



## Bolton Figure Skating Club Theater On Ice

### Introduction

Theater On Ice is a form of competitive figure skating that is popular in Europe, where it is known as Ballet On Ice. It combines the grace and athleticism of figure skating with the excitement of theater and dance.

Our Theater On Ice ensemble will provide a team atmosphere in which skaters can work on developing both their skating and theatrical skills. We encourage skaters of all ages and various skill levels to work together to create a competitive on-ice theatrical production.

The USFSA rules allow for teams consisting of between 8 and 30 skaters. Solo skating is only permitted in limited amounts; the entire troupe is responsible for conveying a musical story on ice. Programs are judged by USFSA judges and emphasis is placed on originality, costuming, artistry, and musicality as well as technical merit.

Our 2006-2007 team will compete at the Novice level. All team members must have passed the pre-preliminary moves in the field test. Skaters' families are required to provide off ice assistance.

In preparation for future international experience, this year's team will also learn the choreographic exercise, an additional 2:30 minute program that is designed around a set theme and has been part of the competitive structure in France for many years

Our team's goals are to draw BFSC skaters together and enhance the sense of team spirit, to encourage skaters to keep learning and developing their skating skills in a supportive group atmosphere, and to enjoy competing as a team with the best possible effort.

Bolton Figure Skating Club  
Theater On Ice  
REGISTRATION FORM

Skater's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_ USFSA # \_\_\_\_\_ US Citizen? \_\_\_\_\_

Parent or Guardian's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address (If different from above) \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Work Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_ Home Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

Coach \_\_\_\_\_

TEST LEVELS

Moves \_\_\_\_\_ Free Skate \_\_\_\_\_ Dance \_\_\_\_\_

Years of Skating Experience (Including Basic Skills) \_\_\_\_\_

Tell us something about yourself:

Jumps you do well: \_\_\_\_\_

Spins you do well: \_\_\_\_\_

Other elements (spread eagles, etc.): \_\_\_\_\_

This application reserves your place on the Bolton Figure Skating Club's Theater On Ice Team. A deposit of \$200 is due with this form and is due by September 8<sup>th</sup> when practice begins. Additional charges and payments will be determined based on the number of participants.

Payment Received \_\_\_\_\_ Cash \_\_\_\_\_ Check # \_\_\_\_\_

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Theater On Ice Registration  
Additional Requirements

- All TOI members must be members in good standing of the Bolton Figure Skating Club, and subscribe to a minimum of one *additional* hour of club ice at the Bolton Ice Palace. Skaters are also required to maintain their individual skills with lessons and practice.
- TOI members agree to purchase the hour of practice ice on Friday evenings from 6:40 to 7:40 pm at a rate determined by the number of participants, and pay according to the regular club payment schedule.
- A TOI member must be a minimum of 7 years of age. There is no maximum age limit.
- Members must have passed the pre-preliminary Moves in the Field test, or the adult equivalent, by the start of TOI practices. This rule may be waived for skaters on track to test in Fall 2006.
- Team members agree to attend all Friday practices, be on time, and to abide by the team rules set by the head coach. 4 excused absences and 2 additional absences for illness will be allowed. Attendance will be taken each week.
- A practice outfit consisting of black leggings and a close fitting T-shirt or turtleneck will be worn.
- TOI members commit to participate in the Green Mountain Open in March 2007 and the North Shore Open in June 2007, and to appear as an ensemble in the BFSC annual show. Other performances and competitions TBD by team consensus. The team will enter the International TOI competition if the location is within a reasonable traveling distance.
- TOI parents/guardians will be automatic members of the TOI Parents' Committee, and are required to attend team meetings, coordinate travel plans to competitions and exhibitions, provide assistance with scenery and costumes, and support the TOI in whatever other manner that the Committee will determine. TOI is part of the Bolton Figure Skating Club and is answerable to the Board of Directors.

By signing below, I understand and agree to the requirements as stated above:

Skater \_\_\_\_\_

Parent \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**Bolton Figure Skating Club, Inc.**  
(a non-profit organization) (860)-533-9482  
**Theater On Ice Participant Waiver**

I understand that if the skater undersigned hereby is deemed by the board of directors to be in danger to him/herself or anyone else, or to be interfering with other skaters, he/she may be asked to stop skating. It is fully understood and agreed, that the Bolton Figure Skating Club, Inc. and/or Bolton Sports Center assume no responsibility or liability for injuries or loss of property which might occur during Club sessions, special skating programs or activities including Theater On Ice. In acceptance of this WAIVER the undersigned, on his/her behalf if the skater is an adult, and, if the skater is under 18 years old, then on behalf of the skaters as well, hereby waives all claims and legal actions against the Bolton FSC, the Bolton Sports Center and their respective directors, officers and employees.

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<b>Name of Skater</b> _____		<b>Parent's signature</b> _____
<b>Address</b> _____		<b>Emergency Phone Number (s)</b> _____
_____		_____
<b>Signature</b> _____		_____