

## Knoxville Figure Skating Club

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Dear KFSC member,

Welcome to Summer!

It is busy time for KFSC. We have Membership Renewal, the Summer Picnic and The Smoky Mountain Classic.

If you are having trouble logging your hours into Entryeze, please email [knoxskating@gmail.com](mailto:knoxskating@gmail.com) and we can assist in logging your hours. All club members must meet a minimum number of volunteer hours to be considered in good standing. There is an option to pay in Lieu of volunteering. The Membership year runs July through June.

If you are need of volunteer hours please consider joining a committee. The Fundraising, Competition, and Show Committees are all in need of members.

Thank you to everyone who sent us photos. If you have any pictures, especially completion or testing, or member recognitions, or event ideas please submit them to the club email. It is very much appreciated that more people are submitting photos for the newsletter and social media.

Thank you,  
The KFSC Board

Do you know your board members?

Lori Clark (President)

Jenny Payne (Vice President)

Robert Darby (Secretary)

Kami Potts (Treasurer)

Jennifer Rohrig

Sonia Allan

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Abby Pace

Elizabeth Robinson

Please see [Knoxvillefigureskatingclub.org](http://Knoxvillefigureskatingclub.org) for more information and for KFSC forms. Documents on the website include by-Laws, Financial Statements, Board Meeting Minutes, Junior Board application, Testing Handbook and blank Skater Resume forms.

### Upcoming Events:

**Virtual Testing- The 1<sup>st</sup> of every month (except July and August) (video within 14 days)**

**June 1-25 2024/2025 Membership Renewal**

**June 15<sup>th</sup> Elevation Arts Class High School and Middle School aged**

**June 19<sup>th</sup> Registration closes for the Smoky Mountain Classic**

**June 23 – KFSC Picnic, The Cove at Concord Park**

**June 29<sup>th</sup> Adaptive Sports Day**

**July 8 Shirt order deadline**

**July 19-21 – Smoky Mountain Classic and Test Sessions**

**Dec. 1 – Board Election**

**Dec. 16 - Christmas Show**

**January 4 - Skater Resumes are due**

**Feb TBD – Banquet**

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# Registration is Open



**Smoky Mountain Classic**

Knoxville Figure Skating Club

**JULY 19-21, 2024.**

**LOCATED AT COOL SPORTS**

- **OPEN NON-QUALIFYING COMPETITION**
- **ALL LEVELS OFFERED, AND THERE WILL BE A TEST SESSION**
- **REGISTER THROUGH ENTRYEEZE (DEADLINE: JUNE 19, 2024)**

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# KFSC MEMBERSHIP CATEGORIES 2024/2025 MEMBERSHIP YEAR

## Membership Renewal



**Renew or join between June 1- June 30 to avoid a \$25 late fee.**

KFSC membership includes USFS membership:

- Individually numbered USFS membership card
- Subscription to Skating Magazine
- Sport Accident Insurance & Liability Insurance
- Certificates of accomplishment for passing proficiency tests and placing at U.S Figure Skating qualifying events(athletes)
- Special offers and discounts from USFS corporate partners
- Club newsletter emailed with updates about upcoming events, skater accomplishments, and other club-related information.
- Special events, training sessions, and social functions.

### Why Join KFSC?

Member-only events and offerings include Club Ice, Junior Board for High School students, Test Sessions, Annual Awards Banquet, Cookie Decorating Party, Wreath Making Party, Seminars, Summer Picnic, Christmas Show, and the Smoky Mountain Classic Competition. Being a part of the club also comes with many service hour opportunities, including skating and non-skating-related events. Email [knoxskating@gmail.com](mailto:knoxskating@gmail.com) with any questions or talk to a board member to learn more about joining our club!

**Join Now**



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KFSC MEMBERSHIP CATEGORIES 2024/2025 MEMBERSHIP YEAR									
	Full skating	Included 1 parent/guardian non testing, non competing	Additional Family Skating	Collegiate Skating	Aspire skating	Coaching	Professional	Associate Skating/Coaching	Additional parent/guardian non testing, non competing
Testing privileges	😊	❌	😊	😊	😊	😊	😊	😊	❌
Competition eligible	😊	❌	😊	😊	😊	❌	❌	😊	❌
USFS Membership	😊	😊	😊	😊	😊	😊	😊	❌	😊
1 KFSC annual banquet ticket included	😊	❌	😊	❌	❌	😊	😊	❌	❌
1 KFSC annual banquet ticket preferred rate	n/a	😊	n/a	😊	😊	n/a	n/a	😊	😊
Voting privileges*	😊	😊	😊	😊	❌	😊	😊	❌	😊
Board/Officer eligibility*	😊	😊	😊	❌	❌	😊	😊	❌	😊
Preferential rate for events and functions	😊	😊	😊	😊	😊	😊	😊	😊	😊
Club Ice	😊	❌	😊	😊	😊	😊	😊	😊	❌
Volunteer hours**	8	Shared with Full	2	0	0	8	8	1	2
Cost***	\$182 (renew) \$105 (New to USFS)	\$0	\$110	\$150	\$45	\$92	\$92	\$55	\$55

\*Voting privileges and BOD eligibility are for members age 18 and over.



## **Congratulations to our skaters who tested!**

May 1, Knoxville Figure Skating Club

**Camron Nipper** - Gold Skating Skills

**Sora Imai** - Bronze Skating Skills

**Emily Spires** – Preliminary Singles,  
Pre Bronze Singles

**Lillian Olig** – Preliminary Singles

**Presley Rosa** – Preliminary Singles

**Addison Tanner** – Pre-Preliminary Skating Skills





## Congratulations to our newest Gold Medalist Camron Nipper!

### Gold Skating Skills

Congratulations  
to Camron  
Nipper for  
passing her  
Gold Skating  
Skills Test and  
earning her first  
USFS Gold  
Medal!





## USFS Graduating Seniors Award Program

### **Congratulations to Kaylee Dobson** on earning the PLATINUM level **and Kate Early** on earning the Bronze level Graduating Senior Award

To further applaud the achievements of the individuals awarded, U.S. Figure Skating will publish the names of the recipients on the U.S. Figure Skating Graduating Seniors Award Program webpage. An article about the award will be published in SKATING Magazine in the Spring.

To be considered for this award, applicants must complete an online application. The application is available on U.S. Figure Skating's Members Only website on the "Graduating Seniors Page" on the "Programs" menu dropdown.

Application Timeline:

- Application opens: no later than September 1, 2024
- Early application deadline (to list award on college applications): October 2, 2024
- General application deadline: March 18, 2025
- Late application deadline: June 30, 2025

All deadlines are as of 11:59pm MT. No applications will be accepted after the close of the

2024-25 U.S. Figure Skating membership year on June 30, 2025

Following each application deadline and review process by U.S. Figure Skating, the Graduating

Questions regarding this program can be directed to Chloe Roberts, School and Alumni Programs Manager, at [croberts@usfigureskating.org](mailto:croberts@usfigureskating.org).

Awards are determined based on the athlete's accomplishments during high school. Tests, competitions,



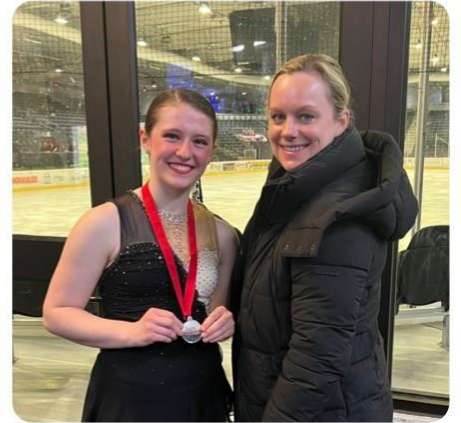
Congratulations to our skaters who competed.

Magic City Ice Classic - Birmingham, AL

The Margaret Faulkner Springtime Invitational – Ann Arbor, MI





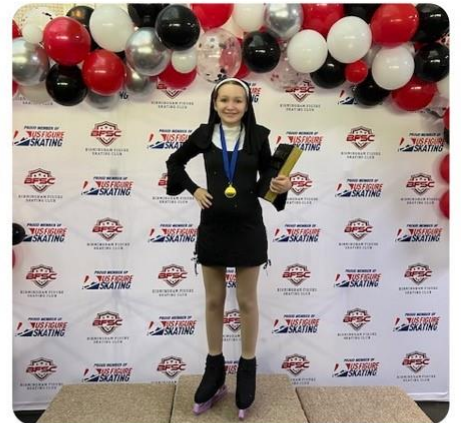
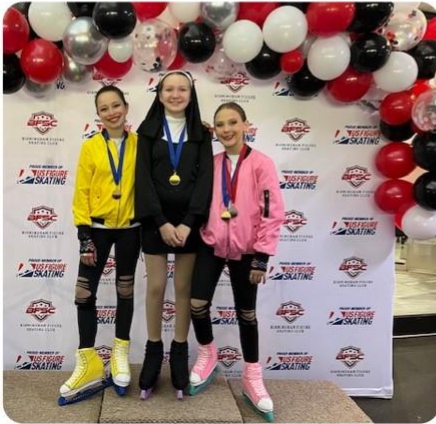


MAGIC CITY ICE CLASSIC

14TH ANNUAL COMPETITION

PIC COLLAGE













# MAGIC CITY ICE CLASSIC

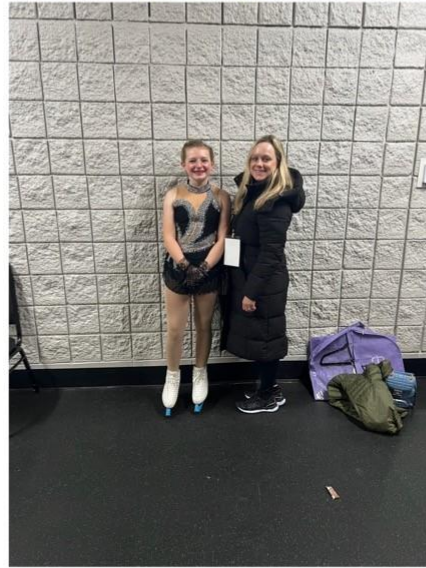
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MAGIC CITY ICE CLASSIC  
14<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL COMPETITION \* BIRMINGHAM, ALABAMA  
May 3-5, 2024





SAVE THE DATE

# KFSC SUMMER PICNIC

June 23, 2024  
Concord Park Pavilion  
4pm-7pm

**KFSC MEMBERS AND THEIR FAMILIES ARE INVITED  
TO AN AFTERNOON OF FUN AT THE LAKE  
PIZZA PROVIDED, FOOD SIGNUP COMING SOON**

## Join Us **ADAPTIVE SPORTS DAY**

*Experience the fun at our Adaptive Sports Day—where everyone gets to play!*

**Date: June 29th**  
**Time: 1:00 PM - 5:00 PM**  
**Location: Cool Sports**  
**Cost: FREE to the Community**

Whether you're looking to try something new or just want to enjoy a day filled with fun activities, this event is perfect for special needs and disabled individuals of all ages.

### *Featured Activities:*

#### **Sled Hockey Demonstrations**

Join the Sled Bears and experience the thrill of this unique sport with the help of expert guidance.

#### **Therapeutic/Adaptive Ice Skating**

Explore the world of ice skating with the help of Cool Sports' experienced coaches.

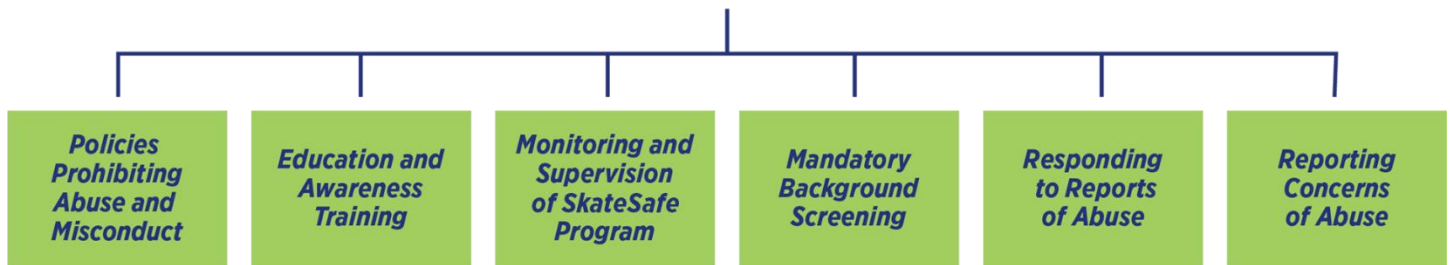
#### **Basketball with TN Travelers**

Shoot some hoops with the TN Travelers from the Tennessee Basketball Academy!

**For more info contact Ronald Cohorst**  
**(865) 248-4500 ext. 226 | [rcohorst@coolsportstn.com](mailto:rcohorst@coolsportstn.com)**



**SafeSport Certifications must be renewed each membership year.**



**The USFS program is called Skate Safe but the certification is still SafeSport.**

The renewal is shorter than the initial certification. Current certifications and memberships expire in June.

**Every adult member must be Safe Sport certified. If the member is under 18, an adult family member must be Safe Sport certified.** You must login to <https://usfsaonline.org/> and click on the Skate Safe Logo

We are interested in keeping our children safe both physically and emotionally.

<https://www.tn.gov/content/dam/tn/education/students/Physical-Activity-Should-Not-Be-Used-as-Punishment-and-or-Behavior-Management.pdf>





Are you interested in KFSC apparel?

<https://www.personaliteez.com/Knoxville-FSC-s/2310.htm>

Competition Shirts will be sold on Entryeze.

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### Adult Crew Neck Sweatshirt \$40



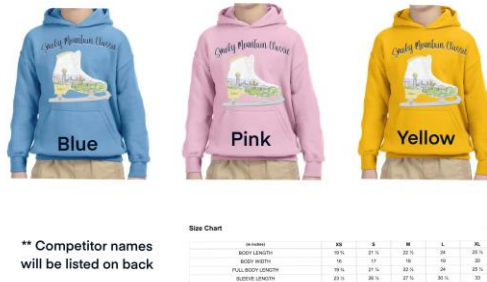
### Youth Crew Neck Sweatshirt \$40



### Adult Hoodies \$50



### Youth Hoodie \$50



### Adult Tee \$30



### Youth Tee \$30





## Junior Board

Abby, Catey, Janie, Jessie, Kenli, Kylee, Nikki, and Sora,.

### Elected officers of the 2023-2024 Junior Board!

President: Catey

Vice President: Abby

Secretary: Kenli



### **Jr Board has several events planned. Let us know if you need service hours.**

The Junior Board has been established to create a voice for the skating members of KFSC and to connect the skaters to the Board of Directors, coaches and parents. Members of the Junior Board, will share a passion for skating and serving the KFSC community. Members of the Junior Board, will help foster a fun, positive, welcoming, and supportive environment. All high school students are encouraged to submit an application.

### **Remember to check out [Knoxfigureskating](#) on Instagram.**

Junior Board will be volunteering at Young Williams Animal Shelter again. All skater 12 and up are invited to volunteer. Please tell a board or Jr board member if you are interested.

They made treats and toys and interacted with some of the animals up for adoption.

## Registration links

Cool Sports Classes Register on the Cool Sports website -

<https://coolsportsn.com/>

Learn to Skate

Aspire



To search for competitions

Entryeze - <http://www.entryeze.com/>

USFS EMS - <https://m.usfigureskating.org/account/login?url=%2Fems%2F>

USFS Competition information, including program requirements - [Compete | U.S. Figure Skating \(usfigureskating.org\)](https://www.usfigureskating.org/Compete)

## Competitions

June 25, 2024 - June 29, 2024

National Theatre on Ice - Greater Evansville FSC

July 11, 2024 - July 14, 2024

Troy Summer Competition - Troy Skating Club

July 19- July 21, 2024

Smoky Mountain Classic – Knoxville Figure Skating Club

July 26 – Charleston Open, North Charleston, SC

August 2- August 4, 2024

Scott Hamilton Invitational – Scott Hamilton Skating Club

August 18 2024 – North Georgia Classic, Cumming, GA

August 23 2024 – Atlanta Open – Alpharetta, GA

September 6 2024 – John Smith Memorial – Indian Trail, NC

September 13, 2024 - September 15, 2024

Southern Indiana Ice Classic - Greater Evansville



The full U.S. qualifying season and domestically held international events calendar can be viewed below:

**2024 U.S. Collegiate Championships and Invitational**

Dates: July 18-20, 2024  
Location: Richfield, Minnesota  
Venue: Richfield Ice Arena  
Host: St. Paul FSC

**2024 Cranberry Cup International (Challenger Series – Singles Only)**

Dates: August 8-11, 2024  
Location: Norwood, Massachusetts  
Venue: Tenley E. Albright Performance Center  
Host: The Skating Club of Boston

**2024 John Nicks Pairs Challenge International (Challenger Series – Pairs Only)**

Dates: Sept. 3-4, 2024  
Location: New York, New York  
Venue: Sky Rink at Chelsea Piers  
Host: The Skating Club of New York

**2024 Skate America**

Dates: October 18-20, 2024  
Location: Allen, Texas  
Venue: Credit Union of Texas Event Center  
Host: U.S. Figure Skating

**2025 Eastern Sectional Singles and U.S. Pairs Final**

Dates: Nov. 11-17, 2024  
Location: Norwood, Massachusetts  
Venue: Tenley E. Albright Performance Center  
Host: The Skating Club of Boston

**2025 Pacific Coast Sectional Singles Final**

Dates: Nov. 11-17, 2024\*  
Location: Ogden, Utah  
Venue: The Ice Sheet  
Host: Wasatch FSC

**2025 Midwestern Sectional Singles & U.S. Ice Dance Final**

Dates: Nov. 18-24, 2024\*  
Location: Plano, Texas  
Venue: Children's Health StarCenter  
Host: Dallas FSC

**2025 Prevagen U.S. Figure Skating Championships**

Dates: Jan. 20-26, 2025  
Location: Wichita, Kansas  
Venue: INTRUST Bank Arena  
Host: U.S. Figure Skating/Visit Wichita

**2025 Eastern Synchronized Skating Sectional Championships**

Dates: Jan. 20-26, 2025\*  
Location: Hershey, Pennsylvania  
Venue: Giant Center  
Host: Hershey FSC

**2025 Midwestern Synchronized Skating Sectional Championships**

Dates: Jan. 27-Feb. 2, 2025\*  
Location: Kalamazoo, Michigan  
Venue: Wings Event Center  
Host: Greater Kalamazoo Skating Association

**2025 Pacific Coast Synchronized Skating Sectional Championships**

Dates: Jan. 31-Feb. 2, 2025

Location: Irvine, California

Venue: Great Park Ice and FivePoint Arena

Host: All Year FSC

**2025 U.S. Synchronized Skating Championships**

Dates: Feb. 26-March 1, 2025

Location: TBD

**2025 Eastern Adult Figure Skating Sectional Championships**

Dates: March 14-16, 2025

Location: Indian Trail, North Carolina

Venue: Extreme Ice Center

Host: Carolinas FSC

**2025 Pacific Coast Adult Figure Skating Sectional Championships**

Dates: March 14-16, 2025

Location: Paramount, California

Venue: Paramount Iceland

Host: Los Angeles FSC

**2025 Midwestern Adult Figure Skating Sectional Championships**

Dates: TBD

Location: TBD

**ISU World Figure Skating Championships 2025**

Dates: March 23-30, 2025

Location: Boston, Massachusetts

Venue: TD Garden

Host: U.S. Figure Skating/The Skating Club of Boston

Tickets: Available at [www.isuworlds2025.com](http://www.isuworlds2025.com)

**2025 Prevagen U.S. Adult Figure Skating Championships**

Dates: March 31-April 5, 2025

Location: St. Louis Park, Minnesota

Venue: The Rec Center

Host: Twin City Figure Skating Association

\*The dates of this event will occur within this date range. Exact dates will be finalized closer to the registration deadline.