

NEW MEMBERS

Rachel Beaumont, Bella Buchanan, Balram, Mannat & Saveyra Dhillon, Hannah Elzenaar, Neve Gerraty, Tatum Gillespie, Lola Grecco Arribas, Annabel (Annie) Horton, Michelle Knight, Dyuti Reddy Kodari, Chloe Lieu-Li, Anastasia (Anais) Maragkou, Charlie McGuiness, Serena McMillan, Fiona, Scarlett & Scott Morton, Paige Ricketts, Avni Saboo, Sorsha Scott-Donelan, Jasmin Singh, Isla Williams, Grace Withers - we extend a very warm welcome to you all and are sure you will enjoy skating at our Club. Please ask any of our Members if you require help or advice.

<u>MEDAL TEST PASSES</u> – Congratulations to the following skaters who were successful in passing their medal tests on 16th & 23rd March 2021:

Figures Test 1:Ella Fairbrother, Elisa Lamb, Kylie PrinceFreeskating Test 1:Tayla Dickson, Eva Lamb, Frank LambSolo Dance Test 1:Tayla Dickson, Eva Lamb, Jacinta Prince



Congratulations to Our Patch Class Skater of the Month for March 2021

> Awarded to Amelia Chen



PATCH PASSES

Congratulations to the following skaters who have recently attained their Patch Passes -

<u>Patch 1</u>: Alexie Miller, Alexis Brickell, Allysha Swan, Alyssa Skelly, Elizabeth Lynch <u>Patch 2</u>: Holly Corlett, Isabelle Baker, Joelene Noble, Katarina Taiapa, Tyrah Enoka-Nathan



DISCO ROSTERS AND YOUR HELP

Saturday Disco events are an important part of our fundraising and help us with the day to day running costs of the rink – we greatly appreciate your support with these. If you are unable to do your duty on the day you are rostered, please swap with someone else to another day. The current roster covers through to early June 2021 and can be found by clicking on the link in the email you received. It is important everyone has access to our website, so if you have trouble locating this roster, please contact our President or Secretary whose contact details are listed at the end of this newsletter.

UPPER HUTT OPEN COMPETITION 18th – 20th March 2021

Our Upper Hutt Open Competition was a great success with skaters joining us from Blenheim, Hastings, Manawatu, Tauranga and Whanganui, Clubs. The attendance of these skaters made the event most enjoyable for all. A big thanks to all who competed and supported the skaters as well as to those who helped arrange it and acted as officials on the day. A special thanks to our out-of-town official Hayley Austin for her time and effort – we are truly grateful. Open Day full results are at the end of this newsletter.



Congratulations to Artemis Percy-Boulcott (pictured at left) who is the 2021 winner of the Ian Mackie Memorial Plate for the most artistic performance by an Upper Hutt Club member, decided by a judge who is not an UHRSC member.

We also congratulate Jacinta Prince (pictured at right) who is the 2021 winner of the Scorers' Choice Cup for exceptional performance.



JIM TAYLOR WEST/EAST COMBINED REGIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP 10th - 11th April 2021

Entries Closed This Championship is being held at Upper Hutt Rink this year. It is a wonderful opportunity for the skaters to try out their routines, in front of the judges and on our own floor, before the Area Championships at the end of the month. There are many skaters from other clubs attending and it will be great fun.

UH COSSIE CLUB QUIZ NIGHT – Friday 16th April 2021 at 7.00pm

As you all know, due to Covid restrictions, we had to postpone Quiz Night. We are very pleased to advise we have booked a new night with the Cossie Club of Friday 16 April. For those who have already purchased tickets, new ones will be issued. We understand that this may not be a suitable alternative for some, so if you require a refund, please contact the person you purchased your ticket from so this can be arranged. If you still wish to come to Quiz Night, we would love to see you for an evening of fun and amazing raffles. Your ticket can be exchanged through the person you originally purchased it from.

Thank you for your patience with this, as well as your on-going support.



ADULTS NIGHT DISCO – 17 April 2021

We have listened to those who attended our first Adults' Night Disco in February!!

What did they ask?

"Please can we have these discos more often?"

We have actioned their request and look forward to another busy disco on the 17th April 2021.



2021 UPPER HUTT TEAM MANAGERS

Each year Team Managers are appointed to represent us all at the East / West Central Regional, Areas and NZ Championships. The Managers attend the Team Managers' Meeting to receive any cancellations, our programmes etc. If you have any queries or concerns throughout the Championships, these must be relayed through the Team Managers i.e. they are the only people who may approach the Officials.

This year our Team Managers are Liz Edwards (021 394 246) and Janine Price (021 268 8168). Would all skaters and parents please ensure the Team Managers have your current phone numbers in case they need to contact you urgently e.g for a change of programme timing. Likewise, you need to contact them if for any reason you have a holdup in getting to the rink e.g a traffic delay.

CENTRAL AREA CHAMPIONSHIPS - 30th April to 2nd May 2021 Entries Closed

This is the competition where skaters are qualifying for the NZ Championships in July. The following are very important reminders to attend to urgently if you have not already done so.

- Content Sheets are to be emailed directly to brucecrosby50@gmail.com by 5pm on 3 April;
- Music in MP3 format is to be emailed to <u>nzartisticmusic@gmail.com</u> by 5pm on 3 April as well. Please ensure the file is labelled correctly. Information for labelling the file can be found <u>here</u>;
- Dispensation forms are available here;
- Central Areas information can be located <u>here;</u>
- NZ Championships entry forms will also be handed in over that weekend. This is a big job, therefore, to support this, please ensure you see our Team Managers, Liz Edwards or Janine Price, to sign these during the weekend.





CENTRAL AREA CHAMPIONSHIPS

ADVERTISING / SPONSORSHIP



In our championship programmes, you often see business advertisements. This year there is an opportunity for event sponsorship as well. Please read on and consider whether there is someone you'd like to sponsor and/or whether you know of a business which would like to do some advertising.

For the Central Area Championships 2021, on 30th April/1st/2nd May, at Arena 3, Palmerston North, we are offering a chance to place an advertisement and/or sponsor an event in the program. We will ensure the announcer mentions the advertisers throughout the competition and the sponsor of an event will be mentioned at the start and end of the event. We expect to have at least 100 programs printed.

- Cost for a $\frac{1}{3}$ (one third) page advertisement is \$20.00 in black and white only.
- Cost to sponsor an event is \$20.00 (single or combined event).

Event sample: Charlene Crosby Youth Ladies Figures Michelle Crosby Youth Ladies Freeskating

Closing date for advertisements and sponsorship is Sunday 11th April 2021, 5:00 pm.

Please send an advertisement or sponsorship with your name and event to -Bruce Crosby <u>brucecrosby50@gmail.com</u>

Payment is made to:

West Central Region Internet or direct debited to TSB Bank 15-3950-0229267-00. Please tag with the firm/sponsor name. A receipt will be issued if requested. No cheques can be accepted.

DISNEY NIGHT DISCO - 8th May 2021



LOWER MEDAL TESTS AT UPPER HUTT - 15th & 16th May 2021

Unfortunately, the lower medal tests which we had planned to have at the end of March have had to be deferred until May because our date clashed with the Officials' Seminar. Please watch for the entry forms for these May tests which will be on the noticeboard very soon.

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING - 25th May 2021

The Club AGM will be held at the rink on Tuesday May 25th from 6.30pm - 7.30pm. All members are invited to attend this meeting. There is no coaching or training allowed during this time as the meeting is a club meeting for ALL members. At this time a new committee will be elected including President, Vice-President, Secretary, Treasurer and elected members. More information will be in the next newsletter. At this stage, please mark this date in your diary.

HIGHER MEDAL TESTS AT UPPER HUTT – 16th & 17th October 2021 TBC

Depending on the availability of the judges, we are hoping to have these on this weekend and will confirm the dates as soon as possible.

RESULTS – 2021 UPPER HUTT OPEN DAY

DANCE: Advanced: 1st Amber Clifton; **Beginners 2:** 1st Jacinta Prince; **Espoir:** 1st Sienna Hare; **Minis:** 1st Kelcie Spragg, 2nd Lileyah Spragg, 3rd Emmerson Healey-Fairbrother; **Novice 1:** 1st Eva Lamb, 3rd Tayla Dickson 4th Iris Percy-Boulcott; **Preliminary Compulsory:** 1st Felicity Nicol, 3rd Kaylah Payne, 4th Rose Russell, 5th Caitlin Munn; **Preliminary Freedance:** 2nd Amber Clifton, 5th Caitlin Munn, 6th Deanna Gotlieb, 7th Felicity Nicol 9th Rose Russell, 10th Kaylah Payne; **Senior Solo Dance:** 3rd Victoria Edwards, 4th Natasha Boulcott, 5th Josie Durney;

FIGURES: Adult Beginners: Joelene Noble; Adult Ladies: 1st Elisa Lamb; Adult Men: 1st Grant Noble; Beginners 1: 1st Brooke Noble; Beginners 2: 1st Flynn Noble; Junior: 1st Katie Hawley; Novice 1 Ladies: 1st Sophia Heagren, 2nd Emmerson Healey-Fairbrother, 3rd Tayla Dickson, 4th Iris Percy-Boulcott, 5th Catherine Chivers; Novice 1 Men: 1st Frank Lamb; Minis: 1st Lileyah Spragg, 2nd Kelcie Spragg; Novice 2: 1st Caitlin Munn, 4th Jacinta Prince, 5th Eva Lamb, 6th Aeva Beattie; Preliminary: 2nd Felicity Nicol, 5th Rose Russell, 6th Kaylah Payne; Senior: 2nd Victoria Edwards, 3rd Mitsuko Nam; Youth: 1st Jessie Pitiroi, 3rd Aria Coleman.

FREESKATING: Adult Beginners: 1st Joelene Noble; Advanced: 3rd Mitsuko Nam; Beginners 1: 1st Brooke Noble; Beginners 2: 1st Flynn Noble; Espoir: 5th Sienna Hare; Junior: 1st Katie Hawley; Minis: 1st Kelcie Spragg, 2rd Lileyah Spragg, 3rd Eva Lamb; Minis AWD: 1st Artemis Percy-Boulcott; Novice 1: 1st Sophia Heagren, 2nd Tayla Dickson; Novice 2: 1st Jacinta Prince, 3rd Liberté Bretherton; Preliminary: 1st Deanna Gotlieb, 3rd Felicity Nicol, 5th Olivia Cox, 6th Aria Coleman; Senior: 1st Emma Patrick; Tots Ladies: 1st Iris Percy-Boulcott; Tots Mens: 1st Frank Lamb; Youth: 1st Jessie Pitiroi.

LARGE SHOW GROUP: 1st Revolution.

LOOPS: Advanced: 1st Jessie Pitiroi, 2nd Katie Hawley; **Preliminary Ladies** 2nd Aria Coleman, 5th Kaylah Payne, 7th Felicity Nicol

PRECISION: Mini: 1st Upper Hutt Rollers.

QUARTETS: Junior: 1st Dreamskate.

SPECIAL AWARDS:

Ian Mackie Memorial Plate – for the most Artistic performance of a Freeskating or Freedance programme by an UHRSC skater, decided by a judge who is not an UHRSC member: Artemis Percy-Boulcott for her Minis Freeskating AWD.

Scorers' Choice – selected by a Scorer for an exceptional performance by an UH Skater: Jacinta Prince for her Novice 2 Freeskating.

RESULTS – 2021 COLLEGE SPORT WELLINGTON



The following skaters will be awarded a College Sport Wellington medal for their first place in an event held in conjunction with our Open Day.

These medals will be sent to each of the skater's schools for presentation at a special event there.

Advanced Solo Dance: Preliminary Solo Dance: Preliminary Solo Freedance Junior Figures Novice 2 Figures Preliminary Figures Youth Figures Junior Freeskating Novice 2 Freeskating Preliminary Freeskating Youth Freeskating Large Show Group – "Revolution"

Advanced Loops Preliminary Ladies Loops Mini Precision – "Upper Hutt Rollers"

Junior Quartets – "Dreamskate"

Amber Clifton Felicity Nicol Amber Clifton Katie Hawley Caitlin Munn Felicity Nicol Jessie Pitiroi Katie Hawley Liberté Bretherton Deanna Gotlieb Jessie Pitiroi Katie Hawley Jessie Pitiroi Kōtuku Ruki Caitlin Munn Kaylah Payne Felicity Nicol Liberté Bretherton Deanna Gotlieb Amber Clifton Olivia Cox Jessie Pitiroi Aria Coleman Kaylah Payne Olivia Cox Caitlin Munn Aria Coleman Caitlin Munn Felicity Nicol

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CALENDAR

2021			
10-11	April	"Jim Taylor" East/West Combined Regional	UH Rink, 4A Railway Avenue, Upper Hutt
		Championship	
16	April	Quiz Night	11 Logan St, UH Cossie Club, Upper Hutt
17	April	Adults Night Disco	UH Rink, 4A Railway Avenue, Upper Hutt
30-02	Apr / May	Central Area Championships	Arena 3, Pascal Street, Palmerston North
08	May	"Disney Movie" Special Night Disco	UH Rink, 4A Railway Avenue, Upper Hutt
15-16	May	Upper Hutt Lower Medal Tests 1 – 3	UH Rink, 4A Railway Avenue, Upper Hutt
22-23	May	"Laurie Hastie" Open Day	Arena 3, Pascal Street, Palmerston North
25	May	UHRSC Annual General Meeting	UH Rink, 4A Railway Avenue, Upper Hutt
12	June	Adults Night Disco	UH Rink, 4A Railway Avenue, Upper Hutt
19	June	"Val Bedford" League & Lower Medal 1 & 2 Tests	Arena 3, Pascal Street, Palmerston North
10	July	"Mid-Winter" Special Night Disco	UH Rink, 4A Railway Avenue, Upper Hutt
19-24	July	NZ Artistic Roller Skating Championships	Jubilee Stadium, 228 London Street,
	•		Springvale, Whanganui
14	August	Adults Night Disco	UH Rink, 4A Railway Avenue, Upper Hutt
04-05	September	Upper Hutt Club Championships	UH Rink, 4A Railway Avenue, Upper Hutt
29-09	Sep / Oct	Artistic Skating World Championships –	
40.47		Junior & Senior, Show and Precision	Asuncion, Paraguay
16-17	October	Upper Hutt Higher Medal Tests 4 Upwards TBC	UH Rink, 4A Railway Avenue, Upper Hutt
30 13	October November	"Scary Night" Special Night Disco	UH Rink, 4A Railway Avenue, Upper Hutt
		Adults Night Disco	UH Rink, 4A Railway Avenue, Upper Hutt Venue TBA
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IDA	December	Skale Show	Walter Nash Centre, Stadium 2,
			22 Taine Street, Lower Hutt
2022			
29-01	Apr / May	Central Area Championships	Venue TBA
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