

Welcome to the SSFSC Launch Party!

May 21, 2023



What is a Figure Skating Club?

- ▶ U.S. Figure Skating is a membership-based organization serving more than 750 full, collegiate and school-affiliated clubs and more than 1,000 registered Learn to Skate USA programs nationwide. The best way to be a part of U.S. Figure Skating is to be a member of a U.S. Figure Skating-affiliated club.
- ▶ All U.S. Figure Skating member clubs are charged with the responsibility of creating a safe environment that allows their members participate, develop and achieve success in the sport of figure skating. Most clubs are run by a board of dedicated volunteers and offer test sessions, competitions, exhibitions, ice shows and a variety of other programming options for their skaters and the surrounding community.

About the Sunshine State FSC

▶ Mission Statement

- ▶ The goal of the Sunshine State FSC is to serve the members to the best of its abilities. The club will work to offer a multitude of diverse opportunities to ALL skaters, coaches, and members to help further their skating journey and goals in life.
- ▶ Received Club Interim status on February 14th, 2023
- ▶ Received Provisional status at US Figure Skating Governing Council in Las Vegas on May 6th, 2023
- ▶ Currently have 59 members, with hopes to be over 100 for the 2023-24 season and support the SunCoast Skating Team & USF Collegiate Team

Meet the Executive Board: President - Jenna Dispenza

- ▶ Skating Director & Coach at AdventHealth Center Ice.
 - ▶ Responsible for all Figure Skating, Learn to Skate, Camps, and Classes.
 - ▶ Has worked at AHCI since 2017
- ▶ Graduated from FIU in 2017 with a BBA
- ▶ 2011 & 2012 USFS National Championship competitor, holds 3 USFS Gold tests and 4 Canadian Gold tests.
- ▶ Over 25 years of skating experience with 15 years coaching.
- ▶ Hobbies include traveling, reading and painting.



Meet the Executive Board: Vice President - Kim McBride

- ▶ Director of Guest Services at AdventHealth Center Ice.
 - ▶ Manages the "front end" of the business and is responsible for 30+ staff members.
 - ▶ Has worked at AHCI since 2020
 - ▶ Former Professional Show skater in Ice Capades
 - ▶ Busch Garden show skater and director



Meet the Executive Board: Treasurer - Morgan Novotny

- ▶ Vice President of Business Affairs at AdventHealth Center Ice.
 - ▶ Responsible for all ice rentals and facility schedules, as well as managing the facility's registration software and program budgets.
 - ▶ Has worked at AHCI since 2017.
- ▶ Graduated from FSU in 2017 with a BA in Public Administration and Economics.
- ▶ Coworkers call Morgan "the Spreadsheet Queen" :)



Meet the Executive Board: Secretary - Juliana Pineda

- ▶ Director of Business Services at AdventHealth Center Ice.
 - ▶ Responsible for the administration of all Figure Skating, Learn to Skate, and Camps.
 - ▶ Supports in ice scheduling and system management.
 - ▶ Known as the "Glue" that holds everything together.
- ▶ 2011 to 2014 US Synchro National competitor
- ▶ 18 years of skating experience
- ▶ 5 years of coaching experience teaching Learn to Skate classes
- ▶ Holds US Gold/Senior tests in Moves in the Field



US Figure Skating Governing Council May 2023 We are Official!!



Club Membership Benefits

- ▶ U.S. Figure Skating Membership year is July 1st to June 30th (must be renewed annually)
- ▶ Reduced fees for testing at SSFSC Test Sessions
- ▶ Opportunity to purchase SSFSC club merchandise
- ▶ Opportunity to participate in Club Sponsored Events
 - ▶ Monthly Virtual Test Sessions
 - ▶ Social Events (Annual Banquet, Back to School/Valentines/Beach/Pool/Bowling/Halloween/Holiday Parties, Disney On Ice, Big & Little Events)
 - ▶ Fundraisers (Car Wash, Bake Sale, Dinner Nights, 5K Skate, Flip Give, etc)
 - ▶ Skater Recognition (Graduating Seniors, Axel Club, Qualifying Competitor Send-Off)
 - ▶ Competitions (Spring and/or Fall Basic Skills – hopefully grow into Full Non-Qualifying, Bid for USFS Qualifying/National Events – 2024 Solo Ice Dance Final)

Types of Membership

Full Membership (Minor): \$165

- ▶ For skaters aged 17 and under, includes one free non-skating parent membership
- ▶ Voting Rights

Full Membership (Adult): \$125

- ▶ For skaters 18 and older
- ▶ Voting Rights

Full Membership (Additional/Subsequent): \$65

- ▶ For subsequent skaters or family members (must accompany full membership)
- ▶ Voting Rights

Associate: \$75

- ▶ For skaters who want to have SSFSC privileges and belong to another home club
- ▶ Non-Voting

Full Membership (Introductory): \$75

- ▶ For first-time SSFSC and USFS skaters (only eligible for one membership year, this restriction includes prior memberships with other USFS clubs)
- ▶ Non-Voting

Full Membership (Collegiate 4-year): \$150

- ▶ For full-time undergrad or graduate students (valid for one continuous period of 4 years)
- ▶ Voting Rights

Full Membership (Coaches): \$75

- ▶ For professional coaches
- ▶ Voting Rights

Available Board Seats

- ▶ Membership Chair
- ▶ Test/Competition Chair
- ▶ Events Chair
- ▶ Social Media Chair
- ▶ Coach Liaison
- ▶ Rink Liaison
- ▶ Collegiate Liaison
- ▶ Parent Liaison



SSFSC Founding Members

- ▶ Jennifer Alber
- ▶ Kaileigh Alber
- ▶ Skye Armstrong
- ▶ Jacqueline Bellino
- ▶ Dominic Bellino
- ▶ Scarlett Bellino
- ▶ Antonina Berekhovskaia
- ▶ Marissa Blumenbaum
- ▶ Ava Blumenbaum
- ▶ Alexa Burns
- ▶ Michelle Daughtry
- ▶ Sarah Daughtry
- ▶ Bihong Deng
- ▶ Michelle Liang
- ▶ Jenna Dispenza
- ▶ Vinny Dispenza
- ▶ Brooke Fechtel
- ▶ Catherine Feminella
- ▶ Sara Feminella
- ▶ Gisele Frantz
- ▶ Nicolas Frantz
- ▶ Tiffany Gocsik
- ▶ Madison Gocsik
- ▶ Maria Gruszczynski

SSFSC Founding Members

- ▶ Lori Hornecker
- ▶ Natalie Hornecker
- ▶ Olivia Hornecker
- ▶ Jessica Jing
- ▶ Sabrina Jing
- ▶ Michele Kasoff
- ▶ Hayden Ruiz
- ▶ Veronika Khokhryakova
- ▶ Samuel Labrada
- ▶ Tessa Leberman
- ▶ Lucia Lee-Anglero
- ▶ Annabel Lewis
- ▶ Felicity Lothrop
- ▶ Kim McBride
- ▶ Robert McNamara
- ▶ Julie Kim
- ▶ James Mitchell
- ▶ Morgan Novotny
- ▶ Christine Park
- ▶ Kaylah Pollock
- ▶ Kelley Reiff
- ▶ Aria Francis
- ▶ Ziah Francis

SSFSC Founding Members

- ▶ Elizaveta Titova
- ▶ Elicia Wang
- ▶ Naila Worrell-Christi
- ▶ Krista Rojas
- ▶ Liliana Rojas
- ▶ Michelle Romonosky
- ▶ Jessica Romonosky
- ▶ Jordyn Lutz
- ▶ Logan Lutz
- ▶ Madison Lincoln
- ▶ Eva Marie Stanley
- ▶ Aleksandra Strong

SSFSC Website & Entryeze

Website:



Entryeze:



Club Merchandise

The SSFSC will be working in collaboration with Rinkside Sports to provide club merchandise!

Scan the QR code to be brought directly to the Rinkside link.



THANK YOU FOR SUPPORTING THE SSFSC!

Questions?

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