



SKATING CLUB OF PHOENIX
Member of the United States Figure Skating Association

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Dear SCP Members,

The 2009-10 membership year is winding down and it is time for our Annual Meeting. The past year has been one of challenges with a down economy, but it has also been a very exciting year. We couldn't be more excited for our many of our skaters who competed successfully at numerous competitions, including all of our Regional Competitors and the 2010 USFS Juvenile Girls champion Dyllan McIntee.

Fiesta Skate

This year we completely re-vamped our flagship competition Fiesta Skate starting with a new online entry format that was very well received. We invited a new referee and chief accountant and brought in a strong contingent of highly qualified local and national judges. As a result we had a highly successful competition with very positive feedback.

Board Members

I am sorry to report Andrea Palos has decided to resign from her position as President of the Skating Club of Phoenix. Andrea has served the board with dedication and enthusiasm for many years and we thank her for all of her hard work. She will be missed. Also resigning from her board position is Toni Jones-Ross. Toni has served as our treasurer for the past 2 years and has done a tremendous job keeping our finances under control and bringing our investments up to date. Toni will remain active with the board assisting as registrar for Fiesta Skate and Autumn Antics. We thank her for performing both jobs admirably and professionally and continuing to volunteer and serve the entire club.

This year we have several open board positions (2 year terms) as well as member-at large positions (1 year term). We are looking for enthusiastic volunteers who can bring new ideas and direction to the board. You need to be available once a month for a board meeting that usually lasts 1-2 hours. Please see attached for more information as well as a ballot for voting.

Junior Board

We are also re-instating the Junior Board and are looking for skaters age 8 and up who can dedicate a few hours a month to the club. Please see attached for more information.

Annual Meeting and Membership Renewal

This year's Annual Meeting on Sunday, June 27, 2010 from 5:00 PM – 7:00 PM at the Centennial Pool 14338 N 79th Avenue, Peoria AZ. We will highlight club business for the

year, outline our plans for the coming year including a skater's seminar and explain upcoming volunteer opportunities. Elections will be held for open board seats.

Members, Members Family, and First Time Members for the 10-11 fiscal year (FY) of all ages are invited to the event. Hotdogs and non-alcoholic beverages will be provided, please consider bringing a side dish or dessert to share. See the attached invitation for all the details. RSVP is required to secretary@skatingclubofphoenix.com for this free event.

Please remember that your current club membership will expire on June 30, 2010. This year we are offering online renewal where you can pay using your Mastercard / Visa or Discover credit or debit cards. Please see our website for details at www.skatingclubofphoenix.com . You can also download a membership application or use the enclosed the renewal application if you wish to pay by mail. Please renew before the deadline date to remain a current member and remain eligible to compete in various club competitions this summer. Your membership must be current to test and compete. Membership benefits include reduced testing fees, skating seminars, full USFS membership, Skating Magazine, and more. Please visit our club web site for all the membership benefit information. Your application will not be processed without the enclosed 2010-2011 Membership Form, Payment, and USFS Waiver Form. Please include your information on the SCP Volunteer Sheet so that we may contact you when volunteer opportunities exist.

Thank you for your continued support of the Skating Club of Phoenix! If you have any questions, please feel free email me at vicepresident@skatingclubofphoenix.com.

Sincerely,
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Membership Chair