



# Bladelines

The official publication of the Birmingham Figure Skating Club

### 2006-07 Officers

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*\*The above officers are the ONLY qualified persons who can sign competition and test applications.*

### Board Members

Kim Hardwick	Tanya Yeager
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### Important Dates

Aug 25. .... Deadline - Show Forms  
 Sept 1<sup>st</sup>. .... Regionals Registration  
 Sept 7..... Banquet Reservations due  
 Sept 28..... 6:30 pm Banquet  
 Oct 28..... Club meeting & social  
 Nov 29. .... 5:30 Show rehearsal  
 Nov 30 ..... 7:00 pm Show  
 Dec 1. .... 1:00 pm Show

The newsletter will continue to be published every two months or more often if there is something that should be brought to your attention.

As the new editor, I ask that if you have any information, photos, etc., that can be included, please put that information in an envelope with my name on the front and give to Mary Gray at the Skating School. She will put it in my folder and I will pick that information up weekly. Or, you may email me at [Santadea@bellsouth.net](mailto:Santadea@bellsouth.net). If you email, make sure to use a subject reference – I don't open emails unless there is a subject I know.

I would like to feature 1 or 2 club members in each newsletter. I can start this in our next issue if each club member would send me the following information:

Name, age, school information, skating level, what you like most about skating and any other interests.

Also, I will need your help in keeping updated on who attends competitions.

Thanks for your help. Dianna Deavers

**Congratulations** to the following skaters who recently passed tests:

Loren Roth-Intermediate MIF  
 Maria Adcock-Prelim & Juvenile Pair Test  
 Avery Henson-Dutch Waltz & Rhythm Blues  
 Carter Sides-Pre Juvenile MIF  
 Heather Hardman-Juvenile FS Test  
 Leslie Burnett-Preliminary FS Test  
 Ivey Smith-Preliminary MIF  
 Riordan Wyatt-Pre Preliminary FS  
 Melissa Dillon-Juvenile MIF

Melissa Dillon-Pre Juvenile FS  
 Kelly Dillon-Juvenile MIF  
 Kelly Dillon-Pre Juvenile FS  
 Jessica Spence-Pre Juvenile MIF  
 Kenneth Brackett-Juvenile FS Test  
 Anita Saxena-Starlight & American Waltz  
 Morgan Brown-Preliminary MIF  
 Madison Brown-Preliminary MIF  
 Madison Brown-Pre Preliminary FS  
 Preston Culpepper-Intermediate FSTest  
 Emily Sanders-Pre Preliminary MIF  
 Emily Sanders-Pre Preliminary FS

**BANQUET INFORMATION:** The BFSC Banquet will be held on September 28<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 p.m. Banquet Reservation forms will be sent to all members and the deadline for making reservations is **September 7, 2007**. This years banquet will be held at the Nona Rose Banquet Room, 700 Montgomery Highway in Vestavia.

The banquet is a dressy/casual event. The menu will consist of Chicken Tortellini, Lasagna, Apple smoked chicken pene pasta and White Chocolate Bread Pudding!!!

The forms have been mailed to club members and should be returned this week. There were some omissions/errors that should be brought to your attention. They are:

The Priscilla Fowler Peer Choice Award is determined by votes of the SKATING membership. The other awards are nominated and the final decision is made by the Board.

On the List (3 columns) showing qualified skaters, non-qualified skaters and adult skaters, there are 2 things that should be changed at the bottom. \*Qualified skaters are those who have passed at least Juvenile Freeskating, Pairs or Dance as of 6/30/07. \*\*Non-qualifying skaters are those who have passed at least Pre-Preliminary and not higher than Pre-juvenile Freeskating, Pairs or Dance as of 6/30/07.

Also, please send photos from this past year to Anita Saxena for her slide show at the banquet. Anita's email address is [anitasaxena@yahoo.com](mailto:anitasaxena@yahoo.com). Anita can also use videos on DVDs and those can be placed in her mailbox at the rink. Deadline for getting these to her is September 21<sup>st</sup>.

There will be a raffle at the banquet. If you have anything that would be a good raffle item, please contact Carla Hardman with that information.

Trophies will be awarded to skaters with the number of years that have been skating.

Ashley and Dianna Deavers will be taking photos for anyone interested – similar to those taken at the proms. Proceeds will go to the Club.

There will also be music for dancing following the dinner and awards.

For those of you who have not attended the banquet before, it is a fun time for all and is a good time for skaters to be recognized for all their hard work.

I know that a lot of skaters have recently competed. If you or your child attends a competition, please let me know by email so that competitors are recognized in the Newsletter.

I will have a list of recent competitions and competitors in next months issue. I will be including Lake Placid Dance Championships, Indy Challenge, Huntsville Rocket City Classic, Atlanta Open and the Peach held in Atlanta. If anyone has a list of competitors for those events, please email me because I would like to include that information in next months newsletter.

**PROCEEDS FROM THE CONSIGNMENT SALE HELD IN AUGUST  
CAME TO APPROXIMATELY \$608.**

A lot of work went into this and the proceeds from these sales help the club to pay for skating time. Remember, those who organize the consignment sales put a lot of work into it and the Club thanks them for their work and dedication.

**THANKS TO ALL THOSE WHO HELPED!!**

Ashley and I want to thank the club and club members for the flowers, food, cards and most of all the support following the recent deaths in our family. With the support and help of all of you, this hard time in our life has been made easier. Thanks for keeping us in your prayers.

Ashley and Dianna Deavers