



# Bolton Figure Skating Club

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## December Newsletter

1. Congratulations to Lizzy Chmielecki, who took home a 1<sup>st</sup> place and Megan Nelson, who skated fantastically at the Pioneer Valley Penguin Competition at Little Sun Valley Competition on November 22<sup>nd</sup>. Great Job!!!
2. COUPONS – Please see attached coupon flyer for December sale prices and coupon price increase beginning 1/1/09.
2. Skating Exhibition/Public Skate - January is National Skating Month throughout the country and USFSA encourages all Clubs/Rinks to participate in some way to share the world of skating with our local community. To celebrate, Bolton Ice Palace will be hosting a "Skating Exhibition" on Saturday, January 17, 6:10 - 7:40 pm. It will showcase our Theatre on Ice Troupe, Club skaters, Mini-Mites hockey scrimmage, and conclude with a public skate for everyone. The cost for the entire event is only \$5. Please come with family and friends for a fun night of skating and family fun.
4. **SAVE THE DATE:** Bolton's Spring Show – May 16, 2009. Sign up deadline - January 17<sup>th</sup>. See attached form. Submit forms to the front office.
5. Fudge Fundraiser - Thank you to all that submitted orders. All orders will be delivered the week of December 15<sup>th</sup>.
6. HOLIDAY SHOPPING IDEAS
  - Visit <http://www.cafepress.com/BoltonFSC> to purchase the Bolton Figure Skating Club Store. Items include tees, hoodies, magnets, mugs, etc.
  - Please remember to use the Bolton Mall for your online purchases. A percentage of the proceeds come back to the club. A great way for you to support the club, while doing your holiday shopping. <http://www.visitourmall.com/BoltonFigureSkatingClubMall>
7. Upcoming test sessions at Cromwell. You can download information and applications on our website ([www.boltonfsc.com](http://www.boltonfsc.com)) or Champions. ([www.championsskatingcenter.com](http://www.championsskatingcenter.com))
  - \*\*\*Upcoming Test Sessions at Champions: Jan. 14, Feb. 11, March 18, April 22, May 27, June 24
  - Approximate times for all sessions - 10:30AM to 3:00PM
  - Deadline – 12 days prior to the scheduled dates unless indicated otherwise.
  - Applications are accepted on a 1<sup>st</sup> come, 1<sup>st</sup> served basis
8. Upcoming Competitions: **For more competitions/test sessions dates, go to [www.neicc.org](http://www.neicc.org)**
  1. January 19<sup>th</sup> - New England Inter-Club Council Competition and Basic Skills Competition, hosted by Skating club of Hingham, MA ([www.skateclubhingham.org/news.html](http://www.skateclubhingham.org/news.html))
  2. January 25<sup>th</sup> – US National Championships, Cleveland, OH
  3. January 31<sup>st</sup> – Smithfield Basic Skills Competition, Smithfield, RI ([www.smithfieldfsc.org](http://www.smithfieldfsc.org))
  4. February 13-15 – Basic Skills Competition/Pittsfield Open Competition ([www.pittsfieldfsc.com](http://www.pittsfieldfsc.com))

### THANK YOU!

Hi, it's Seneca Rasey, again. For the past month, I have been collecting books for my Bat Mitzvah project. Thank you to everyone who brought in books, it really helped. In the end, I collected over 1,200 books, more than I ever expected! I will be donating them to various Hartford Area charities and schools.

Once again, thank you all so much for you donations!

Seneca Rasey ☺

Happy Holidays