Liotta, Spring Valley, NY; 6-Theresa G. Fischer, Pound Ridge, N 7-Helen Oak, North Merrick, NY; REFEREE: Ann T. Fauver, Gorham, ME. ASSISTANT REFEREE: Judith A. Edmunds, West Yarmouth, MA. ACCOUNTANT: Richard T. Rigby, Lexington, MA.

	OP	FS		PLACES
1.	1	1 Alex Chang, SC of Boston		1.5
2.	2	2 Edmund Nesti, Champlain Valley FSC		3.0
3.	3	3 Leon Nesti, Champlain Valley FSC		4.5

### SENIOR LADIES FREE SKATING

JUDGES: 1-Evelyn Minter, Providence, RI; 2-Mary Louise Wright, Belmont, MA; 3-Helen Oak, North Merrick, NY; 4-Elizabeth Casner, Belmont, MA; 5-Theresa G. Fischer, Pound Ridge, NY; 6-Lucy J. Brennan, New York, NY; 7-Kathaleen A. Kelly, Lake Placid, NY. REFEREE: Gerald G. Gearheart, West Newton, MA. ASSISTANT REFEREE: Shirley M. Kreppel, Williamsville, NY. ACCOUNTANT: Richard T. Rigby, Lexington, MA.

	OP	FS		PLACES
1.	1	1 Colleen Maguire, Colonial FSC		1.5
2.	3	2 Pepi Pierce, Yarmouth IC		3.5
3.	2	3 Michelle C. T. Henrick, SC of Amherst		4.0
4.	4	4 Allison M. Hatch, Pilgrim SC		6.0
5.	6	5 Meredith Ayn Sancomb, SC of Hartford		8.0
6.	5	6 Jody Kane, Hamden FSC		8.5
7.	7	7 Jessa Eisenwinter-Lake, SC of Amherst		10.5

### SENIOR LADIES FIGURES

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		MAJORITY
1.	Jennifer Leng, SC of Boston	7/1
2.	Dawn Duhamel, SC of Boston	6/2
3.	Wendy Weston, SC of Boston	4/3
4.	Kate-Lyn O'Keefe, North Shore SC	6/4
5.	Jennifer Marsh, SC of Hartford	6/5
6.	April Weinberg, SC of Boston	6/6
7.	Denise Powers, Commonwealth FSC	7/7

### JUNIOR LADIES FREE SKATING

JUDGES: 1-Shirley Holdsworth, Lexington, MA; 2-Joan Liotta, Spring Valley, NY; 3-Kathaleen A. Kelly, Lake Placid, NY; 4-Esterica McGill, Amherst, MA; 5-Lee L. Schaffer, Atlanta, GA; 6-Mary Louise Wright, Belmont, MA; 7-Elizabeth Casner, Belmont, MA; REFEREE: William R. Beharrell,\* Concord, MA. ACCOUNTANT: Esther A. Winslow, Taunton, MA.

	OP	FS		PLACES
1.	3	1 Nicole Laurin, Colonial FSC		2.5
2.	2	3 Sharon Wissel, SC of Boston		4.0
3.	5	2 Amanda J. Farkas, SC of Boston		4.5
4.	1	4 Loren Weinberg, SC of Boston		4.5
5.	4	5 Heather Callaghan, Flagg Pond SC		7.0



6.	6	6	Susan E. Hamilton, SC of Boston	9.0
7.	7	7	Leslie Portnoy, North Shore SC	10.5
8.	8	8	Sara Godfrey, SC of Boston	12.0

Eliminated after initial round

#### GROUP A

- Julie Lyn Demarco, North Shore SC
- Jennifer Ross, Little Sun Valley FSC
- Sally Marrano, Stoneham FSC
- Sandra Sullivan, SC of Southern New England

#### GROUP B

- Kristine McKenzie, Warwick Figure Skaters
- Jennifer Blount, SC of Boston
- Amy Ross, Little Sun Valley FSC
- Melanie Warren, Pilgrim SC

#### JUNIOR LADIES FIGURES

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		MAJORITY
1.	Jennifer Blount, SC of Boston	6/1
2.	Tracy J. Kraihanzel, SC of Boston	4/2
3.	Heather Callaghan, Flagg Pond SC	7/3
4.	Jess Sauve, Colonial FSC	6/5
5.	Kate A. Bower, SC of Boston	5/5
6.	Julie L. Demarco, North Shore SC	5/6
7.	Kirsten Schmidt, Colonial FSC	4/6
8.	Caren Lyn Manuel, North Shore SC	5/8
9.	Christine McNiff, North Shore SC	5/9
10.	Susan E. Hamilton, SC of Boston	6/10
11.	Margaret Michaels, Hayden Recreation Centre FSC	7/11

#### ADULT SENIOR DANCE

JUDGES: 1-Helen Oak, North Merrick, NY; 2-Lee Ann Miele/Theresa G. Fischer 3-Mary Louise Wright, Belmont, MA; 4-Sharon Rogers, Morristown, NJ; 5-Leonard Colaruso, Quincy, MA. REFEREE: Gerald G. Gearheart, West Newton, MA. ACCOUNTANT: Julian Krane, Everett, MA.

IR	FR		PLACES
1.	1	1 Patricia M. Roche, SC of Boston	2.0
		Luis Chukui, SC of Boston	
2.	2	2 Diana Goldman, SC of Boston	4.0
		Martin Demoorjian, Individual Member	
3.	3	3 Juliana Dupre, Babson FSC	6.0
		Carl Dupre, SC of Boston	
4.	4	4 Marilyn P. Kasputys, SC of Boston	8.0
		Joseph Kasputys, SC of Boston	

#### ADULT JUNIOR LADIES FREE SKATING

JUDGES: 1-Kathleen Dunn, West Haven, CT; 2-Esterica McGill, Amherst, MA; 3-Cynthia Flynn, Middleton, CT; 4-Doris T. Heinold, Wellesley Hills, 5-Evelyn Minter, Providence, RI. REFEREE: Shirley M. Kreppel, Williamsville, NY. ACCOUNTANT: Esther A. Winslow, \* Taunton, MA.

	MAJORITY
1. Elizabeth Paine, SC of Maine	5/1
2. Anne E. Cesan, Little Sun Valley FSC	3/2
3. Eileen Mantell, New Haven FSC	3/3
4. Pamela Glavin, Martha's Vineyard FSC	5/4
5. Joanne Cutting, SC of Worcester	5/5

#### NOVICE MEN FREE SKATING

JUDGES: 1-Lucy J. Brennan, New York, NY; 2-Kathleen Dunn, West Haven, CT; 3-Joan Liotta, Spring Valley, NY; 4-Shirley Holdsworth, Lexington, MA; 5-Cynthia Flynn, Middleton, CT; 6-Judith A. Edmunds, West Yarmouth, MA; 7-Louisa MacPhail, Lake Placid, NY. REFEREE: Shirley M. Kreppel, Williamsville, NY. ACCOUNTANT: Julian Krane, Everett, MA.

OP	FS		PLACES
1.	1	1 Jason D. Sylvia, SC of Southern New England	1.5
2.	2	2 Laurent Masse, Hayden Recreation Centre FSC	3.0
3.	3	3 Nathan Hutchins, Colonial FSC	4.5
4.	4	4 Robert Van Utert, Colonial FSC	6.0



**NOVICE LADIES FREE SKATING**

JUDGES: 1-Judith A. Edmunds, West Yarmouth, MA; 2-Lee L. Schaffer, Atlanta, GA; 3-Evelyn Minter, Providence, RI; 4-Kathleen Dunn, West Haven, CT; 5-Lee Ann Miele, Naragansett, RI/Sharon Rogers, Haworth, NJ; 6-Esterica McGill, Amherst, MA; 7-Donald R. Jones, Hyannis, MA. REFEREE: William R. Beharrell,\* Concord, MA. ACCOUNTANT: Richard T. Rigby, Lexington, MA.

	OP	FS		PLACES
1.	2	1	Rachel Kolbe, SC of Boston	2.0
2.	1	2	Bethany Quintin, SC of Boston	2.5
3.	8	3	Nancy Velez, Colonial FSC	7.0
4.	4	5	Hannah Shallice, Colonial FSC	7.0
5.	7	4	Hilary Rothberg, SC of Boston	7.5
6.	5	6	Caren L. Manuel, North Shore SC	8.5
7.	3	8	Melanie Lambert, Colonial FSC	9.5
8.	11	7	Sarah Y. Parker, Little Sun Valley SC	12.5
9.	9	9	Briana D. Lackenby, Bolton FSC	13.5
10.	10	10	Jennifer Cataldo, SC of Boston	15.0
11.	6	12	Sarah Russell, SC of Boston	15.0
12.	12	11	Yvette Gattineri, Winchester FSC	17.0

Eliminated after initial round

**GROUP A**

- Shannon Hunt, Pittsfield FSC
- Lena Wilensky, Colonial FSC
- Laura A. Dinardi, North Shore SC
- Brietta Del Manzo, SC of Amherst
- Wendy Altieri, Smithfield FSC

C. Alexis Reiling, Hayden Recreation Centre FSC, withdrew

**GROUP B**

- Lisa Mayo, SC of Hingham
- Kristen Ward, North Shore SC
- Elise A. Roberts, Colonial FSC
- Melissa L. Marion, Winchester FSC

- Rebecca Konerding, Little Sun Valley FSC
- Dominica Palandro, SC of Boston
- Amelia Bourdeau, Little Sun Valley FSC, withdrew

**GROUP C**

- Elizabeth O'Leary, SC of Boston
- Nicole M. Scherer, SC of Boston
- Michelle Pike, SC of Boston
- Christa M. Beauvais, Smithfield FSC
- Sarah Ingmanson, Colonial FSC
- Faye-Ruth Fisher, Hayden Recreation Centre FSC
- Margaret Michaels, Hayden Recreation Centre FSC
- Jill Maccaferri, Pilgrim SC

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		MAJORITY
1.	Bethany Quintin, SC of Boston	5/1
2.	Sarah Russell, SC of Boston	5/3
3.	Hannah Shallice, Colonial FSC	5/4
4.	Jessica E. Proctor, SC of Boston	4/5
5.	Domenica Palandro, SC of Boston	6/6
6.	Danielle Kunian, SC of Boston	TOM 13 4/6
7.	Shannon Hunt, Pittsfield FSC	TOM 20 4/6
8.	Lena Wilensky, Colonial FSC	5/7

Eliminated after initial round

**GROUP A**

- Jennifer Cataldo, SC of Boston
- Brietta Delmanzo, SC of Amherst
- Laura A. Dinardi, North Shore SC
- Sarah Ingmanson, Colonial FSC
- Wendy Altieri, Smithfield FSC
- Amelia Bourdeau, Little Sun Valley FSC

**GROUP B**

- Bonnie J. Sherman, SC of Boston
- Sarah Y. Parker, Little Sun Valley FSC
- Briana D. Lackenby, Bolton FSC
- Rachel Kell, Babson FSC
- Melissa L. Marion, Winchester FSC
- Jessica Prince, Colonial FSC
- Stacy McIntire, Cheshire FSC

**NOVICE DANCE**

JUDGES: 1-Leonard Colaruso, Quincy, MA; 2-Sharon Rogers, Morristown, NJ; 3-Doris T. Heinold, Wellesley Hills, MA; 4-Theresa G. Fischer, Pound Ridge, NY; 5-Helen Oak, North Merrick, NY; 6-Lee L. Schaffer, Atlanta, GA; 7-Ann T. Fauver, Gorham, ME. REFEREE: Gerald G. Gearheart, West Newton, MA. ACCOUNTANT: Richard T. Rigby, Lexington, MA.

	IR	FR		PLACES
1.	1	1	Jordan L. Gawinski, University of Delaware FSC	2.5
			Garrett Brockert, Charter Oak FSC	
2.	2	2	Kristen C. Ferst, Christmas Brook SC	5.0
			Richard Ferst, Christmas Brook SC	

**INTERMEDIATE MEN FREE SKATING**

JUDGES: 1-Cynthia Flynn, Middleton, CT; 2-Joan Liotta, Spring Valley, NY; 3-Louisa MacPhail, Lake Placid, NY; 4-Devon Beharrell, Nashua, NH; 5-Kathleen Dunn, West Haven, CT. REFEREE: William R. Beharrell,\* Concord, MA. ACCOUNTANT: Esther A. Winslow,\* Taunton, MA.

		MAJORITY
1.	Ryan Donnelly, SC of Hingham	5/1
2.	Jacob Wangh, Colonial FSC	5/2



### INTERMEDIATE MEN FIGURES

JUDGES: 1-Cynthia Flynn, Middleton, CT; 2-Joan Liotta, Spring Valley, NY; 3-Louisa MacPhail, Lake Placid, NY; 4-Devon Beharrell, Nashua, NH; 5-Kathleen Dunn, West Haven, CT. REFEREE: William R. Beharrell,\* Concord, MA. ACCOUNTANT: Esther A. Winslow,\* Taunton, MA.

1. Jacob Wangh, Colonial FSC
2. Ryan Donnelly, SC of Hingham

MAJORITY  
5/1  
5/2

### INTERMEDIATE LADIES FREE SKATING

JUDGES: 1-Joan Liotta, Spring Valley, NY; 2-Devon Beharrell, Nashua, NH; 3-Lee L. Schaffer, Atlanta, GA; 4-Louisa MacPhail, Lake Placid, NY; 5-Donald R. Jones, Hyannis, MA; 6-Shirley Holdsworth, Lexington, MA; 7-Sharon Rogers, Morristown, NJ. REFEREE: Ann T. Fauver, Gorham, ME. ACCOUNTANT: Julian Krane, Everett, MA.

1. Maudy Kalangie, Colonial FSC
2. Kelly A. Harris, Winchester FSC
3. Amy D'Entremont, Stoneham FSC
4. Maria Forziati, SC of Boston
5. Kristen Youlden, SC of Southern New England
6. Jessica Roos, Colonial FSC
7. Tiffany Scott, Pilgrim SC
8. Lauren A. Raffa, Little Sun Valley SC
9. Meredith Cataldo, SC of Boston
10. Amy Stetson, Wilmington FSC
11. Dana Walczak, Colonial FSC
12. Lisa Mason, Hayden Recreation Centre FSC
13. Karen M. Ferrara, SC of Boston
14. Heather Solesky, Colonial FSC
15. Marisa Hedlund, Cape Cod FSC
16. Nicole Silvestri, Pilgrim SC
17. Amy B. Solomon, SC of Boston
18. Anneliese Stephenson, SC of Boston
19. Natalia Kedves, Colonial FSC

Eliminated after initial round

#### GROUP A

5. Carrie Knauer, Champlain Valley FSC
8. Heather A. Dugan, Silver Blades SC
10. Dawn Dawson, Colonial FSC
11. Lori-An Haddad, SC of Boston

#### GROUP B

7. Beth Kerchner, Babson FSC
8. Allyson Foley, Falmouth FSC

MAJORITY  
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10. Kelley-Jaye Rosberg, Great Bay FSC

11. Kara M. Protulis, SC of Hingham

#### GROUP C

5. Maat Van Uiter, Colonial FSC
6. Jessica A. Pallis, SC of Boston
7. Kelly McEleney, Winchester FSC
8. Kristen Hallahan, Pilgrim SC
9. Sheila A. Figurido, North Shore SC

11. Tamzin H. Whiting, Hayden Recreation Centre FSC

### INTERMEDIATE LADIES FIGURES

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1. Maudy Kalangie, Colonial FSC
2. Natalia Kedves, Colonial FSC
3. Dana Walczak, Colonial FSC
4. Nicole Silvestri, Pilgrim SC
5. Kelly A. Harris, Winchester FSC
6. Maria Forziati, SC of Boston
7. Tiffany Scott, Pilgrim SC
8. Heather Solesky, Colonial FSC
9. Jessica Roos, Colonial FSC
10. Karen M. Ferrara, SC of Boston
11. Amy D'Entremont, Stoneham FSC
12. Anneliese Stephenson, SC of Boston
13. Lisa Mason, Hayden Recreation Centre FSC
14. Amy B. Solomon, SC of Boston
15. Meredith Cataldo, SC of Boston
16. Kristen Youlden, SC of Southern New England
17. Amy Stetson, Wilmington FSC
18. Marisa Hedlund, Cape Cod FSC
19. Lauren A. Raffa, Little Sun Valley

Eliminated after initial round

#### GROUP A

6. Carrie Knauer, Champlain Valley FSC
8. Heather A. Dugan, Silver Blades SC
9. Dawn Dawson, Colonial FSC
11. Lori-An Haddad, SC of Boston

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#### GROUP B

5. Allyson Foley, Falmouth FSC
9. Kara M. Protulis, SC of Hingham
10. Kelley-Jaye Rosberg, Great Bay FSC
11. Beth Kerchner, Babson FSC



**GROUP C**

5. Tamzin H. Whiting, Hayden Recreation Centre FSC  
6. Kristen Hallahan, Pilgrim SC  
7. Sheila A. Figurido, North Shore SC

9. Jessica A. Pallis, SC of Boston  
10. Maat Van Uiter, Colonial FSC  
11. Kelly McEleney, Winchester FSC

# EASTERN GREAT LAKES

## 1991 EASTERN GREAT LAKES CHAMPIONSHIPS LAKEWOOD, OHIO NOVEMBER 24-DECEMBER 1, 1990

### SENIOR LADIES FREE SKATING

JUDGES: 1-Joy Cunningham, Hudson, OH; 2-Paula Ziegler, Elk Grove Village, IL; 3-Lester Cramer, Colorado Springs, CO; 4-Jerry Shipley, Cincinnati, OH; 5-Shirley Hage, St. Paul, MN; 6-Bonnie McLauthlin, Denver, CO; 7-Dorothy Nyman, Euclid, OH. REFEREE: John Chrien,\* Shaker Heights, OH. ASSISTANT REFEREE: Albert Viviani, Dearborn Heights, MI. ACCOUNTANT: Patricia S. Hunt, Barrington, IL.

OP	FS		PLACES
1. 2	1	Leana Naczynski, Indiana/World Skating Academy	2.0
2. 1	3	Megan Carpenter, Detroit SC	3.5
3. 4	2	Theresa Weber, Queen City FSC	4.0
4. 3	4	Paula Visingardi, Detroit SC	5.5
5. 5	5	Hope Marie Walkowiak, Berkley Royal Blades FSC	7.5
6. 8	6	Kim Schebig, Fort Wayne ISC	10.0
7. 9	7	Lisa Boukis, Winterhurst FSC	11.5
8. 7	8	Rebecca Francisco, Lincoln Center FSC	11.5
9. 6	10	Maureen Pearlman, Detroit SC	13.0
10. 10	9	Amy Bujdos, Shaker FSC	14.0

### SENIOR LADIES FIGURES

JUDGES: 1-Bonnie McLauthlin, Denver, CO; 2-Carol Weier, Cedarville, IL; 3-Elaine Bushey, Peru, IN; 4-Maribel Leiter, Wichita, KS; 5-Joy Cunningham, Hudson, OH; 6-Ruth Frey, Indianapolis, IN; 7-Nancy Meiss, Cincinnati, OH. REFEREE: John Chrien,\* Shaker Heights, OH. ACCOUNTANT: Richard Luttenton, Cleveland, OH.

	MAJORITY
1. Shannon Livingston, Fraser FSC	6/1
2. Megan Carpenter, Detroit SC	6/2
3. Rebecca Francisco, Lincoln Center FSC	6/4
4. Lisa Boukis, Winterhurst FSC	4/4
5. Maureen Pearlman, Detroit SC	5/5
6. Cynthia Oldenburg, St. Clair Shores FSC	6/6
7. Carrie Overstreet, Queen City FSC	7/7

### JUNIOR MEN FREE SKATING

JUDGES: 1-Lester Cramer, Colorado Springs, CO; 2-Joane Bondar, Rochester, MI; 3-Bette Todd, Indianapolis, IN; 4-Dorothy Jamison, Hancock, MI; 5-Ruth Frey, Indianapolis, IN; 6-Bonnie McLauthlin, Denver, CO; 7-Maribel Leiter, Wichita, KS. REFEREE: Albert Viviani, Dearborn Heights, MI. ACCOUNTANT: Patricia S. Hunt, Barrington, IL.

OP	FS		PLACES
1. 1	1	Dan Hollander, Fraser FSC	1.5
2. 2	2	Clifford Retamar, Detroit SC	3.0
3. 3	4	Mel Chapman, Garden City FSC	5.5
4. 6	3	John Wright, Fort Wayne ISC	6.0
5. 5	5	Arthur Reid, Huntsville FSC	7.5
6. 4	6	Scott Tonidandel, Winterhurst FSC	8.0



### JUNIOR LADIES FREE SKATING

JUDGES: 1-Dorothy Nyman, Euclid, OH; 2-Kathy Slack, Troy, OH; 3-Nancy Meiss, Cincinnati, OH; 4-Bette Todd, Indianapolis, IN; 5-Lester Cramer, Colorado Springs, CO; 6-Joane Bondar, Rochester, MI; 7-Maribel Leiter, Wichita, KS. REFEREE: Woody Weier, Cedarville, IL. ACCOUNTANT: Lewis Mattson, \* Rochester, MI.

	OP	FS	PLACES
1.	1	1 Regan Wagner, Nashville FSC	1.5
2.	2	2 Kristin Buckler, Detroit SC	3.0
3.	3	4 Stacey Renee Landacre, Port Huron FSC	5.5
4.	4	5 Dawn Ziegler, Winterhurst FSC	7.0
5.	10	3 Tiffany Pichon, Winterhurst FSC	8.0
6.	6	6 Holly Benson, Indiana/World Skating Academy	9.0
7.	8	7 Megan Kelly, Winterhurst FSC	11.0
8.	7	8 Julie Neumark, Queen City FSC	11.5
9.	5	9 Patricia Suyak, Garden City FSC	11.5
10.	12	10 Shannon Livingston, Fraser FSC	16.0
11.	11	11 Victoria Cargas, Fraser FSC	16.5
12.	9	12 Kristen Frazzini, Winterhurst FSC	16.5

Eliminated after initial round

#### GROUP A

5. Ingrid Peterson, Detroit SC
6. Jessica Rainey, Midland FSC
7. Tekla Warezak, St. Clair Shores FSC
8. Stacey Simon, Shaker FSC
9. Holly Thomsen, Indiana/World Skating Academy
10. Sonja Slagor, Lansing SC

#### GROUP B

5. Dawn Betrus, Detroit SC
6. Maggie Licata, Lincoln Center FSC
7. Lisa Barnett, Fraser FSC

8. Dawn Thomas, Mentor FSC
9. Jennie Yi, Detroit SC
10. Jodi Lee Lewis, Midland FSC
11. Jennie Pitman, Lincoln Center FSC

#### GROUP C

5. Sarah Beth Simpson, Huntsville FSC
6. Alejandra Guarini, Detroit SC
7. Jenny Fatero, Plymouth FSC
8. Danielle McCarran, Fraser FSC
9. Tisha Lacuesta, Fraser FSC

### JUNIOR LADIES FIGURES

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	MAJORITY
1. Regan Wagner, Nashville FSC	5/1
2. Tisha Lacuesta, Fraser FSC	6/2
3. Stacey Renee Landacre, Port Huron FSC	5/3
4. Lisa Barnett, Fraser FSC	4/5
5. Maggie Licata, Lincoln Center FSC	6/6
6. Ami-Lynn Maki, Detroit SC	5/6
7. Jennie Pitman, Lincoln Center FSC	7/7
8. Michelle Mize, Greater Evansville FSC	7/8

Eliminated after initial round

#### GROUP A

5. Teresa Love, Huntsville FSC
6. Jenny Patero, Plymouth FSC
7. Danielle McCarran, Fraser FSC
8. Rebecca Biggs, Queen City FSC
9. Tekla Warezak, St. Clair Shores FSC
10. Jodi Lee Lewis, Midland FSC
11. Kasi Patterson, Detroit SC
12. Elizabeth Sorokac, Plymouth

#### GROUP B

5. Jessica Rainey, Midland FSC
6. Jodi Lynne McKenzie, Garden City FSC
7. Dawn Betrus, Detroit SC
8. Julie Neumark, Queen City FSC
9. Brenda Blackmer, Garden City FSC
10. Sonja Slagor, Lansing SC
11. Holly Benson, Indiana/World Skating Academy

### ADULT SENIOR LADIES

JUDGES: 1-Bette Todd, Indianapolis, IN; 2-Elaine Bushey, Peru, IN; 3-Lynn Robertson, Pontiac, MI; 4-Carol Weier, Cedarville, IL; 5-Judy Newton, Ann Arbor, MI. REFEREE: Jack Booth, Cuyahoga Falls, OH. ACCOUNTANT: Patricia S. Hunt, Barrington, IL.

	MAJORITY
1. Michelle Millar, Detroit SC	5/1
2. Lisa Sauer, SC of Wayne	5/2
3. Priscilla Rushing, Nashville FSC	5/3



## ADULT JUNIOR LADIES

JUDGES: 1-Carolyn Tonidandel, Lakewood, OH; 2-Michael Fisher, Indianapolis, IN; 3-Laura Maki, Ann Arbor, MI; 4-Virginia Luttenton, Shaker Heights, OH; 5-Bette Todd, Indianapolis, IN. REFEREE: Albert Viviani, Dearborn Heights, MI. ACCOUNTANT: Richard Luttenton, Cleveland, OH.

		MAJORITY
1.	Donna Bishop, Birmingham FSC	5/1
2.	Cindy Eckert, Detroit SC	5/2
3.	Rhonda Gillam, Midland FSC	3/3
4.	Sue Lyons, Detroit SC	3/4
5.	Gail Thomas, Mentor FSC	TOM 12 3/5
6.	Rosanna Pierce, Nashville FSC	TOM 13 3/5
7.	Ginger Tracy, Winterhurst FSC	5/7

## NOVICE MEN FREE SKATING

JUDGES: 1-Carol Weier, Cedarville, IL; 2-Bonnie McLauthlin, Denver, CO; 3-Jerry Shipley, Cincinnati, OH; 4-Paula Ziegler, Elk Grove Village, IL; 5-Shirley Hage, St. Paul, MN. REFEREE: John Chrien, \* Shaker Heights, OH. ACCOUNTANT: Patricia S. Hunt, Barrington, IL.

OP	FS	PLACES
1. 2	1 Matthew Kessinger, Indiana/World Skating Academy	2.0
2. 1	2 Ryan Jahnke, Fraser FSC	2.5
3. 6	3 Mick Ryan, Winterhurst FSC	6.0
4. 4	5 Dan Kuhn, Winterhurst FSC	7.0
5. 7	4 Bert Cording, Nashville FSC	7.5
6. 3	6 Fred Palascak, Winterhurst FSC	7.5
7. 5	7 Michael Keller, Winterhurst FSC	9.5
8. 8	8 Robert Lombard, ISC of Indianapolis	12.0
9. 9	9 Jeff Tonidandel, Winterhurst FSC	13.5

## NOVICE MEN FIGURES

JUDGES: 1-Virginia Luttenton, Shaker Heights, OH; 2-Michael Fisher, Indianapolis, IN; 3-Shirley Hage, St. Paul, MN; 4-Nancy Meiss, Cincinnati, OH; 5-Elaine Bushey, Peru, IN. REFEREE: John Chrien, \* Shaker Heights, OH. ACCOUNTANT: Patricia S. Hunt, Barrington, IL.

		MAJORITY
1.	Fred Palascak, Winterhurst FSC	3/2
2.	Bert Cording, Nashville FSC	TOM 6 3/3
3.	Matthew Kessinger, Indiana/World Skating Academy	TOM 8 3/3
4.	Ryan Jahnke, Fraser FSC	4/4
5.	Michael Keller, Winterhurst FSC	3/5
6.	Dan Kuhn, Winterhurst FSC	TIE 3/6
7.	Robert Lombard, ISC of Indianapolis	TIE 3/6
8.	Jeff Tonidandel, Winterhurst FSC	4/7

## NOVICE LADIES FREE SKATING

JUDGES: 1-Gerry Williams, Northville, MI; 2-Virginia Luttenton, Shaker Heights, OH; 3-Judy Newton, Ann Arbor, MI; 4-Dorothy Nyman, Euclid, OH; 5-Bonnie McLauthlin, Denver, CO; 6-Elaine Bushey, Peru, IN; 7-Michael Fisher, Indianapolis, IN. REFEREE: Albert Viviani, Dearborn Heights, MI. ACCOUNTANT: Lewis Mattson, \* Rochester, MI.

OP	FS	PLACES
1. 2	1 Emily Freedman, Winterhurst FSC	2.0
2. 1	2 Lisa Matras, Garden City FSC	2.5
3. 3	3 Erin Pearson, Mentor FSC	4.5
4. 4	4 Karl-Ann Keyanchuk, Garden City FSC	6.0
5. 6	5 Carrie Lynn Wolak, Plymouth FSC	8.0
6. 5	6 Jacquelyn Jane Mitchell, Garden City FSC	8.5
7. 7	7 Anne Means, Queen City FSC	10.5
8. 9	8 Heather Waak, FSC of Memphis	12.5
9. 10	9 Dorota Meller, Academy FSC	14.0
10. 14	10 Chrissy Vandermissen, Detroit SC	17.0
11. 12	11 Debbie Bradley, Mentor FSC	17.0
12. 8	14 Dutchie Ann Wine, Huntsville FSC	18.0
13. 13	12 Jennifer Piron, Detroit SC	18.5
14. 15	13 Nicole Gimpert, Fraser FSC	20.5
15. 11	16 Lori Williamson, Winterhurst FSC	21.5
16. 16	15 Kelley Becklehamer, Garden City FSC	23.0

Eliminated after initial round

### GROUP A

5. Kathryn Rzeppa, Detroit SC
6. Amanda Bennett, Shaker FSC
7. Chantelle Andrus, Wyandotte FSC
8. Eve Martin, Detroit SC
9. Andrea Messer, Detroit SC
10. Nicole Falardeau, Midland FSC
11. Denise Chyette, Queen City FSC

### GROUP B

5. Ami-Lynn Maki, Detroit SC
6. Theresa Golski, Winterhurst FSC
7. Donita Roal, Huntsville FSC
8. Rachel Cope, Detroit SC
9. Amy Potoniec, Detroit SC
10. Heather Leanne Plati, Fraser FSC
11. Carlie Kornbluth, Shaker FSC
12. Shelly Ann Martin, Greenbrier FSC



**GROUP C**

- Veronica Votypka, Winterhurst FSC
- Lori Pinter, Ann Arbor FSC
- Marisa Cybulski, Fraser FSC
- Ingrid Norman, Winterhurst FSC
- Brenda Blackmer, Garden City FSC
- Kasi Patterson, Detroit SC
- Christine Halpin, Winterhurst FSC
- Erin Meredith Skylarek, Greenbrier FSC

**GROUP D**

- Leslie Ellen Walker, Fraser FSC
- Jill Sadler, Fraser FSC
- Kellie Richards, Lansing SC
- Michelle Mize, Greater Evansville FSC
- Elizabeth Sorokac, Plymouth FSC
- Sametra Wallace, Shaker FSC
- Kristin Gardner, ISC of Indianapolis
- Kimberley Butler, Shaker FSC

**NOVICE LADIES FIGURES**

JUDGES: 1-Elaine Bushey, Peru, IN; 2-Michael Fisher, Indianapolis, IN; 3-Jerry Shipley, Cincinnati, OH; 4-Bette Todd, Indianapolis, IN; 5-Paula Ziegler, Elk Grove Village, IL. REFEREE: Jack Booth, Cuyahoga Falls, OH.

	MAJORITY
1. Veronica Votypka, Winterhurst FSC	4/1
2. Nicole Gimpert, Fraser FSC	TOM 7 3/4
3. Dorota Meller, Academy FSC	TOM 9 3/4
4. Lori Williamson, Winterhurst FSC	TOM 11 3/4
5. Ruth Williams, Nashville FSC	TOM 9 3/5
6. Dutchie Ann Wine, Huntsville FSC	TOM 11 3/5
7. Heather Waak, FSC of Memphis	TOM 14 3/6
8. Nilam Sanghui, Winterhurst FSC	TOM 17 3/6
9. Donita Roal, Huntsville FSC	3/8
10. Lori Pinter, Ann Arbor FSC	3/10
11. Sametra Wallace, Shaker FSC	TIE 4/11
11. Jamie Coffey, Individual Member	TIE 4/11

Eliminated after initial round

**GROUP A**

- Jill Sadler, Fraser FSC
- Carlie Kornbluth, Shaker FSC
- Stephanie Koller, Fraser FSC
- Kelley Becklehamer, Garden City FSC
- Nicole Falardeau, Midland FSC
- Erin Meredith Skylarek, Greenbrier FSC

**GROUP B**

- Heather Leanne Plati, Fraser FSC
- Kathryn Rzeppa, Detroit SC
- Denise Chyette, Queen City FSC
- Patty Kendra, Winterhurst FSC

- Chantelle Andrus, Wyandotte FSC
- Debbie Bradley, Mentor FSC
- Kristen Kirsch, Fraser FSC
- Kimberley Butler, Shaker FSC

**GROUP C**

- Kari-Ann Keyanchuk, Garden City FSC
- Kristin Gardner, ISC of Indianapolis
- Anne Means, Queen City FSC
- Christine Halpin, Winterhurst FSC
- Jennifer Ellis, WC of Indianapolis
- Megan Elliott, ISC of Indianapolis
- Shelly Ann Martin, Greenbrier FSC

**NOVICE PAIRS**

JUDGES: 1-Paula Ziegler, Elk Grove Village, IL; 2-Shirley Hage, St. Paul, MN; 3-Michael Fisher, Indianapolis, IN; 4-Bonnie McLaughlin, Denver, CO; 5-Virginia Luttenton, Shaker Heights, OH. REFEREE: John Chrien, Shaker Heights, OH. ACCOUNTANT: Patricia S. Hunt, Barrington, IL.

	MAJORITY
1. Theresa Palascak, Winterhurst FSC & Fred Palascak, Winterhurst FSC	5/1
2. Shelly Ann Martin, Greenbrier FSC & David St. John, Winterhurst FSC	5/2
3. Ali Blank, Nashville FSC & Jeb Gerth, Nashville FSC	5/3

**NOVICE DANCE**

JUDGES: 1-Nancy Meiss, Cincinnati, OH; 2-Elaine Bushey, Peru, IN; 3-Dorothy Nyman, Euclid, OH; 4-Joy Cunningham, Hudson, OH; 5-Virginia Luttenton, Shaker Heights, OH. REFEREE: Jerry Shipley, Cincinnati, OH. ACCOUNTANT: Richard Luttenton, Cleveland, OH.

IR	FR		PLACES
1.	1	1 Julie Boylston, Huntsville FSC	2.5
		Danny Tate, Huntsville FSC	
2.	2	2 Nilam Sanghui, Winterhurst FSC	5.0
		Benjamin Hwang, Ice & Blades Club of Washington	
3.	3	3 Andrea Messer, Detroit SC	7.5
		Michael Kawamoto, Detroit SC	
4.	4	4 Mandi Keener, Berkley Royal Blades	10.0
		Carl Wasielewski, Berkley Royal Blades	
5.	5	5 Tekla Warezak, St. Clair Shores FSC	12.5
		Frederick Pronko, St. Clair Shores FSC	

**INTERMEDIATE MEN FREE SKATING**

JUDGES: 1-Dorothy Nyman, Euclid, OH; 2-Judy Newton, Ann Arbor, MI; 3-Shirley Hage, St. Paul, MN; 4-Virginia Luttenton, Shaker Heights, OH; 5-Michael Fisher, Indianapolis, IN. REFEREE: Woody Weier, Cedarville, IL. ACCOUNTANT: Richard Luttenton, Cleveland, OH.

	MAJORITY
1. J.P. Russell, Huntsville FSC	3/1
2. Craig Budan Joeright, Greenbrier FSC	5/2
3. Jamie Matthew Rossino, Greenbrier FSC	5/3
4. Jeb Gerth, Nashville FSC	5/4
5. Jeff Ryan Burke, Indiana/World Skating Academy	5/5



**INTERMEDIATE MEN FIGURES**

JUDGES: 1-Virginia Luttenton, Shaker Heights, OH; 2-Judy Newton, Ann Arbor, MI; 3-Dorothy Nyman, Euclid, OH; 4-Michael Fisher, Indianapolis, IN; 5-Shirley Hage, St. Paul, MN. REFEREE: Woody Weier, Cedarville, IL. ACCOUNTANT: Richard Luttenton, Cleveland, OH.

	MAJORITY
1. Jamie Matthew Rossino, Greenbrier FSC	4/2
2. Jeff Ryan Burke, Indiana/World Skating Academy	3/2
3. Jeb Gerth, Nashville FSC	3/3
4. Craig Budan Joeright, Greenbrier FSC	4/4
5. J.P. Russell, Huntsville FSC 5	5/5

**INTERMEDIATE LADIES FREE SKATING**

JUDGES: 1-Lynn Robertson, Pontiac, MI; 2-Gerry Williams, Northville, MI; 3-Laura Maki, Ann Arbor, MI; 4-Maribel Leiter, Wichita, KS; 5-Carol Weier, Cedarville, IL; 6-Carolyn Tonidandel, Lakewood, OH; 7-Shirley Hage, St. Paul, MN. REFEREE: Woody Weier, Cedarville, IL. ACCOUNTANT: Richard Luttenton, Cleveland, OH.

	MAJORITY
1. Deanna Gerbrick, Winterhurst FSC	7/1
2. Michele Forchione, Winterhurst FSC	4/2
3. Stephanie Senterfit, Garden City FSC	5/3
4. Carrie Maultsby, Indiana/World Skating Academy	TOM 15 4/5
5. Nicole Janda, FSC of Memphis	TO 35 4/5
6. Breanne Leigh Heldman, Queen City FSC	TO 42 4/5
7. Hope Alteri, Nashville FSC	TOM 35 5/8
8. Reagan Kendrick, Winterhurst FSC	TOM 37 5/8
9. Rebecca Yarbrough, Garden City FSC	5/9
10. Molly Nook, Cleveland SC	4/9
11. Jennifer Katulski, Plymouth FSC	4/10
12. Meredith Whitlock, Mentor FSC	4/12
13. Caia Watridge, FSC of Memphis	4/13
14. Cori Ollom, Winterhurst FSC	5/14
15. Gwen Cherne, Euclid Blade & Edge Club	5/16
16. Abigail Peterson, Lansing SC	5/17
17. Andrea Adams, Fraser FSC	4/17
18. Jacquelyn Ann Kase, Mentor FSC	5/19
19. Marlo Anderson, FSC of Memphis	TO 133 6/20
20. Michelle Poley, Indiana/World Skating Academy	TO 134 6/20
21. Sara Jane Howland, Greater Grand Rapids FSC	6/21
22. Theresa Palascak, Winterhurst FSC	5/22
23. Gretchen Boerup, Queen City FSC	6/23
24. Lisa Duval, ISC of Indianapolis	5/24
25. Jenny Bryan, Huntsville FSC	7/25

Eliminated after initial round

**GROUP A**

- Jennifer Sand, Winterhurst FSC
- Melanie Porada, Winterhurst FSC
- Mary Anne Bayat, Troy SC
- Diane Bastien, Wyandotte FSC
- Michelle Becklehamer, Garden City FSC
- Lisa Hall, Cleveland SC
- Lisa Bodnar, Shaker FSC

**GROUP B**

- Thida Marie Choklokaew, Oxford SC
- Kristen Mochko, Greenbrier FSC
- Danille Russo, Detroit SC
- Hilary Elizabeth Garon, Cleveland SC
- Brook Martens, Fraser FSC
- Renee Wilson, Pavilion SC
- Lisa Boyer, Great Lakes FSC

**GROUP C**

- Tia Nicole Tasca, Mentor FSC
- Sunny Armstrong, Garden City FSC
- Faith Neenan, FSC of Memphis
- Kelly Smith, Garden City FSC
- Marcy Jones, Lincoln Center FSC
- Trina Anne Rodriguez, Huntsville FSC
- Samantha Berger, Southwest Michigan SC
- Therese Franco, Detroit SC

**GROUP D**

- Jennifer Dodds, Fort Wayne ISC
- Jeanna Yi, Detroit SC
- Danielle Rosenthal, Mentor FSC
- Sherrie Whitney, Fraser FSC
- Melis Evin Ecer, ISC of Indianapolis
- Lee Ann Shoker, Oxford SC

**INTERMEDIATE LADIES FIGURES**

JUDGES: 1-Laura Maki, Ann Arbor, MI; 2-Lynn Robertson, Pontiac, MI; 3-Ruth Frey, Indianapolis, IN; 4-Carol Weier, Cedarville, IL; 5-Gerry Williams, Northville, MI; 6-Carolyn Tonidandel, Lakewood, OH; 7-Shirley Hage, St. Paul, MN. REFEREE: William Wall, Macedonia, OH. ACCOUNTANT: Patricia S. Hunt, Barrington, IL.

	MAJORITY
1. Rebecca Yarbrough, Garden City FSC	6/2
2. Deanna Gerbrick, Winterhurst FSC	4/2
3. Cori Ollom, Winterhurst FSC	6/3
4. Stephanie Senterfit, Garden City FSC	4/5
5. Sara Jane Howland, Greater Grand Rapids FSC	4/6
6. Marlo Anderson, FSC of Memphis	4/7
7. Michele Forchione, Winterhurst FSC	4/8



8. Jennifer Katulski, Plymouth FSC	4/9
9. Abigail Peterson, Lansing SC	4/10
10. Breanne Leigh Heldman, Queen City FSC	4/11
11. Gretchen Boerup, Queen City FSC	TOM 32 4/12
12. Nicole Janda, FSC of Memphis	TOM 38 4/12
13. Meredith Whitlock, Mentor FSC	TOM 44 4/12
14. Jenny Bryan, Huntsville FSC	5/13
15. Gwen Cherne, Euclid Blade & Edge Club	5/16
16. Reagan Kendrick, Winterhurst FSC	TOM 51 4/17
17. Caia Watridge, FSC of Memphis	TOM 52 4/17
18. Carrie Maultsby, Indiana/World Skating Academy	TOM 55 4/17
19. Andrea Adams, Fraser FSC	4/18
20. Theresa Palascak, Winterhurst FSC	5/21
21. Hope Alteri, Nashville FSC	4/21
22. Molly Nook, Cleveland SC	5/22
23. Lisa Duval, ISC of Indianapolis	5/23
24. Michelle Poley, Indiana/World Skating Academy	4/23
25. Jacquelyn Ann Kase, Mentor FSC	4/24

Eliminated after initial round

#### GROUP A

- Mary Anne Bayat, Troy SC
- Diane Bastien, Wyandotte FSC
- Michelle Becklehamer, Garden City
- Jennifer Sand, Winterhurst FSC
- Melanie Porada, Winterhurst FSC
- Lisa Hall, Cleveland SC
- Angela Renae Holden, Southwest Michigan SC
- Lisa Bodnar, Shaker FSC

#### GROUP B

- Hilary Elizebeth Garon, Cleveland SC
- Renee Wilson, Pavilion SC
- Thida Marie Chokloikaew, Oxford SC
- Kristen Mochko, Greenbrier FSC
- Brook Martens, Fraser FSC
- Danille Russo, Detroit SC
- Lisa Boyer, Great Lakes FSC

#### GROUP C

- Sunny Armstrong, Garden City FSC
- Tia Nicole Tasca, Mentor FSC
- Samantha Berger, Southwest Michigan SC
- Kelly Smith, Garden City FSC
- Therese Franco, Detroit SC
- Trina Anne Rodriguez, Huntsville FSC
- Faith Neenan, FSC of Memphis
- Marcy Jones, Lincoln Center FSC

#### GROUP D

- Jeanna Yi, Detroit SC
- Melis Evin Ecer, ISC of Indianapolis
- Jennifer Dodds, Fort Wayne ISC
- Lee Ann Shoker, Oxford SC
- Sherrie Whitney, Fraser FSC
- Danielle Rosenthal, Mentor FSC
- Amanda Mottl, Greenbrier FSC

### INTERMEDIATE PAIRS

JUDGES: 1-Carol Weier, Cedarville, IL; 2-Lynn Robertson, Pontiac, MI; 3-Maribel Leiter, Wichita, KS; 4-Lester Cramer, Colorado Springs, CO; 5-Dorothy Nyman, Euclid, OH. REFEREE: Woody Weier, Cedarville, IL. ACCOUNTANT: Patricia S. Hunt, Barrington, IL.

	MAJORITY
1. Melanie Price, Queen City FSC & Bjorn Herman, Oxford SC	3/1
2. Danielle Hartsell, Garden City FSC & Steve Hartsell, Garden City FSC	5/2
3. Cheryl Hackett, Detroit SC & Ronald Hackett, Detroit SC	3/3
4. Allison Hartmann, Troy SC & Matthew Hartmann, Troy SC	5/4

### INTERMEDIATE DANCE

JUDGES: 1-Laura Maki, Ann Arbor, MI; 2-Jerry Shipley, Cincinnati, OH; 3-Maribel Leiter, Wichita, KS; 4-Joy Cunningham, Hudson, OH; 5-Virginia Luttenton, Shaker Heights, OH. REFEREE: John Chrien, Shaker Heights, OH. ASSISTANT REFEREE: Jack Booth, Cuyahoga Falls, OH. ACCOUNTANT: Patricia S. Hunt, Barrington, IL.

IR	FR	PLACES
1. 1	2 Heather Schonrock, Huntsville FSC	3.5
	Charles Bernhard, Huntsville FSC	
2. 2	1 Molly Nook, Cleveland SC	4.0
	Jamie Matthew Rossino, Greenbrier FSC	
3. 3	3 Callie Sullins, Huntsville FSC	7.5
	Keith Schonrock, Huntsville FSC	
4. 4	4 Shelly Ann Martin, Greenbrier FSC	10.0
	Michael Keller, Winterhurst FSC	

### PRE-INTERMEDIATE MEN

CF	FS	PLACES
1. 2	1 Matthew Hartmann, Troy SC	3.0
2. 1	5 Keith Schonrock, Huntsville FSC	6.0
3. 5	2 David Zint, Queen City FSC	7.0
4. 4	3 Scott Omlar, Kent SC	7.0
5. 3	4 Joel Gordon Parks, Oxford SC	7.0

### PRE-INTERMEDIATE LADIES-GROUP A

CF	FS	PLACES
1. 2	3 Becky Baur, Queen City FSC	5.0
2. 4	2 Dameron Dedon, Greenbrier FSC	6.0



3.	6	1	Dawn Loucks, Bowling Green SC	7.0
4.	3	4	Marisa Razi, Winterhurst FSC	7.0
5.	1	7	Angela Pratt, North Suburban FSC	8.0
6.	5	5	Amanda McGill, Academy FSC	10.0
7.	9	6	Christine Cetrone, Academy FSC	15.0
8.	7	8	Sherrese Jackson, Oxford SC	15.0
9.	8	9	Kelly Marie Carney, Euclid Blade & Edge Club	17.0

#### PRE-INTERMEDIATE LADIES—GROUP B

	CF	FS		PLACES
1.	3	1	Jessica Ellen Henderson, Winterhurst FSC	4.0
2.	2	5	Heather Dawn Collins, Lincoln Center FSC	7.0
3.	1	6	Rebecca Carmichael, Lincoln Center FSC	7.0
4.	6	2	Latoya Miah, Winterhurst FSC	8.0
5.	5	4	Sarah Elizabeth Neal, Lincoln Center FSC	9.0
6.	7	3	Nancy Lyn Zyskowski, Great Lakes FSC	10.0
7.	4	8	Lisa Arnett, Troy SC	12.0
8.	8	7	Jenny Nelson, Sycamore ISC	15.0

#### PRE-INTERMEDIATE LADIES—GROUP C

	CF	FS		PLACES
1.	1	2	Julie Orange, Greenbrier FSC	3.0
2.	3	1	Stacey Shepler, North Suburban FSC	4.0
3.	2	3	Laura Jean Doty, ISC of Indianapolis	5.0
4.	4	5	Anne Elizabeth Lindamood, Southwest Michigan SC	9.0
5.	6	4	Allison Friske, Wyandotte FSC	10.0
6.	5	8	Heather Ann Riedy, Winterhurst FSC	13.0
7.	8	6	Sarah Stodola, Individual Member	14.0
8.	7	7	Maria Peskar, Forestwood FSC	14.0

#### JUVENILE BOYS

	CF	FS		PLACES
1.	1	1	Bjorn Herman, Oxford SC	2.0
2.	3	3	David Forchione, Winterhurst FSC	6.0
3.	5	2	Joey Trizio, Greenbrier FSC	7.0
4.	2	5	Christopher Mattern, Winterhurst FSC	7.0
5.	4	4	Kyle Magneson, Port Huron FSC	8.0

#### JUVENILE GIRLS—GROUP A

	CF	FS		PLACES
1.	1	3	Kari Goldman, Detroit SC	4.0
2.	7	1	Brittanney Trebnik, ISC of Indianapolis	8.0
3.	6	2	Kimberly Boyce, Garden City FSC	8.0
4.	5	4	Leigh Burditt, Shaker FSC	9.0
5.	3	6	Lindsey Waggle, Shaker FSC	9.0
6.	2	11	Mary Helene Adams, FSC of Memphis	13.0
7.	4	10	Stephanie Olive, SC of Wayne	14.0
8.	10	5	Laurie Beth Taubman, Shaker FSC	15.0
9.	9	7	Anna Pinchak, Shaker FSC	16.0
10.	8	9	Helen Kilfoyle, Mentor FSC	17.0
11.	11	8	Jamie Yee, Mentor FSC	19.0

#### JUVENILE GIRLS—GROUP B

	CF	FS		PLACES
1.	1	1	Jennifer Matras, Garden City FSC	2.0
2.	5	2	Laura Nicole Brown, Fort Wayne ISC	7.0
3.	2	7	Michelle Casper, Queen City FSC	9.0
4.	7	3	Kate Richards, Detroit SC	10.0
5.	8	4	Angie Campbell, Port Huron FSC	12.0
6.	3	10	Leyla Gencyuz, Great Lakes FSC	13.0
7.	10	5	Courtney Barnhart, Troy SC	15.0
8.	9	6	Christina Petrauskis, Winterhurst FSC	15.0
9.	6	9	Kimberly McKee, Queen City FSC	15.0
10.	4	11	Kelly Kmit, Detroit SC	15.0
11.	11	8	Julie Jones, Midland FSC	19.0

#### JUVENILE GIRLS—GROUP C

	CF	FS		PLACES
1.	4	3	Michelle Breitburg, Queen City FSC	7.0
2.	3	4	Heather-Anne Wilson, Huntsville FSC	7.0
3.	7	1	Amanda McNamara, Garden City FSC	8.0
4.	6	2	Mary Cooley, Southwest Michigan SC	8.0
5.	1	7	Callie Sullins, Huntsville FSC	8.0
6.	5	5	Katy Jarvela, Midland FSC	10.0
7.	2	9	Maria Ann Tonriste, SC of Wayne	11.0



8.	8	6	Aja Babics, Kent SC	14.0
9.	9	8	Jamie LaCava, Mentor FSC	17.0
10.	10	10	Emily Blakeley, Euclid Blade & Edge Club	20.0
11.	11	11	Karen Nelson, Sycamore ISC	22.0

#### JUVENILE GIRLS-GROUP D

	CF	FS		PLACES
1.	3	1	Ali Blank, Nashville FSC	4.0
2.	2	2	Marie Pronko, St. Clair Shores FSC	4.0
3.	1	3	Kristin Hamilton, Troy SC	4.0
4.	6	4	Rachel Chambers, Garden City FSC	10.0
5.	5	6	Anne Turner, Port Huron FSC	11.0
6.	8	5	Christa Simpson, Winterhurst FSC	13.0
7.	4	9	Tami Tarnow, Berkley Royal Blades FSC	13.0
8.	9	6	Shawnte Thompson, Pavilion SC	15.0
9.	7	8	Lori Yuergens-Kijek, Garden City FSC	15.0
10.	10	10	Hilary McNally, Midland FSC	20.0
11.	11	11	Stephanie Crock, Mentor FSC	22.0

#### JUVENILE GIRLS-GROUP E

	CF	FS		PLACES
1.	5	2	Erin Sutton, FSC of Memphis	7.0
2.	4	4	Sara Wysocki, Garden City FSC	8.0
3.	1	7	Kristi Ruthven, Port Huron FSC	8.0
4.	8	1	Jamie Leigh Klinger, Detroit SC	9.0
5.	2	8	Robyn Ann Lane, ISC of Indianapolis	10.0
6.	9	3	Dawn Dietrich, Winterhurst FSC	12.0
7.	7	5	Carmen Satterwhite, Queen City FSC	12.0
8.	6	6	Kristin Marvin, Winterhurst FSC	12.0
9.	3	11	Christi Freeman, ISC of Indianapolis	14.0
10.	10	9	Susan Reyes, Winterhurst FSC	19.0
11.	11	10	Ann Utrecht, Troy SC	21.0

#### PRE-JUVENILE BOYS

	CF	FS		PLACES
1.	1	2	Robert Shmalo, Queen City FSC	3.0
2.	3	1	Jesse Powell, Queen City FSC	4.0
3.	2	3	David Fisch, ISC of Indianapolis	5.0

#### PRE-JUVENILE GIRLS-GROUP A

	CF	FS		PLACES
1.	3	1	Sarah Ann Lesar, Plymouth FSC	4.0
2.	1	3	Amy Scott, Detroit SC	4.0
3.	4	2	Molly Yarbrough, North Suburban FSC	6.0
4.	2	6	Jennifer Renee Klesch, Greenbrier FSC	8.0
5.	8	4	Alissa Bledsoe, Southwest Michigan SC	12.0
6.	5	7	Jennifer Jackson, Pavilion SC	12.0
7.	9	5	Elizabeth Bush, Individual Member	14.0
8.	6	9	Juliet Newcomer, Detroit SC	15.0
9.	7	10	Rebecca Hatchadorian, Euclid Blade & Edge Club	17.0
10.	10	8	Kelli Mitchell, Garden City FSC	18.0
11.	11	11	Betsy Zuik, Cleveland SC	22.0

#### PRE-JUVENILE GIRLS-GROUP B

	CF	FS		PLACES
1.	3	3	Veronica Wajda, Garden City FSC	6.0
2.	1	5	Lauren Paris, Queen City FSC	6.0
3.	7	1	Natalie Robbins, Port Huron FSC	8.0
4.	4	4	Erin Richter, Bowling Green SC	8.0
5.	2	8	Sabrina Paolucci, Midland FSC	10.0
6.	11	2	Erica Dyresen, Southwest Michigan SC	13.0
7.	5	9	Christen Means, Shaker FSC	14.0
8.	8	7	Ann-Marie Murphy, Brooklyn FSC	15.0
9.	10	6	Meagan Mackin, Midland FSC	16.0
10.	6	11	Bianca Gibson, ISC of Indianapolis	17.0
11.	9	10	Jaclyn Collins, Forestwood FSC	19.0

#### PRE-JUVENILE GIRLS-GROUP C

	CF	FS		PLACES
1.	1	1	Allison Hartmann, Troy SC	2.0
2.	3	3	Mary Gregory, Queen City FSC	6.0
3.	8	2	Andrea Saia, Garden City FSC	10.0
4.	4	6	Naomi Lang, Southwest Michigan SC	10.0
5.	2	8	Betsey Hallenburg, Winterhurst FSC	10.0
6.	7	4	Jolene Carney, Lincoln Center FSC	11.0



7.	6	7 Beth Banckek, Shaker FSC	13.0
8.	9	5 Abbey Elizabeth Walker, Oxford SC	14.0
9.	5	9 Kristen Koenig, Lincoln Center FSC	14.0

#### PRE-JUVENILE GIRLS-GROUP D

	CF	FS	PLACES
1.	5	3 Andrea Jaroh, Garden City FSC	8.0
2.	4	4 Anna Chambers Doyle, Lansing SC	8.0
3.	8	1 Darla Kimak, Kent SC	9.0
4.	7	2 Sarah Tkac, Mentor FSC	9.0
5.	3	6 Jill Webster, Shaker FSC	9.0
6.	2	7 Sara Catherine Kaufman, Shaker FSC	9.0
7.	1	8 Kristin Barrow, St. Clair Shores FSC	9.0
8.	6	5 Shellie Wilhelm, Oxford SC	11.0
9.	10	9 Katie Sablosky, ISC of Indianapolis	19.0
10.	9	10 Brooke Ann de Courcy, Queen City FSC	19.0

#### PRE-JUVENILE GIRLS-GROUP E

	CF	FS	PLACES
1.	1	1 Angela Derbin, Winterhurst FSC	2.0
2.	2	2 Kelley Wagner, Troy SC	4.0
3.	3	4 Kerry Ann Klement, Cleveland SC	7.0
4.	5	5 Allison Quick, Lansing SC	10.0
5.	8	3 Celina Taylor, Garden City FSC	11.0
6.	4	8 Brooke Nicole Winston, Lansing SC	12.0
7.	7	6 Corinne Miller, Pavilion SC	13.0
8.	6	9 Kara Russo, Cleveland SC	15.0
9.	10	7 Kelly Keene, ISC of Indianapolis	17.0
10.	9	10 Lauren Cohen, ISC of Indianapolis	19.0

#### PRE-JUVENILE GIRLS-GROUP F

	CF	FS	PLACES
1.	1	1 Abby Davidson, Fraser FSC	2.0
2.	4	2 Melanie Price, Queen City FSC	6.0
3.	3	4 Erin Fisher, North Suburban FSC	7.0
4.	2	6 Jean Whitney, Detroit SC	8.0
5.	6	3 Libby Kelly, Birmingham FSC	9.0
6.	7	5 Tai Chizmar, Pavilion SC	12.0
7.	5	7 Kristin Brooke Gould, Detroit SC	12.0
8.	8	8 Michelle Walters, Mentor FSC	16.0

#### PRE-JUVENILE GIRLS-GROUP G

	CF	FS	PLACES
1.	1	1 Angie Vandermissen, Detroit SC	2.0
2.	8	2 Mara Leigh Siegler, Mentor FSC	10.0
3.	4	6 Elizabeth Steck, Euclid Blade & Edge Club	10.0
4.	2	8 Kara Cook, Detroit SC	10.0
5.	6	5 Elfie Salihi, Huntsville FSC	11.0
6.	9	3 Sara Jill Omlor, Kent SC	12.0
7.	3	9 Michelle Taubman, Shaker FSC	12.0
8.	10	4 Alyson Lee Noelker, Greenbrier FSC	14.0
9.	7	7 Melissa Blakeley, Euclid Blade & Edge Club	14.0
10.	5	10 Christie Richards, Detroit SC	15.0

#### PRE-JUVENILE GIRLS-GROUP H

	CF	FS	PLACES
1.	3	3 Jessica Lynn Margocs, Greenbrier FSC	6.0
2.	2	5 Erin Wagner, Troy SC	7.0
3.	1	6 Amy Miyoshi, Winterhurst FSC	7.0
4.	6	2 Jennifer Wing, Detroit SC	8.0
5.	8	1 Kelly MacKinnon, Mentor FSC	9.0
6.	5	4 Lara Dolin, Shaker FSC	9.0
7.	4	8 Jodie Phillips, North Suburban FSC	12.0
8.	9	7 Sarah Lynn Niemiec, Garden City FSC	16.0
9.	7	9 Kate Russell, Individual Member	16.0

#### PRE-JUVENILE GIRLS-GROUP I

	CF	FS	PLACES
1.	4	2 Megan Vos, FSC of Memphis	6.0
2.	3	3 Jacqueline Redenshek, Mentor FSC	6.0
3.	2	5 Alayna Manos, Detroit SC	7.0
4.	8	1 Britany Graham, Winterhurst FSC	9.0
5.	5	4 Danielle Radloff, Winterhurst FSC	9.0
6.	1	8 Alexis Melton, Detroit SC	9.0
7.	7	7 Erika Aimers, Lincoln Center FSC	14.0
8.	9	6 Lauren Carpenter, Lincoln Center FSC	15.0
9.	6	9 Randi Marie Kettlewell, Port Huron FSC	15.0
10.	10	10 Destin Hill Judy, Individual Member	20.0



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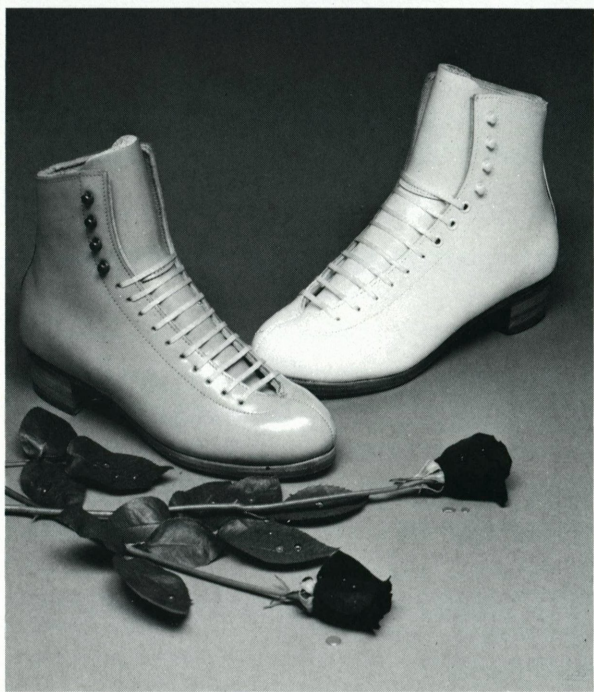
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# NORTHWEST PACIFICS

## 1991 NORTHWEST PACIFIC CHAMPIONSHIPS SPOKANE, WASHINGTON NOVEMBER 28-DECEMBER 1, 1990

### SENIOR LADIES FREE SKATING

JUDGES: 1-Ben Wade, Reno, NV; 2-Paula Naughton, Portland, OR; 3-Joyce Butchart, Seattle, WA; 4-Doris Paiva, San Mateo, CA; 5-Jon Jackson, Centerville, UT. REFEREE: William Munns, Concord, CA. ASSISTANT REFEREE: Hal Marron, Jr., Phoenix, AZ. ACCOUNTANT: Sr. Joan McKenna, \* Spokane, WA.

	OP	FS		PLACES
1.	1	1	April Lumper, Lilac City FSC	1.5
2.	2	2	Angela Rasmussen, Seattle SC	3.0
3.	3	3	Heather Waller, Anchorage FSC	4.5
4.	4	4	Krista Marie Ruwaldt, Sun Valley FSC	6.0

### JUNIOR LADIES FREE SKATING

JUDGES: 1-Paula Naughton, Portland, OR; 2-Charlene Tagas, Issaquah, WA; 3-Reiko Seger, Portland, OR; 4-Barbara Davis, Highwood, MT; 5-Joyce Butchart, Seattle, WA; 6-Josephine Lawless, Canoga Park, CA; 7-Linda Westling, Tigard, OR. REFEREE: Dr. Steve Winkler, \* Copalis Beach, WA. ASSISTANT REFEREE: William Munns, Concord, CA. ACCOUNTANT: Joan Bergdorf, Spokane, WA.

	OP	FS		PLACES
1.	1	1	Dawn Finley, Seattle SC	1.5
2.	3	2	Tamara Boni, Portland ISC	3.5
3.	6	3	Tonya Zuehlke, Portland ISC	6.0
4.	4	5	Anna Meisner, Portland ISC	7.0
5.	7	4	Amy Smith, Lakewood WC	7.5
6.	2	7	Stacey Zimmerman, Lakewood WC	8.0
7.	5	6	Sarah Gendreau, Lakewood WC	8.5
8.	8	8	Michelle Jones, Fairbanks FSC	12.0
9.	11	9	Rachel Humphrey, Sun Valley FSC	14.5
10.	10	10	Lisa Webster, Highland SC	15.0
11.	9	11	Cinnamon Jinotti, Seattle SC	15.5
12.	12	12	Heidi Green, Lakewood WC	18.0

### JUNIOR LADIES FIGURES

JUDGES: 1-Josephine Lawless, Canoga Park, CA; 2-Ben Wade, Reno, NV; 3-Joyce Butchart, Seattle, WA; 4-Paula Naughton, Portland, OR; 5-Doris Paiva, San Mateo, CA. REFEREE: William Munns, Concord, CA. ACCOUNTANT: Anita Conrad, Edmonds, WA.

	MAJORITY
1. Sarah Gendreau, Lakewood WC	5/1
2. Heidi Green, Lakewood WC	4/3
3. Shane Smith, Portland ISC	3/3
4. Michelle Jones, Fairbanks FSC	4/4
5. Bonnie Moe-Gill, Portland ISC	5/5

### JUNIOR DANCE

JUDGES: 1-Reiko Seger, Portland, OR; 2-Barbara Davis, Highwood, MT; 3-Michael Bauer, Olympia, WA; 4-Paula Naughton, Portland, OR; 5-Joyce Butchart, Seattle, WA. REFEREE: William Munns, Concord, CA. ACCOUNTANT: Wm. Ross Doherty, Seattle, WA.

	CD	OD	FD		PLACES
1.	1	1	1	Michelle Maler, Seattle SC Tony Darnell, Seattle SC	2.0
2.	2	2	2	Carissa Green, Seattle SC Kyle Wintermute, Seattle SC	4.0



## ADULT JUNIOR LADIES

JUDGES: 1-Paula Naughton, Portland, OR; 2-Jon Jackson, Centerville, UT; 3-Kay Gill, Spokane, WA; 4-Jane Bauer, Spokane, WA; 5-Reiko Seger, Portland, OR. REFEREE: Dr. Steve Winkler, \* Copalis Beach, WA. ACCOUNTANT: Joan Bergdorf, Spokane, WA.

1. Jenny Thompson, Highland SC
2. Candace Patton, Seattle SC

## MAJORITY

4/1  
5/2

## NOVICE MEN FREE SKATING

JUDGES: 1-Jon Jackson, Centerville, UT; 2-Michael Bauer, Olympia, WA; 3-Reiko Seger, Portland, OR; 4-Kay Gill, Spokane, WA; 5-Charlene Tagas, Issaquah, WA; 6-Barbara Stuns, Seattle, WA; 7-Linda Chihara, Seattle, WA. REFEREE: Dr. Steve Winkler, \* Copalis Beach, WA. ACCOUNTANT: Sr. Joan McKenna, \* Spokane, WA.

OP	FS	PLACES
1. 2	1 John Bevan, Lilac City FSC	2.0
2. 5	2 Derek Stedingh, Individual Member	4.5
3. 1	4 Glenn Armstrong, Seattle SC	4.5
4. 4	3 Jim Peterson, Lakewood WC	5.0
5. 3	5 Jens Noet, Anchorage FSC	6.5
6. 6	6 Danny Clausen, Anchorage FSC	9.0

## NOVICE MEN FIGURES

JUDGES: 1-Kay Gill, Spokane, WA; 2-Barbara Stuns, Seattle, WA; 3-Charlene Tagas, Issaquah, WA; 4-Reiko Seger, Portland, OR; 5-Jon Jackson, Centerville, UT. REFEREE: Dr. Steve Winkler, \* Copalis Beach, WA. ACCOUNTANT: Sr. Joan McKenna, \* Spokane, WA.

	MAJORITY
1. Glenn Armstrong, Seattle SC	5/1
2. Jens Noet, Anchorage FSC	TOM 10 4/3
3. Danny Clausen, Anchorage FSC	TOM 11 4/3
4. Jim Peterson, Lakewood WC	5/4

## NOVICE LADIES FREE SKATING

JUDGES: 1-Doris Paiva, San Mateo, CA; 2-Ben Wade, Reno, NV; 3-Josephine Lawless, Canoga Park, CA; 4-Paula Naughton, Portland, OR; 5-Joyce Butchart, Seattle, WA; 6-William Munns, Concord, CA; 7-Vivian Howland, Seattle, WA. REFEREE: Hal Marron, Jr., Phoenix, AZ. ACCOUNTANT: Joan Bergdorf, Spokane, WA.

OP	FS	PLACES
1. 2	1 Shayah Armstrong, Seattle SC	2.0
2. 1	2 Anika Ryan, Highland SC	2.5
3. 5	3 Kelly Kristine Clark, Lakewood WC	5.5
4. 4	4 Perri Sutton, Seattle SC	6.0
5. 3	6 Karyn Morrison, Carousel FSC	7.5
6. 6	5 Sheri Persello, Lilac City FSC	8.0
7. 7	7 Rachel Pearce, Anchorage FSC	10.5
8. 8	8 Tammy Zuehlke, Portland ISC	12.0

Eliminated after initial round

## GROUP A

5. Sandy Sandstrom, Highland SC
6. Mona Lin Smith, Portland ISC
7. Deana Fresh, Portland ISC
8. Tamsen Woods, Lakewood WC
9. Stephanie Lapikas, Anchorage FSC
10. Celeste Stacy, Lakewood WC
11. Trina Bailey, Fairbanks FSC

## GROUP B

5. Larisa Copeland, Highland SC
6. Christy Tuomi, Anchorage FSC
7. Kelli Kae Clark, Carousel FSC
8. Tawnya Smith, Highland SC
9. Erin O'Connor, Seattle SC
10. Sarah Rodway, Silver Skate FSC
11. Karleen Murphy, Seattle SC

## NOVICE LADIES FIGURES

JUDGES: 1-Josephine Lawless, Canoga Park, CA; 2-Jon Jackson, Centerville, UT; 3-Joyce Butchart, Seattle, WA; 4-Barbara Stuns, Seattle, WA; 5-Charlene Tagas, Issaquah, WA; 6-Paula Naughton, Portland, OR; 7-Reiko Seger, Portland, OR. REFEREE: Dr. Steve Winkler, \* Copalis Beach, WA. ACCOUNTANT: Wm. Ross Doherty, Seattle, WA.

	MAJORITY
1. Perri Sutton, Seattle SC	6/1
2. Kelly Kristine Clark, Lakewood WC	4/2
3. Shayah Armstrong, Seattle SC	5/3
4. Karyn Morrison, Carousel FSC	5/4
5. Christy Tuomi, Anchorage FSC	4/5
6. Erin O'Connor, Seattle SC	TO 45 4/6
7. Rachel Pearce, Anchorage FSC	TO 47 4/6
8. Trina Bailey, Fairbanks FSC	4/8
9. Stephanie Lapikas, Anchorage FSC	5/9



10. Karleen Murphy, Seattle SC	5/10
11. Tamsen Woods, Lakewood WC	7/11
12. Celeste Stacy, Lakewood WC	7/12
13. Sarah Rodway, Silver Skate FSC	5/13
14. Deana Fresh, Portland ISC	7/14

# NOVICE PAIRS

JUDGES: 1-Michael Bauer, Olympia, WA; 2-Lois Brosio, Renton, WA; 3-Kay Gill, Spokane, WA; 4-Steve Austin, Seattle, WA; 5-Linda Chihara, Seattle, WA. REFEREE: Dr. Steve Winkler, \* Copalis Beach, WA. AC-COUNTANT: Anita Conrad, Edmonds, Wa.

	MAJORITY
1. Anne Ramos, Individual Member & Derek Stedingh, Individual Member	5/1
2. Carol Marie Boyle, Highland SC & Charles Rasmussen, Highland SC	5/2

# INTERMEDIATE LADIES FREE SKATING

JUDGES: 1-Paula Naughton, Portland, OR; 2-Linda Westling, Tigard, OR; 3-Josephine Lawless, Canoga Park, CA; 4-Charlene Tagas, Issaquah, WA; 5-Reiko Seger, Portland, OR; 6-Ben Wade, Reno, NV; 7-Steve Austin, Seattle, WA. REFEREE: Hal Marron, Jr., Phoenix, AZ. ACCOUNTANT: Anita Conrad, Edmonds, WA.

	MAJORITY
1. Kimberly Ferraro, Lilac City FSC	4/1
2. Meegan McDonald, Lilac City FSC	7/2
3. Reichen Woods, Lakewood WC	5/3
4. Jennifer DeLong, Highland SC	5/5
5. Erin Covington, Portland ISC	6/6
6. Sarah Wittenberger, Seattle SC	5/6
7. Nicole Whitehead, Portland ISC	6/7
8. Lomi Suttenger, Portland ISC	5/7
9. Elyse Saugstad, Anchorage FSC	4/9
10. Jacinda Hoffman-Sanders, Portland ISC	5/10
11. Jolene Wacker, Portland ISC	7/11
12. Megan Wendt, Lakewood WC	7/12
Eliminated after initial round	

# GROUP A

7. Sarah Hoover, Silver Skate FSC
8. Natasha Davidson, Anchorage FSC
9. Rina Thun, Lakewood WC
10. Patricia Haines, Lakewood WC
11. Wendy Volkland, Great Falls FSC
12. Shannon Dignon, Highland SC
13. Andrea Dignon, Highland SC

# GROUP B

5. Jamie Aga-Shatzer, Lilac City FSC
6. Jennifer Weir, Portland ISC
7. Heather Delong, Lilac City FSC
8. Anne Ramos, Individual Member
9. Heidi Anderson, Anchorage FSC
10. Kelly Lee, Silver Skate FSC
12. Susan Pereira, Sun Valley FSC
13. Heather Carr, Lakewood WC
14. Kahrin Sharp, Sun Valley FSC

# INTERMEDIATE LADIES FIGURES

JUDGES: 1-Paula Naughton, Portland, OR; 2-Linda Westling, Tigard, OR; 3-Josephine Lawless, Canoga Park, CA; 4-Charlene Tagas, Issaquah, WA; 5-Reiko Seger, Portland, OR; 6-Ben Wade, Reno, NV; 7-Steve Austin, Seattle, WA. REFEREE: Hal Marron, Jr., Phoenix, AZ. ACCOUNTANT: Anita Conrad, Edmonds, WA.

	MAJORITY
1. Kimberly Ferraro, Lilac City FSC	4/1
2. Erin Covington, Portland ISC	TOM 9 4/3
3. Reichen Woods, Lakewood WC	TOM 11 4/3
4. Jacinda Hoffman-Sanders, Portland ISC	6/4
5. Jennifer DeLong, Highland SC	6/5
6. Megan Wendt, Lakewood WC	4/5
7. Sarah Wittenberger, Seattle SC	6/8
8. Lomi Suttenger, Portland ISC	TOM 35 5/9
9. Nicole Whitehead, Portland ISC	TOM 42 5/9
10. Meegan McDonald, Lilac City FSC	4/9
11. Jolene Wacker, Portland ISC	5/11
12. Elyse Saugstad, Anchorage FSC	7/12
Eliminated after initial round	

# GROUP A

5. Natasha Davidson, Anchorage FSC
6. Sarah Hoover, Silver Skate FSC
9. Rina Thun, Lakewood WC
10. Shannon Dignon, Highland SC
11. Andrea Dignon, Highland SC
13. Wendy Volkland, Great Falls FSC
14. Patricia Haines, Lakewood WC

# GROUP B

5. Jennifer Weir, Portland ISC
6. Susan Pereira, Sun Valley FSC
7. Heidi Anderson, Anchorage FSC
8. Jamie Aga-Shatzer, Lilac City FSC
9. Kahrin Sharp, Sun Valley FSC
10. Heather Delong, Lilac City FSC
11. Kelly Lee, Silver Skate FSC
13. Heather Carr, Lakewood WC
14. Anne Ramos, Individual Member



# **INTERMEDIATE DANCE**

JUDGES: 1-Lois Brosio, Renton, WA; 2-Vivian Howland, Seattle, WA; 3-Michael Bauer, Olympia, WA; 4-Josephine Lawless, Canoga Park, CA; 5-Jane Bauer, Spokane, WA. REFEREE: William Munns, Concord, CA. ACCOUNTANT: Sr. Joan McKenna, \* Spokane, WA.

	IR	FR		PLACES
1.	1	1	Sarah Rodway, Silver Skate FSC	2.5
			Mark Gerlack, Silver Skate FSC	
2.	2	3	Amy Thompson, Highland SC	6.0
			Dmitry White, Portland ISC	
3.	3	2	Shannon O'Terry, Portland ISC	6.5
			William Duran, Portland ISC	

## **PRE-INTERMEDIATE LADIES**

	CF	FS		PLACES
1.	3	1	Hilary Holcomb, Individual Member	4.0
2.	2	4	Jennifer Hembree, Seattle SC	6.0
3.	1	6	Margaret Evich, Seattle SC	7.0
4.	5	3	Geana Maier, Highland SC	8.0
5.	7	2	Dana Lindemann, Individual Member	9.0
6.	4	5	Ariella Wagonfeld, Lakewood WC	9.0
7.	6	8	Cindy Prodigalidad, Seattle SC	14.0
8.	8	7	Heidi Gallasch, Lakewood WC	15.0
9.	9	9	Phoebe Pederson, Lilac City FSC	18.0

## **JUVENILE GIRLS**

	CF	FS		PLACES
1.	1	2	Sarah Devereaux, Anchorage FSC	3.0
2.	6	1	Sydne Vogel, Anchorage FSC	7.0
3.	4	3	Jaime Thompson, Seattle SC	7.0
4.	3	4	Stephanie Rowland, Lakewood WC	7.0
5.	2	7	Erika Dienes, Highland SC	9.0
6.	7	5	Jaqui Tucker, Carousel FSC	12.0
7.	5	8	Larisa Krievins, Seattle SC	13.0
8.	8	6	Megan Hatswell, Anchorage FSC	14.0

### **GROUP A**

5. Christine Sugiyama, Carousel FSC
6. Trina Pierre, Seattle SC
7. Jill Friedman, Highland SC
8. Kacy Nottingham, Lakewood WC
9. Danielle Meskill, Portland ISC
10. Andrea Selkregg, Silver Skate FSC

### **GROUP B**

5. Kirsten Thomson, Seattle SC
6. Annalisa Pesek, Seattle SC
7. Andrea Kral, Highland SC
8. Gina Norton, Portland ISC
9. Michele Taylor, Lakewood WC

## **SUB-JUVENILE BOYS**

	CF	FS		PLACES
1.	2	1	Eddie Bevan, Lilac City FSC	3.0
2.	1	2	Dmitry White, Portland ISC	3.0
3.	3	3	Rhett Skelton, Fairbanks FSC	6.0

## **SUB-JUVENILE GIRLS-GROUP A**

	CF	FS		PLACES
1.	3	3	Amanda Lim, Seattle SC	6.0
2.	7	1	Tiffany Qunell, Lakewood WC	8.0
3.	1	7	Chrystal Reed, Individual Member	8.0
4.	7	2	Shawna Faber, Anchorage FSC	9.0
5.	5	4	Sofia Inthalaksa, Carousel FSC	9.0
6.	4	6	Leigh Anne Tarbill, Seattle SC	10.0
7.	2	8	Kristina Jernstrom, Fairbanks FSC	10.0
8.	6	5	Lara Malpass, Seattle SC	11.0
9.	10	9	Elizabeth Overby, Idaho Falls FSC	19.0
10.	9	10	Darlene Evich, Seattle SC	19.0

## **SUB-JUVENILE GIRLS-GROUP B**

	CF	FS		PLACES
1.	3	1	Amy Volk, Carousel FSC	4.0
2.	2	2	Michelle King, Portland ISC	4.0
3.	4	3	Kristine Nishimura, Anchorage FSC	7.0
4.	5	4	Amy Thompson, Highland SC	9.0
5.	1	9	Sarah Campbell, Lakewood WC	10.0
6.	6	5	Aleta McEwen, Anchorage FSC	11.0
7.	8	6	Lindsay Moulaison, Lilac City FSC	14.0
8.	7	7	Shannon Gilligan, Great Falls FSC	14.0
9.	9	8	Kelly Volkland, Great Falls FSC	17.0



**PRELIMINARY BOYS 11 & OVER**

	CF	FS		PLACES
1.	2	1	Justin Dillon, Lakewood WC	3.0
2.	1	3	Brian Boissonneault, Lakewood WC	4.0
3.	3	2	Toby Rau, Seattle SC	5.0

**PRELIMINARY BOYS 10 & UNDER**

	CF	FS		PLACES
1.	2	1	Tamas Bakacs, Portland ISC	3.0
2.	1	3	Mark Jacobson, Highland SC	4.0
3.	3	2	Alex Wilson, Portland ISC	5.0

**PRELIMINARY GIRLS 11 & OVER-GROUP A**

	CF	FS		PLACES
1.	5	2	Amanda Swanson, Carousel FSC	7.0
2.	2	6	Kendra Womack, Great Falls FSC	8.0
3.	7	4	Andrea Bakacs, Portland ISC	11.0
4.	9	3	Rachel Fox, Portland ISC	12.0
5.	3	9	Nicole Hoyes, Lakewood WC	12.0
6.	1	11	Sheena Brady, Fairbanks FSC	12.0
7.	12	1	Allison Daniels, Portland ISC	13.0
8.	8	5	Amanda Phipps, Fairbanks FSC	13.0
9.	4	12	Catherine Spice, Lakewood WC	16.0
10.	10	7	Melissa Cocks, Lilac City FSC	17.0
11.	11	8	Patience Mann, Silver Skate FSC	19.0
12.	6	14	Denise Cochrane, Portland ISC	20.0
13.	13	10	Katherine Freeman, Great Falls FSC	23.0
14.	14	13	Annie Welch, Lilac City FSC	27.0

**PRELIMINARY GIRLS 11 & OVER-GROUP B**

	CF	FS		PLACES
1.	2	2	Carolyn Fassel, Portland ISC	4.0
2.	4	1	Lisa McLean, Sun Valley FSC	5.0
3.	1	5	Nicole Richardson, Seattle SC	6.0
4.	3	6	Taryn Dreher, Carousel FSC	9.0
5.	8	3	Carissa Nance, Lilac City FSC	11.0
6.	6	8	Charlotte Kopp, Anchorage FSC	14.0
7.	11	4	Monica Abrahamson, Lilac City FSC	15.0
8.	7	9	Elizabeth Connors, Portland ISC	16.0
9.	5	11	Dawn Kimery, Portland ISC	16.0
10.	9	10	Elena Goodwin, Seattle SC	19.0
11.	13	7	Kristy Brown, Seattle SC	20.0
12.	10	12	Inga Giske, Seattle SC	22.0
13.	12	13	Kari Leamy, Anchorage FSC	25.0

**PRELIMINARY GIRLS 10 & UNDER-GROUP A**

	CF	FS		PLACES
1.	1	2	Tanya Sember, Carousel FSC	3.0
2.	5	1	Emily Beckwith, Carousel FSC	6.0
3.	3	5	Reimee Lynn Ward, Portland ISC	8.0
4.	2	11	Malene Martinez, Portland ISC	13.0
5.	6	8	Brooke Teller, Portland ISC	14.0
6.	4	10	Ryan Everson, Lilac City FSC	14.0
7.	12	3	Jessica Biringier, Seattle SC	15.0
8.	11	4	Angela Munoz, Anchorage FSC	15.0
9.	9	7	Sarah McKearnan, Portland ISC	16.0
10.	13	6	Sylvia McEwen, Anchorage FSC	19.0
11.	8	12	Elizabeth Philpot, Seattle SC	20.0
12.	7	15	Danielle Lisoff, Portland ISC	22.0
13.	14	9	Sonya Gangidino, Lakewood WC	23.0
14.	10	13	Kami Anderson, Portland ISC	23.0
15.	15	14	Brandi Dutton, Fairbanks FSC	29.0

**PRELIMINARY GIRLS 10 & UNDER-GROUP B**

	CF	FS		PLACES
1.	3	1	Shannon Hathaway, Lakewood WC	4.0
2.	1	5	Robbi Thompson, Seattle SC	6.0
3.	2	6	Erin Lebsack, Portland ISC	8.0
4.	6	3	Kakani Young, Portland ISC	9.0
5.	5	4	Amy Matthews, Anchorage FSC	9.0
6.	9	2	Megan Clark, Individual Member	11.0
7.	4	12	Nicole McCall, Lakewood WC	16.0
8.	10	7	Crystal Raskey, Anchorage FSC	17.0
9.	8	9	Aubrey Yoke, Lilac City FSC	17.0
10.	12	8	Lindsey Straub, Portland ISC	20.0
11.	7	14	Amanda Foraker, Lilac City FSC	21.0
12.	11	11	Esti Milam, Sun Valley FSC	22.0
13.	13	10	Ursula Hulbert, Sun Valley FSC	23.0
14.	14	13	Jessica Wamsley, Sun Valley FSC	27.0



# SOUTHWEST PACIFICS

## 1991 SOUTHWEST PACIFIC CHAMPIONSHIPS NEWBURY PARK, CALIFORNIA NOVEMBER 16-18 & 30-DECEMBER 2, 1990

### SENIOR LADIES FREE SKATING

JUDGES: 1-Ruth Burge, Laguna Hills, CA; 2-Sharon Watson, Los Angeles, CA; 3-Anthony Oates, Covina, CA; 4-Marge Heslin, Manhattan Beach, CA; 5-Virginia Fratianne, Northridge, CA; 6-Eleanor Curtis, Granada Hills, CA; 7-Peggy Stark, Ramona, CA. REFEREE: Vernon Elliott, La Palma, CA. ASSISTANT REFEREE: Morry Stillwell, Malibu, CA. ACCOUNTANT: Byron Chan, Rancho Palos Verdes, CA.

OP	FS		PLACES
1.	2	1 Tamara Kuchiki, Los Angeles FSC	2.0
2.	1	2 Jeri Campbell, Los Angeles FSC	2.5
3.	5	3 Lisa Szytel, La Jolla FSC	5.5
4.	4	4 Julie Shott, Los Angeles FSC	6.0
5.	3	5 Shannon Caudill, Los Angeles FSC	6.5
6.	6	6 Zoe Poledouris, Los Angeles FSC	9.0
7.	8	7 Tamayu Takayama, Los Angeles FSC	11.0
8.	7	8 Jennifer Gold, All Year FSC	11.5

Eliminated after initial round

#### GROUP A

- 5. Kathy Quinones, Los Angeles FSC
- 6. Christina Kopp, San Fernando Valley FSC
- 7. Liza Nacino, Los Angeles FSC

#### GROUP B

- 5. Nancy Goodridge, Orange County FSC
- 6. Michelle Lindsay, Los Angeles FSC
- 7. Kirsten Sandage, San Diego FSC

### SENIOR LADIES FIGURES

JUDGES: 1-Kathleen Flaherty, Winnetka, CA; 2-Perry Livingston, Redondo Beach, CA; 3-Peggy Stark, Ramona, CA; 4-Sharon Watson, Los Angeles, CA; 5-Joseph Glab, Camarillo, CA. REFEREE: Vernon Elliott, La Palma, CA. ACCOUNTANT: William Lipscomb, \* Santa Fe Springs, CA.

	MAJORITY
1. Shannon Caudill, Los Angeles FSC	3/1
2. Dawn Goldstein, Los Angeles FSC	4/2
3. Julie Shott, Los Angeles FSC	4/3
4. Amy Zurlinden, Los Angeles FSC	3/4
5. Kirsten Sandage, San Diego FSC	4/5
6. Christina Kopp, San Fernando Valley FSC	5/6

### JUNIOR MEN FREE SKATING

JUDGES: 1-Peggy Stark, Ramona, CA; 2-Morry Stillwell, Malibu, CA; 3-Virginia Fratianne, North Ridge, CA; 4-Perry Livingston, Redondo Beach, CA; 5-Alvin Lais, Los Angeles, CA; 6-Jack Curtis, Granada Hills, CA; 7-Marge Heslin, Manhattan Beach, CA. REFEREE: Norman Barker, Woodland Hills, CA. ASSISTANT REFEREE: Perry Livingston, Redondo Beach, CA. ACCOUNTANT: Nadine Kawaguchi, Reseda, CA.

OP	FS		PLACES
1.	1	1 Richard Alexander, Los Angeles FSC	1.5
2.	2	3 Russ Scott, Orange County FSC	4.0
3.	6	2 Eddy Zeidler, Conejo Valley FSC	5.0
4.	3	4 Chris Hendricks, All Year FSC	5.5
5.	5	5 Jason Kane, Los Angeles FSC	7.5
6.	4	6 Vearle Klinger, SC of Phoenix	8.0



### JUNIOR LADIES FREE SKATING

JUDGES: 1-Leo Stephan, Diamond Bar, CA; 2-Eleanor Curtis, Granada Hills, CA; 3-Harland Burge, Laguna Hills, CA; 4-Morry Stillwell, Malibu, CA; 5-Alvin Lais, Los Angeles, CA; 6-Perry Livingston, Redondo Beach, CA; 7-Vee Marron, Santa Ana, CA. REFEREE: Vernon Elliott, La Palma, CA. ASSISTANT REFEREE: Morry Stillwell, Malibu, CA. ACCOUNTANT: Elda Stillwell, Malibu, CA.

	OP	FS		PLACES
1.	1	1	Joanna Ng, Los Angeles FSC	1.5
2.	4	2	Casey Link, Las Vegas FSC	4.0
3.	3	3	Keri-Anne Thomas, All Year FSC	4.5
4.	2	4	Tristen Vega, Los Angeles FSC	5.0
5.	5	5	Melody Soltani, Los Angeles FSC	7.5
6.	6	6	Christina Wu, Los Angeles FSC	9.0
7.	8	7	Jennifer Chi, Arizona FSC	11.0
8.	7	8	Jennifer Carlson, All Year FSC	11.5

Eliminated after initial round

#### GROUP A

- 5. Anna Brathwaite, All Year FSC
- 6. Jennifer Vega, Los Angeles FSC
- 7. Amanda Moore, Conejo Valley FSC
- 8. Vicky Hudika, Los Angeles FSC
- Cassie Nuttman, Los Angeles FSC, withdrew

#### GROUP B

- 5. Nicole Buckles, Arizona FSC
- 6. Amy Zurlinden, Los Angeles FSC
- 7. Nancy De Mayo, All Year FSC
- 8. Jennifer Wener, Los Angeles FSC
- 9. Michelle Young, Los Angeles FSC

### JUNIOR LADIES FIGURES

JUDGES: 1-Marge Heslin, Manhattan Beach, CA; 2-Harland Burge, Laguna Hills, CA; 3-Morry Stillwell, Malibu, CA; 4-Marilyn Aamodt, Garden Grove, CA; 5-Vee Marron, Santa Ana, CA. REFEREE: Kennard Taylor, \* North Hollywood, CA. ACCOUNTANT: Nadine Kawaguchi, Reseda, CA.

			MAJORITY
1.	Casey Link, Las Vegas FSC		3/1
2.	Jennifer Carlson, All Year FSC	TOM 6	3/3
3.	Jennifer Castle, Los Angeles FSC	TOM 7	3/3
4.	Azumi Sagara, Los Angeles FSC		3/4
5.	Michelle Young, Los Angeles FSC	TOM 9	3/5
6.	Lucinda Day, Arizona FSC	TOM 11	3/5
7.	Liza Nacino, Los Angeles FSC		3/7
8.	Joanna Gibbs, La Jolla FSC		4/8
9.	Amanda Moore, Conejo Valley FSC		3/8

### JUNIOR PAIRS

JUDGES: 1-Christine Pozanac, Glendale, CA; 2-Virginia Vale, Los Angeles, CA; 3-Virginia Fratiante, Northridge, CA; 4-Sharon Watson, Los Angeles, CA; 5-Sherie Grimson, Santa Ana, CA. 6-Joseph Glab, Camarillo, CA; 7-Kathleen Flaherty, Winnetka, CA. REFEREE: Kennard Taylor, \* North Hollywood, CA. ASSISTANT REFEREE: Sharon Watson, Los Angeles, CA. ACCOUNTANT: Ruth Livingston, Redondo Beach, CA.

	OP	FS		PLACES
1.	1	1	Kristin Bingham, Orange County FSC	1.5
			Carmen Maranari, Orange County FSC	
2.	2	2	Shannon Caudill, Los Angeles FSC	3.0
			Richard Gillam, Orange County FSC	

### JUNIOR DANCE

JUDGES: 1-Deanna Stanton, Santa Monica, CA; 2-Virginia Vale, Los Angeles, CA; 3-Kathleen Flaherty, Winnetka, CA; 4-Marilyn Aamodt, Garden Grove, CA; 5-Sherie Grimson, Santa Ana, CA. REFEREE: Jack Curtis, Granada Hills, CA. ASSISTANT REFEREE: Kathleen Flaherty, Winnetka, CA. ACCOUNTANT: Gloria Earnhardt, Scottsdale, AZ.

	CD	OD	FD		PLACES
1.	1	1	1	Christine Fowler, Baltimore FSC	2.0
				Garrett Swasey, Los Angeles FSC	
2.	2	2	2	Brandy Valencia, Los Angeles FSC	4.0
				Dewayne Browning, Arctic Blades FSC	



3.	3	3	3	Tiffani Tucker, Arctic Blades FSC	6.0
				Frank Singley, Winterhurst FSC	
4.	4	4	4	Christina Corbaci, San Diego FSC	8.0
				Scott Merrill, San Diego FSC	

#### ADULT SENIOR MEN

JUDGEA: 1-Eleanor Schultz, Burbank, CA; 2-Donald Mumper, San Diego, CA; 3-Ronald Nichols, Playa Del Rey, CA; 4-Virginia Fratianne, Northridge, CA; 5-Anthony Oates, Covina, CA. REFEREE: Kennard Taylor, \* North Hollywood, CA. ACCOUNTANT: Nadine Kawaguchi, Reseda, CA.

					MAJORITY
1.	Adam Swift III, Arctic Blades FSC				3/1
2.	Garry Mallett, South Bay FSC				5/2
3.	Wade Crabtree, SC of Van Nuys				5/3
4.	Richard Leo, Individual Member				5/4

#### ADULT SENIOR LADIES

JUDGES: 1-Marge Heslin, Manhattan Beach, CA; 2-Ronald Nichols, Playa Del Rey, CA; 3-Joseph Glab, Camarillo, CA; 4-Virginia Vale, Los Angeles, CA; 5-Marilyn Aamodt, Garden Grove, CA. REFEREE: Kennard Taylor, \* North Hollywood, CA. ACCOUNTANT: Harry McBeth, Pomona, CA.

					MAJORITY
1.	Denise Rossi, All Year FSC				3/1
2.	Mary Lucas, Los Angeles FSC				4/2
3.	Nancy Horton, Orange County FSC				5/3

#### ADULT SENIOR DANCE

JUDGES: 1-Marilyn Aamodt, Garden Grove, CA; 2-Deanna Stanton, Santa Monica, CA; 3-Kathleen Flaherty, Winnetka, CA; 4-Virginia Vale, Los Angeles, CA; 5-Eleanor Curtis, Granada Hills, CA. REFEREE: Jack Curtis, Granada Hills, CA. ASSISTANT REFEREE: Kathleen Flaherty, Winnetka, CA. ACCOUNTANT: Ruth Livingston, Redondo Beach, CA.

	IR	FR		PLACES
1.	1	1	Brigit Luciani, San Diego FSC	2.0
			Robert Engle, La Jolla FSC	
2.	2	2	Lael Kovtun, La Jolla FSC	4.0
			David Allen, Los Angeles FSC	

#### ADULT JUNIOR LADIES

JUDGES: 1-Alvin Lais, Los Angeles, CA; 2-Vee Marron, Santa Ana, CA; 3-Sharon Watson, Los Angeles, CA; 4-Harland Burge, Laguna Hills, CA; 5-Leo Stephan, Diamond Bar, CA. REFEREE: Norman Barker, Woodland Hills, CA. ACCOUNTANT: Nadine Kawaguchi, Reseda, CA.

					MAJORITY
1.	Pam McDonald, Los Angeles FSC				3/3
2.	Rosie Finocchi, Orange County FSC				4/4
3.	Lynn Lowry, Los Angeles FSC			TOM 7	3/4
4.	Kathleen Rowlands, Los Angeles FSC			TOM 8	3/4
5.	Cece Frankhuizen, SC of Van Nuys			TOM 9	3/4
6.	Denise Rebbie-Galpin, SC of Van Nuys				3/5
7.	Peggy Holt, Los Angeles FSC				5/7

#### NOVICE MEN FREE SKATING

JUDGES: 1-Alvin Lais, Los Angeles, CA; 2-Donald Mumper, San Diego, CA; 3-Anthony Oates, Covina, CA; 4-Ruth Burge, Laguna Hills, CA; 5-Eleanor Schultz, Burbank, CA; 6-Virginia Fratianne, Northridge, CA; 7-Peggy Stark, Ramona, CA. REFEREE: Norman Barker, Woodland Hills, CA. ASSISTANT REFEREE: Ruth Burge, Laguna Hills, CA. ACCOUNTANT: Ruth Livingston, Redondo Beach, CA.

	OP	FS		PLACES
1.	1	1	Don Baldwin, Los Angeles FSC	1.5
2.	3	2	Roman Fraden, Los Angeles FSC	3.5
3.	2	3	B.J. Risnes, Los Angeles FSC	4.0



# **NOVICE LADIES FREE SKATING**

JUDGES: 1-Kathleen Flaherty, Winnetka, CA; 2-Sharon Watson, Los Angeles, CA; 3-Joseph Glab, Camarillo, CA; 4-Ronald Nichols, Playa Del Rey, CA; 5-Virginia Vale, Los Angeles, CA; 6-Eleanor Curtis, Granada Hills, CA; 7-Sherie Grimsom, Santa Ana, CA. REFEREE: Kennard Taylor,\* North Hollywood, CA. ASSISTANT REFEREE: Ronald Nichols, Playa Del Rey, CA. ACCOUNTANT: Eida Stillwell, Malibu, CA.

OP	FS	PLACES
1. 3	1 Kristy Venasky, Los Angeles FSC	2.5
2. 1	2 Robyn Brown, Los Angeles FSC	2.5
3. 4	3 Karen Kwan, All Year FSC	5.0
4. 2	4 Caroline Song, Arctic Blades FSC	5.0
5. 5	5 Laura Lipetsky, Los Angeles FSC	7.5
6. 8	6 Michelle Kwan, All Year FSC	10.0
7. 6	7 Jessica Posada, Los Angeles FSC	10.0
8. 7	8 Kristina Vera, Los Angeles FSC	11.5

Eliminated after initial round

## **GROUP A**

- Susan Choi, Los Angeles FSC
- Jacki Davison, All Year FSC
- Erika Kita, San Fernando Valley FSC
- Lisa Marie Auwinger, Los Angeles FSC
- Azumi Sagara, Los Angeles FSC
- Barbara Tang, SC of Phoenix
- Taylor Neff, Los Angeles FSC
- Joanna Gibbs, La Jolla FSC

## **GROUP B**

- Victoria Velasco, Arctic Blades FSC
- Jennifer Jones, Los Angeles FSC
- Diane Halber, Los Angeles FSC
- Christine Bogosian, Los Angeles FSC
- Shantelle Westbrook, Arctic Blades FSC
- Stephanie Hunt, All Year FSC
- Sabrina Corbaci, San Diego FSC
- Bridget Berhorst, Arizona FSC
- Helen Siefert, San Fernando Valley FSC

# **NOVICE LADIES FIGURES**

JUDGES: 1-Eleanor Curtis, Granada Hills, CA; 2-Christine Pozanac, Glendale, CA; 3-Ronald Nichols, Playa Del Rey, CA; 4-Virginia Vale, Los Angeles, CA; 5-Sherie Grimsom, Santa Ana, CA. REFEREE: Norman Barker, Woodland Hills, CA. ACCOUNTANT: Eida Stillwell, Malibu, CA.

	MAJORITY
1. Shantelle Westbrook, Arctic Blades FSC	TOM 12 3/2
2. Barbara Tang, SC of Phoenix	TOM 18 3/2
3. Diane Halber, Los Angeles FSC	TOM 5 3/2
4. Melanie Dupon, SC of Phoenix	4/4
5. Laura Petzoldt, Arctic Blades FSC	3/4
6. Taylor Neff, Los Angeles FSC	TOM 15 3/6
7. Trina Meister, SC of Van Nuys	TOM 17 3/6
8. Helen Siefert, San Fernando Valley FSC	3/7
9. Necia Krueger, Arctic Blades FSC	3/9
10. Bridget Berhorst, Arizona FSC	4/10
11. Jennifer Jones, Los Angeles FSC	5/11
12. A. Lee Barber, South Bay FSC	5/12

# **NOVICE PAIRS**

JUDGES: 1-Anthony Oates, Covina, CA; 2-Marge Heslin, Manhattan Beach, CA; 3-Ronald Nichols, Playa Del Rey, CA; 4-Peggy Stark, Ramona, CA; 5-Ruth Burge, Laguna Hills, CA. REFEREE: Norman Barker, Woodland Hill, CA. ACCOUNTANT: Harry McBeth, Pomona, CA.

	MAJORITY
1. Sabrina Corbaci, San Diego FSC & Eddy Zeidler, Conejo Valley FSC	3/1
2. Jacki Davison, All Year FSC & Russ Scott, Orange County FSC	4/2
3. Jennifer Petta, SC of Phoenix & Jonathan Magalnick, SC of Phoenix	5/3

# **NOVICE DANCE**

JUDGES: 1-Milton Lawless, Canoga Park, CA; 2-Kathleen Flaherty, Winnetka, CA; 3-Marge Heslin, Manhattan Beach, CA; 4-Morry Stillwell, Malibu, CA; 5-Perry Livingston, Redondo Beach, CA. REFEREE: Jack Curtis, Granada Hills, CA. ASSISTANT REFEREE: Marge Heslin, Manhattan Beach, CA. ACCOUNTANT: Eida Stillwell, Malibu, CA.

IR	FR	PLACES
1. 1	1 Stephanie Bush, All Year FSC	2.5
	Tim Powell, All Year FSC	
2. 2	2 Lucinda Day, Arizona FSC	5.0
	Yearle Klinger, SC of Phoenix	

# **INTERMEDIATE MEN FREE SKATING**

JUDGES: 1-Vee Marron, Santa Ana, CA; 2-Ronald Nichols, Playa Del Rey, CA; 3-Marge Heslin, Manhattan Beach, CA; 4-Alvin Lais, Los Angeles, CA; 5-Ruth Burge, Laguna Hills, CA. REFEREE: Norman Barker, Woodland Hills, CA. ACCOUNTANT: Harry McBeth, Pomona, CA.

1. Peter Kongkasem, Arctic Blades FSC	5/1
2. Allen Howard, Golden State FSC	5/2



### INTERMEDIATE MEN FIGURES

JUDGES: 1-Vee Marron, Santa Ana, CA; 2-Ronald Nichols, Playa Del Rey, CA; 3-Leo Stephan, Diamond Bar, CA; 4-Alvin Lais, Los Angeles, CA; 5-Ruth Burge, Laguna Hills, CA.

	MAJORITY
1. Allen Howard, Golden State FSC	5/1
2. Edmond Hollis, All Year FSC	3/2
3. Peter Kongkasem, Arctic Blades FSC	5/3

### INTERMEDIATE LADIES FREE SKATING

JUDGES: 1-Peggy Stark, Ramona, CA; 2-Alvin Lais, Los Angeles, CA; 3-Kathleen Flaherty, Winnetka, CA; 4-Ruth Burge, Laguna Hills, CA; 5-Perry Livingston, Redondo Beach, CA. REFEREE: Vernon Elliott, La Palma, Ca. ACCOUNTANT: Gloria Earnhardt, Scottsdale, AZ.

	MAJORITY
1. Christi-Ann Kayter, Los Angeles FSC	4/1
2. Michelle Cho, Orange County FSC	5/2
3. Liberte Sheldon, Los Angeles FSC	3/3
4. Sonia Kim, Arctic Blades FSC	4/4
5. Stacy Trimboli, Arctic Blades FSC	3/5
6. Mary Boyadjian, Arctic Blades FSC	5/6
7. Jacquelyne Turner, Arctic Blades FSC	3/7
8. Jill Schonert, Arrowhead FSC	TOM 22 3/9
9. Theresa Cho, Arctic Blades FSC	TOM 27 3/9
10. Sarah Pittlak, Conejo Valley FSC	TOM 35 4/10
11. Susan Parkhill, West Covina FSC	TOM 37 4/10

Eliminated after initial round

#### GROUP A

- Kristyn Evans, Arrowhead FSC
- Katy Griffiths, La Jolla FSC
- Rebecca Long, Golden State FSC
- Dhurga Jeyaranjan, Los Angeles FSC
- Katrina Baughman, La Jolla FSC
- Robyn Risch, Arctic Blades FSC
- Tricia Yamamoto, All Year FSC

#### GROUP B

- Melody Morris, San Fernando Valley FSC
- Chantel Le Boff, Los Angeles FSC
- Tania Tilton, La Jolla FSC
- Jennifer Holden, Los Angeles FSC
- Elizabeth Wilcut, Los Angeles FSC
- Sara Robertson, Pasadena FSC
- Morgan Crabtree, Rim of the World FSC
- Kim Kaylor, Orange County FSC
- Kathleen Culla, South Bay FSC

### INTERMEDIATE LADIES FIGURES

JUDGES: 1-Peggy Stark, Ramona, CA; 2-Alvin Lais, Los Angeles, CA; 3-Kathleen Flaherty, Winnetka, CA; 4-Ruth Burge, Laguna Hills, CA; 5-Perry Livingston, Redondo Beach, CA. REFEREE: Vernon Elliott, La Palma, CA. ACCOUNTANT: Gloria Earnhardt, Scottsdale, AZ.

	MAJORITY
1. Sonia Kim, Arctic Blades FSC	4/1
2. Stacy Trimboli, Arctic Blades FSC	TOM 5 3/2
3. Sarah Pittlak, Conejo Valley FSC	TOM 6 3/2
4. Liberte Sheldon, Los Angeles FSC	3/4
5. Michelle Cho, Orange County FSC	4/5
6. Christi-Ann Kayter, Los Angeles FSC	3/6
7. Theresa Cho, Arctic Blades FSC	5/7
8. Susan Parkhill, West Covina FSC	4/7
9. Mary Boyadjian, Arctic Blades FSC	TOM 33 4/9
10. Jacquelyne Turner, Arctic Blades FSC	TOM 34 4/9
11. Jill Schonert, Arrowhead FSC	4/10

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#### GROUP A

- Katy Griffiths, La Jolla FSC
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#### GROUP B

- Chantel Le Boff, Los Angeles FSC

- Melody Morris, San Fernando Valley FSC
- Jennifer Holden, Los Angeles FSC
- Kristyn Evans, Arrowhead FSC
- Kim Kaylor, Orange County FSC
- Sara Robertson, Pasadena FSC
- Tricia Yamamoto, All Year FSC
- Morgan Crabtree, Rim of the World FSC
- TIE
- Katrina Baughman, La Jolla FSC
- TIE

### INTERMEDIATE PAIRS

JUDGES: 1-Milton Lawless, Canoga Park, Ca 2-Marilyn Aamodt, Garden Grove, CA; 3-Marge Heslin, Manhattan Beach, CA; 4-Sharon Watson, Los Angeles, CA; 5-Jack Curtis, Granada Hills, CA. REFEREE: Norman Barker, Woodland Hills, CA. ACCOUNTANT: Gloria Earnhardt, Scottsdale, AZ.

	MAJORITY
1. Jennifer Patigler, Los Angeles FSC & B.J. Risnes, Los Angeles FSC	5/1
2. Natalie Vlandis, Los Angeles FSC & Jered Guzman, Los Angeles FSC	5/2



**INTERMEDIATE DANCE**

JUDGES: 1-Marge Heslin, Manhattan Beach, CA; 2-Milton Lawless, Canoga Park, CA; 3-Sherie Grimson, Santa Ana, CA; 4-Janet Becht, Canyon Country, CA; 5-Kathleen Flaherty, Winnetka, CA. REFEREE: Morry Stillwell, Malibu, CA. ASSISTANT REFEREE: Sherie Grimson, Santa Ana, CA. ACCOUNTANT: Nadine Kawaguchi, Reseda, CA.

	IR	FR		PLACES
1.	1	1	Kara Thornham, Arizona FSC	2.5
			Jonathan Magalnick, Arizona FSC	
2.	2	3	Amanda Glazebrook, All Year FSC	6.0
			Garry Mallett, South Bay FSC	
3.	3	2	Lisa Parra, Los Angeles FSC	6.5
			Tim Fujioka, Los Angeles FSC	
4.	4	5	Maria Mize, Los Angeles FSC	11.0
			John Wheeler, Los Angeles FSC	
5.	5	4	Karin Storm, Golden State FSC	11.5
			Allen Howard, Golden State FSC	

**PRE-INTERMEDIATE LADIES**

	CF	FS		PLACES
1.	1	2	Jessica Viciconte, Los Angeles FSC	3.0
2.	4	1	Ambur Fork, All Year FSC	5.0
3.	2	4	Annie Lu, Orange County FSC	6.0
4.	5	3	Everly Lee, All Year FSC	8.0
5.	6	6	Amy Gramling, San Diego FSC	12.0
6.	3	9	Kristina Fisher, Arrowhead FSC	12.0
7.	7	7	Dawn Thomas, Arizona FSC	14.0
8.	11	5	Veronica Rohrbacher, Arizona FSC	16.0
9.	8	8	Julia Torgan, San Fernando Valley FSC	16.0
10.	10	10	Jennifer Kaneen, Los Angeles FSC	20.0

Jennifer Rickard, Arrowhead FSC, withdrew

**PRE-INTERMEDIATE DANCE**

	IR	FR		PLACES
1.	1	1	Mica Darley, All Year FSC	2.0
			Casper Young, Arctic Blades FSC	
2.	2	2	Shannon Livingston, All Year FSC	4.0
			Edmond Hollis, All Year FSC	
3.	3	3	Karen Timberlake, All Year FSC	6.0
			David Miller, Los Angeles FSC	
4.	4	4	Shaun Rodman, La Jolla FSC	8.0
			Christopher Miller, La Jolla FSC	

**JUVENILE BOYS**

	CF	FS		PLACES
1.	2	1	Jonathan Keen, Orange County FSC	3.0
2.	1	2	Dustin Fujiwara, Rim of the World FSC	3.0

**JUVENILE GIRLS**

	CF	FS		PLACES
1.	8	1	Stephanie Stiegler, All Year FSC	9.0
2.	7	3	Monica Kim, Arrowhead FSC	10.0
3.	4	7	Cindy Im, Los Angeles FSC	11.0
4.	10	2	Angela Nikodinov, All Year FSC	12.0
5.	6	6	Lina Chmiel, Pasadena FSC	12.0
6.	5	8	Kelly Kraetsch, Conejo Valley FSC	13.0
7.	3	10	Erica Wright, Conejo Valley FSC	13.0
8.	2	11	Denise Buss, Conejo Valley FSC	13.0
9.	1	12	Mya Zapata, All Year FSC	13.0
10.	9	5	Shannon Murphy, Conejo Valley FSC	14.0
11.	11	4	Shannon Livingston, All Year FSC	15.0
12.	12	9	Yuka Kadono, San Fernando Valley FSC	21.0

Eliminated after initial round

**GROUP A**

5. Debra Risch, Arctic Blades FSC
6. Marissa Hershman, Los Angeles FSC
7. Jennifer Henz, All Year FSC
8. Marisa Perring, Golden State FSC
9. Melissa Worman, Rim of the World FSC
10. Amaal Islam, SC of Phoenix
11. Jean Rapoport, Arctic Blades FSC

**GROUP B**

5. Kathryn Vaughn, Los Angeles FSC
6. Amber Corwin, All Year FSC
7. Maggie O'Donnell, San Diego FSC
8. Tiffany Bailey, Arctic Blades FSC

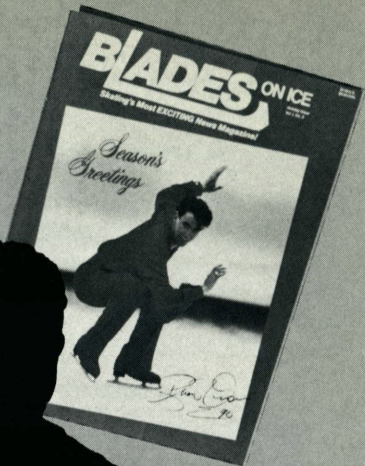
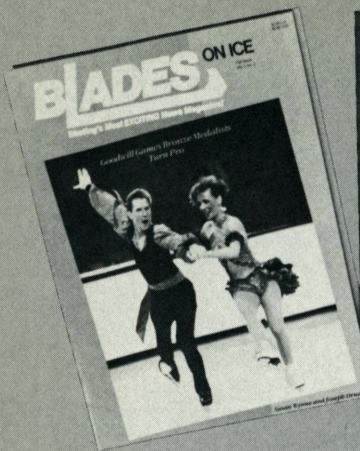
9. Felicia Lewis, Arctic Blades FSC
10. Yvette Benito, San Fernando Valley FSC
11. Shannon Takahashi, All Year FSC

**GROUP C**

5. Stephanie Anderson, Conejo Valley FSC
6. Amber Wasson, Golden State FSC
7. Mica Darley, All Year FSC
8. Veronica Chojnacki, Conejo Valley FSC
9. Jennifer Salter, SC of Phoenix
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## LOCATION CHANGE FOR 1991 NATIONAL JUVENILE & INTERMEDIATE CHAMPIONSHIPS

Please be advised that the competition arena and official hotel for the 1991 National Juvenile and Intermediate Figure Skating Championships to be held on April 19-20, 1991 have been changed. The competition will be held at the Sport-O-Rama Ice Arena, 18 College Road, Monsey, NY 10952 and the official hotel will be the Woodcliffe Lake Hilton, Tice Boulevard and Chestnut Ridge Road, Woodcliffe Lake, NJ 07675.

## INTERNATIONAL UPDATE

The USFSA has been notified by the National Skating Association of Great Britain that the Skate Electric International Challenge - Spring Competition has been canceled due to lack of sponsorship.

Also, it has been announced that the Christine Laure Trophy, Challenge Lysiane Lauret of Ice Dancing will be held at the Charlemagne Ice Rink, Lyon, France on April 4-7, 1991.

## JUDGES' APPOINTMENTS

### LOW TEST

Myra A. Dria, Galleria-Houston ISC  
Lolly Jensen, Sun Valley FSC  
Vivian Memmi, Hershey FSC

### INTERMEDIATE TEST

Tara Taylor, Hayden Recreation Centre  
FSC

### BRONZE DANCE TEST

Ruth DeBoard, Anchorage FSC  
Warren Maxwell, Dallas FSC  
Margaret Shiles, Ann Arbor FSC

### SILVER DANCE TEST

Heather Gordon, Cleveland SC

### JUNIOR COMPETITION

Todd Bromley, Broadmoor SC  
Kathleen Dunn, New Haven SC

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**Ladies**

Advance speculation about the ladies' event indicated that it was essentially a race between two skaters — World Bronze Medalist Holly Cook of the U.S. the favorite, and Lisa Sargeant of Canada, sixth at the 1990 Worlds, the obvious challenger. The rest of the field could expect to battle for the bronze. However, every skating competition has to have at least one major upset and this is where Skate Canada's occurred.

The original program began with the young Soviet skater, Tatiana Rachkova. She established a high standard that the event would maintain, successfully completing all of the elements, including a double flip/triple toe loop combination. Interestingly, the top three contenders in the event all chose to perform triple toe loop/double toe loop and completed them solidly, while some of the lower ranking competitors attempted more difficult combinations but landed them with less certainty. Rachkova was an exception, having no difficulty with any of her elements, despite having room for improvement on the artistic side, and she deservedly finished fourth in this section.

Sargeant showed considerably-improved presentation over last season with her strong program set to the "Mexican Hat Dance." The choreography was cleverly worked out and the double Axel, triple toe/double toe, and double flip were all fine. Her marks for required elements were 5.1 to 5.6 and for presentation 5.2 to 5.6.

Before Holly Cook could make her attempt, however, it was the turn of Canadian Josée Chouinard, who would turn out to be the biggest surprise of the entire competition. In the original, she performed the same elements as Sargeant and just as convincingly. Her marks were comparable as well: 5.1 to 5.5 for the elements, 5.2 to 5.6 for presentation.

Cook skated last and, knowing how strong the field had been overall, could not afford a mistake. Nor did she make one, matching the two Canadian ladies jump for jump to the big band sound of "Sing, Sing, Sing." Her marks were in the same range: 5.2 to 5.7 for elements, 5.1 to 5.7 for presentation. It was the closest thing to a three-way tie imaginable, but Sargeant just squeaked into first place, with Cook second, and Chouinard third. In fourth place was Rachkova, followed by Japan's Yuka Sato, and Tanja Krienke from East Germany but representing the Federal Republic of Germany.

Unfortunately, the high standard that the ladies' field reached in the original program was not maintained in the free skating. Most of the earlier competitors struggled, with the triple jumps in particular taking their toll. The best of the lower half of the field was Junko Yaginuma of Japan, who landed a couple of good triples including a Lutz. She moved from seventh in the original to fifth overall. Both Rachkova and Krienke had considerable difficulties with their triples and finished seventh and sixth respectively.

The first of the top four to skate was Sargeant. To a medley of Gershwin music, she opened strongly with double Axel and triple Salchow jumps. There had been speculation that she would attempt the triple Axel that she had been doing in practice, but at that particular point in her program, she did a double instead. She had two other good triples, a toe loop, and another Salchow, both in combination with a double toe loop, before falling from another triple toe loop near the end of the program. She confirmed the improvement in her presentation, but it must be admitted that the performance didn't quite have the sparkle of her original program. Her marks of



5.3 to 5.6 put her first at this point.

Hot on her heels came Chouinard, and it was obvious from the first beat of music that she was on. She successfully completed five triples, two Salchows, two toe loops, and a Lutz. Only a planned triple loop was turned into a double when the take-off didn't feel quite right. It wasn't so much what she did, however, as the captivating way that she did it. Seemingly energized by the fast, bouncy music, her bubbly personality was evident throughout. The judges obviously agreed, awarding her marks of 5.4 to 5.8 to enable her to take over the lead.

Sato, who skated next, couldn't match Chouinard's content, although she was successful with the triple loop and Salchow jumps, she over-rotated a triple toe loop. Nevertheless, her program was very pleasing in its choreography and execution, and she finished in fourth place.

Last to take the ice was Cook; there was still room for her to win, but she would need one of her best performances ever. She started out well, with two really beautiful jumps, a double Axel and a triple toe loop, both landed as lightly as a feather. But then things started to go wrong with a fall from a triple loop attempt. She was successful with two triple Salchows, one combined with a double toe loop, before falling again from a triple toe loop. Her presentation was effective, set to strong music from *Tour de France*, *The Black Stallion*, and *Rocky IV* that really seemed to suit her. Her marks ranged from 5.2 to 5.6.

The final results saw the gold medal go to Chouinard, the silver to Sargeant, and the bronze to Cook. It may have been a disappointing result from an American perspective, but given the performances of all three ladies it was impossible to dispute.

## Interpretive Programs

Last year, the men's and ladies' artistic programs made their debut at Skate Canada. They were an immediate hit with the audience and skaters alike, even if they did seem to baffle the judges somewhat. This year, they returned, rechristened "Interpretive Programs" with the rules a little more clearly defined. Once again, they were among the most crowd pleasing events in the competition.

The first of the men to skate was Steven Bélanger of Canada. He elected to portray the character of the "World's Greatest Lover," Rudolph Valentino. The rules state that no double Axels or triple jumps are permitted in the Interpretive Programs; Bélanger, who is an ice dancer and not a singles skater, chose to take this literally. He did not include even one jump, nor any conventional spins. Instead, he concentrated on wonderful edges, footwork, and positions that seemed to mirror the music perfectly, especially a superbly controlled split. His marks set a pace that none of the others would match: 5.1 to 5.4 for composition, but 5.6 to 5.8 for presentation.

Oliver Hoener skated entertainingly to "I Can Do That" from the film version of *A Chorus Line*. Appropriately dressed in a dancer's rehearsal clothes, he even managed to accommodate an unplanned fall in his footwork seamlessly into his routine. He wound up in fourth place.

The most anticipated skater was defending champion Daniel Weiss, who was playing the Rum Tug Tugger from *Cats*. In practice, this number had looked unbeatable, but in performance it didn't quite come off. Perhaps the costume and make-up, which were admirable in themselves, directly based on those of the stage show, didn't allow Weiss's natural expressiveness to show through. At any rate, his marks of 5.1 to 5.8 weren't quite



enough to catch Bélanger and he had to settle for the silver.

Cameron Medhurst was almost unrecognizable as Fagin, the leader of the gang of pickpockets in *Oliver!* This was a clever program, set to "Reviewing the Situation," that called for as much acting as skating. Medhurst was fully up to both and received a bronze medal as a result. Dmitri Gromov was sixth and last, skating the same rather routine program as last year to "It Ain't Necessarily So" from *Porgy and Bess*.

Larry Holliday of the USA paid tribute to Fred Astaire and Sammy Davis, Jr., as a young tap dancer dreaming of stardom in "Stomping at the Savoy." The tapping was cleverly choreographed and the whole program was elegantly skated, but the concept was perhaps more conventional than those of the top competitors. He finished in fifth place.

The ladies' event was skated on the final day of the competition. The initial skater was Yuka Sato, whose routine, accompanied by oriental music, was pleasant but not particularly memorable. She finished eighth.

The biggest surprise of the event, if not the entire competition, was Joanna Ng, who skated next. Born in Taipei and representing the United States, she had one of the most serious programs of all. Set to "Night Train," the number told of a young Vietnamese girl brought to America by her G.I. lover and subsequently deserted. She now makes her living as an exotic dancer and the story ends with her in despair. The theme and the choreography seemed very mature for a young girl who, at the time of the competition, had yet to reach her 12th birthday, but Ng skated it with such poise and maturity that any incongruity was eliminated. The audience was enraptured and the judges awarded marks of 5.0 to 5.6 that would be good enough for first place.

Sandra Garde of France performed to *Out of Africa*, portraying a panther attempting to escape from a hunter. Denmark's Anisette Torp-Lind chose not to take things quite so seriously in her rendition of an auditioning dancer in *A Chorus Line*, this time the Broadway version. This number was another crowd pleaser and enabled Torp-Lind to take the bronze medal, just ahead of Garde. Hélène Persson of Sweden, who skated next, has the good sense to start with a wonderful piece of music: Jennifer Holliday's great rendition of "And I Am Telling You I'm Not Going" from *Dreamgirls*. Not many skaters could match the power of that, but Persson gave it a good try and wound up sixth as a result.

Trudy Treslan gave us a typical day in the life of SheRa, queen of the jungle: being awakened by a lion's roar, almost drowning in a rushing river, falling off a cliff, and finally hunting down and killing the lion. Treslan's conviction, along with the powerful music of Stravinsky's *The Rite of Spring*, conveyed the sequence of events very effectively and clearly. Her marks were very close to Ng's (5.0 to 5.6) and brought her the silver medal.

Tatiana Rachkova followed with a rather unmemorable number that apparently was about a young girl on a holiday, and found herself in seventh place. The final skater, Claudia Unger, in clown costume and make-up, appropriately skated to Stephen Sondheim's classic song "Send in the Clowns." It was performed with musical sensitivity and brought her fifth place.

After two Skate Canada competitions that have included interpretive skating, a few facts are clear. The most obvious is that it's a real hit with the audience, who seem to enjoy watching skating without the worry of triple jumps and with free reign given to the imagination. Secondly, it puts the judges in a real quandary,



since it is even more subjective than regular singles skating. And finally, having a national title doesn't help a bit. Steven Bélanger and Joanna Ng were both much less experienced than most of their competitors and were making their debuts in international competition, yet few observers would have questioned the correctness of their victories.

### **Fours**

The other event that made its Skate Canada debut last year was the fours competition. For those unfamiliar with the event, it is skated by two pairs who perform all the usual moves that pairs skaters do side by side, as well as original moves that involve all four skaters together. Fours has been a part of the Canadian Championships since the early '80s, but Skate Canada is the only international event that currently includes it.

The first four to perform consisted of Christine Hough, Michelle Menzies, Doug Ladret, and Kevin Wheeler. This was a richly choreographed program set to an instrumental medley of some of the less familiar music from *Les Misérables*. No recording could be found that suited their needs, so Ladret, who records much of the music for skaters coached by Kerry Leitch at the Preston club in Cambridge, Ontario, re-recorded it on his synthesizer. The results were certainly worth the effort. Among the technical highlights were side-by-side throw double Axels, forward inside death spirals, and throw triple Salchows. A straight line step sequence was skated so quickly and in such close formation that one slight slip would have brought all four crashing to the ice. A final four-person death spiral separated into two side-by-side death spirals and led into their closing pose. They received very good marks of 5.5 to 5.7.

They were followed by the American entry of Elaine Asanakis, Calla Ur-



**Fours' Bronze**  
**ASANAKIS/URBANSKI &**  
**MARVAL/McKEEVER**  
**USA**

banski, Rocky Marval, and Joel McKeever. All but Marval competed in this event last year and the experience showed, as they demonstrated considerable improvement. To a military theme that started off with the "Colonel Bogey March," they had a near collision on side-by-side double twists, but succeeded well with side-by-side throw double Axels, a four-person death spiral that showed good creativity, and side-by-side throw double Salchows. Their marks were 5.2 to 5.5.

The next skaters were Stacey Ball, Isabelle Brasseur, Jean-Michel Bombardier, and Lloyd Eisler, also representing Canada. Like their compatriots, they showed considerable technical strength: side-by-side triple twists, forward inside death spirals, and throw triple Salchows. Their program was skated to more modern and less traditional music, and was full of beautiful spirals and spread eagle formations, as well as some strong individual jumps. They were marked very well, from a low of 5.5 to a high of 5.9.



The last four to skate were Anna Gorecki, Patricia Jares, Arkadius Gorecki, and Thorsten-Alexander Weigle, who were representing the Federal Republic of Germany in a welcome first appearance at the fours competition. Their music was from the movie *Superman* by John Williams. They earned their place in this competition with side-by-side throw double Salchows, double twists, and death spirals. Individual double flips and double toe loops were well done, as well as the required four-person variation on a death spiral. Their marks were, like the Americans, in the 5.2 to 5.5 range.

In contrast with the interpretive events, the judging of the fours was much more consistent, thanks to more clearly defined technical criteria. It was extremely close between the two Canadian teams for the gold medal, with Ball, Brasseur, Bombardier, and Eisler taking a four-three decision and the gold medal. The race for the bronze medal was equally tight, with four judges voting for the Americans and three for the Germans.

The 17th edition of Skate Canada was one of the best organized and most successful yet. Good skating, impeccable sportsmanship, and appreciative audiences were the order of the day. The eager responsiveness of the fans to the skaters was a delight throughout and was clearly reciprocated. London, Ontario, will play host to this competition in 1991; it will have its hands full trying to match the accomplishments of Lethbridge.

*Peter K. Robertson, a longtime admirer of figure skating, has been writing for Skating since 1988. He resides in Toronto, Ontario, Canada where he teaches computer programming.*

# Ricky

## HARRIS

### *On The "Second Mark" —Free Skating Program Part I*

According to ISU Regulations, Rule 327, the second mark for the free skating program has to do with composition and style, and is explained as follows: (a) harmonious composition of the program as a whole and its conformity with the music chosen, (b) utilization of the area, (c) easy movement and sureness in time to the music, (d) carriage, (e) originality, and (f) expression of the character of the music.

For years music was used merely as a background for skating the elements. Now, with figures gone, and with vast television coverage, some of the rules of dramatic structure are now incorporated into the building of choreographic skills. It sometimes relates to the dance world with story ballets, using the same athletic prowess. The only time ice choreographers were able to do this in the past was on professionals. Now, more and more, what you are seeing in ice programs is: characterization, plot, addition to transitions, climax, and continuity.

Sometimes the story is told just in the slow portion of the program, but increasingly it is seen through the entire program. It is quite a challenge, as the story must mesh with the required elements. Input from the art world is unavoidable: abstraction, texture, and qualities of coloration and visual concepts of treating the rink as a canvas. This allows skating to become a true art/sport of communication.

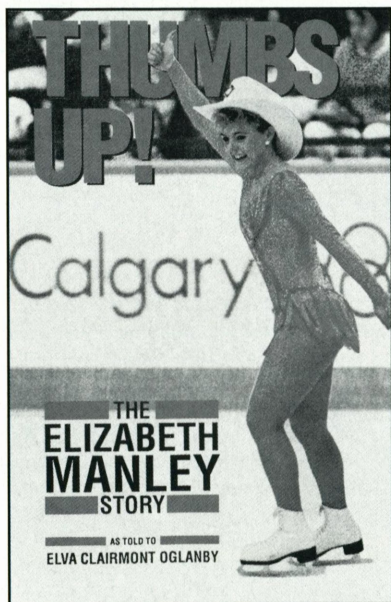
You do not learn to choreograph by reading about it, hearing about it, or watching performances. You learn by doing it; by experimenting, by creating fragments—bits of movement and movement phrases. You learn by trying all kinds of ways to move, changing combinations around, visualizing feelings to

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### CLUB NEWS

Garden City FSC in Garden City, Mich., treated local elementary school children to a figure skating exhibition and a bag full of promotional items recently. The children typically are rewarded for good behavior with assemblies and field trips and this time parents of Garden City FSC members arranged the exhibition. The schools provided transportation, the rink provided free ice to the Club, and the Club provided an exhibition for the students. The Club parents also solicited promotional items and assembled the gift bags.



### ENGAGEMENT

Two-time U.S. Dance Champion **Susan Wynne** announced her engagement to Lt. Tyler Barth of Chicago. A summer wedding is planned in Wynne's hometown of Camillus, New York, and the couple will make their home in Boston where Lt. Barth is stationed with the U.S. Air Force.

### BEREAVEMENTS

**Paul McGrath**, coach and choreographer at the SC of Boston, passed away December

3. He was 44 years old. Since the 1970's he had won acclaim as an inspiring teacher and innovative choreographer. Prior to teaching he claimed the 1965 U.S. Junior Men's title, and was World Professional champion in 1974 and 1977. Among his most accomplished skaters was Jill Frost, 1981 U.S. Junior Ladies' champion. His dedication to the sport will be greatly missed.

**Jean Ferrand**, president of the French Federation of Ice Sports (FFSG), passed away recently following a long illness. He is touted as being responsible for the boom of French hockey and the "hexagonal" plan which implanted hockey in every region. His contributions to the sports world will not be forgotten.

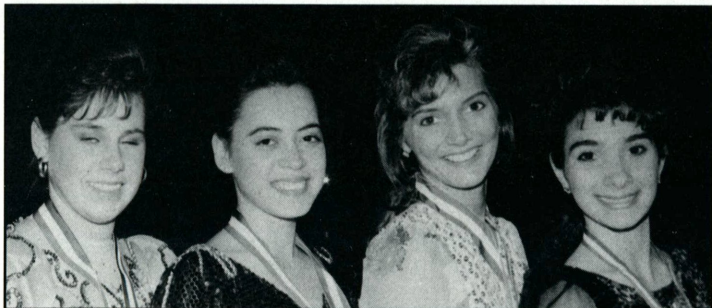
**Todd Andrew Kaufman** died after battling a long illness. Born 34 years ago in Dayton, Ohio, he spent the last 12 years in San Diego. Kaufman was involved in figure skating for many years; first as an amateur competitor, then as a professional skater with Holiday on Ice. He leaves behind many loved ones and acquaintances through his years of travels and experiences. Kaufman is survived by his mother Gloria, father Ralph, sisters Alix Barnett and Hilary Papke, and brothers Paul and Douglas, their spouses, and numerous nieces and nephews.

Former national competitor **Michael Fiore**, 44, died late September. Originally from New York, Fiore taught figure skating for many years in San Diego. He will be deeply missed by those who knew him.



# EASTERN GREAT LAKES

The Eastern Great Lakes Championships were held November 24-December 1, 1990 in Lakewood, Ohio and hosted by the Winterhurst Figure Skating Club. For complete results, turn to page 37.

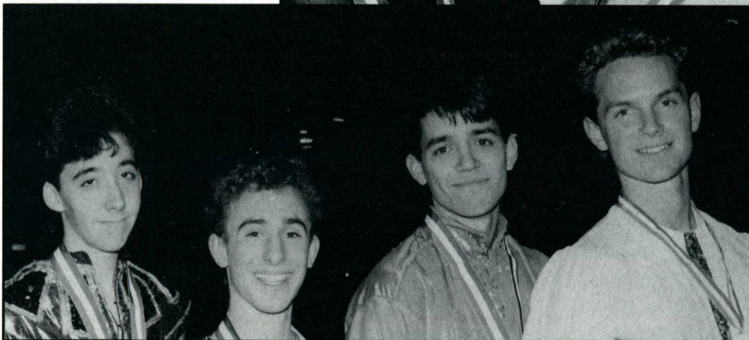


## SENIOR LADIES FREE SKATING

(L to R) Megan Carpenter, Second; Leana Naczynski, First; Theresa Weber, Third; Paula Visingardi, Fourth.

## SENIOR LADIES FIGURES

(L to R) Megan Carpenter, Second; Shannon Livingston, First; Rebecca Francisco, Third; Lisa Boukis, Fourth (not shown).



## JUNIOR MEN FREE SKATING

(L to R) Clifford Retamar, Second; Dan Hollander, First; Mel Chapman, Third; John Wright, Fourth.

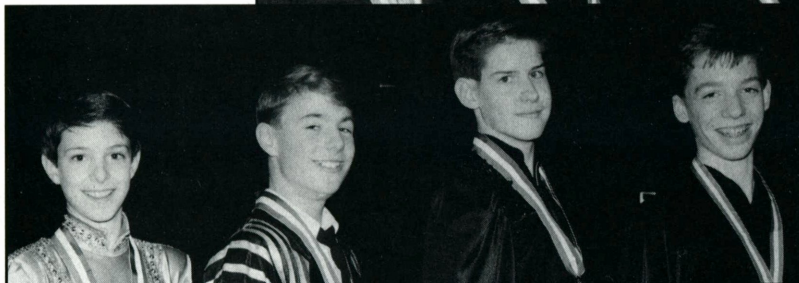
## JUNIOR LADIES FREE SKATING

(L to R) Kristin Buckler, Second; Regan Wagner, First; Stacey Landacre, Third; Dawn Ziegler, Fourth.



# **JUNIOR LADIES FIGURES**

(L to R) Tisha Lacuesta,  
Second; Regan Wagner,  
First; Stacey Landacre,  
Third; Lisa Barnett,  
Fourth.



# **NOVICE MEN FREE SKATING**

(L to R) Ryan Jahnke,  
Second; Matthew Kes-  
singer, First; Mick  
Ryan, Third; Dan  
Kuhn, Fourth.

# **NOVICE LADIES FREE SKATING**

(L to R) Lisa Matras, Second;  
Emily Freedman, First; Erin  
Pearson, Third; Kari-Ann  
Keyanchuk, Fourth.



# **NOVICE LADIES FIGURES**

(L to R) Nicole Gimpert, Sec-  
ond; Veronica Votycka, First;  
Dorota Meller, Third; Lori  
Williamson, Fourth.

# **NOVICE PAIR**

(L to R) Fred Palascak &  
Theresa Palascak, First; David  
St. John & Shelly Martin, Sec-  
ond; Ali Blank & Jeb Gerth,  
Third (not shown).







### **NOVICE DANCE**

(L to R) Back Row: Benjamin Hwang & Nilam Sanghvi, Second; Danny Tate & Julie Boylston, First; Michael Kawamoto & Andrea Messer, Third. Front Row: Carl Wasielewski & Mandi Keener, Fourth.

### **INTERMEDIATE MEN FREE SKATING**

(L to R) Craig Joeright, Second; J.P. Russell, First; Jamie Rossino, Third; Jeb Gerth, Fourth.



### **INTERMEDIATE LADIES FREE SKATING**

(L to R) Michele Forchione, Second; Deanna Gerbrick, First; Stephanie Senterfit, Third; Carrie Maultsby, Fourth.

### **INTERMEDIATE LADIES FIGURES**

(L to R) Deanna Gerbrick, Second; Rebecca Yarbrough, First; Cori Ollom, Third; Stephanie Senterfit, Fourth.



### **INTERMEDIATE DANCE**

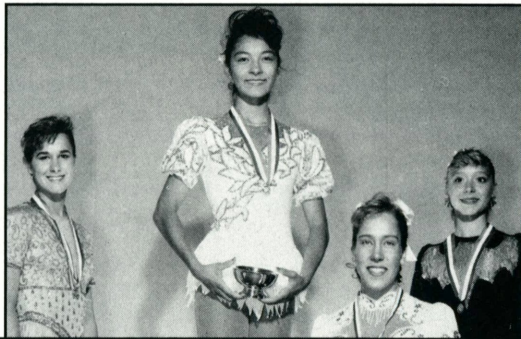
(L to R) Back Row: Mollie Nook & Jamie Rossino, Second; Heather Schonrock & Charles Bernhard, First; Callie Sullins & Keith Schonrock, Third. Front Row: Shelly Martin & Michael Keller, Fourth.

# SOUTHWEST PACIFICS

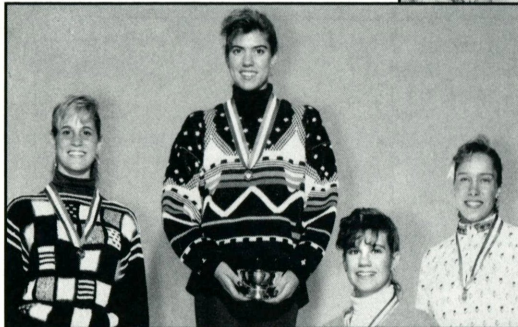
The Southwest Pacific Regional Championships took place November 16-18 & November 30-December 2, 1990 in Newbury Park, California and were hosted by the Conejo Valley Figure Skating Club. For complete results, turn to page 54.

## SENIOR LADIES FREE SKATING

(L to R) Jeri Campbell, Second; Tamara Kuchiki, First; Julie Shott, Fourth; Lisa Szytel, Third.



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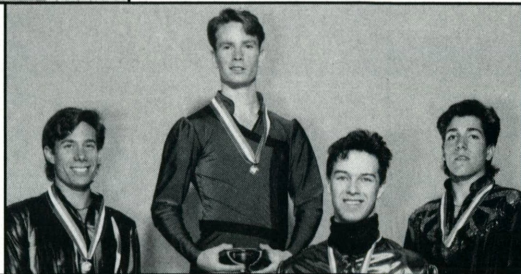


## SENIOR LADIES FIGURES

(L to R) Dawn Goldstein, Second; Shannon Caudill, First; Amy Zurlinden, Fourth; Julie Shott, Third.

## JUNIOR MEN FREE SKATING

(L to R) Russ Scott, Second; Richard Alexander, First; Chris Hendricks, Fourth; Eddy Zeidler, Third.



## JUNIOR LADIES FREE SKATING

(L to R) Casey Link, Second; Joanna Ng, First; Tristen Vega, Fourth; Keri-Anne Thomas, Third.





### **JUNIOR LADIES FIGURES**

(L to R) Jennifer Carlson, Second; Casey Link, First; Azumi Sagara, Fourth; Jennifer Castle, Third.

### **JUNIOR PAIRS**

(L to R) Richard Gillam & Shannon Caudill, Second; Kristin Bingham & Carmen Maranari, First.



### **JUNIOR DANCE**

(L to R) Dewayne Browning & Brandy Valencia, Second; Garrett Swasey & Christine Fowler, First; Tiffani Tucker & Frank Singley, Third; Christina Corbaci & Scott Merrill, Fourth.

### **ADULT SENIOR MEN**

(L to R) Garry Mallett, Second; Adam Swift III, First; Richard Leo, Fourth; Wade Crabtree, Third.



### **ADULT SENIOR LADIES**

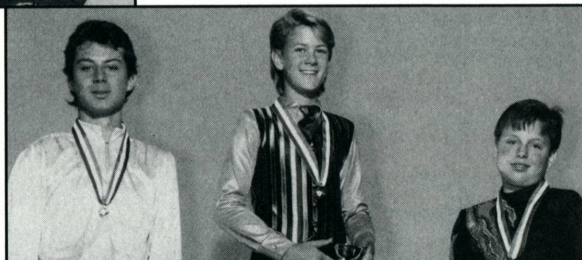
(L to R) Mary Lucas, Second; Denise Rossi, First; Nancy Horton, Third.

**ADULT JUNIOR LADIES**  
*(L to R)* Rosie Finocchi, Second; Pam McDonald, First; Kathleen Rowlands, Fourth; Lynn Lowry, Third.



**ADULT SENIOR DANCE**  
*(L to R)* David Allen & Lael Kovtun, Second; Brigit Luciani & Robert Engle, First.

**NOVICE MEN FREE SKATING**  
*(L to R)* Roman Fraden, Second; Don Baldwin, First; B.J. Risnes, Third.



**NOVICE LADIES  
 FREE SKATING**  
*(L to R)* Robyn Brown, Second; Kristy Venasky, First; Caroline Song, Fourth, Karen Kwan, Third.

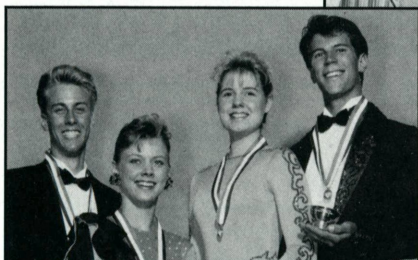
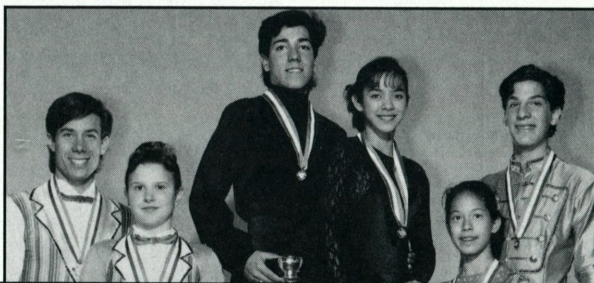
**NOVICE LADIES FIGURES**  
*(L to R)* Barbara Tang, Second; Shantelle Westbrook, First; Melanie Dupon, Fourth; Diane Halber, Third.





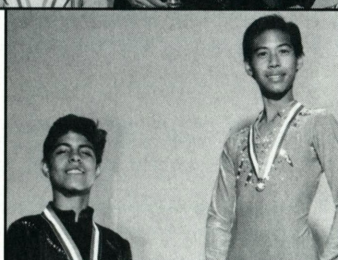
### NOVICE PAIRS

(L to R) Russ Scott & Jacki Davison, Second; Eddy Zeidler & Sabrina Corbaci, First; Jennifer Petta & Jonathan Magalnick, Third.



### NOVICE DANCE

(L to R) Vearle Klinger & Lucinda Day, Second; Stephanie Bush & Tim Powell, First.

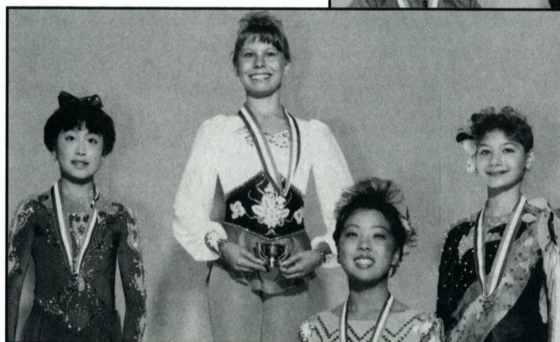
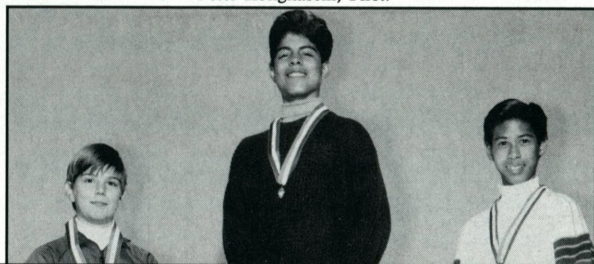


### INTERMEDIATE MEN FREE SKATING

(L to R) Allen Howard, Second; Peter Kongkasem, First.

### INTERMEDIATE MEN FIGURES

(L to R) Edmond Hollis, Second; Allen Howard, First; Peter Kongkasem, Third.

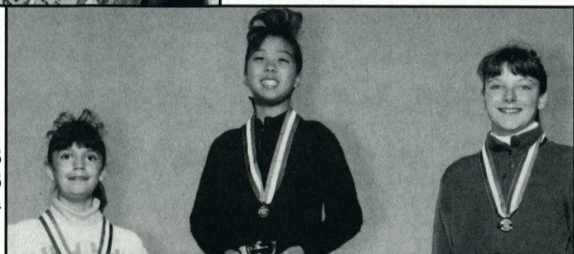


### INTERMEDIATE LADIES FREE SKATING

(L to R) Michelle Cho, Second; Christi-Ann Kayter, First; Sonia Kim, Fourth; Liberte Sheldon, Third.

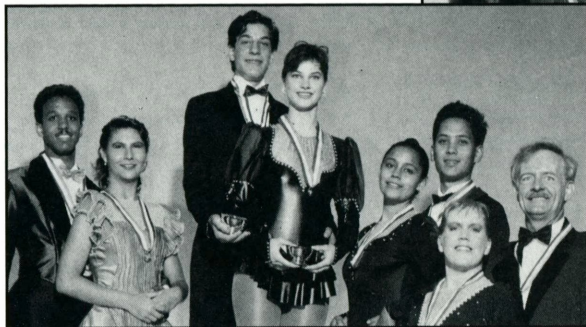
### INTERMEDIATE LADIES FIGURES

(L to R) Stacy Trimboli, Second; Sonia Kim, First; Sarah Pitlak, Third.



### INTERMEDIATE PAIRS

(L to R) Jered Guzman & Natalie Vlandis, Second; Jennifer Patigler & B.J. Risnes, First.



### INTERMEDIATE DANCE

(L to R) Garry Mallet & Amanda Glazebrook, Second; Jonathan Magalnick & Kara Thornham, First; Lisa Parra & Tim Fujioka, Third; Maria Mize & John Wheeler, Fourth.

### Precision Review

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at an international competition where marks may be announced in two different languages.

Everyone has seen top precision teams that have that certain something—a charisma that keeps all eyes glued to their performance. Many things can help create this—music, costumes, transitions, flow, artistic expression, and finally, the desire to win and the confidence that comes after many, many hours of practice. This is something for which all teams at all levels should strive.

*Jack Booth is a national precision judge and member of the USFSA Precision Skating Committee.*

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# Calendar

## OF EVENTS

### MARCH

- 1-3 **16th Annual Creve Coeur Competition**, sponsored by the Creve Coeur FSC, at Creve Coeur Ice Arena, Creve Coeur, MO and Queeny Park Ice Arena, Ballwin, MO. Figures, Freestyle, Compulsory Moves, Original Program, Pairs, Dance, and Interpretive events, Beginners through Seniors and Adult levels. For information contact: Shirley Sisson, 106 Morewood Dr., Manchester, MO 63011, 314-394-4947 or Karen Shannon, 314-394-0533.
- 1-3 **11th Annual Garden City FSC Competition**, sponsored by the Garden City FSC, at the Garden City Civic Arena, 200 Log Cabin Rd., Garden City, MI 48135. Figures, Free Skating, Original Program, Compulsory, Interpretive, Similar Pairs, Team Compulsory, and Solo Dance events. Beginner through Senior levels. For information contact: Jack McMahon, 31781 Bock Rd., Garden City, MI 48135, 313-427-2790 or 313-522-5590.
- 1-4 **Colorado Mid-Winter Invitational**, sponsored by the Pueblo FSC, at the Pueblo Plaza Ice Arena, 100 N. Grand, Pueblo, CO 81003. Pre-Preliminary through Intermediate; Adult Junior and Senior Compulsory Moves, Free Skating; Intermediate Senior Original Program, Free Skating; Juvenile through Senior and Adult Artistic Free Skating; Pairs Free Skating, Dance, and Precision Teams. For information contact: Nancy Mastreno, 2 Sandcastle, Pueblo, CO 81001, 719-545-0604.
- 2-3 **1991 Eastern Sectional Precision Championships**, hosted by the SC of Morris, Morristown, NJ. For information call: 201-326-7650.
- 2-3 **Empire State Games**, to be held in Lake Placid, NY. For information call: Beverly Lalonde 518-523-4369.
- 9 **Annual Challenge Cup Precision Competitions**, sponsored by Wyandotte FSC,

- Yack Arena, Wyandotte, MI. For information contact: Bill Claeys, 12528 Huron, Taylor, MI 48180, 313-287-6389.
- 11-17 **1991 World Figure Skating Championships**, hosted by Deutsche Eislauf-Union, Munich, Germany. For tickets contact: Deutsches Reisebüro, Sport- und Olympiareisen, Eschersheimer Landstrasse 25-2 D-6000 Frankfurt/Main 1, Federal Republic of Germany. Phone: 069-15660. For information contact: Munchner Olympiapark GmbH, Veranstaltungsdienst, Postfach 401 305, D-8000 Munchen 40. Phone: 089-3061-3577.
- 15-17 **17th Annual Braemar McCandless Competition**, sponsored by the Braemar-City of Lakes FSC, at the Braemar Arena, 7501 South County Rd., #18, Edina, MN 55435. Figures, Free Skating, Dance, Interpretive, Compulsory, and Team events. Beginner through Senior levels. For information contact: Margie Grinnell, 58 Woodland Cir., Edina, MN 55424, 612-927-7157.
- 16-17 **Melody On Ice**, ice carnival sponsored by the Ann Arbor FSC, at the Veterans Ice Arena, 2150 Jackson Ave., Ann Arbor, MI 48103. For information contact: Becky Fox, 1895 Wiltshire, Ann Arbor, MI 48103, 313-769-6573.
- 16-17 **Open Skating Competition**, sponsored by the Princeton SC, Princeton University, Princeton, NJ. For information and applications contact: Joseph C. Decker, Jr., 14 Deborah Court, Robbinsville, NJ 08691-1333.
- 17 **Golden Years - 50th Anniversary Show**, celebrated and sponsored by the WC of Indianapolis. All present and past members of the WC of Indianapolis are welcome to participate. The show will be followed by a reunion on the ice and a buffet dinner. For information contact: Mrs. Carol Indelicato, President, 815 Winding Brook Lane, Greenwood, IN 46142, 317-888-5543.
- 21-24 **Ice-Travaganza 1991**, 19th annual ice show, sponsored by the Wyandotte FSC, at the Yack Arena, Wyandotte, MI. For information contact: The Wyandotte FSC, Box 496, Wyandotte, MI 48192.
- 22-24 **Adult Ice Dance Festival**, sponsored by the Skokie Valley SC, held at Centennial Park Ice Rink, Wilmette, IL. Full weekend of ice dancing. "Just for Fun," sanctioned ice dance draw competition

and social events. For information contact: Dr. Rich Rossman, 330 Waukegan Rd., Glenview, IL 60025 or 708-729-5200.

- 29-31 **Vancouver Ice Dance Weekend**, sponsored by the Delta FSC. Full ticket: \$95 (Canadian) per person. RSVP: February 15th. For information contact: NESTA Davies, 1-604-946-8617.

## APRIL

- 5-6 **6th Annual Florida Open Competition**, sponsored by the SC of Florida, at the Goldcoast Ice Arena, 4601 North Federal Highway, Pompano Beach, FL 33064. For information contact: Doris Dahl, 407-641-0985.
- 7 **Tarsh Trophy 50th Anniversary**, Ladies Solo American Waltz competition, sponsored by the Los Angeles FSC, at Pickwick Ice Arena, 1001 Riverside Dr., Burbank, CA 91506. For information contact: Ginger Flaherty, Chairman, 7609 Kelvin Ave., Canoga Park, CA 91306, 818-716-7339.
- 10-13 **U.S. National Precision Skating Championships**, sponsored by the Anchorage FSC, Anchorage, AK. For information contact: Claudia Mushkin, 6450 East Northern Lights Blvd. #10A, Anchorage, AK 99504, 907-337-0700 or FAX: 907-269-5617.
- 12-14 **Dance Weekend/Indianapolis, IN**, sponsored by the WC of Indianapolis, to be held at the Pan Am Plaza Rinks. High, Low, and International Clinics by Sandy Lamb. For information contact: Ellen Clark, 4200W 800N, Box 26B, Edinburgh, IN 46124, 812-526-2447.
- 12-14 **Spring Festival 1991**, sponsored by the Portland ISC, at the Ice Capades Clackamas Town Center, Portland, OR. Figures, Compulsory Moves, Novice, Junior, and Senior Original Program, Freestyle, Pairs, and Showcase events. For information contact: Barbara Crosswhite, Chairperson, 18347 Lothlorien Way, Lake Oswego, OR 97034, 503-638-7757.
- 19-20 **1991 National Juvenile and Intermediate Championships**, sponsored by the Northern New York Regional Council of FSC's, to be held at the Sport-O-Rama Ice Arena, 18 College Road, Monsey, NY 10952. Free Skating, Pairs, and Dance events. For information contact: Mrs. Brennan, 212-988-9084.
- 19-20 **26th Annual Braemar Ice Show**, presented by the Braemar-City of Lakes

FSC and the Edina Park and Recreation Dept., at Braemar Arena, 7501 South Hwy. 169, Edina, MN 55435. For tickets and information contact: Lynne Crowther at 612-925-3042.

- 19-21 **1991 Colonial Open Competition**, sponsored by the Colonial FSC at the Nashoba Valley Olympia, Rte. 111, Boxborough, MA 01719. Figures, Free Skating, Dance, Pairs, and Team events. For information contact: Karl Walczak, 16 Chadbourne Rd., Lexington, MA 02173, 617-861-1079.
- 19-21 **Sourdough Competition**, sponsored by the Fairbanks FSC, at the Big Dipper Ice Arena, Fairbanks, AK. Figures, Freestyle, Similar Pairs, Mixed Pairs, Showcase, and Dance events. Test Session, April 17 and 18. For information contact: Joan Jones, P.O. Box 10343, Fairbanks, AK, 907-488-2737.
- 20 **Annual Spring Precision Team Competition**, sponsored by the Bowling Green SC, Bowling Green, OH. For information contact: Darlene Householder, 16620 Mitchell Road, Bowling Green, OH 43402, 419-352-7295.
- 20 **Spring Revue**, sponsored by the Los Angeles FSC, at Pickwick Ice Arena, 1001 Riverside Dr., Burbank, CA 91506. Exhibitions by the club's top skaters. For information contact: Pickwick Ice Arena, 1001 Riverside Dr., Burbank, CA 91506, 818-845-5300.
- 20-22 **Annual Competition**, sponsored by the SC of Westchester, at Hommock's Ice Arena, Mamaroneck, NY. Figures, Freestyle, Interpretive, Compulsory Moves, Showcase Dance, and Precision events. For information contact: Julie Rendina, Chairman, 173 Elwood Ave., Hawthorne, NY 10532, 914-769-2711.
- 25-28 **Darien Open Figure Skating Competition**, sponsored by the Darien SC, at the Darien Ice Rink, Old Kings Highway North, Darien, CT. Figures, Freestyle, Pairs, and Dance events. Tots to Adults have separate Figure, Original Program, Free Skating, and Dance events. For information contact: Ellie F. Kimelman, 31 Bronxville Glen Dr., Bronxville, NY 10708, 914-237-3962.
- 25-28 **Phoenix Fiesta Skate**, sponsored by the SC of Phoenix, at the Oceanside Ice Arena, 1520 North Hayden Road, Tempe, AZ 85281. Fiesta Skate is run like a qualifying competition with elimination rounds. For information con-



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## Ricky Harris

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movement, and experimenting with those kinds of movements that reproduce those feelings. There is a discipline and technique to choreography that can be taught.

To understand more fully how skaters are judged, let us discuss the six aspects of the second mark in the free skating program.

## Composition

Composition has a common basis in all of the arts. The principles of all of the arts are integrally bound together. The choreographer who knows only skating has divorced herself from an enormous background of compositional knowledge. She will create from formulas that will mire her in the worst pitfall of all—predictability.

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1. Is the choreography theatrical, but not flamboyant?
2. Does it work?
3. Is it inventive?
4. Is it structural? Vincent Scully said "If the form is not there, then the power is not there to move the viewer."
5. Is there something at the beginning to make the curtain go up? Go down?
6. Does the choreography arrest the audience, maintain its interest?
7. Does it communicate?
8. Are there possibilities and variations of levels and dynamics?

Choreographers have a real responsibility. They must have an objective of some kind to: show off athletic skills, cover up flaws, show off artistic skills with artistic moves that are special visualizations of emotional patterns, and tell a story.

The choreographer does not always have control as in dance. This makes it twice the challenge. The coach has the ultimate say and can change things around, replace moves, sometimes for legitimate reasons to allow the skater a better opportunity to land a jump. But sometimes, it causes havoc to the form of the program.

*Part II of this article will appear in the April 1991 issue.*

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*Deb Vestal is a free-lance sports writer in Minneapolis. She has been an Adult competitor for the past six years in both singles and dance events.*

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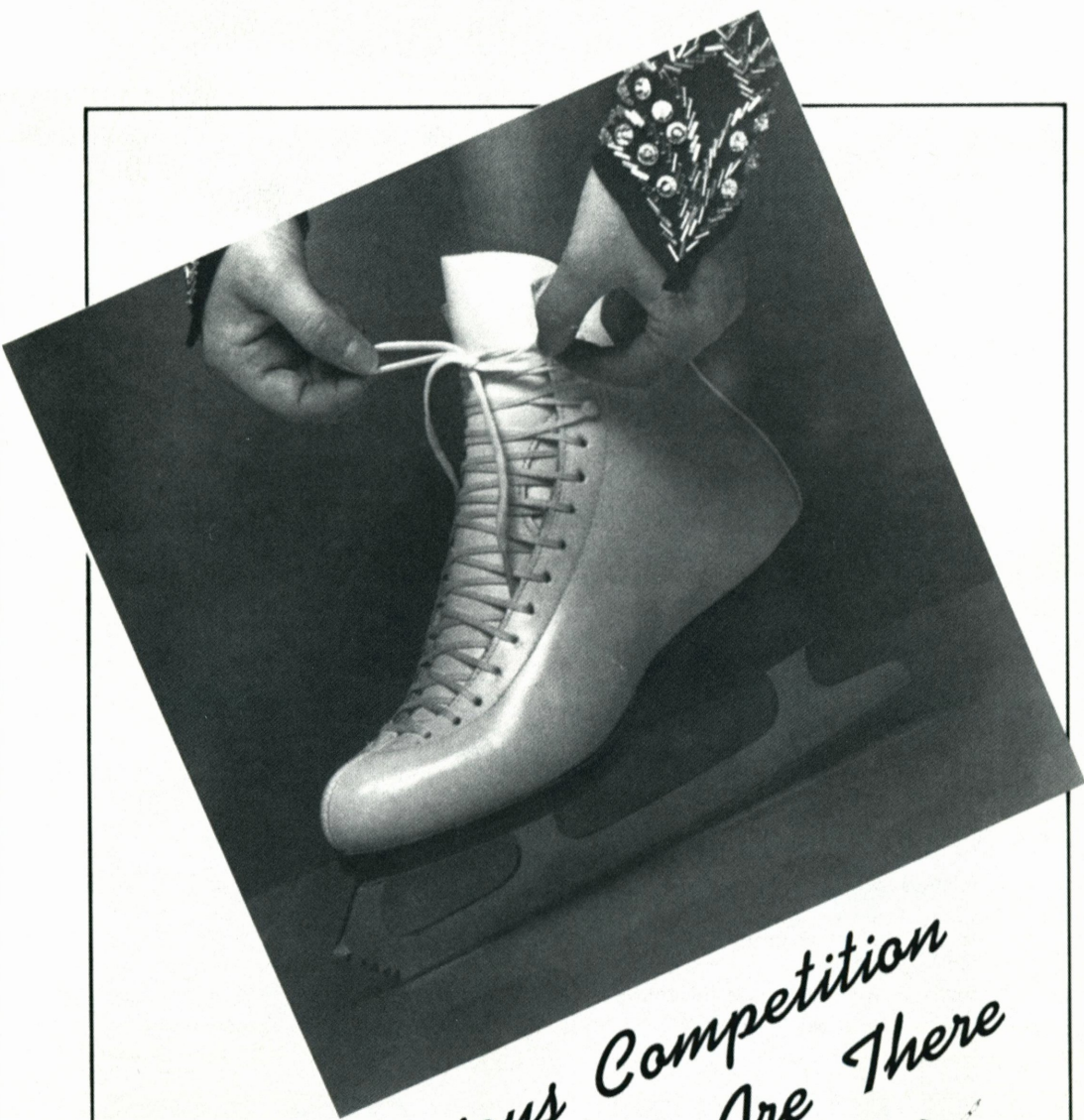
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