



THE SKATING CLUB OF HINGHAM

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2020-2021 Membership Application

New _____ Renewal _____ Membership Change _____

Name of skater: _____
Address: _____
Town: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____
Main Phone: _____ Current USFS #: _____
DOB*: _____ *Parents email address: _____

Highest USFS Tests Passed: Moves _____ FS _____
Pairs _____ Dance _____ Basic Skills _____

Current ISI Membership Number(if any): _____

Highest ISI Level Passed: _____ ISI Club: _____

If under 18:

Parent/Guardian Name/s: _____

*Parent/Guardian Email Address: _____

List the name of your primary coach: _____

If this is A NEW membership application, the sponsoring professional must complete the following section:
I certify that the above named applicant has demonstrated a degree of "skating ability" and "risk sense" so as not to present a safety hazard to themselves or to any other individual(s) with them on club ice.

Professional Staff Member Signature: _____

Applicant and/or parent agrees to abide by all the provisions as set forth in the bylaws of the USFS, The Skating Club of Hingham, the "Rules and Regulations" of the Skating Club of Hingham, as well as all additional rules put in effect during the term of the membership.

Applicant's Signature (if over 18 yrs): _____

Parent's Signature: _____

Full Membership \$150.00 _____ Basic Skills only \$50.00 _____
Beginner Membership \$130.00 _____
Alumni/Adult/ Membership \$130.00 _____ (Walk On Only)

PLEASE EXECUTE THE AGREEMENT ON THE FOLLOWING PAGE

***All information must be completed or application cannot be processed**

MINIMUM CONTRACTING REQUIREMENT

All SCOH full and beginner members are required to purchase a minimum of ice, from Sept through June 30, which is paid MONTHLY. The rate of contract ice is \$10 per 30 minutes. Members that contract their ice time in advance and who wish to skate more than the minimum required, may "pick-up" additional ice time for the same rate (\$10 per 30 minutes of ice.) Non-contracted members may pick up additional ice, for \$11 per 30 minutes, after satisfying their monthly commitment. The non-member walk-on rate is \$12/30 minutes.

MONTHLY MEMBER FEES (payable by check or venmo)

Full Members – 1.5 hrs of ice weekly for 43 weeks. Monthly fee is \$129.
***Beginner Members – 1.0 hrs of ice weekly for 43 weeks. Monthly fee is \$86.**

Payments for the month of minimum ice requirements are due by the 1st day of the current month.
***Skaters may have a Beginner membership if they have not previously had higher than a Basic Skills membership in the past. Beginner membership is only valid for the first full membership year with SCOH, and then skaters must become Full members as set forth in this contract. A full membership does NOT guarantee a Solo in the end of the year Ice Show. Solos are based on level and availability of space on a year to year basis.**

INDEMNIFICATION AND HOLD HARMLESS AGREEMENT

KNOW ALL PEOPLE BY THESE PRESENTS that for and in consideration of the granting of permission to use any or all of the facilities, programs, equipment, etc. of the Skating Club of Hingham (SCOH), Inc., I do hereby indemnify and hold harmless the SCOH, the Mark Bavis Arena, inside the Mass Sports Complex, (MBA), all directors, officers, members, employees, agents, legal representatives, successors and assigns, of and from all liability, expenses, costs, damages and/or losses of any kind arising out of injuries to any person or persons (including death) or damage to any property of any kind whatsoever in connection with the use of the facilities, programs, equipment, etc. of the SCOH, and/or the MBA or Pilgrim, which against the SCOH, the MBA, their directors, officers, members, employees, agents and/or legal representatives, their successors and assigns, any person ever had, now has or which the successors and assigns of such persons or any other persons hereinafter can, shall or may have for and by reason of cause, matter or thing whatsoever from the beginning of the world to the date of these presents and forever thereafter.

VOLUNTEER REQUIREMENT AGREEMENT

I understand that my continued full or beginner membership in the SCOH is contingent on the fact that I (and/or an adult family member) provide at least a **total of five (5) hours of service** in support of the programs and activities of the SCOH during this membership period (July 1, 2020 through June 30, 2021). I understand that should I fail to provide the required number of hours that my membership may not be renewed.

FINANCIAL RESPONSIBILITY AGREEMENT

PAYMENT IS DUE PRIOR TO THE SKATER TAKING THE ICE. NO EXCEPTIONS! All members must purchase their minimum required ice monthly. Additional ice may also be purchased. All skaters should use venmo or check for their ice...no cash accepted. Anyone with an outstanding indebtedness to the SCOH at the time of this application will not be allowed to renew membership or reserve ice until **ALL** past due balances are cleared. **All invoices 30 days past due** may be assessed a finance charge of 1½% (minimum of \$5.00) of the outstanding balance per month. Any checks returned by your bank for any reason are subject to a \$25.00 service charge plus whatever bank fees may be required. **Skaters who owe money to the SCOH will not be allowed to skate until said ice bill is paid. A credit card may be requested to be kept on file in order for membership to stay in "good standing".** Any member currently under an "Ice Contract" who wishes to change their "Home Club" from the Skating Club of Hingham is advised that the entire remaining balance of their existing "Ice Contract" must be paid in full prior to any authorization to transfer "Home Club" status from the Skating Club of Hingham is approved.

MEDICAL RELEASE AGREEMENT

In times of medical emergency, if the SCOH is unable to reach a parent or guardian, I hereby grant the Skating Club of Hingham permission to obtain required "Emergency Medical Treatment" on my behalf. I do hereby indemnify the SCOH and those individuals so acting in my best interest from any loss per the provisions of the agreement as detailed in the section above. This release remains in effect for the duration of my membership in the Skating Club of Hingham unless cancelled by me in writing.

Emergency Telephone Number: () _____ Contact: _____

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, and intending to be legally bound hereby, I have executed these Agreements this ___ day of _____, 2020.

Signature: Parent or Legal Guardian if not of legal age.

ATTACHMENT A TO CLUB MEMBERSHIP – REQUIRED (2 pages)

Club Policies/Rules and Regulations for Ice Sessions

Updated 6/1/20.

These rules are applicable for all Skating Club of Hingham ice sessions. Each item must be initialed prior to acceptance of membership, and signed below. PLEASE MAKE SURE YOUR SKATER READS AND UNDERSTANDS EACH ITEM.

- _____1. Skaters and parents must comply with any and all procedures/rules as posted by the SCOH and Bavis Arena pertaining to Covid-19 restrictions. It is the responsibility of the skater/parents to read any notices posted at the rink pertaining to these guidelines. Guidelines may be updated/changed based on the current situation.
- _____2. Skaters and parents are advised that any abuse of the rules and regulations of The Skating Club of Hingham may result in the skater being excused from the ice for a period of time to be determined by the Board of Directors. Courtesy is expected at all times. Discourteous comments regarding any skaters, professionals or parents, in the building or on the ice will not be tolerated.
- _____3. For safety reasons, the Board of Directors have the authority to remove a skater from the ice if their behavior or ability places the skater or other skaters at risk, regardless of level.
- _____4. Skaters **MUST** sign in and be paid prior to the start of each session.
- _____5. Any skater performing their program has the **ULTIMATE right of way**. Please take a moment when music is playing to identify which skater is doing their program. Skaters should wear the orange belt when it's their music. Skaters in a lesson have secondary right of way, after the skater doing their program.
- _____6. A skater who has **already started entry to a jump** should be given the right of way. NOTE: This does not mean that if a skater is spinning or doing footwork that they have to move for the jumper. This means if one person is skating and not in a specific move and sees another entering a jump, the skater starting the jump should have the right of way as a matter of safety. DO NOT start a jump if someone has already entered a spin in the same spot, or the other skater has their back to you, and is coming your way! And, remember, skaters already in a CAMEL SPIN cannot move for you!
- _____7. Skaters **MUST** be aware of jump patterns & traffic on the ice, and not linger in the corners of the ice. If a skater wishes to practice for several minutes in one spot, they must watch for skaters setting up jumps and immediately MOVE out of the way..... **Specifically the corners!!!!**
- _____8. Programs will be played in the order they are placed in line. A skater in lesson may have their coach "bump" the line once, in front of those skaters not currently in a lesson. A coach may not bump more than twice until all skaters in line have gone at least 1 time.
- _____9. All skaters have the right to get their music played, as time permits. CD's should be placed in line, on the wall. Coaches giving lessons may go ahead, **IF** their student has not already had their music played. If they want to go again, they must wait until other skaters have theirs at least once, if they desire. Having multiple programs does not entitle a skater to go ahead of someone who hasn't gone at all. You must wait until everyone has a chance to go **ONE** time.

- _____10. All non-member CDs are placed at the end of the rotation behind club members. Full club members have priority over beginner members or non-members if there is not enough time in a session for everyone to go 1 time.
- _____11. Skaters should NOT be talking or standing in groups in the corners or middle of the ice. Skaters should keep moving when they are on the ice. If they need a break, they should **leave the ice**.
- _____12. Before moving away from the barrier or when stepping onto the ice surface, the skater should make sure he or she is not in the path of another skater. "Heads Up" at all times.
- _____13. All skaters are expected to get up immediately after a fall unless stunned or injured.
- _____14. **Before using the harness**, a signed waiver must be completed. Staff coaches and full club members have priority over all others wishing to use the harness. Coaches must be respectful of time if another coach makes a request to them to use the harness.
- _____15. **Basic Skills members or hockey skaters** MUST have a private lesson coach present and on the ice in order to get on the ice. Basic skills or hockey skaters will be permitted to skate prior to, or after, their private lesson for the remainder of a session ONLY if a Board member present deems there is no safety risk. Hockey skaters MUST be under the control of their private lesson coach at ALL TIMES.

Walk-on Rules

1. The order of preference for walk-on skaters is as follows: a) Full members ; b) Beginner Members; c) Basic Skills members having a lesson that day, d) Alumni/Adult members; e) Collegiate members; f) Non-club USFS skaters.
2. Any non-member professional who wishes to teach on any SCOH club ice or participate in club sponsored activities, must present their USFS coaching credentials including proof of liability and background screen, and complete a Guest Pro Application. The SCOH reserves the right to revoke any "non-staff member" coaching privileges AT ANY TIME at the discretion of the Board.

Signature: Parent or Legal Guardian if not of legal age.

Date