



It's Showtime at the Graf Rink!

Theme: "Fairy Tales, Fables and Fantasy"

When: Sunday: April 11, 2010 4-6pm

Soloist and Advanced Freestyle Groups Rehearsal Dates!

Sunday: March 14th, 21st & 28th from 4-4:50pm

Dress Rehearsal (ALL SHOW SKATERS):

Thursday, April 8th 6-7:50pm

Show Qualification Requirements For Freestyle Skaters!

1. All soloists and advanced group skaters must be full members of MVSC. You may join MVSC at any point in time before the show deadline. A pro-rated membership is available for those who may join late in the season.
2. The advanced group is open to all MVSC skaters who are no longer enrolled in Basic Skills classes but do not yet qualify for a solo. If your skater is enrolled in Basic Skills classes and also skates on a Freestyle session they will be in a show group with the Basic Skills group skaters.
3. Soloists must have passed the Pre-Juvenile Freestyle and Juvenile Moves in the Field by the show deadline (1/22/10) or must have taken part in one USFS Open competition, State Games event or NEICC competition during the 2009 competition season. This DOES NOT include Basic Skills competitions. It is mandatory that all soloists take part in an Advanced Group as well.
4. All soloist music must be approved by Nikki in order to avoid any duplicate pieces. Soloist programs should not be longer than 2 minutes (regardless of your test level).
5. Please note: Show requirements will not necessarily remain the same for future shows.

Complete registration form with all important information is enclosed. Don't hesitate to sign up! The deadline is January 22nd. Please note, late applications will not be accepted as show outfits will be ordered immediately following the deadline. We look forward to your skater joining our 2010 show cast!

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Merrimack Valley Skating Club
2010 Annual Spring Skating Show
Advanced Freestyle Groups and Soloist Registration Form
Sunday, April 11th 2010 4-6pm – Deadline to Register: January 22, 2010

The advanced freestyle groups are open to all MVSC skaters who have contracted at least one Freestyle session during Series #1 and Series #2 and who are no longer enrolled in Basic Skills. If you are enrolled in a Basic Skills class and skate on a Freestyle session you will be in a group with the Basic Skills skaters. All Soloists and Advanced Group skaters must be full member of MVSC. You may join MVSC at any point in time before the show deadline. Soloists must have passed Pre-Juvenile Freestyle and Juvenile Moves in the Field by January 22, 2010 or must have taken part in a USFS Open Competition, State Games or NEICC Competition during the 2009 competitive season. This DOES NOT include Basic Skills competitions. If a full MVSC member does not contract ice but meets the other requirements they are eligible to participate in the show. Soloists are required to take part in an Advanced Freestyle Group. Soloist programs should not be longer than 2 minutes. All soloist music and costumes must be approved by Nikki before they are used.

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Costume Measuring for the Advanced Groups:

- **You are responsible** for providing the dress and skating tights size of your skater. (Sizing chart provided)
- If you are unsure of your size please contact Tina Kennedy at 978-729-7290. It is more important to size up instead of down. Alterations will not be provided. You are responsible for the correct fit of the costume! Please allow for growth between time of registration and April.

Rehearsals for the Advanced Group:

- Anyone performing as a soloist must take part in an Advanced Group number.
- Each Advanced Freestyle group will have 3 rehearsals plus one dress rehearsal with the entire cast.
- Attendance at all rehearsals is mandatory. You must speak to Nikki Roberts in order to have an absence excused.
- The **Advanced Freestyle Groups** will be **rehearsing on: Sunday, March 14th, 21st and 28th from 4-4:50pm.**

Dress Rehearsal For All Soloists and Advanced Groups: Thursday, April 8th from 6-7:50pm.

Show Date: Sunday, April 11th 4-6pm. All group skaters will need to arrive at the rink by 3:00pm. Soloists and Advanced Freestyle Group skaters will have a warm-up prior to the start of the show. That time will be announced closer to the show date.

Advanced Freestyle Group Fee: The show fee is **non refundable** as costumes and ice time are prepaid. Cost: \$120.00 per skater. The Advanced Freestyle Group show cost includes:

- Skating outfit and tights suitable for use after the show.
- All rehearsal ice.
- All professional coaching time for the group rehearsals and dress rehearsal.

Soloist Fee: There is a \$30 fee for each soloist in addition to their Advanced Freestyle Group fee. This fee will help defray the cost of our ice time for the dress rehearsal and show.

Please mail application and full payment to: Spring Skating Show
Henry Graf Rink
28 Low St.
Newburyport, MA 01950

Checks should be made payable to MVSC (Merrimack Valley Skating Club). Cash will be accepted if paying in person at the rink. You may also pay with your Visa or MasterCard (noted on registration form).

Registration deadline: Friday, January 22nd. Late applications will not be accepted as show outfits will be ordered immediately following the deadline. Please make sure that you are able to make all rehearsal dates listed on the previous page before turning in your registration. Please contact Nikki in the office should you need to excuse an absence or if you have any other questions regarding the show. You will receive a detailed show confirmation in February.

Parents interested in volunteering their time during dress rehearsal or on show day should speak to Nikki - (978) 462-8112 or nikmrob@comcast.net. Your help with the show is greatly appreciated. Thank you!

Presented by the Merrimack Valley Skating Club in cooperation with the Graf Skating Rink and North Shore Rink Management.
~USFS Sanctioned Event #P-32438, sponsored by member club, Merrimack Valley SC~

Graf Skating Rink - 28 Low St., Newburyport, MA 01950 / Janas Skating Rink - Douglas Rd., Lowell MA 01852
Graf Rink - Phone (978) 462-8112 - Fax (978) 462-1991 - www.grafrink.com

2010 Graf Rink Figure Skating Show Advanced Group and Soloist Registration Form

Name:			
Address:	City:	State:	Zip:
Phone:	Email:		
Age:	Date of birth:		
Highest test passed: Moves:		Freestyle:	
Parent names & phone #'s:			
Emergency contact name & phone #:			
Private coach name & phone#:			

Please check the appropriate line(s):

Advanced Group Number = \$120.00

Advanced Group and Solo = \$150.00 (You are required to provide your own music and costume. All soloist music and costumes must be approved by Nikki before they are used.)

ADVANCED GROUP COSTUME INFORMATION

Costume Measuring:

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Skating Dress Size: (Sizing Chart Provided On Back)

Small Child	Int Child	Med Child	Large Child	XL Child	Petite Adult	Small Adult	Med Adult	Large Adult	XL Adult

Skating Tights Size:

(4-6) 37"-48" 40-55lbs.	(6-8) 43"-52" 50-65lbs	(8-10) 48"-57" 60-75lbs	(10-12) 52"-60" 70-85lbs	(12-14) 56"-62" 80-100lbs	Adult SM 4'11"-5'4" 95-115lbs	Adult Med 5'2"-5'7" 115-135lbs	Adult Large 5'4"-5'9" 135-155lbs	Adult XL 5'6"-5'11" 150-175lbs

RELEASE FROM LIABILITY

I hereby give permission for _____ to skate in the Graf Rink Spring Show. I will not hold the Graf Rink or any of its coaches or employees responsible for any accident or injury incurred while participating in the Spring Show or while traveling to or from the Graf Rink. I understand that it is my responsibility to order the correct costume size for my child and that alterations will not be provided.

Signature (Parent of guardian signature if the skater is under the age of 18.)

Date

Check or money order enclosed. Checks should be made payable to MVSC (Merrimack Valley Skating Club).

Please bill my VISA or MC the amount of \$120 or \$150 (please circle one) Account #: _____
(Discover and American Express will not Be accepted.) Expiration Date: _____

Cash will be accepted if paying in person at the rink.

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For office use only:
Payment: _____ Check date/number: _____ Notes: _____



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Size Chart

CHILD							ADULT								
SIZE	TOT	SMALL CHILD	INT CHILD	MED CHILD	LARGE CHILD	XL CHILD	SIZE	PETITE ADULT	SMALL ADULT	MED ADULT	LARGE ADULT	XL ADULT	1X	2X	3X
Bust	20-22	23-26	27-28	29-30	31-33	34-36	Bust	30-31	32--33	34-36	37-40	41-43	44-46	47-49	50-52
Waist	19-20	21-22	23	24	25-26	27-30	Waist	23	24	25-27	28-31	32-34	35-37	38-40	41-43
Hip	19-22	23-26	27-29	30-31	32-35	36-38	Hip	30-32	33-34	35-38	39-42	43-45	46-48	49-51	52-54
Girth	38 ^{1/2}	42 ^{1/2}	46 ^{1/4}	50	55	57 ^{1/2}	Girth	54	59	61	64	67	70	72 ^{1/2}	75
Inseam	15	22	25	28	32	32	Inseam	31	33	33	33	33	33	33	33

ASSUMPTION OF RISK AND COMPLETE RELEASE

Spring Show
Advanced Group and Soloist Skaters

Name _____ (Please Print)

Street Address _____ City, State, Zip _____

In consideration of permission to use, today and on all future dates, the property, facilities and services (Facilities) of Graf Skating Center Newburyport, I, the undersigned (Skater), hereby expressly agree:

- 1.) That skating is a participation sport and I am fully aware of the risks and hazards involved in or arising from my use or presence upon the facilities. I hereby assume any and all risks involved in or arising from my use of our presence upon the facilities, including, without limitation, the risks of bodily injury resulting from collision between myself and another person or a stationary object or the negligent or deliberate act of another person:
- 2.) TO RELEASE MVSC, N.S.R.M., and all of its successors, assigns, affiliates, officers, directors, employees and agents from, and agrees NOT TO SUE ANY OR ALL OF THEM on account of or in connection with any claims. Causes of action, injuries, damages, costs or expenses arising out of Skater's use of or presence upon the Facilities, including, but not limited to, those based on bodily injury, whether or not caused by the negligence or other fault of N.S.R.M.
- 3.) THIS RELEASE shall be binding upon my heirs, administrators, executors, assigns and legal representative.
- 4.) TO WAIVE the protection afforded by any statute or law in any jurisdiction whose purpose, substance and/or effect is to provide that a general release shall not extend to claims, material or otherwise, which the person giving the release does not know or suspect to exist at the time of executing the release:
- 5.) IF I IGNORE THIS AGREEMENT AND FILE SUIT, I WILL BE HELD RESPONSIBLE FOR ALL ATTORNEY FEES AND COURT COSTS INCURRED BY N.S.R.M.
- 6.) I HAVE READ AND UNDERSTAND THIS AGREEMENT, I UNDERSTAND THAT BY MAKING AND SIGNING THIS AGREEMENT I SURRENDER VALUABLE RIGHTS, INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, MY RIGHT TO SUE, I DO SO WAIVE VOLUNTARILY.

DATE _____

SIGNATURE _____

(Parent signature if under the age of 18.)