

# Presents The 7<sub>th</sub> Annual Atlanta Ice Dance Weekend June 6-8, 2014 The Cooler, Alpharetta, Georgia

The Atlanta Figure Skating Club is pleased to host the 7<sub>th</sub> annual Ice Dance Weekend at The Alpharetta Family Skate Center, "The Cooler", in Alpharetta, Georgia. The weekend is designed to promote ice dancing, provide quality instruction, and *have fun*! Please plan to attend, we promise to treat you to some genuine "Southern Hospitality"! This year we will have **MODERN MUSIC** and **ALL AGES ARE WELCOME**!

# This year, the theme for Friday night will be the <u>Wizard of Oz</u>! Costumes encouraged but wear whatever is most comfortable.

- 10 hours of Ice Dance sessions on Friday, Saturday and Sunday.
- Friday's session will be followed by a Welcome Party with Dinner, held in the upstairs party room at the rink.
- Saturday's sessions will include an Ice Dance Clinic, instructed by Graham Payne. Lunch will be provided in the upstairs party room at the rink.
- Saturday night we will host our Dinner Dance in a beautiful party room at Pappadeaux Seafood Kitchen (adjacent to the rink). We will provide Dinner, Music and a Cash bar.

• Sunday's sessions will include a second Ice Dance Clinic by Graham Payne, followed by a Farewell Brunch/Lunch in the party room at the rink.

#### **ELIGIBILITY**

The ice dance weekend is open to all ice dancers and anyone who simply loves the sport. U.S. Figure Skating Membership is not required to participate.

### **INSTRUCTOR** - Graham Payne

Graham Payne is a former senior national and international ice dance competitor for Great Britain and a national and world competition coach. Graham has been coaching for over 30 years, and is the resident ice dance coach at The Cooler.

#### **ENTRIES/FEES**

The registration form and payment must be received by May 23, 2014. A \$15 late fee will be assessed for all entries received after this date. Skaters must return the signed liability waiver to participate. Refunds for withdrawals received after May 23, 2014 will be administered at the discretion of the Atlanta Figure Skating club event chair.

Entry forms also available on the Atlanta Figure Skating Club website: atlantafsc.org

#### **RULES**

The schedule is subject to change. In the event of low enrollment, the weekend may be revised or cancelled. Appropriate attire must be worn at all times.

#### **FACILITIES**

The Cooler is a privately-owned, dual ice surface, multi-sport facility located at 10800 Davis Drive in Alpharetta, GA., Home rink of the Atlanta Figure Skating Club.

# SCHEDULE

Friday:

7:00 - 9:30 pm Registration

7:00 - 9:30 pm Program Ice Dance Session

9:30 pm Welcome Mixer: Dinner served upstairs in the rink's party facility \*

Refreshments and light snacks provided 7:00 – 9:30 pm

Saturday:

1:00 - 2:30 pm Program Ice Dance Session

2:30 - 3:30 pm On Ice Clinic (low)

3:30 - 5:00 pm Program Ice Dance Session

7:00 -11:00 pm Dinner Dance: Dinner and Dancing in the beautiful party room at

Pappadeaux Seafood Kitchen (adjacent to the rink)

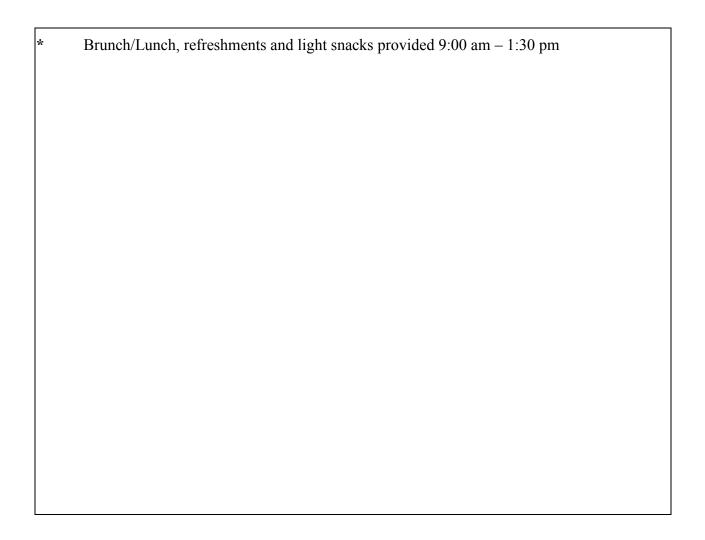
\* Lunch, refreshments and light snacks provided 1:00 - 5:00 pm

Sunday:

9:30 - 10:45 am Program Ice Dance Session

10:45 - 11:45 am On Ice Clinic (high)

11:45 - 1:00 pm Program Ice Dance Session



#### **TRAVEL**

#### Directions from the Atlanta airport to The Cooler and Host Hotel:

Follow signs for Hwy I-85 North toward Atlanta

Continue through the city on I-75/85 North to the 75/85 split

Keep LEFT to follow I-85 North to Ga-400 North/Greenville

Keep Right to take Exit 87, Ga-400 North Buckhead/Cumming (.50 toll) Continue on 400 North to Exit 8, Mansell Rd.

At the bottom of the exit ramp, turn Left onto Mansell Rd. Follow

Mansell for ¼ mile, to Davis Drive - Turn Right Follow Davis

Drive up the hill to the cul de sac.

On the right you will pass our Host Hotel, Homewood Suites.

Continue just past the hotel, The Cooler entrance is located at the top of the hill Look for the Cooler Mailbox on the left side of the cul de sac, 10800 Davis Drive.

## Rail Transport from the airport:

Atlanta's rail transportation system is located at the west entrance of the terminal complex, near other ground transportation services. MARTA trains arrive and depart from the airport

every eight minutes. The cost is \$2.50. Take the North/South line to the North Springs Terminal.

\*\*North Springs terminal is about 10 miles from the rink/hotel. Please contact Laurie Sanii, (laurie.sanii@gmail.com) for arrangements to be picked up.

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#### **ACCOMMODATIONS**

**Host Hotel:** Homewood Suites by Hilton, 10775 Davis Drive, Alpharetta, GA 30004. 770998-1622

# Please request the Atlanta FSC/Ice Dance Weekend rate of \$95. Group Code Atlanta Ice Dance Weekend

Amenities include: Suite style rooms with kitchen, living room and bedroom.

\*\*The hotel serves a free Hot Breakfast.

\*\*The hotel is within walking distance to the rink.

Other nearby accommodations: (within 1-2 miles of the rink)

- Wyngate by Wyndham: (off Mansell Rd)
   1005 Kingswood Place Alpharetta, GA 30004
   770-649-0955
- Hampton Inn (off Mansell Rd) 10740
   Westside Way,
   Alpharetta, Georgia, 30009
   770-640-5511

## **SHOPPING AND ENTERTAINMENT**

Just minutes from the rink/hotel is a large shopping area with Northpoint Mall, Two Movie Complexes, a Barnes and Noble Bookstore (complete with Starbucks), a variety of restaurants and other shops.

#### REGISTRATION FORM

(Due by 5/23/14 or late fee applied)

Name:	
Parent/Guardian (if under 18 years old):	
Address:	

Club:		
Gender: mal	le / female (circle one) Current test level:	
Favorite Dar	nce:	
Please select	from the following:	
	5 Full Weekend : Includes All Program Ice Dance Sessions, Clinics, Friday	
Night Welco	ome Party, Saturday Night Dinner Dance and Farewell Lunch	
\$120	Ice Only: All Program Ice Dance Sessions and Clinics	
\$50	Friday Program Ice Dance Session and Welcome Party Dinner	
\$75	Saturday Program Ice Dance Sessions, Clinic and Lunch	
\$55	Sunday Program Ice Dance Sessions, Clinic and Farewell Brunch/Lunch	
\$20	Friday Welcome Party Only	
\$15	Saturday Lunch Only	
\$50	Saturday Dinner Dance Only	
\$15	\$15 Sunday Farewell Brunch/Lunch Only	
\$15	Late Fee (after May 23, 2014)	
TOTAL REI	MITTANCE: PLEASE MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO: ATLANTA FIGURE SKATING CLUB	

Please mail the Registration Form and Skaters Release Form with your Payment to:

Laurie Sanii 847 Clairemont Ave. Decatur, GA 30030

Email: <u>laurie.sanii@gmail.com</u>

404-987-2123

Please email Laurie with any questions or concerns. Also please email Laurie if you plan to participate so we may plan accordingly. In order to effectively facilitate planning for the IDW, we ask that you sign up by our deadline date of May 23, 2014 and sooner if at all possible.

# **Skaters Release and Indemnity Agreement**

The skater and skater's family hereby release, waive, and covenant not to sue Alpharetta Family Skate Centers, LLC (The Cooler) and the Atlanta Figure Skating Club for all claims for personal injury and/or damage loss of property arising from or related to the Ice Dance Weekend. In consideration for acceptance of this application, we hereby agree to indemnify and hold harmless all personnel associated with this clinic to include Alpharetta Family Skate Centers, LLC (The Cooler), the Atlanta Figure Skating Club, Inc., directors, officers, volunteers, the Ice Dance weekend coaching staff, their agents, employees, representatives, and assigns for any and all suits, claims, and demands of any kind of personal injuries, property loses, damage, or accidents that I (we) may sustain while participating in this event. I (We) also intend that this waiver and release may apply to any relatives, personal representatives, heirs, next of kin, beneficiaries, or assigns who might pursue any legal action or claim for such liability, injury, loss, or damage.

I have read this RELEASE AND WAIVER OF LIABILITY, ASSUMPTION OF RISK, AND INDEMNITY AGREEMENT, understand that I have given up substantial rights by signing it and have signed it freely and without any inducement or assurance of any nature and intend it to be a complete and unconditional release of all liability to the greatest extent allowed by law and agree that if any portion of this agreement is held to be invalid, the balance, notwithstanding, shall continue in full force and effect. I (We) further give permission to the coaches, training staff, or other medical professionals to provide medical care as deemed necessary to me/my child in case of injury or illness.

Signature of Skater	Signature of Parent/Guardian (skater under age 18)
Date	Date