



## **2006-2007 Membership Information**

### **New Season begins on July 1, 2006**

Peninsula Skating Club Membership

PSC Skaters, Parents, Coaches, Officials and Friends:

The current skating season ends of June 30, 2006. The Board of Directors would like to congratulate all our skaters on their accomplishments this past year. We had a number of skaters who participated at the Regional Championships and who qualified for Sectionals, Junior Nationals, and the US National Figure Skating Championships. We are proud of all of you. The Board would also like to extend our appreciation to our tireless volunteers for their time and commitment. Without you, we could not have accomplished what we did.

The new skating season begins July 1, 2006. **You must renew your membership by July 1st** if you plan to test, compete or need a competition application certified by a club officer after June 30, 2006. You may renew your membership one of two ways: 1) complete and return the attached form OR 2) renew online at [www.peninsulaskatingclub.org](http://www.peninsulaskatingclub.org).

#### **What's new this season?**

Beginner Skater Membership Category: Are you new to skating? Not ready to test yet? Sign up for PSC's Beginner Skater membership – to get registered with US Figure Skating; get a subscription to Skating Magazine; and on the mailing list for PSC's events. This membership option is a great way to try out the club as you learn to skate.

This year's membership types are as follows:

Skater + Parent Package	Full membership for one skater and membership for one parent of a skater under 18 years of age
Full Membership	Home club membership. Required for testing and competing.
Second Family Member	Full membership for an additional skaters in the same family.
Associate	For skaters whose home not is NOT PSC, but wish to test on PSC sessions at member rates
Synchro/Theater on Ice	For skaters participating only in Synchro and Theatre on Ice events
Alumni	For former PSC skaters and parents who no longer actively skate, but wish to continue their affiliation with PSC
Coaches	For skating professionals. Required for credentials at US Figure Skating qualifying competitions
Officials	For judges, accountants, music and other US Figure Skating officials

Need to order a rulebook? Beginning this season, we will no longer offer rulebooks as part of the membership renewal process (except for coaches). Members can now order rulebooks directly from US Figure Skating at [www.usfigureskating.org](http://www.usfigureskating.org) on the Members Only page.

What's up with club ice? The PSC board is currently evaluating options for our club ice session. More information will be sent out later this summer about how club ice will be handled next season.

We need your help... Starting this season, **each family must complete a MINIMUM of 4-hours of volunteering** to remain in good standing. Volunteers are an essential ingredient to running our two competitions and supporting our skaters. Becoming a volunteer is easy...complete the attached volunteer form and return it with your membership application. Most opportunities do not require previous experience, so don't worry if you don't know how to ice monitor or run the music. Once we receive your application, you will be contacted by our extraordinary volunteer coordinator to discuss events where you can fulfill your 4-hour volunteer requirement.

Be on the lookout for upcoming social and fundraising events...This past April, we hosted a Members Social that was attended by 37 members. Next year, we plan the social activities in the club so that we can better get to know the 400+ members in your club. Check the PSC website for details about upcoming events.

And finally, we would like to wish good luck to all the skaters in the upcoming season!

PSC Membership

## 2006 – 2007 Membership Form

<input type="checkbox"/> New Member <input type="checkbox"/> Renewing Member <input type="checkbox"/> Transferring – Previous Home Club _____			
Name:		USFSA #	
Address:		Date of Birth:	Gender: (circle) M          F
City:	State:	Zip:	US Citizen: ___ Yes ___ No
Home Phone:	Work/Cell Phone:	Email:	
<b>Have any of the above information changed since last year? If yes, what?</b>			
Skating Level: MITF _____                                     Freestyle _____                                     Dance _____                                     Pairs _____			
Name of Coaches:		Coaches Phone	
Name of Parent/Guardian (if skater is under 18 years of age)		Daytime Phone	

### Releases

I understand figure skating is a dangerous activity involving risk of serious injury and even death. Despite my knowledge of said risks, and in consideration of my being permitted to participate in PSC activities, I expressly and voluntarily agree to assume such risks and to hold harmless and free from any liability, injury or loss whatsoever, the Peninsula Skating Club ("PSC"), its officers, directors, members or agents. In addition, I hereby give permission for emergency medical treatment to the skater should that become necessary. By the acceptance of membership I agree to be bound by the bylaws and rules of PSC and agree to pay all membership and session fees as indicated on this application.

I do hereby give **Peninsula Skating Club** the right to use my name and/or photograph (or my child's), for publication in PSC print materials and on the PSC website. I waive any right to inspect or approve the finished product in which my photo (or my child's photo) may be created in connection therewith.

\_\_\_\_\_ I give permission for my name and/or photograph (or my child's) to appear in PSC materials, and agree to the above terms.

\_\_\_\_\_ I **do not** give permission for my name and/or photograph (or my child's) to appear in PSC materials.

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Signature (if 18 years old or older)

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Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Parent (if under 18 years old)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

### ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP FEES FOR 2006-2007

The USFSA has not increased their fees for a number of years and has been forced to finally increase their fees by a small amount. PSC has increased the member renewal fee, as reflected in this renewal application, to bring us in line with the new renewal rates.

Skater + Parent Package Name of parent: _____ Parent's USFSA # if renewing: _____	\$130
Full Membership	\$120
Second Family Member	\$85
Associate Home Club: _____	\$55
Beginner Skater	\$40
Synchro/Theater on Ice	\$40
Alumni	\$60
Coaches (includes Rulebook)	\$70
US Figure Skating Officials	\$95

Amount Enclosed (Checks Payable to PSC): \_\_\_\_\_

Returned checks are subject to a \$20 returned check fee

**Mail Completed Application and Fees to: Laura Lomazzi (PSC Membership Chair)**

**1375 Holly Street #3**

**San Carlos, CA 94070**

**Email: llomazzi59@aol.com**

**PENINSULA SKATING CLUB**

## VOLUNTEER INFORMATION FORM

**PSC needs YOU! We are looking for volunteers to help out our two club competitions. No experience necessary. Training will be provided.**

Last Name \_\_\_\_\_ First Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

Day Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Evening Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Cell/Mobile Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Skaters Name \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship \_\_\_\_\_  
(if skater, write self)

**I will be able to volunteer 4 hours at:**

<input type="checkbox"/> Silicon Valley Open, August 16-19, 2006	<input type="checkbox"/> Spring Jubilee, May 2007
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**Competition Roles**

**My areas of interest: (please see the attached description)**

<input type="checkbox"/> Awards	<input type="checkbox"/> Volunteer Coordinator	<input type="checkbox"/> Medical	<input type="checkbox"/> Transportation
<input type="checkbox"/> Credentials	<input type="checkbox"/> Announcing	<input type="checkbox"/> Practice Ice	<input type="checkbox"/> Music
<input type="checkbox"/> Skater Recognition	<input type="checkbox"/> Facilities	<input type="checkbox"/> Registration	<input type="checkbox"/> Accounting Room
<input type="checkbox"/> Program Design/Printing	<input type="checkbox"/> Hospitality	<input type="checkbox"/> Runner *	<input type="checkbox"/> Judge
<input type="checkbox"/> Sponsors / Advertising	<input type="checkbox"/> Ice Monitor	<input type="checkbox"/> Spotlight	<input type="checkbox"/> Technical Panel

\* Must be 15 years or older

I will not be able to volunteer my time at the above mentioned events but can offer my time and services on the following:

<input type="checkbox"/> Test Sessions	<input type="checkbox"/> Data Entry	<input type="checkbox"/> Mailing	<input type="checkbox"/> Planning Social Events
<input type="checkbox"/> Web Design	<input type="checkbox"/> Graphic Design	<input type="checkbox"/> Fundraising	<input type="checkbox"/> Bookkeeping
<input type="checkbox"/> Web Content Updates      Other _____			

I can not offer my time but can donate goods and/or financial resources

\_\_\_ Food & Beverage for Hospitality    \_\_\_ Office Supplies    \_\_\_ Equipment/Vehicle

Please complete the form and return to:

Debbie Asano-Rhodes 3370 W. Las Positas Blvd. Pleasanton, CA 94588 Email ( <a href="mailto:debasano@aol.com">debasano@aol.com</a> )
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**PENINSULA SKATING CLUB  
DESCRIPTION OF VOLUNTEER ROLES**

**Before the Competition:**

Awards – Purchases awards (medals/ribbons/trophies)

Credentials – Prints and laminates credentials for skaters, coaches, officials and volunteers

Facilities - Help with the setup, tear down, and storage of the competition equipment.

Program design/Printing – Designing, layout and printing of programs.

Sponsors/Advertising – Source sponsors and advertising for the competitions and programs.

Volunteer Coordinator – Work with committee chairs to fill all volunteer positions by emailing and contacting club members and other potential volunteers.

**During the Competition:**

Accounting Room- Tabulates results for events

Announcing – Work with music people to keep the competition going, announce skaters taking the ice.

Hospitality – Help by catering, donating or stocking and serving food for the judges and coaches/volunteer areas.

Ice Monitors – Monitor all skaters entering the ice for practice ice, warm up and competition.

Medical – Provide medical treatment to skaters during the competition

Music Coordinator- Sets up sound system and/or plays music during competition

Practice Ice – Similar to registration, check in arriving skaters for practice ice, manage music drop off and pick up, answer general questions.

Registration – Check in arriving skaters for competition, manage music drop off and pick up, answer general questions.

Runner – Running music to and from registration/practice ice desk to music stations. Also running judge sheets from judges to official accountants room and posting final results.

Spotlight – Run the spotlight during showcase competitions only.

Transportation - Picking up judges from the airport and transporting judges and officials between hotel and competition venue.

**Requires US Figure Skating certification prior to volunteering**

Judge – Evaluates quality of performances

Technical Panel – Evaluates level of difficulty of skating elements