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The Philadelphia Skating Club & Humane Society
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April

- 24 Deadline for May Test Session
(forms due by 5 pm)
- 30 Boots & Blades Learn to Skate USA
Competition @ PSC&HS

May

- 7 USFSA Test Session @ PSC&HS
- 8 Board Meeting, 7:30 pm
- 13 Spring Ice Party (5/6 grades)
- 19 Spring Show Rehearsal
- 20-21 Spring Show
- 29 Club Closed - Memorial Day
- 30 Deadline for June Test Session
(forms due by 5 pm)

June

- 4 Junior Skaters Pin Luncheon
- 11 USFSA Test Session @ PSC&HS
- 11 Spring Session Ends
- 12 Summer Session Begins
- 26 Deadline for July Test Session
(forms due by 5 pm)

July

- 4 Club Closed, 4th of July
- 8 USFSA Test Session @ PSC&HS
- 24 Deadline for August Test Session
(forms due by 5 pm)

August

- 4 Summer Session Ends
- 5 USFSA Test Session @ PSC&HS

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TWIST Editor

Update Your E-Mail Addresses!

Don't forget to advise us of any change in
your e-mail address!

Articles for the May/June issue of the TWIST
should be submitted to the office no later than
Tuesday, June 13th @ 5:00 pm.

**WHAT YOU CAN DO
FOR THE CLUB THIS MONTH**

**Bring a guest to our Spring Show,
"The British Invasion"
May 20th or 21st**

Tickets available now!
General Admission, \$10
VIP Seating, \$30 (upstairs lounge)

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THE BRITISH INVASION ON ICE

"THE PHENOMENON THAT INFLUENCED THE AMERICAN MUSIC INDUSTRY IN THE MID-50s"

SATURDAY, MAY 20th @ 6:00pm and SUNDAY, MAY 21st @ 1:00pm

Dorothy Williams

Club Member since 1961
(Passed away March 26th)

Harriet Roberts

Club Member since 1956
(passed away February 26th)

Donald R. Pressey

Club Member since 1947
(passed away October 2016)

Kimon Legakis

Club Member since 1947

TESTS PASSED

Boerner, Amy (Intermediate Free Dance,
Novice Free Dance)
Bogdashevsky (Pre-Juvenile Moves)
Boulware, Sophie (Canasta Tango, Cha-Cha)
Carson, Tracy (Adult Cha Cha Congelado)
Conly-Farnham, Margaret (Juvenile Moves)
Engelman, Sarah (Senior Moves)

CONGRATULATIONS - GOLD MEDAL!

Fraiman, Cory (Starlight Waltz, Kilian, Paso
Doble, Viennese Waltz)
Gilman, Blake (Intermediate Moves)
Green, Sophie (Juvenile Moves)
Hollin, Allie (14Step, European Waltz,
Foxtrot)
Hollin, Nina (American Waltz)
Hoppy, Jordan (14Step, Foxtrot, European
Waltz)
Horenstein, Sydney (Novice Free)
Jaworski, Laura (Adult Paso Doble)
Kim, Claudia (Canasta Tango, Preliminary
Moves)
LaFiandra, Nicole (Rocker Foxtrot, Senior
Moves)

CONGRATULATIONS - GOLD MEDAL!

Lawless, Ben (Kilian, Starlight Waltz, Blues)
Lee, Amy (Intermediate Moves)
Lu, Claire (European Waltz, Pre-Preliminary
Freestyle, Preliminary Freestyle)
Marvel, Kristen (Senior Moves)

CONGRATULATIONS - GOLD MEDAL!

Medveckus, Michael (Hickory Hoedown,
Pre-Juvenile Moves)
Mitchell, Katherine (Novice Freestyle)
Nevo, Ella (Preliminary Freestyle,
Pre-Juvenile Moves)
Olson, Anika (Pre-Juvenile Freestyle,
Juvenile Freestyle)
Olson, Julia (14Step, European Waltz,
Foxtrot, Rocker Foxtrot, Junior Freestyle)
Persaud, Maria (14Step, European Waltz)
Pride, Cordelia (American Waltz, Kilian)
Rong, Eileen (Pre-Juvenile Moves)
Sniffen, Cristina (Tango, Senior Moves)

CONGRATULATIONS - GOLD MEDAL!

Thompson, Ava (Willow Waltz, 10Fox)
Thompson, Olivia (Novice Moves)
Walton, Grace (Paso Doble, Starlight Waltz)

CONGRATULATIONS to Laura Mitchell on receiving her Level 1 Technical Accountant appointment with U.S. Figure Skating!!

2017 Eastern Adult Section Figure Skating Championships, March 10-12, 2017, Wayne, NJ

Beth Delano - Championship Masters Int/Nov Ladies, 8th

Laura Jaworski - Championship Adult Gold Ladies, 17th; Gold Ladies Freeskate, 2nd

2017 North Jersey Eastern Adult Non-Qualifying Competition, March 9, 2017, Wayne, NJ

Andrea Bergeron - Adult Bronze Ladies Group A, 1st

Maureen Carrigan - Championship Adult Silver Ladies Group B, 4th; Championship Adult Silver Ladies Final Round, 7th; Adult Silver Ladies Group B, 1st; Adult Silver Dramatic Skate Group A, 1st

Sara Corse - Adult Silver Dramatic Skate Group B, 7th; Adult Silver Ladies Group D, 3rd

Eden Ginn - Championship Adult Silver Ladies Group A, 6th; Championship Adult Silver Ladies Final Round, 11th; Adult Silver Ladies Group A, 4th; Adult Silver Dramatic Skate Group A, 2nd

Laura Jaworski - Adult Gold Compulsory Moves, 1st

Farah Jiminez - Adult Silver Light Entertainment, 3rd; Adult Silver Dramatic Skate Group B, 3rd; Adult Silver Ladies Group C, 5th

Lindsey Jovanovski - Championship Adult Silver Ladies Group A, 3rd; Championship Adult Silver Ladies Final Round, 6th

Monica Nicosia - Championship Adult Silver Ladies Group A, 4th; Championship Adult Silver Ladies Final Round, 9th

Maria Sciarrino - Championship Adult Silver Ladies Group B, 5th; Championship Adult Silver Ladies Final Round, 10th

2017 U.S. Adult Figure Skating Championships, April 18-22, Wake Forest, NC

Maureen Carrigan - Adult Silver Ladies II Freeskate, 1st; Adult Silver Dramatic Entertainment II, 2nd

Sara Corse - Adult Silver Dramatic Entertainment IV, 10th; Adult Silver Ladies IV Freeskate, 16th

Beth Delano - Masters Junior/Senior Ladies II/III, 6th

Eden Ginn - Adult Silver Ladies I Freeskate, 10th; Adult Silver Dramatic Entertainment I, 11th

Laura Jaworski - Adult Gold Ladies II, 7th

Monica Nicosia - Adult Silver Ladies III Freeskate, 7th; Adult Silver Dramatic Entertainment III, 4th; Adult Silver Light Entertainment III, 6th

Debbie Spence - Masters Junior/Senior Ladies II/III, 5th

**CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL OF YOU ON REPRESENTING PSC&HS SO WELL!
WE ARE ALL VERY PROUD OF YOU!**



**Junior Skaters
Pin Luncheon
Sunday, June 4th
More info to follow**

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Please join the Member Admissions Committee in welcoming our new members to PSC&HS:

Margaux & Ivo Jansen

And thank you to the members who were instrumental in bringing the new members to us:

Carolyn Thompson

2017 PSC&HS Annual Meeting

The 2017 Annual Meeting of the Philadelphia Skating Club and Humane Society was held on Friday, April 7th in the upstairs lounge of the Club.

Five new Board of Governors were elected for three year terms. We welcome Amy Backstrom, Helen Chin, Jennifer Conly-Farnham, Lisa Green and Maureen Shanahan to the Board. Laura Jaworski was elected to fill a one-year vacancy on the Board.

Two new Member Admissions Committee members were elected for three year terms. We welcome Andrea Bergeron and Helen Chin to the committee.

Thank you for their three year terms of service to our outgoing Board of Governors members: Eileen Cannon, Deb Erdman, Charlotte Martin, Cathy Rahab and Janet Rosen. Thank you also to Jessica Constantine for her two year term of service.

In addition, thank you to our outgoing Member Admissions Committee members Jane Rutman and Marcy Wasserman.

Four proposed amendments to the By-Laws were also voted on and approved at the Meeting. Specific changes were mailed to the membership prior to the Annual Meeting but are also available in the office if you'd like a copy.

Awards and medals were also presented to the following members:

Adult Improvement Awards were announced for *AnnaLisa Mariani* and *Karl Blyler*.

Gold Medals earned over the past year were announced for *Todd Gilman* for Gold Dance, *Cyrena Greer* for Senior Free Dance, and *Jana Raisner* for Gold Dance.

The **Volunteer of the Year** was announced and this year is being presented to ***Susan Miller***. Sue joined PSC&HS in 1989 and since has been involved in almost every aspect of the Club from skating, competing (including the first Adult Nationals), synchro skating, Chair of committees and has held the position of President, Vice-President and Secretary. Sue has a fantastic brain for skating trivia and is the person most of us go to with a skating question. She quickly became a skating Judge at the highest levels in singles/pairs, moves and dance, a Sectional Judge and Referee and a Data Entry and Video Replay specialist at the national level. Sue spends most, if not all, of her vacation time at skating meetings and/or judging events including the USFSA Governing Council, competitions and test sessions. For many years she has been Chief Referee of most of our Club sponsored competitions which is one of the main reasons these events are successful. We are very fortunate to have Sue as a member of PSC&HS and congratulate her on this well-deserved award.

2017 Club Competition Results

Basic 4 Program Girls

- 1-Colette Jansen
- 2-Lilly Perez
- 3-Tesa Bakic
- 4-Isabella Persaud

Basic 4 Program Boys

- 1-Peter Pierce

Basic 5 Program

- 1-Zoe Palmer
- 2- Morelia Perez

Novice Moves in the Field

- 1-Jordan Hoppy
- 2-Eli Sparrow

Beginner Freeskate

- 1-Anna Altman
- 2-Lucy Pierce
- 3-Hope Goldman

High Beginner Freeskate

- 1-Anna Mackey
- 2-Kayla Scott
- 3-Sana Bokhari

No Test Freeskate

- 1-Eleanor Hao
- 2- Simone Levy
- 3- Anna Bogdashevsky

Pre-Preliminary Freeskate

- 1-Sophie Silverman
- 2-Sophie Green

Preliminary Freeskate

- 1-Amy Lee

Charles Fetter Trophy

- 1-Simone Levy
- 2-Jordan Hoppy
- 3-Hana Boulware

P.I. Myers Trophy (Pairs)

- 1-Katherine Mitchell
Juliette Schad
- 2-Clare McLaughlin
Isabella Thompson

Junior Pre-Silver Solo Dance

- 1-Jordan Hoppy
- 2- Maria Persaud

Pre-Prelim/Prelim Interpretive

- 1-Hana Boulware
- 2-Clare McLaughlin

Pre-Juv/Juvenile Interpretive

- 1-Simone Levy
- 2-Sophie Green

Intermediate/Senior Interpretive

- 1-Aubyn Mackey
- 2-Eli Sparrow

Adult Gold ProAm Dance

- 1-Mary Memmi w/Baxter Burbank
- 2-Jean MacFadyen w/CG Lee

SPECIAL TROPHY WINNERS

- Joan Thompson Day Memorial Trophy - Jordan Hoppy (Moves in the Field)
Blanche Mycek Memorial Trophy - Eleanor Hao (No Test Freeskate)
Hammer Memorial Trophy - Sophie Silverman (Pre-Preliminary Freeskate)