



Bolton Figure Skating Club

January Newsletter

“Happy New Year!!!”

1. **GREAT NEWS** – Bolton FSC is “**OUT OF DEBT**”. The arrearage owed to the rink has been paid. The board would like to thank all that worked to correct this situation. We will now be able to use our funds to improve our club and for our skaters.
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, and conclude with a public skate for everyone. The cost for the entire event is only \$5, which includes rentals. Please come with family and friends for a fun night of skating and family fun.
3. **Club Jackets** – Attached is a form to purchase a Bolton Figure Skating Club Jacket. Club jackets are red fleece with the skater's name embroidered on the front and Bolton Figure Skating Club on the back. Deadline to purchase a jacket is February 11th. Order form and payment can be placed in the box in the snack room. Cost \$50.
4. **A Night at a WolfPack Game** - February 13th at 7:00. WolfPack vs. Lake Erie Monsters.
The XL Center is having a night with Bolton Figure Skating Club. Come see some of our skaters and our Theatre On Ice troupe perform at the intermissions. A ticket order form is attached or pick one up at the rink. Orders due by February 4th. Tickets are \$13 and include pizza slice or hotdog and a soda.
5. **COUPONS** – The coupon price increase began 1/1/09. Check at the rink for pricing.
6. **SAVE THE DATE: Bolton's Spring Show** – May 16, 2009. – 2:00 and 6:00. Sign up deadline - January 17th. See attached form. Submit forms to the front office.
7. **Fudge Fundraiser** - Thank you to all who participated in the fudge fundraiser.
8. **Skater Recognition Program** – Attached you will find several of our skaters that have been highlighted, so far, in our skater recognition program. More skaters to be highlighted each month. You can also view them in the club room.
8. Upcoming test sessions at Cromwell. You can download information and applications on our website (www.boltonfsc.com) or Champions. (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 1st come, 1st served basis
9. Upcoming Competitions: **For more competitions/test sessions dates, go to www.neicc.org**
 1. January 19th - New England Inter-Club Council Competition and Basic Skills Competition, hosted by Skating Club of Hingham, MA (www.skateclubhingham.org/news.html)
 2. January 25th – US National Championships, Cleveland, OH
 3. January 31st – Smithfield Basic Skills Competition, Smithfield, RI (www.smithfieldfsc.org)
 4. February 13-15 – Basic Skills Competition/Pittsfield Open Competition (www.pittsfieldfsc.com)
 5. February 14th – SCNY - Chelsea Piers, New York, NY
 6. April 3rd-5th – Central Florida Skating Club, Annual Florida Open Championship (www.CentralFloridaFSC.org)
 7. July 11th – 2009 Nutmeg State Games