



REGIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS ANNOUNCEMENT



*Iceland Sports Complex
Louisville, Kentucky
Hosted by Louisville Skating Academy
October 1 – 6, 2007*

U.S. Figure Skating



2008 Qualifying Competition Season

TECHNICAL ANNOUNCEMENT

1. GENERAL

The 2008 U.S. Figure Skating Qualifying Competition Season consists of a total of 14 events including, 12 qualifying events (9 Regional Championships, 3 Sectional Championships), the 2008 U.S. Junior Championships (Juvenile & Intermediate) and the 2008 State Farm U.S. Figure Skating Championships (Novice, Junior & Senior). All 14 events are sanctioned by U.S. Figure Skating and conducted according to the most current U.S. Figure Skating rulebook, 2007 edition, with changes and clarifications as posted on the USFS website and this announcement. Compliance with these rules as updated or amended is the responsibility of the participants. U.S. Figure Skating reserves the right to incorporate revisions to the International Judging System (IJS) made by the ISU for junior and senior events and by U.S. Figure Skating to novice events and below.

The Qualifying and National Championship Competitions are only open to competitors who are current members of U.S. Figure Skating and who meet the eligibility requirements according to U.S. Figure Skating Rule 3035, all age and test requirements pertaining to the event you are entering, and the citizen and residency requirements as stated in Rule 3065.

Non-U.S. Citizens who have already received a letter of permission from the Chair of the Competitions Committee and were accepted to compete in the U.S. Figure Skating qualifying system are eligible to register. All other non-US citizens seeking eligibility must meet the requirements set forth in Rule 3065.

Any coach being credentialed at a U.S. Figure Skating competition is required to be a current member in good standing of both U.S. Figure Skating and the Professional Skaters Association (PSA).

Important Notice for all Novice Pairs and Dance Teams (New for 2008)

Beginning with the 2008 competition season, all novice pairs and dance teams will begin their qualifying at their respective sectional championships. These events will no longer be offered at the regional championships.

Important Notice for all Juvenile/Intermediate Pairs and Dance Teams (New for 2008)

Beginning with the 2008 competition season, all juvenile and intermediate pairs and dance teams will advance automatically to the 2008 U.S. Junior Championships. There will be no event for these teams at the regional championships. However, these teams will have the option of competing at their respective sectional championships November 14 – 17, 2007.

2008 U.S. Figure Skating Eastern Great Lakes Regional Championships

The decision of whether or not to compete at the sectional championships must be made during the initial registration process (deadline Sept. 1, 2007). This decision is binding. Those teams who elect not to compete will automatically advance to the U.S. Junior Championships. Those teams who elect to compete at sectionals **must compete** in the event in order to advance to the Junior Championships.

For the 2008 competition season, the 12 qualifying events are:

Eastern Great Lakes	Louisville SA – Louisville, KY	October 1 – 6, 2007
New England	Colonial FSC – Boxborough, MA	October 2 – 6, 2007
Southwest Pacific	Escondido FSC – Escondido, CA	October 2 – 7, 2007
Central Pacific	Utah FSC – Bountiful, Utah	October 9 – 13, 2007
North Atlantic	Amherst SC – Amherst, NY	October 9 – 13, 2007
Upper Great Lakes	Eastern Iowa FSC – Cedar Rapids, IA	October 9 – 13, 2007
Southwestern	Dallas FSC – Grapevine, TX	October 16 – 20, 2007
South Atlantic	White Rose FSC – York, PA	October 16 – 20, 2007
Northwest Pacific	Seattle SC – Seattle, WA	October 16 – 20, 2007
Eastern Sectionals	SC of N. Carolina – Raleigh, NC	November 14 – 17, 2007
Midwestern Sectionals	Onyx Suburban SA – Rochester, MI	November 14 – 17, 2007
Pacific Coast Sectionals	San Diego FSC – San Diego, CA	November 14 – 17, 2007

The National Championships will be organized for all qualifiers in:

2008 U.S. Junior Figure Skating Championships
November 26 – December 1, 2007
Salt Lake City FSC
Salt Lake City, Utah

2008 U.S. Figure Skating Championships
January 20 – 27, 2008
XCEL Energy Center
St. Paul, Minnesota

2. REGISTRATION

A. METHOD

Online Electronic Registration (Required)

Online registration is the ONLY method available for entry into the 2008 U.S. Figure Skating Qualifying Competition Season.

To enter online into the 2008 Qualifying Competition Season, you must do the following:

Log on to www.usfsaonline.org. A username and password are required elements for successful online registration. Your username is your U.S. Figure Skating membership #. If you do not already have a password, go to www.usfsaonline.org first and follow the online instructions.

If you are experiencing difficulty with online registration, please call the U.S. Figure Skating main number at (719) 635-5200 or email the U.S. Figure Skating member services department at memberservices@usfigureskating.org.

B. DEADLINES

The entry deadline for the 2008 Qualifying Competition Season is **11:59 p.m., September 1, 2007**. The time zone of your principal training center/primary residence (juvenile, intermediate) or home club (novice, junior, senior) will determine the entry deadline of 11:59 p.m., Sept. 1, 2007. **NO EXCEPTIONS WILL BE MADE! NO REGISTRATIONS WILL BE ACCEPTED AFTER THIS DEADLINE!**

Age requirements must be met by **September 1, 2007**.

Test requirements must also be met by **September 1, 2007**. Provisional entries based on passing a test after the closing date of entries will not be accepted. Please refer to USFS Rules 3107, 3108 and 3109 for further testing information and guidelines.

C. BYES

No medical byes will be considered. Competitors awarded a bye to their sectional championships or the U.S. Championships will receive official notification in writing from U.S. Figure Skating. However, all competitors, including those who receive a bye, wishing to compete in the 2008 Qualifying Competition Season must enter by the stated deadline.

D. ENTRY FEES

All competitors entering the 2008 Qualifying Competition Season must submit payment of the appropriate entry fee (amounts listed below) to U.S. Figure Skating. All competitors are required to pay both the entry fee into the qualifying competition season (for each event entered) and the administrative fee. All fees are nonrefundable.

2008 Qualifying Competition Season Entry Fees

Entry Fee	Level/Discipline
\$130	Juvenile/Intermediate/Novice/Junior/Senior Singles (First competition at regional championships)
\$130	Juvenile/Intermediate Pairs and Dance (First competition at sectional championships)
\$150	Novice/Junior/Senior Pairs and Dance (First competition at sectional championships)
\$130	All Top-5 Placed Senior Skaters/Teams in all disciplines at the 2007 U.S. Championships pay a flat entry fee (First competition at U.S. Championships)
\$10	Administrative Fee/Entry (All entries subject to payment of administrative fee)

Sectional Championships Qualifying Entry Fees

Those singles skaters advancing, regardless of method, from their regional championships to the sectional championships will incur an additional \$150 entry fee plus \$10 administrative fee. This total will automatically be charged to the credit card that paid the initial entry fee.

ENTRY FEE BREAKDOWN for 2008 QUALIFYING COMPETITION SEASON

	Regional Championships	Sectional Championships	U.S. Junior Championships	U.S. Championships
Singles Skaters*	\$130	\$150	N/A	N/A
Juvenile/Intermediate Pairs and Dance	N/A	\$130	N/A	N/A
Novice/Junior/Senior Pairs and Dance*	N/A	\$150	N/A	N/A
Top-5 Placed Senior Skaters/Teams from 2007 U.S. Championships	\$130	N/A	N/A	N/A

*Excludes top-5 placed senior skaters/teams at 2007 U.S. Championships

Your registration is not considered valid until all appropriate entry and administrative fees have been paid and all required forms have been completed online to U.S. Figure Skating.

E. PAYMENT

Online payment via credit card is the ONLY accepted form of payment. For those competitors advancing to sectionals from their regional championships, the credit card used for the initial entry process will be automatically charged the additional sectional entry fee.

Once entered, all withdrawals are considered final. A skater may not reenter even if the withdrawal occurs prior to the entry deadline on September 1, 2007.

3. TECHNICAL DETAILS

A. CONDUCT OF EVENTS

For the 2008 season, all events and levels at all championship competitions (regionals, sectionals, U.S. Junior Championships, U.S. Championships) will be conducted in accordance with the International System of Judging (IJS).

B. AGE and TEST QUALIFICATIONS

All age and test requirements can be found in the U.S. Figure Skating Rulebook starting with USFS Rule 3640 (senior singles) and on the U.S. Figure Skating website at www.usfigureskating.org/New_Judging.asp?id=311.

C. TECHNICAL ELEMENTS

The well-balanced program charts for all levels and disciplines are posted on the U.S. Figure Skating website at www.usfigureskating.org/New_Judging.asp?id=311. As referenced earlier in this announcement, U.S. Figure Skating will incorporate all changes made by the ISU in regards to well-balanced programs. Please refer to this website often for continuous updates.

All competitors entering into the 2008 Qualifying Competition Season are required as part of their online registration to submit a planned program content sheet (PPCS) detailing the elements in their program(s). You may update your PPCS at www.usfsaonline.org up to one week prior to the start of your competition.

D. MUSIC

COMPETITION MUSIC INFORMATION (NEW FOR 2008)

Beginning with the 2008 competition season, U.S. Figure Skating will require all competitors to fully complete a competition music information form as part of the online registration process.

The following information is required for each piece of music used for the short program/original dance and free skate/free dance: Composer, Orchestra, Duration of Music, Record Label/Number (Optional but highly recommended if obtainable).

For all qualifying events during the 2008 season, CDs are the only acceptable forms of media. **Cassettes will NOT be accepted.** CDs must be clearly marked with name, event entered and the music length. **Each CD must have only ONE (1) track on it. In the case of short and long programs, two (2) separate disks must be used.** Any disc with more than one (1) track will NOT be accepted! Lead in time (time before the music begins) on CDs may not exceed two (2) seconds. Each CD must be in a standard hard sided "jewel case" or CD sleeve, also labeled with the skater's name and event. Jewel cases and CDs that are not properly identified will NOT be accepted. **Due to compatibility and reliability reasons music may NOT be submitted on re-recordable "CD-RW" discs.**

Competition music must be turned in at the registration desk at the time of registration and will be available for pick up at the registration desk at the conclusion of the event. At the regional championships, competitors will not receive their credentials at registration until they turn in their music. The originals used at regionals will be forwarded to sectionals and the U.S. Junior Championships for those advancing. The originals used at sectionals will be

forwarded on to the U.S. Championships for those advancing. Skaters advancing to the U.S. Championships will need to provide the name and composer of each piece of music. CDs will not be mailed back to competitors.

All competitors must have at least one (1) additional copy (CD) rinkside at practice sessions and during the actual competition event. The local organizing committee will accept no responsibility for damage or loss of CDs.

U.S. Figure Skating will supply current dance music for compulsory dances.

E. OFFICIAL BULLETIN BOARD

The official bulletin board will contain any announcements or changes and it is the responsibility of the competitors to check it often for official notices. Please refer to the local portion of the announcement for further information regarding the bulletin board.

4. ADVANCEMENT TO SECTIONALS/U.S. JUNIOR CHAMPIONSHIPS

A. QUALIFIERS

All singles competitors advancing to the sectional championships or the U.S. Junior Championships will receive either the announcement or instructions for retrieving the announcement for their next competition at their regional championships awards ceremony.

For every competitor, all information required to be sent to the sectional or Junior Championship local organizing committee (photos, practice ice requests, etc.) must be postmarked no later than the TUESDAY FOLLOWING YOUR REGIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP. Any information postmarked after the Tuesday following your regional championship will be accepted ONLY at the discretion of the local organizing committee.

For those competitors receiving a bye to either the sectional championships or the U.S. Junior Championships, you will receive your announcement either via email or regular mail and must follow the deadline set forth by the Local Organizing Committee.

B. ALTERNATES

Skaters placing in fifth and sixth place (unless there are fill-ins) at the regional championships in the novice, junior and senior singles events will be designated as first and second alternates. These competitors will be provided an event announcement as they may be selected to compete up to 48 hours before their competition event.

The succeeding two (2) placing skaters not advanced by the percentage system to the U.S. Junior Championships in juvenile and intermediate singles will become the first and second alternates respectively. All alternates will be provided an announcement for the U.S. Junior Championships.

Alternates do not need to mail in any paperwork or required forms unless contacted by U.S. Figure Skating.

5. INSURANCE/LIABILITY

A. LIABILITY

U.S. Figure Skating, the host club(s) and/or interclub association, the organizing committee, and the ice arenas being utilized for these events accept no responsibility for injury or damage sustained by any participant in these championships (USFS Rule 3222).

6. ANTI-DOPING

Anti-Doping tests will be conducted at the State Farm U.S. Figure Skating Championships, held in St. Paul, Minn., January 20-27, 2008. Senior level competitors only are eligible to be tested. If selected, testing is mandatory.

7. CONTACTS

For further information, requests should be addressed to:

A. US FIGURE SKATING

U.S. Figure Skating
Kevin Leonardo
kleonardo@usfigureskating.org

Chair, Competitions Committee
Larry Kriwanek
Larrykri@hotmail.com

B. LOCAL ORGANIZING COMMITTEE

For more information regarding the 2008 Eastern Great Lakes Regional Championships, please contact:

Rebecca Hatch-Purnell
EGLR, LOC Co-Chair
info@eglr2008.org
(502) 415-0962

GENERAL INFORMATION

Official Announcements

The Official Bulletin Board will be maintained at Iceland Sports Complex. The Official Schedule of Events will be posted on the Official Bulletin Board and will supersede all other schedules. It is the responsibility of each competitor to check the Official Bulletin Board for all official information. The skating orders will be posted at the start of the first official practice for the competition.

Registration

Due to the short preparation time available, all confirmation times and event notifications will be done by email and website posting. No "regular" mail will be used. See www.eglr2008.org for information.

The official registration desk, located in the lobby, will be open on Monday, Oct. 1, 2007 and will remain open throughout the championships at Iceland Sports Complex. Competitors must register promptly upon arrival. Credentials and information packets will be handed to competitors upon receipt of the competitor's music. To contact the registration desk *during* the competition, please call (502) 415-0962.

Practice Ice

Practice ice will begin on Monday, Oct. 1, 2007. Practice ice will be available on the competition surfaces, north and south rinks, at Iceland Sports Complex. Pre-purchase of "qualifying round-QR" practice ice sessions will be limited to two sessions per day at the discretion of the LOC based on availability. Additional "QR" practice ice may be purchased on a "first come" basis once the competition begins. For levels with qualifying rounds first, "championship initial round-CIR" and "championship final round-CFR" practice ice will be sold at the Practice Ice desk after the final results ("QR" and "CIR" rounds) have been posted for each event. Skaters in events without qualifying rounds may pre-purchase CIR and CFR practice ice. All on-site practice ice must be purchased at the Official Practice Ice Desk upon arrival and throughout the competition. You may not buy ice for more than one skater at a time if there is a line at the practice ice desk. Practice ice will be sold in 30 minute increments.

Pre-purchased practice ice will cost \$12 per 30-minute session if purchased by **Sept. 1, 2007**. Any additional "QR" practice ice purchased after **Sept. 1, 2007**, will be available on a "first come" basis at \$15 per session. The practice ice desk will open no later than 9:00 a.m. on **Oct. 1, 2007**. If practice ice is made available for purchase before **Oct. 1, 2007**, we will post this information at www.eglr2008.com along with purchase instructions. Practice ice fees are nonrefundable and nontransferable. Please see **Form A** for details.

Practice Ice Contact Information: Rebecca Hatch Purnell

HatchPurnell@insightbb.com

No phone calls for practice ice.

Awards

Awards will be presented to the first through fourth place competitors in each event as soon as possible following the posting of the results. Qualifying medals will be given for qualifying round placements in those events that require initial rounds. For events with short and free skate programs, awards will only be given for the final combined results, and not for the individual

placements in the short or free skate segments. All winners should appear dressed in their competitive costumes with skates for the award ceremony.

Admission

The 2008 Eastern Great Lakes Regional Championships will be open to the public at a charge of \$15 per all-event ticket (advance all-event tickets will be \$12) and \$7 per day (\$5 in advance). See **Form B**.

Competitors' Party

Immediately following the conclusion of events on Saturday, Oct. 6, 2007, Louisville Skating Academy will host a pizza and bocce party at Gotcha Bocce which is located on the second floor of Iceland Sports Complex. Gotcha Bocce is an indoor bocce ball game center and includes a restaurant called Angelina's Cafe, with an Italian style menu. The party will include a great DJ, dancing, food and drinks as well as bocce playing and instruction. All competitors and guests are invited. Tickets are \$10 in advance and \$12 at the door. Please see **Form C**.

Souvenir Program and Pin

Both souvenir programs and trading pins will be available for pre-order and purchase at the 2008 Eastern Great Lakes Regional Championships. Be sure to fill out your own personal information on the Program Information **Form D** and submit all information **electronically** to info@eglr2008.org. All photos must be identified with skater's first and last name and event level. The photo should be a headshot with a plain, light colored background. Pre-order information for both programs and pins is available on **Form E**.

Videos and Photos

Competition performance videotaping will be provided by and available for purchase from Straw Productions from Saint Peters, Missouri. Competitor's will have the opportunity to pre-purchase DVD's during the online registration process, allowing them to pay one time for registration and the DVD package of their choice.

All U.S. Figure Skating Championship Competitions (including regionals, sectionals, U.S. Junior Championships, and U.S. Championships) will be professionally videotaped and photographed. Videotaping of the competition in any form is not permitted. Photographs are permitted for personal use only, but for the safety of the skaters, **no flash photography** is allowed. Any resale of photography is strictly prohibited. Thank you for your compliance with these policies.

Facilities and Logistics

Important Note: Louisville is in the Eastern Time Zone.

Competition and Practice Arenas

The competition will be held at Iceland Sports Complex, located on the east side of Louisville, at 1701 UPS Drive, Louisville, KY 40223. Iceland Sports Complex is a year round facility with ample seating and parking capacity. The arena houses two 85' x 200' ice surfaces. The facility offers a snack bar with seating, vending machines, and an Italian restaurant and bocce ball center on the second floor. The snack bar will be open during all official events. Outside food is not permitted in the building. Locker rooms will be available for competitors.

Air Transportation

Access to Louisville is convenient by car or air. Louisville International Airport (SDF), served by most major airlines including Southwest Airlines, is located 12.8 miles from Iceland Sports Complex.

Transportation Security Administration (TSA)

The TSA of the U.S. Department of Homeland Security has very strict screening guidelines for transporting sports equipment. It prohibits certain sporting equipment from being brought on-board an aircraft, including equipment determined at the discretion of the security screener to be dangerous, which may include ice skates. While these items may be PROHIBITED from your carry-on luggage, they may be transported to your destination in your checked baggage. Any sharp objects in checked baggage should be sheathed or securely wrapped to prevent injury to baggage handlers and security screeners and/or damage to other luggage.

Please reference the website below for an outline of items that are permitted and prohibited in your carryon and/or checked baggage. <http://www.tsa.gov>.

Local Transportation

By car, Louisville is easily accessible from the following highways: I-71, I-65 and I-64. Driving directions are available at www.egl2008.org. Distances from major cities are as follows: Birmingham – 364 miles, Cincinnati – 96 miles, Dayton – 164 miles, Detroit – 354 miles, Indianapolis – 112 miles, Lexington – 79 miles, Nashville – 176 miles.

Area Attractions

Louisville is a metropolitan city with many hotels and restaurants located near the ice facility. "Downtown" Louisville is located about 20 minutes from Iceland Sports Complex.

Nearby Restaurants include Angelina's Café, Applebees, Bone Fish, Bristol Bar & Grill, Buca di Beppo, Cheese Cake Factory, Corner Café, Limestone, MacAllister's Deli, Macaroni Grill, Martini's, Max & Erma's, McDonalds, Mimi's Café, Mitchell's Fish Restaurant, Panera, P. F. Changs, Sesame Restaurant, Stony River, TGI Friday's, Z's Oyster Bar & Steakhouse and many more.

Iceland Sports Complex is located within five miles of three major malls and many shops and stores.

Nearby Museums include the Kentucky Derby Museum, Louisville Slugger Bat Factory and Museum, The Kentucky Center for African American Heritage, The Muhammad Ali Center, The Speed Museum, and The Fraser Arms Museum.

Housing

Blocked hotels are located within approximately 4 miles of Iceland Sports Complex. Each facility has unique amenities from free day passes for guests 16 and over to Louisville's premier health and fitness center to flat screen T.V. in every room and Starbucks coffee bar in the lobby. Many are either new or totally remodeled. All have nearby restaurants and shopping. In order to receive the EGLR rates please visit www.egl2008.org and click on the link to Host Hotels. Detailed information including photographs to help make a selection is available through this site. If you call a hotel on this list directly rather than reserve a room through our website, be sure to advise that you are with the "Eastern Great Lakes Regional Figure Skating Championships hosted by Louisville Skating Academy."

A map showing the location of hotels relative to Iceland Sports Complex is available at the end of this document.

**Please review all cancellation and early departure policies as these may vary.

Official Host Hotels:

Springhill Suites Marriott Northeast

10101 Forest Green Blvd.
Louisville, KY 40223
\$99.00
½ mi. from Iceland Sports Complex

Hyatt Place

701 S. Hurstbourne Pkwy
Louisville, KY 40222
\$89.00
2.6 mi. from Iceland Sports Complex

Secondary Hotels:

Hawthorn Suites

751 Cypress Station Dr.
Louisville, KY 40207
\$99.00
Approximately 4.5 miles.
(day passes to Milestone Wellness Center)

Best Western Envoy Inn & Suites

9802 Bunsen Way
Louisville, KY 40299
\$84.00
Approximately 4.3 miles

Holiday Inn

1325 S. Hurstbourne Pkwy.
Louisville, KY 40222
\$89.00
Approximately 3.2 miles

Courtyard by Marriott Northeast

10200 Champion Farms Dr.
Louisville KY 40241
\$105.00
Approximately 2.9 miles

Residence Inn

3500 Springhurst Commons Blvd.
Louisville, KY 40241
\$115.00
Approximately 2.9 miles

Volunteer Opportunities

Volunteer Workers Needed

A successful competition takes many enthusiastic and hard-working volunteers. Louisville Skating Academy appreciates help from all who would be willing to volunteer to make the 2008 Eastern Great Lakes Regional Championships a huge success. If you are interested in volunteering your time and talents, please fill out **Form G**. LSA will contact you. Thank you in advance!

Raffle

A raffle of terrific items will be held throughout the event.

Sponsorship

If you or your company, small business, or figure skating club would like to sponsor the 2008 Eastern Great Lakes Regional Championships with in-kind or monetary donations, please contact Rebecca Hatch-Purnell at (502) 415-0962 or email info@eglr2008.org. Information regarding program advertisements is available on **Form F**.

Additional Information Transmittal Form 2008 Eastern Great Lakes Regional Championships

Competitor Name _____ Sex: M/F
USFSA # _____ Event _____
Phone # (home) _____ (cell) _____
Email (please print clearly) _____
Address _____
City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Please return the following completed forms. Use this grid to be sure that you have completed all of the necessary documents and remit payment as outlined below.

Summary of Forms	Amount Due
____ Practice Ice Request Form (Form A).....	\$ _____
____ Advance Ticket Purchase Form (Form B).....	\$ _____
____ Competitor's Party Registration Form (Form C)...	\$ _____
____ Program Information Form (Form D).....	\$ _____
____ Program and Pin Order Form (Form E).....	\$ _____
____ Program Advertising Form (Form F).....	\$ _____
____ Volunteer Form (Form G)	
Total Due (Forms A through G).....	\$ _____

Please make your check payable to Louisville Skating Academy and mail with the enclosed documents to the address listed below. A \$20 fee will be assessed for returned checks. LSA will not issue refunds.

Deadline for postmark is no later than midnight, Sept, 1, 2007.

Louisville Skating Academy
c/o Rebecca Hatch-Purnell
2211 Homewood Drive
Louisville, KY 40223

Practice Ice Request Form - Qualifying Events 2008 Eastern Great Lakes Regional Championships

Competitor Name _____ Sex: M/F
 USFSA# _____ Event: Senior/Junior/Novice/Inter/Juv
 Phone # (home) _____ (cell) _____
 Email (please print clearly) _____
 Address _____
 City _____ State _____ Zip _____
 Date and Time of Arrival _____

Practice ice will begin on Monday, Oct. 1, 2007. Practice ice will be available on both of the surfaces, "north" and "south", at Iceland Sports Complex. Pre-purchase of "qualifying round-QR" practice ice sessions will be limited to two sessions per day at the discretion of the LOC based on availability. Pre-purchased practice ice will cost \$12 per 30-minute session if purchased by **Sept. 1, 2007**. Any additional "QR" practice ice purchased after **Sept. 1, 2007**, will be available on a "first come" basis at \$15 per session. The practice ice desk will open no later than 9:00 a.m. on **Oct. 1, 2007**. If practice ice is made available for purchase before **Oct. 1, 2007**, we will post this information at www.eglr2008.com along with purchase instructions. Practice ice fees are nonrefundable and nontransferable.

For levels with qualifying rounds first, "championship initial round-CIR" and "championship final round-CFR" practice ice will be sold at the PI desk after the final results ("QR" and "CIR" rounds) have been posted for each event.

All on-site practice ice must be purchased at the official Practice Ice Desk upon arrival and throughout the competition. You may not buy ice for more than one skater at a time if there is a line at the practice ice desk.

For questions regarding qualifying championships practice ice, please contact Rebecca Hatch Purnell at HatchPurnell@insightbb.com,

Day:	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thurs.	Fri.	Sat.
	10/1	10/2	10/3	10/4	10/5	10/6

Sessions per day: _____
(2 maximum)

TOTAL SESSIONS: _____ X \$12.00 per session = TOTAL DUE \$ _____

I do/do not (circle one) want practice ice on the day I compete.

Confirmation of event and practice ice times will be posted on the website as soon as available. See www.eglr2008.org for details.

Deadline for postmark is no later than midnight, Sept, 1, 2007.

Send to: Louisville Skating Academy
 c/o Rebecca Hatch-Purnell
 2211 Homewood Drive
 Louisville, KY 40223

Advance Ticket Purchase Form 2008 Eastern Great Lakes Regional Championships

Tickets to the 2008 Eastern Great Lakes Regional Championships will be sold in advance and at the door. Tickets are limited. Pricing is as follows:

Advance all-event ticket\$12
All-event ticket at the door\$15
Advance one-day ticket.....\$5
One-day ticket at the door.....\$7

Competitor Name _____ USFSA# _____
Phone # (home) _____ (cell) _____
Email (please print clearly) _____

Number of advance all-event tickets: _____ X \$12.00 = TOTAL DUE \$ _____

Number of advance one-day tickets: _____ X \$5.00 = TOTAL DUE \$ _____

Grand Total for Advance Tickets: \$ _____

Deadline for postmark is no later than midnight, Sept, 1, 2007.

Send to: Louisville Skating Academy
c/o Rebecca Hatch-Purnell
2211 Homewood Drive
Louisville, KY 40223

Competitors' Party Registration Form 2008 Eastern Great Lakes Regional Championships

The 2008 Eastern Great Lakes Regional Championships Competitors' Party will be held at Gotcha Bocce, located on the second floor of Iceland Sports Complex, 1701 UPS Drive, Louisville, KY 40223. Gotcha Bocce is an indoor bocce ball game center and includes a restaurant called Angelina's Cafe, with an Italian style menu. The party will be held on Saturday, Oct. 6, 2007 immediately following the conclusion of events. Festivities will include a DJ, dancing, pizza, desserts, beverages and bocce playing and instruction.

The party is open to all competitors and their guests. Tickets are \$10 in advance or \$12 at the Registration Desk throughout the competition. All ticket sales are final and are on a first come, first serve basis. Pre-ordered tickets will be handed out at the Registration Desk.

Competitor Name _____ USFSA# _____
Phone # (home) _____ (cell) _____
Email (please print clearly) _____

Number of Tickets: _____ X \$10.00 = TOTAL DUE \$ _____

Names of Guests:

Deadline for postmark is no later than midnight, Sept, 1, 2007.

Send to: Louisville Skating Academy
c/o Rebecca Hatch-Purnell
2211 Homewood Drive
Louisville, KY 40223

Program Information Form 2008 Eastern Great Lakes Regional Championships

All program information must be submitted electronically to info@eglr2008.org. Please include the skater's name and "EGLR Program Information" in the subject line of the email. Please complete and return the bottom of this form as a back-up so we can verify your information online and may contact you if necessary.

Include in the email:

1. Skater's name
2. USFSA#
3. Skating club (spelled out)
4. Event level
5. Finish the sentence: "I skate because"
6. Optional: Please submit a high-resolution digital head and shoulders photograph against a plain light colored background. Please no plants, shadows, etc. TIFF or JPG file must include the skater's name.

Information received after Sept. 1, 2007 will not be included in the official program.

Program Information Form 2008 Eastern Great Lakes Regional Championships

Competitor Name _____ USFSA# _____
Phone # (home) _____ (cell) _____
Email (please print clearly) _____
Address _____
City _____ State _____ Zip _____

_____ Yes, I will submit my program information to info@eglr2008.org by Sept. 1, 2007.

Deadline for postmark is no later than midnight, Sept, 1, 2007.

Send to: Louisville Skating Academy
c/o Rebecca Hatch-Purnell
2211 Homewood Drive
Louisville, KY 40223

Program and Pin Order Form

2008 Eastern Great Lakes Regional Championships

Competitor Name _____ USFSA# _____
Phone # (home) _____ (cell) _____
Email (please print clearly) _____
Address _____
City _____ State _____ Zip _____

The advance price for a 2008 Eastern Great Lakes Regional Championships Official Program is \$10. Programs will be available for sale at the event for \$12 each. The advance price for the 2008 Eastern Great Lakes Regional Championships Trading Pin is \$5. Pins will be available at the event for \$6.

Please order carefully. LSA will not offer refunds or exchanges. All advance orders will be distributed at the Registration Desk. LSA will not mail programs and pins to competitors who do not pick up advance purchases.

Number of Official Programs: _____ X \$10.00 = TOTAL DUE \$ _____

Number of Trading Pins: _____ X \$5.00 = TOTAL DUE \$ _____

Grand Total for Programs and Pins: \$ _____

Deadline for postmark is no later than midnight, Sept, 1, 2007.

Send to: Louisville Skating Academy
c/o Rebecca Hatch-Purnell
2211 Homewood Drive
Louisville, KY 40223

Advertising Form

2008 Eastern Great Lakes Regional Championships

Contact Name _____
 Business Name _____
 Email (print clearly) _____ Phone _____
 Address _____
 City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Advertisements will be in black & white only. All advertisements must be forwarded on a CD or through email. Please send PDF files to info@egl2008.org.

PDF files must be received by Sept. 1, 2007 to be included in the official program. Please contact Robin LaChapelle at rachapelle@insightbb.com with questions about artwork.

Program: 8½ X 11
Deadline: Sept. 1, 2007

Ad Size	Ad Rate	Please check
Back Cover	\$400	_____
Inside Front Cover	\$300	_____
Inside Back Cover	\$300	_____
Full Page 7 3/8 x 9 1/2	\$200	_____
½ Page Vertical 9 1/2 x 3 5/8	\$150	_____
½ Page Horizontal 7 3/8 x 4 7/8	\$150	_____
¼ Page Vertical 3 5/8 x 4 5/8	\$100	_____
¼ Page Horizontal 7 3/8 x 2 3/8	\$100	_____
Business Card	\$50	_____
Personal Advertisement*	\$5	_____

***WISH YOUR SKATERS LUCK WITH A PERSONAL AD IN THE OFFICIAL PROGRAM!**
 Only \$5. Limit of 12 words.

SKATER: _____

MESSAGE: _____

Deadline for receipt of Form H and ad copy is no later than Midnight, September 1, 2007.

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Volunteer Form

2008 Eastern Great Lakes Regional Championships

A successful competition takes many enthusiastic and hard-working volunteers. Louisville Skating Academy appreciates help from all who would be willing to volunteer to make the 2008 Eastern Great Lakes Regional Championships a huge success. If you are interested in volunteering your time and talents, please fill out the following information and LSA will contact you. Thank you in advance!

Volunteer Name _____ Age (may approximate) _____
Phone # (home) _____ (cell) _____
Email (please print clearly) _____
Address _____
City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Please indicate area of interest:

- Registration Desk
- Practice Ice Desk
- Music and Announcing
- Hospitality
- Wherever

If you have a skater in the competition, indicate event: _____

Would you prefer to work a shift in the morning / afternoon / evening. Please circle.

Mail or e-mail Form G to:

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