

List all persons to be included in this membership, (parent/guardian and skater if under 18 years of age) Please only one skater per packet. Please print clearly in black ink.

ALL INFORMATION REQUESTED BELOW IS REQUIRED.

Skater's Name	DOB		Current Test Level	
City		_ State	Zip Code	
School				
			DOB	
Parent/Guardian's Cell Ph	one			
Parent/Guardian's Email _				
Skater's Cell Phone (if appl	icable)			
Skater's Email (if applicable	e)			
ISI #			Exp Date:	
USFS #:			Exp Date:	
Amount Paid			Check Number	

*Owensboro Figure Skating Club reserves the right to change rules & expectations and/or dues at any time. Kerry Bodenheimer reserves the right of approval for any and all applicants of the Owensboro Figure Skating Club based on the ISI level the applicant is currently skilled in, as well as their exhibited behavior while enrolled in lessons.



WELCOME TO OWENSBORO FIGURE SKATING CLUB

Congratulations on joining Owensboro Figure Skating Club! We are so excited to have you in our club. OFSC provides Figure Skating skill development for ISI levels Pre-Alpha through Freestyle 10. Through our organization, our skaters learn confidence, poise and sportsmanship. Owensboro Figure Skating Club also strives to have fun while skating and competing and tries to keep skating as low-cost as possible, so all families have the opportunity to come skate with us!

Contacting OFSC

The club may utilize group text messaging to stay current with information and be able to contact all club members at once. Please do not use excessive texting in the group texts. A calendar of events and club times can be found online each month at www.SkateOFSC.com as well as on our Facebook page. Please utilize these and/or save the calendars for your reference each month. Be sure to add OwensboroFigureSkatingClub@gmail.com to your address book for important emails and updates.

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CLUB RULES & EXPECTATIONS AND GENERAL INFORMATION

Below are the club rules & expectations for our skaters, their parents/guardians, and any and all guests. Please read the following Club rules & expectations and initial in the spots provided:

CLUB RULES AND EXPECTATIONS:

- 1. Absolutely **NO** bullying, harassment, or foul language will be tolerated from our skaters **OR** their parents/guardians within the club. Exhibiting such behavior could result in termination of OFSC membership.
- 2. If a visitor is attending with you/your family during club, competition, special events, etc, that visitor is expected to behave properly and respect and abide by all club rules the same as all OFSC members.
- 3. All skaters and their parents/guardians are representing the Owensboro Figure Skating Club. No derogatory behavior will be allowed or tolerated. Exhibiting such behavior could result in termination of OFSC membership.
- 4. When visiting another ice rink or during home competitions, all skaters and parents/guardians are to be respectful of the other teams present, their family, rink, and any and all spectators at any and all events, competitions, etc. No rudeness, mean remarks, or bullying will be tolerated. Exhibiting such behavior could result in termination of OFSC membership.
- 5. While wearing club attire (jackets, shirts, ect) please behave respectfully. This includes on social media, in public, and at any events where you are representing Owensboro Figure Skating Club.
- 6. All skaters and their parents/guardians are to respect the coaches within the Owensboro Figure Skating Club. Failure to do so could result in termination of OFSC membership.
- 7. Skaters are to wear appropriate attire during club. This includes leggings, skate pants, and appropriate tops. No jeans are to be worn. Hair should be pulled back out of the face.
- 8. No jewelry should be worn on the ice that can easily fall off. This especially includes claw clips of any kind in the hair. No items should be affixed to the clothing that may fall onto the ice and cause a hazard to other skaters.
- 9. Skaters should be prepared for club ten minutes prior to taking the ice for club time. This includes their clothing on, skates on and laced up, notebooks and music ready to go and props outside the rink and ready to use, if needed. _____ (initial)



- 10. No food, drinks, or gum is permitted while on the ice. Water is the only exception. Water bottles must have a lid that closes properly.
- 11. Right of way is given to the skater performing their routine during club. This is for everyone's safety. If a more experienced skater is performing a routine with jumps and spins, please stay near the edges of the rink during their routine.
- 12. Skating routines and/or music cannot be altered without the consent of your coach. Coaches *typically* pick all music and choreography for all skaters.
- 13. All club members are expected to participate in <u>all</u> fundraising events and all parents/guardians are <u>required</u> to volunteer during the home competition. We also encourage volunteering during club hours, when needed. There will be sign up lists and we will accommodate times where you will not miss your skater(s) routine(s).
- 14. All fees are to be paid and up-to-date prior to being allowed to register for the next skating season. If you need assistance, please speak with the board.
- 15. We ask that all parents/guardians consider joining a minimum of (1) committee.
- 16. All OFSC skaters must be concurrently enrolled in the Learn to Skate program, unless otherwise specified by Kerry Bodenheimer.
- 17. All coaches and instructors are to be respected. You should not talk over them, argue with them, or speak in any derogatory way towards them. Please do not interrupt them while they are working with another skater.

I/We agree to follow the above rules, as laid out by OFSC, in this document and I/We understand the expectations set forth by the Owensboro Figure Skating Club.

Parent/Guardian (If under 18)	Date:
 Skater	Date:



OFSC Dues / Fees:

Payments are due on the 1st of each month. If you are unable to pay by the 5th, please speak with the president. Please read the following information regarding dues/fees and initial agreement.

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Monthly Memberships

Tuesdays -	Monthly Membership - 1 Skater	\$70.00
Tuesdays -	Monthly Membership - each adtl. Skater	\$56.00
Tues & Thurs - Tues & Thurs -	Monthly Membership - 1 Skater Monthly Membership - each adtl. Skater	\$115.00 \$92.00

<u>USFS</u> <u>Renews Yearly</u> - <u>Due 5/30 of Each Year</u>

Adult Skater Membership	\$70.00
Minor Skater Membership *	\$35.00

^{*}Must have an adult registered with a minor skater, per USFS guidelines. Each skater must be current with USFS. Therefore, one minor skater would pay \$105.00 yearly for the skater and a parent/guardian. USFS dues were increased for 2023-2024. Prices above indicate new membership prices.

Yearly Registration - Due by October 1 of Each Year

Single Skater	\$50.00
Multiple Skaters (up to 3)	\$75.00
Multiple Skaters (4+)	\$100.00

Coaching Fees (Per Family)

Families <u>must</u> pay this fee for <u>each</u> competition their skater is competing in. **Additional fees** may apply.

Home Competition	\$35.00
Travel Competitions	\$50.00

New Member Fees:

Payments can be broken down for new members only. All Fees must be paid in full within 60 days of joining OFSC, unless otherwise specified.

First Full Month's Dues,	Yearly Dues,	USFSA Dues
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**All dues are subject to change at any time. _____ (initial)



Open Freestyle Ice

Open Freestyle Ice Is Available for \$8.50 per session and is payable to the Edge Ice Rink. More ice time may be available as the schedule allows. **The Edge Ice Center reserves the right to change and/or cancel ice time and/or raise prices without notice or consent.** OFSC Members will be given a Membership Card that will allow them to skate for \$7.50 per session. If a card is lost or needs to be replaced, there will be a \$5.00 replacement fee for each card. Always check the calendar on SkateOFSC.com and the Edge's Website for times, updates, and cancellations.

MEMBERSHIP REQUIREMENTS:

When joining OFSC, you agree to pay membership for the season. This includes a minimum of One (1) hour per week for the months of September through May. There are exceptions for medical excuses. Additional club time will be available, if schedule allows, in January - March for the competitions we typically attend. This additional club time is optional. Additional fees apply for those days.

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MISSED CLUB DAYS:

No refunds or prorated rates will be approved for missed days, unless out for an injury or other short term medical issue that makes it unsafe to skate. This does not include common illnesses, stomach bugs, viruses, etc. (Must have a doctor's note). Monthly dues will only be prorated for new members when joining OFSC, if joining mid-month or later.

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COMPETITIONS:

A skater can compete at any age and level. Competing is a great way for them to build confidence and self-esteem. Competitions are not mandatory. Each skater must pay their own competition fees to compete. Coaching fees apply for each competition, as listed above in the dues section of this document. Fees for away competitions help cover the coaches private costs for their time, travel and food while at the competitions.

Coaches fees <u>MUST</u> be paid in full before being eligible to sign up for the competition(s). When traveling for competitions, hotels are paid for by the families of the skaters attending, for each coach attending, unless fundraising is available to cover the cost of lodging. If multiple skaters are attending, the cost will be fairly split per family or skater. Fundraising efforts may help cover a portion of those fees. _____ (initial)



PHOTOS, VIDEOS, ADVERTISING & SOCIAL MEDIA RELEASE:

The Owensboro Figure Skating club may take photos and videos of participants in lessons, during special events, competitions, while attending public sessions, and in the lobby/party rooms. By signing this waiver, you are giving permission to the Owensboro Figure Skating Club to use these photos and videos in marketing programs, brochures, web sites, social media, and any other media the club may use.

	Date:
Parent/Guardian (If under 18)	
I/We agree to follow the above rules and pay all document and I/We understand the expectation Skating Club.	•
Parent/Guardian (If under 18)	Date:
 Skater	Date:

SAFETY AND WARNING OF RISK

Owensboro Figure Skating Club is committed to conducting its skating programs and activities in a safe manner and holds the safety of its participants in high regard. We strive to reduce risks and insist that all participants follow safety rules and policies that are designed to protect all participants' safety. However, there is an inherent risk of injury when choosing to participate in ice skating activities, and participants and their parents/guardians must recognize this fact. As a parent/guardian, you are solely responsible for determining if you or your minor child is physically fit and/or adequately skilled for ice skating activities. Please note if the participant is pregnant, disabled in any way, or has recently suffered an illness, injury, or impairment, it is advisable to consult a physician before undertaking any such physical activity and the Owensboro Figure Skating Club may reserve the right to ask for clearance from a medical provider at any time that they shall see fit.

Ice skating is intended to challenge and engage the physical, mental, and emotional resources of the participant. Regardless of careful and proper preparation, instruction, medical advice, conditioning, and equipment, there is still a risk of serious injury, including but not limited to head injury, neck or



back injury, wrist and ankle fractures, and other orthopedic injuries to limbs and joints. Individuals who have a history of these problems should seek the advice of their physician before engaging in activities that may aggravate pre-existing problems. It is impossible to foresee all hazards and dangers. The very nature of ice skating is risky, including but not limited to slips and falls, colliding with other skaters of varying degrees of skill (including being struck from behind), tripping, cuts from skate blades, ill-fitting skates, horseplay, carelessness, poor technique, poor conditioning, rule violations, striking a stationary object, failure in supervision, premises defects outside the rink, and all other risks inherent in ice skating. It must be recognized that it is impossible for the Owensboro Figure Skating Club to guarantee absolute safety.

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WAIVER & RELEASE

Please be aware that in signing up and participating in Owensboro Figure Skating Club's activities, you will be expressly assuming the risk and legal liability and waiving and releasing all claims for injuries, damages, or loss which you or your minor child might sustain as a result of participating in any and all activities associated with this program/activity. I recognize and acknowledge that there are certain risks of physical injury to participants in this program/activity, and I voluntarily agree to assume the full risk of any and all injuries, damages, or loss, regardless of severity, that I and/or my minor child/ward may sustain as a result of said participation. I further agree to waive and relinquish all claims I and/or my minor child/ward may have (or accrue to me or my child) as a result of participating in this program/activity against the Owensboro Figure Skating Club, including its owners, officers, directors, and volunteers. I further agree to defend, indemnify, and hold the Owensboro Figure Skating Club harmless against any and all liability, loss, expense, including reasonable attorneys' fees, or claims of injury or damages arising out of my or minor child's participation in this activity/program, but only in proportion to and to the extent such liability loss, expense, attorneys' fees, or claims for injuries or damages are caused by or result from my or my child's acts or omissions. I have read and fully understand the above information, warning of risk, photo/video policy, assumption of risk, waiver and release of all claims, and indemnification agreement. I understand that I and/or my minor child skate at my/his/her/their own risk and hereby release the Owensboro Figure Skating Club, its owners, and all personnel from any and all liability.

	Date:
Signature (Parent/Guardian) Skater if over 18	
	Date:
Printed Name (Parent /Guardian) Skater if over 18	