

Silver Streaks Skating Club



Membership

<http://neicc.org/clubs/sssc/sssc.htm>

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McVann-O'Keefe Arena
Peabody, Massachusetts 01960

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Name: _____ Date of Birth: _____

Address: _____

Telephone: _____ USFS # (mandatory) _____

Highest USFS Test passed: Freestyle _____ Moves _____ or

Badge Level (Basic Skills) _____ Professional's Name: _____

Mother's/Father's Name: _____ Cell Phone/Work # _____

Parent Email address: _____ (this will cut down on mailings)

Child Email address: _____

Will the SSSC be your home club? Yes () No ()

If no what club will you represent _____

2009-2010 Membership Rates (Please check desired membership)

____ **Full Membership** - \$100.00 (\$60.00 for each additional family member/skater)

____ **Non-representing Membership** - \$50.00

____ **Collegiate Membership** - \$50.00

____ **Basic Skills Membership** (SSSC Group Lesson Skater) - \$20.00

____ **Basic Skills Membership** (Non-SSSC Group Lesson Skater) - \$35.00 (addition \$15.00 for ISI members for USFS Registration)

- SSSC 2009 – 2010 membership is effective from July 1, 2009 – June 30, 2010
- **Please submit by June 26, 2009** (Applications must be post marked by June 26, 2009. Applications received after this date will be charged a **\$15 late fee**...late fee must be included with application before it will be processed).

Mail to Application & Payment to:

Silver Streaks Skating Club, P.O. Box 4184, Peabody, Ma 01961

*Remember to include: application, medical form, fund raising, code of conduct, and volunteer sheet.

SILVER STREAKS SKATING CLUB MEMBERSHIP CLASSIFICATIONS

All Memberships:

****The more you book, the more you save****

Any member that pre-registers for *2 or more sessions per week* will be given a discount of \$1/per session.

For example:

If a skater books 2 sessions per week for the year **savings will be \$76/year!**

If a skater books 3 sessions per week for the year **savings of \$114/year!**

FULL MEMBERSHIP

Full Representing Members over the age of eighteen years will have voting privileges. Those who under the age of eighteen (18) at the time of voting may be represented by a parent or legal guardian.

- \$100 Membership Fee to be paid at time of application, \$60 each for additional family members
- SSSC provides USFS Membership as a single skater
- Skaters will be a representing member of the Silver Streaks Skating Club
- Members must contract a minimum of one ice session in order to be in the show
- Skaters are permitted to contract SSSC sessions at member rates & will receive priority when booking ice time*
- Skaters are permitted to walk-on SSSC sessions at member rates & will receive priority*
- Skaters are permitted to participate in all SSSC exhibitions and other activities at member rates.
- Eight (8) hours of volunteer service is required – two hours to be dedicated to show or competition
- Skaters will be eligible for a solo in our annual show *must* contract 2 sessions/week upon meeting level requirement as listed in SSSC handbook. (Any skater contracting 2 or more sessions/week without qualifying for a solo with the required test level, will be allowed to perform a duet/trio or have a spotlighted section in the show)

**Priority for ice-time/walk-ons will be over Non- representing, Basic Skills and/or College members.*

NON-REPRESENTING MEMBERSHIP

- \$100.00 Membership Fee to be paid at the time of application
- SSSC will **NOT** provide USFS Membership as a single skater – you will have USFS membership through another club, or be an individual member of USFS.
- Skaters will **NOT** represent SSSC at competitions, test sessions or other events
- Skaters are permitted to contract SSSC sessions at the member rate**
- Skaters are permitted to walk-on SSSC sessions at the member rate **
- Skaters are permitted to participate in SSSC exhibitions or other activities at member rates, space provided
- A non-representing member will be eligible for participation in the annual show group numbers only.

***Full Representing members receive highest priority for ice-time (contracted or walk-on)*

COLLEGIATE MEMBERSHIP - \$50.00

- Member must be a skater enrolled in college.
- Skaters receives an USFS registration through SSSC (if needed)
- Skaters are permitted ice contracting privileges and tests at member rates.

***NEW BASIC SKILLS MEMBERSHIPS – available for one year only**

This membership is ideal for skaters beginning to take private lessons and/or who wants SSSC ice contracting privileges and to skate at member rates.

(Any Basic Skills Membership skater contracting 2 or more sessions/week without qualifying for a solo with the required test level, will be allowed to perform a duet/trio or have a spotlighted section in the show)

Basic Skills (SSSC Group Lesson Skater) Membership - \$20.00 Membership Fee to be paid at the time of application

- A skater must be participating in the Junior Club group lessons (Sunday and/or Wednesday) through Silver Streaks Skating Club.
- Skater will be able to contract ice at *member rates* (allowing a savings of \$3/session for a total of \$114 saved per year per session contracted)
- Skaters can participate in all exhibitions and other activities at member rates

Basic Skills (Non-SSSC Group Lesson Skater) Membership - \$35.00 Membership Fee to be paid at the time of application (addition \$15.00 for ISI members for USFS Registration)

- Skaters currently enrolled in any other USFS Basic Skills Program besides SSSC.
- Skaters will be able to contract ice at *member rates* (allowing a savings of \$3/session for a total of \$114 saved per year/per session contracted)
- Skaters can participate in all exhibitions and other activities at member rates

Membership fees are non-refundable. This skating season ends June 30, 2010. Completion of this application represents a binding contract. Please refer to the current SSSC Handbook for any other membership restrictions that may apply. To the parent, please read/review the rules with the skater(s) and sign below acknowledging that this contract and the handbook rules have been read and understood.

Ice Availability (ice contracts will be mailed August 2009)
September 2009 - June 2010

- Sunday:** 3:50 - 4:50 Junior Club
4:50 - 5:40 Freestyle
- Tuesday:** 3:15 - 4:10 Freestyle, Session 1
4:10 - 5:05 Freestyle, Session 2
- Wednesday:** 4:10 - 5:05 to be determined
- Friday:** 3:15 - 4:10 Freestyle, Session 1
4:10 - 5:05 Freestyle, Session 2

SILVER STREAKS SKATING CLUB - EMERGENCY MEDICAL FORM

Please sign and return with application

Name of Skater: _____

Address: _____
Street City State Zip

Date of Birth: _____ Male _____ Female _____

Parent/Guardian: _____ Relationship: _____

Phone #: _____ Cell _____ Other: _____

Emergency Contact: _____ **TELEPHONE:** _____

Medical Coverage: Yes or No _____ Insurance Company _____

Subscriber Name: _____ Policy # _____

Employer: _____

List any medical conditions or restrictions that pertain to skating (ie diabetes, asthma, etc):

Allergies: _____ Medications used regularly: _____

RELEASE, WAIVER OF LIABILITY AND EXPRESS ASSUMPTION OF RISK AGREEMENT

In consideration of my participation in any Silver Streaks Skating Club program or Basic Skills activity, I acknowledge that I understand the nature of the activity and that I, and/or my minor child, am qualified, in good health, and in proper physical condition to participate in such activity. I acknowledge that if conditions are unsafe, I, and/or my minor child, will immediately discontinue participation in the activity. I fully understand that skating involves risks of serious bodily injury, including permanent disability, paralysis, and death, and that these and other risks may be caused by my own actions, or inactions, those of others participating in the event, the conditions in which the event takes place, or the negligence of the Releasees named below; and that there maybe other risks either not known to me or not foreseen at this time; and I fully accept and assume all such risks and all responsibility for losses, costs, and damages I incur as a result of my participation in the activity. I hereby release, discharge, and covenant not to sue the Silver Streaks Skating Club, its respective administrators, directors, agents, officers, volunteers, and employees, and any sponsors and advertisers of Silver Streaks Skating Club sanctioned event in which I participate (each considered one of the Releasees herein) from all liability, claims, demands, loses or damages on my account caused or alleged to be caused in whole or in part by the negligence of the Releasees. This release, waiver of liability and express assumption of risk agreement does not apply to any liability, claims, demands, losses, or damages arising out of the gross negligence of, or intentional, willful or wanton misconduct of Releases. If I, or anyone on my and/or my minor child's behalf, makes a claim which does not arise from the gross negligence of or intentional, willful or wanton misconduct of Releasees against any of the Releasees, I will indemnify, defend, save, and hold harmless each of the Releasees from any loss, liability, damage, or cost which any may incur as the result of such claim. I acknowledge that I have read this release, waiver of liability and express assumption of risk agreement and fully understand it.

Participant Signature (If 18 or older) Parent/Guardian Signature (If skater is underage 18) _____ Date _____

Skaters Code of Conduct and Ethics

Please sign and return with application

Due to certain trends in youth sports whereby both parents and members are letting their emotions manifest themselves in abusive and sometimes physical violence, The Silver Streaks Skating Club supports a zero tolerance policy for unsportsmanlike behavior. Its members, coaches and parents should continually raise the standard of their behavior both on and off the ice. Membership in SSSC is a privilege and should carry a sense of pride. Participation in our programs will require that members and parents of members under 18 years old accept certain responsibilities.

Member & Guest Skater Responsibilities:

- * Safe skating is essential. All skaters must be aware and considerate of other skaters during on club ice.
- * The skater doing their program to music has the right of way. If a skater gets in the way of the program, he/she will apologize at the completion of the program.
- * No socializing during club sessions. Standing is only permitted next to the boards.
- * All spins must be practiced between the middle blue lines away from the boards except during a skaters' program.
- * Swearing, yelling, kicking the ice or poor sportsmanship will not be tolerated.
- * Skaters must sign in prior to every session and be prepared to pay for session in advance before taking the ice.

Parent/Guardian Responsibilities:

- * I will encourage sportsmanship by showing positive support for all members, coaches, Board members and other officials during all on and off ice sessions.
- * I will encourage my child to treat all other members, coaches, Board members, other member parents and other officials with respect.
- * I will not verbally or physically abuse any club members, coaches, Board members, officials, other member parents or volunteers.

Course of Action: Should a parent or member not adhere to stated responsibilities, SSSC holds the member and/or parent accountable and the Board of Directors is empowered to take necessary actions. Actions can be as simple as a verbal warning up to disciplinary hearings before the Board leading to suspension or expulsion from SSSC.

Member / Guest Skater Signature _____
Date _____

Parent Signature (if member under 18) _____
Date _____

SILVER STREAKS SKATING CLUB

Silver Streaks Volunteer/Fundraising Policy

Please sign and return with application

As you may be aware, our club is sustained entirely through the efforts of the member volunteers. Volunteers not only insure that all club activities run smoothly and safely but also help in keeping the overall costs down.

Fundraising is an important and necessary way for our club to raise money to defray costs. The profit to the club is significant enough that the minimum amount to sell should be easy. For those who prefer selling ads for the Annual Show Program, your personal ads can be included in the minimum amount. All members have a \$200 fundraising obligation. The obligation can be combined as long as it adds up to \$200 total.

Each family is required to volunteer **8 hours of volunteer time** within the skating season. If they do not fulfill their volunteer time, there will be a charge of \$25.00 per hour included with the April billing. Of these 8 hours, **two** hours are required to be Basic Skills Competition or Annual Show related. These are our two biggest events this year and they take many people to be successful. We realize that some people will not be available the day of the event. There is much preparation needed before each event, we would be happy to work with you to find an appropriate job that you may even have fun doing!!! **Please check one event below:**

- Basic Skills Competition
- Silver Streaks Annual Show

Initial _____

Of the remaining 6 hours per family of volunteer time required, we are listing below many areas where we need help. Please check as many boxes that may interest you, and we will try to match you up in these areas. If you have a particular talent that you would like to share with us, let us know in the space provided on page two. We will make every effort to make this easy to accomplish.

Board Membership – Elected positions: President, Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer. Appointed Positions: Billing Chairperson, Membership Chairperson, Show Coordinator, Fundraising Chairperson, Test Chairperson

Hospitality- Baking or cooking food for test sessions (Wednesday am), judge's tables, volunteer tables. Helping to coordinate food promises for various events, set up, break down of food tables. Purchase of food/supplies for events.

Proctors- Taking attendance, keeping track of walk-ons and make-ups and playing program music for skaters. After you fulfill your volunteer time, every 5 sessions proctored will earn a make up slip for your skater. Charts will be kept in the proctor box to monitor hours fulfilled and make ups earned. There will also be training for all proctors by a Board member to assist all new and seasoned proctors for continuity.

Junior Club- During our Junior Club session (Sunday and/or Wednesday) to help our Learn-to-Skaters on and off the ice, find their teachers, and give encouragement, answer questions, etc.(this can be a skater 13 year old+). We also need assistance with Jr. Club registration, re-registration, etc. (approximately 6 times/year)

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Buy Out

There are times when volunteering is impossible to accomplish. We understand this and are offering a one-time buy out of volunteer time. If you wish to buy out your volunteer time, please send a check for \$200 (8 hours x \$25.00 per hour) by September 30. The remaining two hours for competition or show are not available in the buy out. If you choose to buy out, you will not be approached for any volunteer time. We would much rather have your time than your buy out, but felt it only fair to offer this to families that may have special circumstances.

_____ Buy Out Option Election (please initial and date and include payment with this contract).

Commitment

The SSSC Board of Directors take our positions very seriously, and volunteer our time to SSSC because we care about the skaters, the sport, the coaches, and the families. We are hoping that you, as the families of SSSC skaters, share our pride in our club, our skaters, and our events. Everyone plays an integral part when we share the commitment of volunteering our time. We can accomplish so much if we all try to do our fair share. Thank you in advance for being a part of Silver Streaks Skating Club.

Skater's signature: _____

Parent's signature: _____