



June 9, 2009

Dear Current and Prospective Members:

Each year it is our pleasure to invite skaters to join in supporting Texas Gulf Coast Figure Skating Club. This year is no different. So many exciting things were experienced last year including our first ever Spring Show, "A Night at the Movies." We hope to keep the ball rolling with more successful events for the upcoming year! I hope you have found your membership in the Club more rewarding than ever. Your TGCFCSC Board looks forward to working toward many goals and getting to know both you and your athletes even better as we move forward.

Your TGCFCSC Board prides itself on its eagerness to hear from members and their families. Receiving your input is the only way we can successfully improve the Club and extend its reach. With that in mind, we are providing a contact listing for the 2009-10 Board members. Any of these people will be happy to accept your forms or you can leave forms, documents, and other information for the board in the Sugar Land Ice & Sports Proshop. Please ask a staff member for the Club book. If you do leave it in the book, please consider sending an e-mail to a Board member to let someone know it is there. We check the book frequently but it will help us to know that it is there.

Stay up to date with "**Club Happenings**" by frequently checking the bulletin boards in the SLISC lobby, the Club website (www.texasgulfcoastfsc.org), Club newsletters, and e-mail updates. These are the key ways we pass along important information and updates. If you are not on the e-mail subscription list, please visit the Club website to sign-up or fill out the e-mail sign-up request form that is included in this packet.

TGCFCSC 2009-2010 Board

POSITION	NAME	E-MAIL
President	Rene' Bloom*	president@texasgulfcoast.org
VP-Membership	Roger Davis*	membership@texasgulfcoastfsc.org
VP-Testing	Molly Gorny*	testing@texasgulfcoastfsc.org
Treasurer	Christy de la Mora*	treasurer@texasgulfcoastfsc.org
Secretary	Teresa Wilson*	secretary@texasgulfcoastfsc.org
Sanctions/Events	Jennifer Simon	sanctionevents@texasgulfcoastfsc.org
Hospitality	Pam Wichmann	hospitality@texasgulfcoastfsc.org
Club Ice Chair	Teresa Lau	clubice@texasgulfcoastfsc.org
Social Events	Lisa Operstany	socialevents@texasgulfcoastfsc.org
Member at Large	Margie Mims-Collins	

*Authorized to sign competition and test forms on behalf of the Club.

If you were a full member in the 2008-2009 season then you can complete the renewal form that is below. Please list any changes in your information – this is what gets filed with USFS. ALL first time members of Texas Gulf Coast FSC MUST COMPLETE THE FULL PACKET. We have tried to be comprehensive in order to make sure you are as informed as possible as to the business of your club. Please see the website to reference the forms you are renewing your signature for.

Once your membership information and payment are received, you will receive a welcome packet that will be sent to you via your skater or coach or at the TGCFCSC summer club general meeting and event.

Thank you for joining the Club and supporting its athletes and the sport of figure skating.

Have a great summer!!!

Rene' Bloom, President, Texas Gulf Coast FSC

Renewal Membership Application 2009-2010

Texas Gulf Coast Figure Skating Club (TGCFCSC)

Please print legibly or type. Application must be submitted with all fees and Club Ice information and all release forms. See reverse side for further information.

SKATER INFORMATION

Skater #1 Name		Date of birth	
Skater #2 Name		Date of birth	
Address – <i>if no changes since 2008-2009 Membership you may just state NO CHANGES</i>		City/State	Zip Code
Home Phone ()	Work Phone ()	Cell Phone ()	
Email	Anticipated year of graduation from high school: _____ United States Citizen? Yes ___ No ___		
Alternate E-mail		Coach(es):	
		Secondary Rink	Primary Rink
Please check roles: <input type="checkbox"/> Competitive Skater <input type="checkbox"/> Recreational Skater <input type="checkbox"/> Club Officer <input type="checkbox"/> Parent/Guardian <input type="checkbox"/> USFSA Official			
<input type="checkbox"/> Adult Skater <input type="checkbox"/> Synchronized Skater <input type="checkbox"/> Theater on Ice Skater <input type="checkbox"/> Collegiate Skater <input type="checkbox"/> Coach			
Name of Current US Figure Skating Home Club: Texas Gulf Coast FSC		US Figure Skating #	
Last USFSA Tests Passed: Moves in the Field		Free Skate	Dance Pairs Figures

PARENT/GUARDIAN AND ADVOCATE INFORMATION

If club member is a minor, designate an Advocate to represent their interests: *if no changes since 2008-2009 Membership you may just state NO CHANGES*

Mother/Guardian Name		E-Mail	Employer
Home Phone()	Work ()	Cell Phone ()	
Father/Guardian Name		E-Mail	Employer
Home Phone()	Work ()	Cell Phone ()	

Other Contact Numbers/E-mails:

MEMBERSHIP FEES

*Amounts below represent total annual fees for July 1, 2009 – June 30, 2010 membership year. Membership classes, fees and benefits detailed @www.texasgulfcoastfsc.org.

Annual Dues	Junior Full (Home Club)	4 Year Collegiate/ Single Year - High School/ Adult Testing Membership (Home Club)	Special Olympian & Friends of Figure Skating, Absentee, Affiliate, Out of Area (Home Club)	2nd Club Membership (Non-Home Club) No stipends	Bridging Basic Skills (Home Club)	Basic Skills (Home Club)	Synchro/ Theatre	Advocate, Skating Professional or Judge (Home Club)
First Family Member.....	\$200.00	\$125.00	\$45.00 - \$100.00	\$150.00	\$85.00	\$25.00	\$50.00	Zero - \$40
Additional Family Members....	\$140.00	\$100.00	\$45.00 - \$100.00	\$130.00	\$50.00	\$25.00	\$50.00	Zero - \$40

CANDIDATE/PARENT/GUARDIAN SIGNATURE

I agree to abide by the Constitution and Bylaws and Official Rules and Policies of the TGCFCSC and those of the US Figure Skating. I give permission to print my name, address, E-mail address and phone number in a Club Directory unless designated below. I agree to accept e-mails as my primary method of official communication from the Club unless designated below. I release TGCFCSC from any liability skating during Club Ice or any other Club functions.

Member/Parent Signature	Date
E-MAIL _____	E-MAIL _____
_____ I do not authorize my information to be published in a Club Directory. _____ I realize e-mail and TGCFCSC Bulletin board are primary methods of club communication	

Make Checks Payable to: Texas Gulf Coast FSC (TGCFCSC)	CLUB USE ONLY
Amount Enclosed \$ _____ Check Number _____ Paid Online Via PayPal: _____	MEMBERSHIP APPROVED? [] YES [] NO

Mail to: TGCFCSC Membership
P.O. Box 17273
Sugar Land, TX 77496-7273

Date Board Approved _____
USFS # _____

NO PRORATED AMOUNTS. Membership due 6-30-09

Signature of Membership Chair _____ Date _____

**Initial/Sign all areas below for TGCFSC
2009-2010 Membership Renewal**

All forms are available at www.texasgulfcoastfsc.org

TGCFSC Prospective Club Volunteer Information Sheet

I am available to volunteer to help the skaters in the following areas:

Please contact me at: _____

Name: _____

TEXAS GULF COAST FSC CLUB ICE RULES

I have printed for myself and am in receipt and aware of and will abide by the TGCFSC Club Ice Rules at all times. Skater Signature: _____

Parent Signature: _____

U.S. Figure Skating Parents Code of Conduct for Texas Gulf Coast FSC

I have printed for myself and am in receipt and aware of and will abide by the TGCFSC Parent Code of Conduct at all times.

Skater Signature: _____ Date: _____

Parent Signature: _____ Date: _____

TEXAS GULF COAST FSC Waiver and Release of Liability, Assumption of Risk and Indemnity Agreement

I have printed for myself and am in receipt and aware of and agree to the Assumption of Risk, Waiver and Liability and Indemnity Agreement that I signed last year for this membership year July 1, 2009 – June 30, 2010.

Parent Signature: _____ Date: _____

TEXAS GULF COAST FSC Parental Consent and Indemnification Agreement

I have printed for myself and am in receipt and aware of and agree to the Parental Consent and Indemnification Agreement that I signed last year for this membership year July 1, 2009 – June 30, 2010.

Parent Signature: _____ Date: _____

Consent for Medical Attention or Treatment

I certify that I, the member, or I, the parent/guardian of said participant, give my consent to the Texas Gulf Coast FSC and the facility the activities are taking place in and their staff and to members of the Texas Gulf Coast FSC, their Board of Directors and volunteers to obtain medical care from any licensed physician, hospital or clinic, including transportation and emergency medical services, for myself/ourselves and/or said participant for any injury that could arise from participation in these activities.

Parent Signature: _____ Date: _____

Emergency Contact Information:

Name: _____ Number: _____

Name: _____ Number: _____

(RETURN WITH REGISTRATION – DUE June 30th)

Texas Gulf Coast Figure Skating Club Photograph and Video Release 2009-2010 Membership Year

I, _____ (Parent's name), grant permission for my child,
_____, to be photographed and/or video taped while participating
in club activities as approved by TGCFSC Officers.

Initial each area below that you approve of regarding your child.

- _____ My child can be photographed during practice and competitions.
- _____ My child can be videotaped during practice and competitions.
- _____ My child can have his/her photograph displayed on the TGCFSC web page.
- _____ My child can have his/her photograph displayed in advertising material
for TGCFSC recruitment and sponsorship building officers.
- _____ TGCFSC may use video of my child performing in recruitment displays.
- _____ TGCFSC may use video of my child performing in sponsorship building
presentations.
- _____ TGCFSC may use any photographic or videotaped material of my child for
network or local television and print ads.

The name as I would like it to appear for my child in any promotional material:

___ First name only ___ First name and fist initial only ___ Full name

Any exceptions or exclusions to the above regarding my child:

Parent or Legal Guardian Signature

Date

Please invite me to the Texas Gulf Coast Membership site at this
e-mail: _____

e-mail: _____

You will then receive an e-mail that **you will have to click through for it to
begin.**

**The club's main source for information distribution is through group email
and the bulletin board at the rink.**

(RETURN WITH REGISTRATION – DUE June 30th, 2009)