



2023 Front Range Invitational

June 3, 2023

Mountain View Skating Club

Greeley Ice Haus, 900 8th Ave., Greeley, CO 80631

Entries are due by May 8th, 2023

Online registration only on Entry Eeze: <http://comp.entryeeze.com/Home.aspx?cid=208>

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I. COMPETITION OVERVIEW

The 2023 Front Range Invitational will be conducted in accordance with the rules and regulations of U.S. Figure Skating, as set forth in the [current rulebook](#), and/or current Compete USA handbook as well as any pertinent updates that have been posted on the U.S. Figure Skating [website](#).

This competition is open to all eligible, restricted, reinstated or readmitted persons as defined by the Eligibility Rules.

Skaters must be a currently registered member of a U.S. Figure Skating member club and/or a current Learn to Skate USA member, a collegiate club or who is an individual member in accordance with the current rulebook. For non-U.S. citizens, please refer to the [rulebook](#) for more information.

COVID-19 INFORMATION:

For the most recent U.S. Figure Skating COVID-19 policy requirements, [CLICK HERE](#). Include any relevant policy implementation details here for your attendees.

II. ELIGIBILITY

TEST LEVEL:

As of December 1, 2022, singles athletes may opt to accelerate their test progression within U.S. Figure Skating and thus compete at level(s) best suited for their technical skillset. Athletes must still meet the minimum requirements for each level and additionally, if participating within the National Qualifying Series (NQS) or National Excel Series (Excel), they will establish a **competitive floor** (i.e., the lowest level they can compete at).

The **competitive floor** is determined only by the level selected through the ENTRYEEZE Series Application for NQS or Excel and is not uniquely tied to competition registration (regardless of series participation).

Example, if an athlete passed their junior free skate test in November and competed in the 2022-23 NQS as a Novice from July - September, they may register for either novice or junior in excel or well-balanced events. The novice level will remain their competitive floor until they complete an ENTRYEEZE Series Application at the junior level or higher for NQS or Excel.

Example #2, if an athlete passed their juvenile free skate but has not competed in NQS or Excel (i.e., they have not established a competitive floor), they have the option to compete pre-preliminary – intermediate (if skate up is permitted). While the options are wide, U.S. Figure Skating entrusts the coach to guide the athlete to select the appropriate level for the athlete based on their technical skillset.

Eligibility Notes:

The singles free skate test levels will remain as a minimum requirement to compete.

1. Athletes may not skate down in any event.
2. This update does NOT apply to Adult, Showcase and Solo Dance.

If an athlete, coach, parent and/or guardian needs assistance with confirming their eligibility, email events@usfigureskating.org or refer to information sheet [HERE](#).

EVENTS OFFERED:

[Program requirements for the events listed below can be found here: usfigureskating.org – Skate – Compete – Program Requirements](#)

SINGLES	JUDGING	1st Event Price	2nd Event Price
Excel Free Skate	6.0	\$85.00	\$30.00
Adult Free Skate (Adult Pre-Bronze – Master Jr/Sr)	6.0	\$85.00	\$30.00
Adult Beginner & High Beginner Free Skate	6.0	\$85.00	\$30.00
SPECIALTY	JUDGING	1st Event Price	2nd Event Price
Compulsory Moves (No Test–Senior)	6.0	\$85.00	\$30.00
Excel Compulsory Moves (Excel Beg.–Excel Prelim.)	6.0	\$85.00	\$30.00
Adult Compulsory Moves (Adult Beginner–Masters Jr/Sr)	6.0	\$85.00	\$30.00
SHOWCASE	JUDGING	1st Event Price	2nd Event Price
Emotional Performance (No Test – Senior, Adult)	6.0	\$75.00	\$25.00
Choreographic Artistry (No Test - Senior, Adult)	6.0	\$75.00	\$25.00
Lyrical Pop (No Test - Senior, Adult)	6.0	\$75.00	\$25.00
Character Performance (No Test - Senior, Adult)	6.0	\$75.00	\$25.00
Comedic Impressions (No Test - Senior, Adult)	6.0	\$75.00	\$25.00
Adaptive Individual Showcase	6.0	\$75.00	\$25.00
Adaptive Unified Partner Showcase	6.0	\$75.00	\$25.00
Duets/Trios (No Test – Senior, Adult)	6.0	\$75.00	\$25.00
COMPETE USA EVENTS	JUDGING	1st Event Price	2nd Event Price
Snowplow Sam-Basic 6 Program w/ Music	6.0	\$75.00	\$25.00
Pre-Free Skate – Free Skate 1-6 Program w/ Music	6.0	\$75.00	\$25.00
Snowplow Sam – Basic 6 Elements	6.0	\$75.00	\$25.00
Pre-Free Skate – Free Skate 1-6 Compulsory Moves	6.0	\$75.00	\$25.00
Compete USA – Spin Challenge	6.0	\$75.00	\$25.00
Compete USA – Jump Challenge	6.0	\$75.00	\$25.00
Compete USA – Hockey 1-4 Elements & Skills Challenge	6.0	\$75.00	\$25.00
Compete USA – Showcase	6.0	\$75.00	\$25.00
ADAPTIVE	JUDGING	1st Event Price	2nd Event Price
Special Olympics – Free Skate Program, Pairs & Dance	6.0	\$75.00	\$25.00

SKATESAFE COMPLIANCE:

For full details about SkateSafe compliance at U.S. Figure Skating competitions, refer to the U.S. Figure Skating SkateSafe webpage: www.usfigureskating.org/skatesafe.

COACHES

To be an eligible coach at a nonqualifying competition, coaches must meet the applicable compliance requirements and verified by U.S. Figure Skating. Coach compliance falls into three categories, Coach/Choreographer, Learn to Skate USA Instructor, or Foreign Coach/Choreographer. Details regarding compliance requirements can be found [HERE](#). All compliance requirements must be met at the time of check-in to access the competition, no exceptions.

III. REGISTRATION INFORMATION**ONLINE REGISTRATION VIA EntryEeze:**

Online registrations will be accepted via EntryEeze. Payment must be made at the time of registration by credit card only. Each transaction includes a 3% transaction fee.

Registration Deadline: 05/08/2023 at 11:59 PM MT

Late Registration Deadline: 05/15/2023 at 11:59 PM MT + \$20 Late Fee

1. Go to www.entryeeze.com
2. Click for "Skaters and Parents"
3. Find the 2023 Front Range Invitational "Competition Registration"
4. Follow the steps to sign skaters up.
 - a. If you need assistance completing your registration, contact Lyndsay Buxman at lyndsay@mountainviewskating.com

MUSIC SUBMISSION/UPLOAD:

Music will need to be uploaded through EntryEeze on the skaters profile for the event. Music submission deadline is 05/15/2023 at 11:59 PM MT. If music is not uploaded by the required time, there will be a \$10 late fee assessed for uploading music.

DEADLINE: DATE *05/15/2023 at 11:59 PM MT, if music is received after date earlier mentioned it will be a \$10.00 late fee.

If you need assistance, email Lyndsay@mountainviewskating.com

Competitors must also have available a backup copy of their competition music on a cell phone and it must be immediately available rinkside whenever the skater competes. If the phone does not have the standard round headset connector, an appropriate adapter, such as an Apple Lightning connector or Samsung USB-C adapter is required to be attached. The phone should be presented to the music person with the file ready to play, phone in airplane mode and volume turned to maximum.

REFUND POLICY

Entry fees will not be refunded after entry deadline unless no competition exists or the event is canceled. There will be no refunds for medical withdrawals.

LIABILITY:

U.S. Figure Skating, Learn to Skate USA, Mountain View Skating Club and Greeley Ice Haus accept no responsibility for injury or damage sustained by any participant in this competition. This is in accordance with Rule 1600 of the official U.S. Figure Skating Rulebook.

IV. COMPETITION DETAILS

FACILITIES:

Facility Name: Greeley Ice Haus

Facility Address: 900 8th Ave., Greeley, CO 80631

Facility Website: greeleyrec.com

200'x85' rink, locker rooms will be available for use to change, there is snack bar on the premises and restaurants within walking distance.

LOCKER ROOMS AND CHANGING AREAS (GENERAL LOCKER ROOMS):

Locker rooms and changing areas at U.S. Figure Skating competitive events are for athletes only, will be labeled with regard to specific use and where identified will be gender specific. An exception can be made for athletes under 11 years old that will allow for one parent of the same sex to assist their child immediately prior to and after their skating event(s). Please review the Locker Room and Changing Area Policy and the SkateSafe Handbook (both found on the [U.S. Figure Skating SkateSafe](#) page).

U.S. Figure Skating Travel Policy:

All travel must strictly adhere to Two-Deep Leadership requirements. An Adult Participant cannot transport a Minor Athlete one-on-one and Two-Deep Leadership requirements must be adhered to at all times during In-Program travel, by transporting at least two minors or a second Adult Participant. An Adult Participant cannot share a hotel room or other sleeping arrangement with a Minor Athlete(s). Full details of the SkateSafe Travel Policy and any exceptions can be found starting on page 12 of the [SkateSafe Handbook](#).

OFFICIAL WEBSITE & UPDATES:

It is the responsibility of each competitor, parent and coach to check the Mountain View Skating Club website, under the competition section on the events tab frequently for any schedule changes and/or additional information pertaining to the competition.

Mountainviewskating.com

SCHEDULE

Competitors may be scheduled on any day or time during the announced dates of the competition. The competition and practice ice schedule will be available after the close of entries. All participants will be notified via email once available.

PRACTICE ICE:

Each skater will be able to purchase up to TWO sessions of practice ice. This will be available at the time of registration until the registration deadline and then the day of competition. Each practice ice session will be 20 minutes long. They will cost \$20.00 per session. Once the schedule is set by the accountant you will be notified when practice ice times are available for sign up.

ONSITE CHECK-IN:

Check-in will open on June 3rd 2023, in the lobby of the Greeley Ice Haus.

AWARDS:

Awards will be presented in a traditional ceremony the day of competition for places 1st through 6th.

CONTACT INFORMATION:

Competition website: mountainviewskating.com

For questions, please contact the following individuals:

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