

Jefferson City Figure Skating Club  
Board Meeting  
Jan. 24, 2008  
Washington Park Ice Arena

Attendance: Kristi Rydman, Barb Bruemmer, Linda Currier, Sheila Stratman, Maureena Tucker, Kenny Lister, Janie Potts, Sharon Wilson, Debbie Bernsen, Sheri Barnes, Therese Berry-Hyatt, Rachel Bruemmer, Lottie Bushmann

Not present: Dana Eaves, Becky Wilbers, Christie Kincannon,

A motion was made to accept the minutes from prior meeting, seconded. Motion Passed. Treasurers' report tabled until the next meeting.

Test session set for March 9, time frame probably 10-2:00. Barb has secured one judge now, working on others. Highest test available will be Novice Freeskate for Mackenzie Riggs. Sharon will take care of hospitality for test session; she will recruit her volunteers to help. Barb mentioned that this test date will be daylight savings time again. Deadline for the forms will be about 10 days before the test session.

Barb reminded the board to be sure to get forms signed for test taken at other rinks. Forms must be signed by either Barb or Dana.

Lottie brought a script for the Ice Show for the board to read. They are not available yet, but hopefully will be ready to post on the website. Linda is in charge of costumes, Kenny will do props. Tryouts went well, 21 skaters tried out, all got a part.

The board discussed purchasing plush flowers in addition to fresh. The executive board will check the records from the previous year and report back to the board with a suggestion of the amount of flowers to purchase. Therese offered to help at the flower table during the Ice Show.

Linda Currier-costumes have been discussed and a list will be posted soon.

March 20 is set for Club group photos, Feature photos will be March 13. The board needs to get the deadline for pictures from P&R for the program. Features costumes due by March 13.

Maureena volunteered to coordinate and scheduling volunteers, Debbie will assist Maureena.

Debbie will contact Eric Gragg to see if he is interested in sending in a proposal to do the Club still shots. Moments by Kim is also available to do these.

Big USFS Changes will be in effect in July, these came out of the last Governing Council. These focus upon the qualifications and insurance issues regarding coaches. Will make it more difficult to offer some classes and more costly for coaches.

-all coaches put through criminal background check at their cost

-changes to coach insurance

-will affect all coaches that teach on our ice above the basic skills levels

-may require coaches to join PSA & incur additional out of pocket costs

Kristi is continuing discussions with USFS regarding how we can make this work at our rink. More information will be released in the February issue of Skating magazine.

Cost of ice **may not** go up next year, according to Rachel Bruemmer. Prices are getting closer to market rates.

Bonnots Mill Candle fundraiser is in the process. Hope to run it the second week of February 2 weeks. Sheri volunteered to help.

State Games of Mid-America will be held at our rink from July 30 to Aug. 3, 2008. It will be run by the State Games organization. As many as 15 states could participate and will be another opportunity for skaters to qualify for State Games of America. Rink is interested in recruiting the help of Club members.

Kristi stated that she wants to get to work on the slate of Board members for next year. She would like to have ballots out before the Ice Show. Let Kristi know your status.

Therese suggested that the executive board meet and discuss the Pro and Assistant Pro positions and pay and bring it before the board soon.

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