

ATTENTION:

All Potential Participants of the 2021 “Summer Ice Spectacular” Ice Show Auditions:

(Pre-Preliminary-Senior Skaters only. Learn-to-Skate Skater information will be posted at a later date)

Auditions are scheduled for **Dec. 19, 2020 from 8:00am – 12noon.**

Casting will remain the same as the 2020 show. Auditions are for a second part or vacant parts only.

ELIGIBILITY TO AUDITION:

- Skaters must be home club members in good standing of the Fort Collins Figure Skating Club by Dec. 1, 2020.
- If a skater’s home club has changed since July of 2020, we will **not** honor last year’s status. You must be a FULL club member of the Fort Collins Figure Skating Club. This is because the show is sanctioned through the local skating club and USFS.
- Skaters who are not members in good standing with the Fort Collins Figure Skating Club as their home club will not be allowed to audition for a featured part. No exceptions.
Guest Skaters are exempt.
- Skaters must be taking regularly scheduled lessons with an EPIC coach prior to auditions for the majority of the current year and must continue taking lessons from an EPIC coach through the performances of the ice show. *(Exception, A skater that moves into the area from out of town and meets all the other criteria maybe cast into an appropriate spot in the show at the discretion of the show committee).*
- “Regularly scheduled” is defined by a consistent weekly lesson time.
- Skaters are expected to skate at least 3 days a week at EPIC and maintain a Head Coach at EPIC.
- Coaches will be asked to sign the audition applications attesting that the lessons have been given or will be and payment has been received.
- Any skater that auditioned at the 2020 Spring Spectacular auditions and declined their part is not eligible to audition for a Featured Part at the 2021 Summer Ice Spectacular auditions but may be in a group number.

DESIGNATED LEVELS:

- All skaters must be U.S. Figure Skating tested and successfully passed at the level in which they are registered to audition (USFS Freestyle Test Only).
- Skaters who are not tested and have not passed the Pre-Preliminary Freeskate Level by Dec. 11, 2020 are **not** eligible to audition for a featured part in 2021 Summer Ice Spectacular and will be cast with skaters of similar ability. Skaters who have tested and passed at Pre-Preliminary Freestyle Test by Dec. 11, 2020 will be allowed to audition.
- Skaters must declare their level for auditions to Christine no later than Dec. 11, 2020.

- Program length cannot exceed test requirement for the level entered for the type of program chosen. For Juvenile thru Senior, program cannot exceed your short program length.
- Duets, trios and group numbers will not be levels that are offered for auditions. Due to the time restraints of the auditions and the show, it is not possible to offer these levels as audition opportunities.
- Pair and Dance teams will be placed in a pair/dance production number.
- In cases where there are two or less participants in an audition group, the show committee reserves the right to forgo the audition process and cast such skaters into appropriate parts.

RULES FOR 2021:

- 1) In any level below Novice that has less than three skaters, the casting committee reserves the right to place the remaining skater in an appropriate part.**
 - When there are only two skaters in a level, if one is given a featured part, there is no "group" to cast the remaining skater within. Consequently, the remaining skater may be placed in an appropriate part with a higher or lower level skaters.
- 2) It will be expected of the coach and the skater to include a minimum number of elements in the audition program. For programs 1 to 1.5 min long at least 2 jumps, 1 spin and 1 spiral or step sequence is required. For programs over 1.5 min, at least 3 jumps, 2 spins and 1 spiral or step sequence is required.**
 - It will be required of each skater auditioning to present a more well-balanced program.
Note: the elements required will never be more than the test level.
- 3) All skaters must be U.S. Figure Skating tested and successfully passed at the level in which they are registered to audition.**
 - "Jumping up a level" in a non-qualifying competition will not meet this requirement.
- 4) There will be a minimum score requirement at each level for auditions to receive a featured part.**
 - Any skater that does not receive the minimum mark for their level by the audition judges will be placed by the show committee in a part that is an appropriate match for their skating ability.
- 5) If a skater is awarded a featured part and misses more than 2 scheduled rehearsals, the skater may forfeit their part and be replaced by another skater with no refund. It is imperative every featured skater attend all rehearsals. If you think you will not be able to attend all rehearsals, please do not audition and request to be placed in an appropriate number.

VIDEOS AND MUSIC CDS:

- **NO VIDEOS** will be accepted this year.
- We are planning to play the music programs on computer again this year. Skaters must turn in a copy of their music to Christine no later than 5pm Dec. 4, 2020. Please put your name, test level and program length on the CD. Please use **MP3 format, not I-Tunes.** (*we are not responsible for music issues*)

GENERAL:

- If the skater's application for auditions is found to be incorrect, the skater and skater's parent will be informed of the discrepancy and placed in the correct level. If the discrepancy is not discovered until after auditions, the correction will be made during casting.
- In order to be awarded a featured part, skaters will be expected to participate as an understudy for another part.
- The show committee reserves the right to cast skaters who participate in auditions in groups with skaters who did not audition.
- Late applications will not be accepted.

TIMELINE:

- Dec. 1, 2020: Membership fees due to join the Fort Collins Figure Skating Club.
- Dec. 4, 2020: Music CDs turned into Christine
- Dec. 11, 2020: 5pm deadline for audition sign up.
- Dec. 11, 2020: Level for auditions must be declared.
- Dec. 19, 2020: Auditions 8:00am – 12noon at EPIC.
- April thru June 2021 Show Rehearsals
- June 11 &12, 2021 Shows

*Registration Fee to Audition for a Featured Part is \$30 (this includes your show registration fee). If you do not wish to audition but would like to be placed in a group, the fee is the same \$30 show registration fee. Each skater is required to pay a registration fee but only once.
Registration number: [110358-16](tel:11035816).*

If you did not receive a refund for last year's show, you will only need to pay \$5. If you did receive a refund, you will need to re-register for this year's show, \$30.

If you have questions, please ask your coach, Paul, Christine or Marianne.

Thank you for your cooperation

The 2021 "Summer Ice Spectacular" Show Committee