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World-Wide Welcome

They came from far and wide — more than 2,600 skaters from six countries — to be part of the 25th Annual ISI World Recreational Team Championships, the largest ice skating competition ever held in the state of California. Four ice arenas co-hosted the massive event: Anaheim ICE, Glacial Garden-Lakewood, Paramount Iceland and Yorba Linda Ice Palace.

Festive opening ceremonies on Wednesday, July 27 at Anaheim ICE attracted record participation, with a huge parade featuring spirited teams, colorful banners, character mascots and antique cars. The plaza was transformed into fair grounds filled with street vendors, live music, dancing and many hundreds of happy, excited faces.

Special thanks to the ISI District 15 Local Organizing Committee members for their months of planning and preparation, and their extraordinary hospitality: Don Bartelson, chairman; Randy Winship, LOC coordinator; and John Saitta, Art Trottier, Karen Gibbons, Paula Jensen, Mike Peterson, Wendy Mortensen and Glenn Bushway.
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letters from our readers

Editor’s Note: Letters may be edited and/or condensed. Please see instructions (page 27) for getting your letter published and participating in the pen pal program.

I would like Alissa Wang to be my pen pal, or someone else who is not above my level, and 6-12 years old. My skating coach is Ms. Lisa Kowalshen. My favorite moves are the two-foot spin, half flip, waltz jump, spiral and keyhole. Can you give me some advice on how to do the one-foot spin? It is hard for me to get into the spin and I keep falling during all parts of the spin. Anyway, I am on a synchronized skating team called The Dazzlers. It is very fun but it’s also hard.

Elizabeth Brunell, 9, FS 2
Downers Grove Ice Arena
Downers Grove, Ill.

With a little practice, you will be a spinning top in no time. Go back to your two-foot spin and feel the feeling of being centered — shoulders level, hips square and the arms pull in at the same time. Think of holding a beach ball and then squeezing the air out of it. After you are awesome at these tips, return to the one-foot spin.

I have been skating for about five years. I love it. I go skating about two times a day for one to two hours and I go six days a week. I’ve almost perfected my double loop, and I’ve landed some double flips. I’ve done many competitions. I’ve also gone to North West Pacific Regionals once. I got fifth out of 10 other girls. I hope to go next year. I would like a pen pal who’s around my age and level.

Laura Woodman, 13, FS 6
Big Dipper Ice Arena
Fairbanks, Alaska

Skating is one of my favorite things to do. I go every Sunday and take lessons with Kathy Bird. I also like to swim and listen to music. My favorite skater is Michelle Kwan. I would love to have a pen pal who is my age and in my level — maybe Ashley Bohm. I am having trouble with my Salchow. Can you give me any tips to nail it?

Madeline Landin, 11, FS 1/2
Homicks Park Ice Rink
Scarsdale, N.Y.

I love figure skating! I also love your magazine and I can’t wait to get a pen pal. I have been skating for two years at the Rec-Plex. I have a really great coach named Andrei. My favorite spins are the one-foot spin and the back spin. My favorite jump is the Salchow. I am also a part of a synchro team called the Jade Blades and we have a lot of fun! I would like to request Molly Perry or Rosie Sedney for my pen pal; they are both close to my age and level. If I can’t get either of them, I would like someone close to my age in FS 1-4.

Kali Maus, 10, FS 3
St. Peters Rec-Plex
O’Fallon, Mo.

I have been skating for three years and am in FS 2/3. I love doing jumps; my favorites are the Salchow and toe loop. I’m on the synchronized skating team here at Roseville and I love it. I don’t compete individually but plan to soon. I want to say thanks to my coach, Lindsey. I’m hoping for a pen pal around my age and/or level. If I don’t care if it’s a boy or girl. I’m having trouble with my Salchow and loop jump. Could you help?

Michelle Nguyen, 13, FS 2/3
Roseville Skating Center
Roseville Minn.

Without knowing what your specific problem is with the flip and loop, my advice would be to have enough speed going into the jump, don’t rush the takeoff, have enough lift and check on the landing.

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Two hundred ice skaters from Pasadena Ice Skating Center of Pasadena, Calif. earned a combined 1,510 points to claim the ISI World Championships team trophy this year. Their 429 events were the most for a single team, followed closely by third-ranking Aliso Viejo Ice Palace, with 420 events. Host facility Anaheim ICE boasted the greatest number of participants, with 216, and took fourth place. Last year's champs, SM Mega Mall of the Philippines, had another tremendous showing and captured second-place honors with a remarkable 1,196 points earned by 67 skaters.

Ice skaters ranging in age from 3 to 73 and representing the full scope of skating levels traveled from all over the United States and from Mexico, Hong Kong, the Philippines, Taiwan and United Arab Emirates. They performed more than 220 hours worth of individual and team events over six action-packed days.

While the large team sizes and point totals are impressive, many facilities were represented by a single skater who reaped the same rewards as members of the large teams: new friendships, pin trading, the thrill of performing for spectators, and ISI's unique brand of recreational and competitive ice skating combined with fun and entertainment in sunny southern California. All in all, it was a complete package that will give thousands of ice skaters, families and coaches plenty to report when asked, “What did you do on your summer vacation?”

Turn the page to read more about the unforgettable 2005 Worlds experience.

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Top 25
ISI 2005 World Recreational Team Championships Results

For a complete listing of teams and results, check the ISI Web site: skateisi.org.

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What will you always remember about the 2005 ISI World Championships?

I will always remember our team spirit … The goal was not on placement or the medals, but on our personal bests and what we were able to accomplish and learn from this awesome experience.
—Julie Barrett

How nervous I was before the competition, and after skating I found out how much fun it really was. I will always remember that feeling of accomplishment, just knowing that I did it.
—Valerie Gardner

I will always remember that my grandma and grandpa flew to watch me compete in Worlds.
—Alyssa Pitts

I enjoyed skating with my teammates and then going to Disneyland with them, too.
—Brittany Gray

I will never forget meeting Sasha Cohen!
—Bailey Reeter

ISI Worlds was not simply a competition; it was a life experience for us and we thoroughly enjoyed it!
—The Zaragoza Family

I will remember meeting World silver medalist Sasha Cohen in person and being able to see her perform spectacular spirals and spins. I will also remember being part of the opening ceremonies and seeing skaters from all over the world.
—Pamela Langmaier

When we won first place [production number], I knew we had used all of our teamwork that night. And that is what I will never forget.
—Brittni Blanco

My favorite experience at Worlds was being able to see and skate in different kinds of rinks.
—Anne Marie Swann

I will always remember the expression on my daughter Kristin’s face when I told her that she placed first … With the enormity of the championships and all the people around us, we had a most special moment in time that will always be remembered.
—Chi Lee

What was your favorite experience at Worlds?

Getting a chance to compete with other kids from around the world.
—Isaac Serafin

Meeting other adults who love skating as much as I do. Ice skating isn’t just for kids!
—Shawnna Wishman

My favorite part was the pin trading because I got to talk to other skaters from all over and got to collect their pins.
—Mirelle Mallari

My favorite thing about this year’s ISI World Championships was when I won second place after I fell! I got up and kept going the way my coach always told me to … I learned to always try my best in everything I do.
—Jennifer Gasper
I met two new friends there, and one of my skating pen pals, so we had fun cheering for each other.

—Amanda Carradine

What is special about participating in an ISI event?

Getting all dressed up and being welcomed to participate.

—Sarah Reckinger

What is special about ISI is that you get to compete at your skill level and your age level. It makes it more fair for everyone, from the tots to the adult skaters.

—Lindsay Thomson

Participating in an ISI event is special because the ISI recognizes you as a skater and a competitor no matter how long [you’ve been skating] or how good you are at skating.

—Tricia Ngoon

What makes ISI special is you don’t have to qualify to participate in an event like this.

—Karen Kellerman

You can feel really important competing in an ISI event, and doing your very best.

—Jennifer Alfred

The volunteers and ISI officials at the different rinks are awesome. They are so kind and encouraging to all the skaters.

—Nicole Prusty

Everyone is a winner, no matter what.

—Carrie Collins

I love ISI events because they let you have fun!

—Toni Carbone

I am on a synchro team, so it was a great inspiration to watch the ladies’ teams perform.

—Kaitlyn Berg

Tell us about new friends you met at the event.

I loved to be there because I met a lot of people, and I talked to someone from the Philippines.

—Hoang-Vi Vu

I met a lot of people who really thought it was cool that I came from Alaska.

—Erin Serafin

Two of my friends came from Hong Kong. We traded pins and exchanged phone numbers and addresses.

—Megan Mahdi

I made friends with two girls my age and later found out that they skate at my hometown rink in Dallas!

—Claire Gilmore

I met so many nice skaters from all over … It was also very special to get to know my other teammates from TBSA in Clearwater. Until the Worlds competition, I had only seen them at other ISI events. Now I had time to spend with them, cheering them on in their events and eating dinners together.

—Jessica Riddle

Being able to perform in the same show as Sasha was my favorite experience, and landing my Axel in my program made me feel proud.

—April Melchor

The surprise event. I now know that I can do a 9-jump combination if I ever need to!

—Helen Wong

RECREATIONAL ICE SKATING, FALL 2005
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Sold-Out Benefit Show Raises $10,000 for Education Foundation

by Lori Fairchild

The ISI 2005 World Recreational Team Championships culminated in a sold-out Benefit on Ice show on July 29 at Anaheim ICE. Featured skating star Sasha Cohen wowed the crowd with her elegance and skill, and later graciously visited with hundreds of adoring, autograph-seeking skaters.

“The audience was fabulous — one of the most responsive I’ve ever seen,” said ISI’s Patti Feeney, who helped stage the show. “The crowd went wild, not just for Sasha but for every skater who took the ice.”

Worlds skaters of all ages and levels are invited to participate in the benefit show based on the quality and entertainment value of their performance during the weeklong championships. This year’s show offered a new opportunity to score a spot on the ice: the Skate with the Stars raffle. Some 500 tickets were sold to Worlds participants, and two names were drawn at the skaters’ party on July 27. The two lucky winners were Jordyn Jensen (Gamma) and Lauren Karlin (Freestyle 3), both, coincidentally, of the Chicago area. In addition to their exciting performances in front of some 850 cheering spectators, the girls were treated to a special backstage visit with Sasha Cohen, escorted by ISI Executive Director Peter Martell.

Among other benefit show highlights was a tribute to 25 years of ISI World Team Championships,
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featuring 13 Level 9 and 10 skaters who skated to a medley representing each of the cities that have hosted Worlds events.

“We will always remember the outstanding show featuring Sasha Cohen,” said Bob and Susan Evans, a husband and wife skating team from Florida. “What amazed us was how well all the children and adults did in the show. It was spectacular, and the wide range of ages and talents was wonderful. What a great show!”

Local TV stations KNBC and KCAL were on hand, obtaining feature coverage of Cohen and 8-year-old Kendall Hollinger of Lakewood, Calif., an ISI skater who participated in the benefit show. Little Kendall suffers from extensive life-endangering allergies, severe reflux and heart murmurs, and has undergone some 30 surgeries.

The Benefit on Ice is an annual Education Foundation event that raises scholarship funds for ISI members. Bethanne Beemis, one of this year’s scholarship recipients, was in attendance to accept her plaque and skate in the show. Also receiving scholarships this year, but unable to attend the event, were Patricia Satkiewicz and Megan Van Berkel.

The combination of admission and Skate with the Stars tickets netted more than $10,000 for the ISIA Education Foundation’s scholarship program.

The deadline for next spring’s scholarship applications is March 1. For more information and an application, visit www.skateisi.org and select “ISIA Education Foundation,” or call the ISI office at (972) 735-8800.

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And start planning your 2006 ISI competition schedule today.
Here's the information you've been waiting for!

Skaters have been eagerly awaiting more information on the lineup for the Ice Skating Institute’s 2006 events. This special section will give you everything you need to start planning your competition schedule for next year.

All ISI skating events give you a chance to compete against others with similar ability close to your age. and you'll receive rewards for your hard work regardless of your level.

ISI events are a good excuse for the whole family to get away – some families even plan their vacations around competitions.

One of the best things about competing at ISI events is that you meet skaters from all over who share your love of the sport. Many have made lifelong friends at ISI skating events. The competitions are held in different areas of the country each year, offering the opportunity to travel to exciting locations and hang out with your skating friends as you compete for the fun of it.

Read this section to find out about everything ISI has in store for you in '06. You’ll find event descriptions, locations, entry deadlines and registration forms along with Web sites to visit when planning your trip and suggestions for what to do in each city.

Choose your events and register today using the forms in the back of the booklet. Be sure to sign up right away so you can get busy practicing your routine – make 2006 your best competition year ever!

Be sure to watch www.skateisi.org as the event draws closer for more details on special hotel rates, event schedules and more!
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You won't want to miss the first national event of the '06 skating season. Anyone who's been to Winter Classic knows the fun is non-stop! Each year more participants agree this is the hottest winter event in recreational ice skating.

It's an extravaganza where music, talent and sportsmanship come together to create one of the most electrifying events of the skating season. The best part is it gives you a chance to show off your talent to skating fans from across the country.

While you're there you can visit Detroit's historical automotive industry attractions, wander through the city's famous museums and check out lively entertainment at an endless list of events.

Sign up for Winter Classic today and get ready to heat up the ice while you enjoy the city that revolutionized the world with cars and music!

ISI Winter Classic

Melvindale, Mich.
March 3-5, 2006
Melvindale Civic Arena
Entry Deadline: Dec. 1

For more information on what to do in Detroit visit these Web sites:

www.visitdetroit.com
www.detroit.about.com
www.detroit.citysearch.com
Form a line for Chicago!

Don’t miss ISI’s Synchronized Skating Championships — it’s the exclusive national event dedicated to recreational synchronized skating. Synchronized Championship teams from around the country are already lining up to show off their moves!

The event will be held at The Edge Ice Arena in Bensenville. Three premier skating surfaces complete with seamless glass seating for 2,500 fans and luxury skyboxes make The Edge Ice Arena one of the largest and most impressive ice-skating facilities in the country. When your team competes at Synchronized ’06 you’ll skate in a facility that has all the amenities to host an outstanding event.

Consider visiting neighboring Chicago for some fun. With attractions and activities galore, Chicago is everyone’s kind of town. You can see the sights and then catch a show in the theater district or a Cubs game at historic Wrigley Field. There are blues and jazz hangouts, and for you culture hounds, the city’s full of great museums. Families will find plenty to do at Navy Pier and Lincoln Park Zoo. Or spend your off time strolling through Hyde Park or shopping along the Magnificent Mile.

The line for Synchronized Championships and Chicago fun starts here! Make sure your team is registered for the largest synchronized event of the season.

ISI Synchronized Skating Championships

Bensenville, Ill.
April 7-9, 2006
The Edge Ice Arena
Entry Deadline: Feb. 1

For tourist information:
www.chicagotraveler.com
www.choosechicago.com
www.bensenville.il.us
The skaters are coming! The skaters are coming!

When Paul Revere warned the citizens of Boston that the British were coming in 1775, he had no idea that a couple of centuries later ISI skaters would also invade Boston!

ISI teams are already making plans to go to Boston and compete in the crowning event of the ’06 recreational ice skating season. Past participants will tell you there’s nothing more exhilarating than stepping onto the ice at Worlds. Your heart’s racing, the adrenaline is pumping and suddenly you realize this is the moment you’ve been waiting for since you strapped on your first pair of skates.

All the hard work – the hours of practice, the competitions, your dedication to the sport – have led up to this thrilling moment. You’re competing at the World Championships, and now it’s your moment to shine!

This dynamic energy is evident throughout the entire event, from the opening ceremony and special clinics to the ISIA Education Foundation’s Benefit on Ice and competitor’s party. Everyone will agree: Worlds is the most exciting event of the year!

And this year Worlds is in yet another fun location. Plan a short drive from Marlborough into Boston and discover that it’s famous for everything from Paul Revere and the Red Sox to “Cheers” and clam chowder. Whether your idea of a great vacation includes enjoying famous American landmarks, distinctive architecture, fabulous restaurants or sensational shopping, Boston offers attractions to suit your style.

In fact, Boston is family-friendly to the core, with a renowned aquarium, children’s museum, science museum and many other attractions. That makes Worlds the perfect summer vacation for your entire family.

Be sure you go down in history as part of the group of skaters that invaded Boston and experienced the thrill of Worlds in 2006!

For tourist information
www.bostonusa.com
www.cityofboston.gov/visitors
www.marborough.com

ISI World Recreational Team Championships
Marlborough, Mass.
July 24-30, 2006
New England Sports Center
Entry Deadline: May 1

Boston 2006
Adults scoot your boots over to Nashville!

Wherever you see a group of adult figure skaters you’re sure to find mega doses of excitement, laughter and entertainment. Join the group at Adult Champs in Nashville and you’re in for a whole year’s worth of FUN, FUN, FUN – on and off the ice!

Adults ’06 will give you the chance to scoot your skating boots across the ice at the Centennial Sportsplex, central Tennessee’s historic ice rink. The Centennial is the ultimate fitness complex, with two sheets of ice surrounded by an aquatic center, tennis center and fitness facility.

Don’t forget to pack your western boots in with your skates – after all, country music is the lifeblood of Nashville. You can explore musical attractions like the Grand Old Opry, the Ryman Auditorium and the Country Music Hall of Fame. There are plenty of other attractions too, from legendary musical venues to art museums, natural beauty to plantation homes and historic sites to professional sports.

Adult Champs also gives you a unique way to mix and mingle with outstanding skaters from all over while you get your party on. You’ll have the time of your life, because in Nashville skaters aren’t the only stars that’ll be out at night. Where else can you step into a honky tonk, look around and see famous faces? Sometimes the stars will even give an impromptu performance!

And the honky tons aren’t the only place to go to hear great music and hang out. There are also small dives tucked away throughout the city where the legends of Nashville go to make music. In addition to country establishments like the famous Wild Horse Saloon, the Nashville scene also boasts blues, jazz and other trendy clubs.

Day or night – regardless of your taste in entertainment – Nashville promises a memorable time for Adults ’06 participants! What are you waiting for? Shine your boots, perfect your program and sign up for Adults ’06 today!

For tourist information:
www.nashvillecvb.com
www.nashville.citysearch.com
www.blueshoenashville.com
www.nashvillecitypaper.com

Nashville, Tenn.
Sept. 15-17, 2006
Centennial Sportsplex
Entry Deadline: Aug. 1
Join us for the second annual Artistic Challenge—the only national event that gives you the chance to showcase your flair for the dramatic side of skating. Artistic Challenge features themed spotlight, couples interpretive, rhythmic skating and ensemble events, to name just a few.

There’s no better place than Denver for Artistic Challenge ’06. Located at the base of the Rocky Mountains, Denver artfully combines cosmopolitan attractions with nature to give us one of America’s most beautiful cities. And one of the most fun!

The bustling city is centered on a mile-long promenade lined with outdoor cafes and flower baskets. As you stroll down the promenade you’ll be delighted by the mountain views and all the choices in entertainment and shopping. From the Denver Art Museum, where you’ll see one of the finest collections of American Indian art in the world, to the Denver Zoo, Downtown Aquarium and endless outdoor activities. Denver has something for everyone.

Start making plans now so you can show the world how creative you are in Denver at Artistic Challenge!

For tourist information:
www.denver.org
www.helldenver.com
www.denver.citysearch.com
www.milehighcity.com

ISI Artistic Challenge
Denver, Colo.
November 3-5, 2006
South Suburban Ice Arena
Entry Deadline: September 1
2006 ISI Events Team Entry Form

Send entry and fee to: Ice Skating Institute - 17120 N. Dallas Pkwy, Ste 140 - Dallas, Texas 75248 * Tel: 972.735.8800 * Fax: 972.735.8815

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ISI Team Registration No.

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Coach's Name

Coach's Address (Street, City, State, Zip)

Coach's Professional ISI No.

Coach's Certification Level

Coach's E-mail

We wish to enter: (Important: Use one (1) team entry form per team per event. Please send team photo with entry.)

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- Synchronized Skating Compulsories
- Synchronized Formation Team
- Synchronized Skating Team
- Synchronized Dance

Age Category (select one)
- Junior Youth
- Senior Youth
- Youth
- Teen
- Adult

- Low (Pre-Alpha-Delta)
- Med (Freestyle 1-3)
- Int (Freestyle 4-5)
- High (Freestyle 6-10)
- Freestyle Synchronies: Level*
- Jump & Spin 2-Person Teams

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Team Entry Fees

Synchro Champs: $20 per person plus $45 team entry fee
WC, Worlds. Adults: $20 per person ($640 maximum per team)

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Telephone Number (Required)

E-mail Address

Coach's Signature

Be sure to sign here!

There will be no refunds. Memberships must be current through event. Expired membership renewals must accompany this entry application.

Upon entering this competition, we hereby agree that any photographs or video tapes taken of our team by ISI or authorized party may be used exclusively for any purpose by the ISI or any other use authorized by ISI.

I declare that the information above is true and that all skaters have current individual memberships with ISI. I have notified all team members that they skate at their own risk, and hereby release ISI, the host facilities and their officers, directors, officials and personnel from all liability.

Coach's Signature
# 2006 ISI Events Individual Entry Form

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Be sure to check the box next to the event you're entering!

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Individual Events

**Pre-Alpha - Delta**

- [ ] Pre-Alpha - Delta Program
- [ ] Stroking
- [ ] Spotlight (choose 1)
  - Character
  - Dramatic
  - Light Entertainment

**Freestyle 1-10**

- [ ] Freestyle 1-10 Program
- [ ] Footwork
- [ ] Interpretive (Adults & Works only)
- [ ] Solo Compositions
- [ ] Artistic
- [ ] Spotlight (choose 1)
  - Character
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**Solo Dance (1-10)**

- [ ] Figures
- [ ] Creative Figures
- [ ] Free Figures

**Figures (1-10)**

- [ ] Indicate Level (1-10)

Please check 1:

Are you an active USFS member who has competed at or above the Novice level at any USFS National Championship within the last two years?

- [ ] Yes
- [ ] No

Partner Entries

**Couple**

- [ ] Level
- [Sim] [Mix]

**Dance**

- [ ] Level

**Pair**

- [ ] Level

**Free Dance (1-10)**

- [ ] Level

**Spotlight Low**

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**Spotlight High**

- [ ] Level

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Fees and Payment (all amounts are US dollars)

- First event: $65.00
- Each additional: $20.00
- Family Entry: $108.00

Entry fees doubled after entry deadline!

NOTE: Entries must be current through the event. Membership renewals may accompany this entry form. All test and membership must be registered with the ISI Headquarters.

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Skater Signature Date

Parent/Guardian (if applicable) Date

I declare that the information above is true, that this skater's test(s) are registered, that the skater is a current individual member of the ISI, and is skating in the proper categories and levels, and that the home rink listed above is correct.

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## Competitions

### September

10-11 Valencia, Calif.
- Ice Station Valencia
- District 13 Championships

16-18 Arlington, Texas
- ICE at The Parks
- 2nd Annual ISI Open Competition

16-18 Las Vegas
- SoBe Ice Arena at Fiesta Rancho
- ISI Adult Championships

23-24 Westminster, Calif.
- Westminster Ice Arena
- ISI Open Competition

25 University Park, Pa.
- Penn State Ice Rink
- Abby Yeagley
- Memorial ISI Competition

30- Ice Sports Forum
- 2005 Fall Team Challenge

30- Houston
- Polar Ice Galleria
- 20th Annual Gulf Coast Open
- Team Competition

### October

1-2 Aliso Viejo, Calif.
- Aliso Viejo Ice Palace
- Annual ISI Open

7-8 Clearwater, Fla.
- Tampa Bay Skating Academy
- TBSA Fall Competition

7-8 Springdale, Ark.
- Arkansas Figure Skating Association
- Ozark Invitational 2005

22 Simi Valley, Calif.
- Easy Street Arena
- 3rd Annual ISI Open Competition

29-30 Rockland, Mass.
- Winterland Skating School
- 19th Annual Halloween Classic

### November

3-6 San Francisco
- Yerba Buena Ice Skating Center
- Skate SF 2005
- ISI Technical

4-6 Orlando, Fla.
- RDV Sportsplex
- Ice Den
- NEW ISI Artistic Challenge

4-6 Alpharetta, Ga.
- The Cooler
- 7th Annual ISI Invitational

6 Anaheim, Calif.
- Orange County Ice Center
- 5th Annual Synchronized Team Championships

11-13 Northbrook, Ill.
- Northbrook Sports Center
- Winter Open Team Competition

13 Anaheim, Calif.
- Glacial Garden
- Skating Arena
- 2005 ISI Open Competition

20 Dallas
- Galleria Ice
- Skating Center
- Galleria Holiday Audition Competition

### December

3-4 Fort Myers, Fla.
- Fort Myers Skating Club
- 5th Annual ISI City of Palms Invitational

### March

3-4 Springdale, Ark.
- Arkansas Figure Skating Association
- A Swingin Christmas

6-10 Knoxville, Tenn.
- Ice Chalet
- Nutcracker on Ice

9-10 San Francisco
- Yerba Buena Ice Skating Center
- Holidaze Ice Show

9-11 Evanston, Ill.
- Robert Crown Center
- 31st Annual Nutcracker on Ice

### April

4 Columbus, Ohio
- CoreComm Ice Haus
- Arnold Classic Skating Competition

30- April 2
- Knoxville, Tenn.
- Ice Chalet
- 37th Annual Mississippi Valley District Competition

### July

24-30 Marlboro, Mass.
- New England Sports Center
- 2006 ISI Synchronized Skating Championships

### May

17-21 Glenview, Ill.
- Glenview Ice Center
- 33rd Annual Ice Show

### June

31- Boston
- Seaport Hotel/World Trade Center
- 2006 iACT/NEISMA Conference & Tradeshow
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Championships

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Figure skating is my favorite sport. I have been skating since I was 10, and I love skating so much that on my computer I have ice skates for smiles. Recently my coach, Rachael Razor, and I have been working on my Freestyle 5 program. It is cool because I skate to “West Side Story.” I am now working on Freestyle 6 and some things in 7. Right now I’m working on my walleyes and I want to know, how can you take off on an outside edge? I can land it on an outside edge, but insides I have trouble with! Anyway, I would love to be pen pals with a girl that is my age and is in the same level as me!

Shelby Bray, 11, FS 5/6
Mike Modano Ice Arena
Westland, Mich.

I love the music from “West Side Story” — bet your program is awesome! The walleyes in sequence can be difficult, but my suggestion is to try getting on a deeper/longer back inside edge with more speed. This just might help that take-off dilemma.

Shelby Bray, 11, FS 5/6
Mike Modano Ice Arena
Westland, Mich.

Landing that Axel sounds like it is to the point where it is mind over matter. Believe you can. See yourself landing the jump. It WILL happen. The back scratch is a stickler! Go back to your change-foot spin in FS 3 for working on the balance issue. Another option is an off-ice spinning device, which many have found helpful.

Alyssa Jacobsen, 14, FS 5
Inwood Ice Arena
Minooka, Ill.

I have been skating since I was 4. I’m in Freestyle 5. I also do synchronized skating. I am taking a break from skating, but only for the summer. I also do lacrosse. I am looking for a pen pal. I would like to have Rebecca Lillis or Breanne Bellao. We have a lot in common! If not them, then I would like someone in my age or level!

Kristen Oseback, 12, FS 5
Saratoga Springs Ice Arenas
Saratoga Springs, N.Y.

I have been skating for just over two years. I love skating. I also love to read your magazine. I want to say thanks to my coach, Lisa Martin; she has been skating with me since my first level. Also I want to thank Ashley Mandapat; she was my sixth-grade reading buddy when I was in second grade, and she inspired me to skate. Ashley is a skater; she has made the newspaper a couple times. I would like to be Emily Mayer’s pen pal or anyone else close to my age and level.

Miranda Erhardt, 12, FS 4
Sprinker Recreation Center
Puyallup, Wash.
much as me! I have been working so hard over the past month to meet my goals. I have a question: At my rink we have tryouts for solos and we need to make up a program by ourselves to show our creative side. My only problem is that the music I get is never even close to what I would pick. How can I make up a great program when I can’t get the feel of the music?

Alyssa Bergermann, 13, FS 5/6
Mike Modano Ice Arena
Garden City, Mich.

What a fun way to have tryouts — right up my alley! If you get time to create this routine and you don’t have to do it on the spot, my thought is to take some time, listen to the music with your eyes closed and imagine yourself gliding across the ice to it. It will come to you, trust me.

I have been skating since the age of 3, but only seriously training for about two years. I love skating and it is practically my life. I skate every weekday morning except Mondays. I’m having trouble landing my Lutz and I was wondering if I could have some suggestions on how to land it. I have been reading The Write Stuff column forever and I have never found anyone like me. I would love a pen pal around my same age and level.

Elizabeth Brennan, 12, FS 5
Pickwick Ice Arena
Glendale, Calif.

Make sure that you are on a TRUE back outside edge and get high enough to do the full revolution, then STICK the landing.

I’m in Freestyle 5 and have learned some skills from 6 and 7, but haven’t landed my Axel yet. I’ve asked all kinds of people for help, but it doesn’t seem to work for me. I’m working really hard on it and hope to get it soon. My sisters skate, too. It helps sometimes to have some healthy competition to make you work harder! They can be tough to keep up with! I would love to be pen pals with Rebecca Lillis or/and Breanne Beallo.

Rachel Clark, FS 5
Fairfax Ice Arena
Fairfax, Va.

I LOVE skating! When I was 2, I started ballet, then after a few years I transferred to gymnastics and now I’m a figure skater! I like it best of all and I’d love to have a pen pal who loves it, too, especially Alexa Harris, Marissa Dittkowsky or Erin Jansen. I have been skating for three years. I just can’t land my Axel! I’m working hard at it and skate five days a week. My coaches are Nikki Carpetella, Olga Hunter, Nick Perna, Ross Lansel and Chris Conte. They’re awesome!

Hannah Clark, 11, FS 5/6
Fairfax Ice Arena
Fairfax, Va.

Rachel and Hannah: Your coaches need to get you on a jump harness so you get the feeling on the Axel. Don’t be frustrated, because there are MANY who struggle to get the Axel jump, but once they do, WATCH OUT!

I would like to ask for Natalia Socarras, Augustina Webster and/or Lauren NuDelman to be my pen pals. On the ice, I enjoy spinning and spirals. I also like science, specifically forensic and chemistry.

Sapphire Feltner, 11, FS 3
The IKON Center Ice Arena
Cheyenne, Wyo.

I have been skating for five years. I have been working on my double flip and have a consistent Axel along with a double loop and a Salchow. My spins are excellent, but I’m having trouble with my Biellmann. I would like a pen pal my level to help with my Biellmann. I love your magazine.

Sarah A. Peck, 15, FS 5/6
Fox Valley Ice Arena
Wheaton, Ill.

I love ice skating! I started at age 9 and have been skating for two years. I’m in Delta, hopefully going to Freestyle 1 soon. I also do another full committed sport, which is cheerleading. I really like both of them and they are a lot of fun, but I have been a skater longer so I have to say that figure skating probably has to be my favorite. I am looking for a pen pal my age or my level.

Lauren Harper, 11, Delta
Planet Ice
Johnstown, Pa.

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