

## Welcome to the Everett Figure Skating Club!

The 2009-2010 membership year promises to be an exciting one here at Everett Figure Skating Club. We'd be happy to have you with us! Whether you're a competitive skating family or a family who skates recreationally, we're confident you'll find EFSC to be inviting and supportive. Within our club, you'll find families who share common goals; first and foremost being the growth and development of each of our skaters.

Due to the dedication of parent and skater volunteers, this year's members can look forward to quarterly test sessions, quarterly club sessions and competitions, in addition to skater workshops and club social events. We will have many representatives of EFSC competing across Washington, the Pacific Northwest and beyond. Our members will participate in Individual, Adult and Synchronized Skating events. And, as always, our members will enjoy a team atmosphere and the support of the many friends made through our club!

*Please continue reading for EFSC benefits, pricing and membership classifications, to see if EFSC is the club for you! You may contact [Jill Peterson](#), Membership Chair, for an application packet and additional discount information.*

***NEW club members may receive a \$10 membership discount. (This discount does not apply to Introductory, Spring, Associate and Senior Home Club Non-Skating Memberships.) Contact [Jill Peterson](#) for more details.***

## EFSC Membership Benefits

As an EFSC Home Club member you can look forward to enjoying the following:

- Official USFS Membership Card
- Subscription to Skating Magazine, the official magazine of US Figure Skating
- Reduced rates for freestyle ice (\$6.50/hour with punch card)
- Slow motion video analysis and jump harness available for coach-assisted training
- Priority and home club rates for test sessions
- Home club rate to skate at quarterly club sessions
- Qualification to participate in EFSC umbrella programs, such as Synchro (audition required)
- Off-ice classes (additional fee may be required)

- Discounted prices on custom competition and practice dresses with Outside Edge apparel

<b>Membership Fees</b>	Primary Member	2nd Family Member	3rd Family Member (+)
Sr. Home Club Member	\$85.00	\$70.00	\$60.00
Jr. Home Club Member	\$85.00	\$70.00	\$60.00
Introductory Member	\$65.00	\$50.00	\$50.00
Introductory Upgrade	\$20.00	\$20.00	\$20.00
Introductory Non-Skating Parent	\$25.00	\$25.00	\$25.00
Spring Member	\$70.00	\$65.00	\$65.00
Non-Skating Sr. Member	\$45.00*	\$45.00	\$45.00
Collegiate Member (4-year membership)	\$85.00	\$85.00	\$85.00
Professional Club Member	\$60.00	n/a	n/a
Associate Member	\$45.00	\$35.00	\$35.00

\*Non-Skating Sr. Membership is not available as a Primary family membership if there are other family members. It is only available as a primary membership for an individual, without additional family members.

## **EFSC Membership Definitions**

Home Club Members are those individuals who have registered and paid their USFS dues for the current membership year (July 1, 2009 through June 30, 2010) through Everett Figure Skating Club. Available membership categories are as follows:

Senior Members are individuals eighteen (18) years of age or older. They enjoy all privileges of the Club, in addition to the privileges authorized in the USFS Constitution. They also have the privilege to vote as members of the Club and hold office.

Junior Members are individuals under eighteen (18) years of age. They enjoy all privileges of the Club, with the exception of voting or holding office. All junior members are required to have an adult family member join EFSC.

Senior Non-Skating Members are individuals eighteen (18) years of age or over. This membership is typically used by non-skating parents/guardians of junior members, adult recreational skaters and community members. Senior non-skating members enjoy all privileges of a home club membership, with the exception of testing.

Professional Members is a designated classification for skating coaches.

Collegiate Members are current or former home club members who wish to remain active members of USFS and home club members of EFSC. This significantly discounted membership covers a consecutive FOUR-YEAR term and may be purchased at any time during a member's college career. The Collegiate membership may only be purchased once and is non-renewable. A note with the name of the college and enrollment date must accompany the membership application. This membership is an excellent opportunity for skaters to remain connected to EFSC and retain all of their club and USFS benefits—a wonderful high school graduation gift!

Introductory Members are USFS Basic Skills members who desire to transition to an Everett Figure Skating Club membership. This membership is for NEW members only. It is offered at a discounted rate and includes all home club benefits, but with limited testing. This membership is intended to accommodate the freestyle to non-test skater. An Introductory Member may test their Pre-preliminary/Pre-Bronze Moves in the Field and Preliminary Dance. Any further testing, or higher level of competition, will require an Introductory Upgrade to a full Home Club membership. This membership is valid for one membership year and cannot be renewed. Minor Introductory Members must have an adult family member join the club as well. This membership includes a free copy of the USFS publication Skating Parents' Survival Guide, Volume 1.

Introductory Upgrade Membership is offered to Introductory Members who wish to upgrade during the membership year to a full Home Club Membership for full testing benefits.

Spring Membership is a discounted membership offered to FIRST-TIME club members in January of the membership year. Club members who join with a Spring membership enjoy all the privileges of a full home club member, with the exception of voting and holding office. In addition, a member who purchases a Spring Membership is not eligible for EFSC grants until he/she has completed a full year of uninterrupted membership. Minor members must have an adult family member join the club as well.

*The new USFS membership year begins July 1, 2009, and all competitive skaters will need to be current with their dues in order to compete. Please note: In order to qualify as a "RENEWING" member, membership paperwork must be received by 5:00 pm, July 24, 2009. Members returning paperwork after the grace period has expired will be processed as "NEW" members. In addition, a skater's application will not be processed if it is not accompanied by payment and all agreements and forms.*

Members who wish to transfer their home club status to EFSC *during the membership year* must submit a USFS Change of Home Club Request form. Please contact [Jill Peterson](#) for membership application forms and additional information.

*Thank you for your interest in Everett Figure Skating Club! Please review our web site for freestyle times and other information. We hope to see you soon!*