

Message for Skaters:

Both USFS and ISI schedules are now done! You can download these schedules by going to www.stategames2011.com (Go to the Figure Skating Section on the website) Scroll down to where it says Schedule of Events and you will find the links for the schedules. All schedules are **Tentative** and subject to change.

Due to the overwhelming response to the competition this year, we had to move the USFS events to the Iceoplex arena in Escondido. This facility has 2 surfaces. As you will see, both sheets had to be used all 4 days in order to accommodate all events.

We apologize if this has caused you any inconvenience when booking hotels. All hotels on the website were asked to be very flexible with their cancellation policies if skaters/coaches needed to change locations.

The practice ice schedule should be available by June 18th. We are using the Entry Ease system when signing up. Payments for practice ice will also be necessary at the time of booking.

Skater's music will be played during all scheduled practice ice sessions therefore the number of skaters will be limited on each session.

Everyone was given an open window of 2 days to make any changes, **with no charge**, prior to the schedule. All changes from this point on will be charged a \$25.00 fee unless the mistake was made by our office.

We went over the schedule draft several times to make sure skaters doing combined events in USFS and ISI would have their events held at the 2 closest rinks to avoid driving delays. There are a few exceptions however, but those skaters still have ample time to make it to their events.

Please see the notice that was sent to all Coaches. The SGA will run the events according to these new changes.



JUNE 1 REMINDERS!

ATTENTION COACHES. This is a friendly reminder of all the rule changes to well-balanced competition and test requirements, levels of difficulty, and Scale of Values. Many changes begin June 1, 2011

When arriving in San Diego all skaters are asked to check in for registration at the "Town and Country Hotel" located in Mission Valley. You will receive your badges, tickets and items purchased online at that time. If your coach is unable to register you can sign in and pick up their badge for them.

Registration Hours are:

Wednesday Aug. 3rd from 6pm - 9pm
Thursday Aug. 4th from 10am - 9pm
Friday Aug. 5th from 9am - 4pm

Skaters should plan to arrive at least 45 min to 60 min before their scheduled events at the arena. It is their responsibility to drop off their CD at that time. (please remember to bring at least one back up CD for each program) The Skater's name, event and State they are representing should be clearly marked on the label of the CD. **Important note...** please do not turn in all your CDs at one time. We will only accept CDs up to 1 hour before the event is scheduled.

Many Vendors are coming to the event, including Video, photography, flowers and a wide variety of skating goods for you buying pleasure.

Hair appointment for braiding, styling with ribbon etc. should be done by contacting Jen at www.thebraidladies.com or by phone (949)395-8733 They will be stationed for all days at all of the arenas.

Information On all Arenas:

Ray and Joan Kroc Community Center (located in La Mesa)

6845 University Ave
San Diego, CA 92115
(619) 269-1498
www.kroccenter.org
Surface 85'x200

Contact Info:
Skating Director
Office phone
Email

Lower ISI levels up to Freestyle 3

Shaun Bailey
(619)269-1484
shaunstategames@gmail.com

San Diego Ice Arena (located in Mira Mesa)

11048 Ice Skate Place
San Diego, CA 92126
(858)530-1826
www.sdice.com
Surface 85'x200'

Contact Info:
Skating Director
Office phone
Email

Higher ISI levels including all teams

Wendy Smith
(858)530-1826 x308
wsmith429@yahoo.com

Iceoplex Escondido (located in Escondido)

555 N. Tulip Street
Escondido, CA 92025
(760) 489-5550
www.iceoplexescondido.com
Surface 100'x200

Contact Info:
Skating Director
Office phone
Email

All USFS Events

Lexie Fernandez
(760)489-5550 x303
lexie@iceoplex.com

All questions/information other than skating events will need to be addressed directly to the State Games of America head office. They can be reached by info@calstategames.org or (619)223-2033

We thank you for taking the time to read over the information letter and look forward to seeing all of you in San Diego the first week of August!

Wendy Smith