

Spring Ice Show
Road Trip
Saturday, April 25th 2020 - 3:00 - 4:30 P.M.
AND
Sunday April 26th 2020 – 12:00 – 1:30 P.M.

Please read the following information carefully!!

If you have any questions, PLEASE call the MVSC President, Carlos Rael at (970) 397-6016

GENERAL SHOW INFORMATION:

The 2020 Spring Ice Show will be Road Trip Themed! The overall theme of the show is four travelers take a road trip across the US highlighting nine different states along the way. Please see sample part listing at the end of the information/registration packet. This year's show format will include a short story line format.

This event is sanctioned by U.S. Figure Skating Association & hosted by the Mountain View Skating Club (MVSC) in partnership with the Greeley Ice Haus.

AUDITIONS

This year MVSC **WILL** be holding auditions for solo and duet/trio group ensemble parts in the show. Members will need to complete the registration form listing their top three choices. The MVSC Show Director and two (2) neutral parties from the Ice Haus will cast skaters in solos based on their preference(s) outlined on the registration form and the overall direction of the show.

Auditions will be held on Friday, February 21, 2020 from 5:15 pm – 6:15 pm at the Ice Haus and a registration down payment of \$30 is due and payable at the time of auditions. Video submissions can be submitted however they **must** be submitted by **Thursday, February 20, 2020 to Carlos Rael by 5:00 pm** along with the \$30 down payment. **Late submissions will not be accepted.** If a skater does not turn in their submission and does not audition, they will not be eligible for a solo or small group number. The \$30.00 down payment will be applied toward the show fee of \$110.00. **Down payment fees are non-refundable.** If you/your skater auditions for a part and is unable or decides not to participate in the spring ice show, the \$30.00 down payment fee **will not** be refunded.

SHOW ELIGIBILITY AND ROLES:

There are various parts that individuals can enroll in for the Spring Ice Show. Solos, duets, and ensembles will be arranged by the MVSC Show Director and show co-director. Learn to Skate group performances are arranged by the Greeley Ice Haus Skate School Program; not MVSC. Soloist, Duets, and Ensembles are required to have a certified private coach providing lessons for choreography of each and every performance the skater(s) perform(s) in.

Below is a definition of each role skaters are eligible for:

- **SOLOS** – Soloist must be a current member of MVSC. Solo parts will be determined by the Show Director and team-based requests on the skater's audition submission / enrollment form and the overall direction of the show. Soloist are required to have a certified private coach provide lessons and choreography for each and every performance the skater performs in. There will be special consideration for adults wanting to participate in a solo. This is due to the limited number of adult participants.
- **DUETS / ENSEMBLES** – Duets will be designated by the MVSC Show Director again based requests on your submission / enrollment form and the overall direction of the show. If you or your skater are interested in a duet, please indicate your preference on the attached registration form. Again, duets / ensembles will be cast by the MVSC Show Director based on overall show direction after auditions are completed.

- **GUEST SKATERS** – Guest skaters must be a member of another club (not a Learn To Skate program) and have a permission form signed by a club officer from their home club. Guest skaters will be assigned a position in the show after all MVSC solo, duet, and ensemble positions are assigned. MVSC members will receive primary consideration before Guest Skaters. Permission forms and payment are due to MVSC no later than the registration deadline.
- **LEARN TO SKATE GROUP NUMBERS** – Learn to Skate group numbers are arranged by the Greeley Ice Haus. Members who are interested in a Learn to Skate group number must be enrolled in a Winter or Spring Skate School session at the Greeley Ice Haus and have a current Learn to Skate or USFSA membership. Skaters are generally cast according to badge or skill level in the Skate School Program. Registration and payment for a Learn to Skate group number must be submitted through the Greeley Ice Haus.

SHOW COMMITMENT, PRATICE SCHEDULE, AND IMPORTANT DATES:

In order for the Spring Ice Show to be successful, skaters must commit to the scheduled dates below for show practices, dress rehearsals, and show date(s). We understand that while scheduling conflicts do arise, they should be kept at a minimum. Skater absences **MUST** be communicated to the MVSC Show Director 24 hours in advance if possible.

Spring Ice Show registration deadline is **Thursday, February 20, 2020 – the day BEFORE auditions. Solo, Duet and Ensemble roles will be announced via email on March 1, 2020.**

Practices for Solos, Duets, and Ensembles will begin on **Monday, March 16th 2020 from 5:30 pm – 6:30 pm**. Off Ice practices will be held at the Ice Haus on the 2nd floor by the meeting rooms. Skaters must be able to attend practices for their appropriate parts, dress rehearsal(s), and the show performance. Practice Times are tentatively set and extra practices are at the discretion of the MVSC Show Director. For more information on Learn to Skate Group Numbers please contact Carla Villavicenco at the Greeley Ice Haus at (970) 350-9402.

Dates	Times	Location	Event
Thursday, February 20, 2020	N/A	N/A	Spring Ice Show Registration Form, Down Payment Fee and Video Audition Submissions
Friday, February 21, 2020	5:15 pm – 6:15 pm	Ice Haus	Auditions
March 1, 2020	N/A	N/A	Roles Announced
Monday, March 16 th	5:30 pm – 6:30 pm	Ice Haus	TBD
Thursday, March 19 th	5:30 pm – 6:30 pm	Ice Haus	TBD
Monday, March 23 rd	5:30 pm – 6:30 pm	Ice Haus	TBD
Thursday, March 26 th	5:30 pm – 6:30 pm	Ice Haus	TBD
Monday, March 30 th	5:30 pm – 6:30 pm	Ice Haus	TBD
Wednesday, April 1 st	5:00 pm – 6:00 pm	Ice Haus	On-Ice Practice – All Scenes
Thursday, April 2 nd	5:30 pm – 6:30 pm	Ice Haus	TBD
Monday, April 6 th	5:30 pm – 6:30 pm	Ice Haus	TBD
Wednesday, April 8 th	4:45 pm – 6:00 pm	Ice Haus	On-Ice Practice – All Scenes
Thursday, April 9 th	5:30 pm – 6:30 pm	Ice Haus	TBD
Monday, April 13 th	5:30 pm – 6:30 pm	Ice Haus	TBD
Wednesday, April 15 th	5:00 pm – 6:00 pm	Ice Haus	On-Ice Practice – All Scenes
Thursday, April 16 th	5:30 pm – 6:30 pm	Ice Haus	TBD
Saturday, April 18 th	2:00pm – 3:30 pm	Ice Haus	DRESS REHERSAL – MANDATORY ATTENDANCE
Wednesday, April 22 nd	4:45 pm – 6:00 pm	Ice Haus	EXTRA DRESS REHERSAL MANDATORY ATTENDANCE
Saturday, April 25 th	3:00 pm – 4:30 pm	Ice Haus	SHOW TIME!!! – MANDATORY ATTENDANCE
Sunday, April 26 th	12:00 pm – 1:30 pm	Ice Haus	SHOW TIME!!! – MANDATORY ATTENDANCE

REGISTRATION INFORMATION:

Learn to Skate Group Number(s) registration is conducted through the Greeley Ice Haus. Learn to Skate Group Number Registrations are paid directly to the Greeley Ice Haus and will include the cost of the costume and group lessons for the Ice Show. Individuals must have a Learn to Skate or USFSA Membership for Group Numbers. Please speak to a Greeley Ice Haus front desk representative for a registration packet.

Guest Skaters if accepted by the Show Director will pay a fee of \$125.00. Payment is due to MVSC no later than Monday, March 6, 2020 along with the applicable permission form from their home club. Guest skaters are required to have a certified private coach provide lessons and choreography for each and every performance they perform in. Guest skaters are also required to provide their own costume for the show.

Solo / Duet / Ensemble participation fee is \$110.00; \$30.00 due at the time of auditions and \$80.00 due by Monday, March 6, 2020. The total of \$110.00 fee will include costume fees this year. MVSC Members must register for the show no later than Thursday, February 20, 2020. The remaining \$80.00 solo participation fee is then due by Monday, March 6, 2020. A late fee of \$10.00 **will be imposed** if registered past the registration deadline. Solo / Duet / Ensemble participants must also provide certified private coaching for lessons and choreography for each performance in the show.

Show participation fees can be paid in various ways:

- **Online** through mvsc-104161.square.site Please note if you submit your payment online you still must turn a registration form and be charged an additional \$2.00 fee for online processing.
- **Check / Cash** placed in a sealed envelope with the registration form and placed in the secure MVSC lock box at the Ice Haus.

There are no refunds of show fees!!!! Participants must also sign an agreement stating that they accept any part given to them; they agree to pay the remaining show registration fee of \$80.00 by Monday, March 6, 2020; and that they can commit to the practice schedule outline in this announcement. Any unpaid participants will forfeit their part in the show and their part will be assigned to an alternative skater at the discretion of the MVSC Show Director.

COSTUMES:

Costumes for solo and duet/trio ensemble groups will be chosen and ordered by the MVSC Show Committee this year. The MVSC Show Committee will choose costumes that will fit with the overall show theme and present a cohesive flow of the show. MVSC will be coordinating very closely with the Ice Haus on group performance costumes so that the show has a cohesive feel between group numbers, solo numbers, and duet / ensemble numbers. Once parts are announced, the MVSC Show Committee will start reviewing costumes and will reach out to participants with more information regarding their costume. **Please note, that if you / your skater is placed in multiple roles, an additional \$35 costume fee will need to be paid for additional costume purchases.**

DRESS REHEARSALS:

Dress rehearsals will be on **Saturday, April 18th from 2:00-3:30 pm.** A second dress rehearsal on Wednesday, April 22nd from 4:45-6:00 pm. Please try to arrive at least one (1) hour early to the dress rehearsal. As with many performances, the dress rehearsal is critical for the success of the show. This is where all the final details are worked out, and often runs longer than planned. Costumes may **ONLY** be worn for dress rehearsals and for the show performance. All costumes will be kept at the Ice Haus until the show performances is over.

SHOW DAY:

The skaters, chaperones, and volunteers must arrive no later than one (1) hour prior to show time. All skaters will be assigned to a locker room with their designated groups/acts. **Parents not assigned as volunteers on show days MUST purchase show tickets. Volunteers will get free admission for their help on the day they volunteer.** Tickets can be purchased through the Mountain View Skating Club online for "Will Call" pickup mvsc-104161.square.site and/or on the day of the show.

Parents and other family members **will not** be allowed to access the locker room area during the performances. Only Safe Sport qualified chaperones will accompany the children at all times in the locker rooms and restrooms. MVSC will provide snacks for skaters in the locker rooms. Skaters are expected to be respectful at all times and to follow the rules of the group chaperones. Inappropriate behavior will not be tolerated. The MVSC board will review if inappropriate behavior by skaters will warrant them being removed from the current show and/or subsequent shows in the future.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

Ice shows are not possible without great volunteers like YOU!

Please contact the MVSC President at president@mountainviewskatingclub.com if you have questions. Thank you in advance for your participation & all your help!



Mountain View Skating Club presents Road Trip

In Mountain View Skating Clubs (MVSC) performance of Road Trip, skaters will portray a story line through skating interpretation and music. Please read and initial below each statement to confirm your understanding of the following:

- _____ Skaters that sign up and pay the participation fee will be given a part in the show however that part may or may not be their first through third choice listed on the registration form.
- _____ By signing the agreement and paying the show participation fee, skaters and parents are committing to participation in the production of Road Trip including attending all necessary practices, dress rehearsals, show dates, and they understand that they will accept any part offered to them in the show.
- _____ Solo / Duet / Ensemble members understand that they will need to work with their private coaches on their programs for the show. Music for these roles will be assigned by the MVSC Show Director. It is also understood that costumes for parts in the show will be ordered and provided by the MVSC Show Committee.
- _____ By declining a part in the production of Road Trip, the skater and skater's parent knowingly forfeit their part in next year's ice show.
- _____ Show Publicity - I understand that at any / all Road Trip events, practices, etc. my / my skater's picture(s), video, and likeness may be used in show marketing including but not limited to the MVSC website, MVSC Facebook, video productions, posters, banners, programs, etc.

Before registering for the show, please sign below stating acknowledgement of the above statements as well as you / your skater's intent to be in the show.

Mountain View Skating Club Member Skater

Date

Mountain View Skating Club Member Parent

Date

Road Trip Registration Form

Please complete all sections and return form to the MVSC Box at the Ice Haus
or to a MVSC Board Member

Skater's Name: _____

**Email Address for Skater /
Skater's guardian:** _____

Skater's USFSA #: _____

Skaters Level: _____

Skaters Certified Coach's name: _____

**Skaters Certified Coach's phone
number:** _____

*(The coach will be contacted to confirm they are choreographing each and every number designated to the skater and
for music coordination)*

PART REQUESTED:

1st Preference: _____

2nd Preference: _____

3rd Preference: _____

Other Helpful Information: _____

DUET / ENSEMBLE:

Partner(s) Requested: _____

Other Helpful Information: _____

In order to be fair, skaters may or may not be awarded their first-third choice. Skaters may also be awarded two (2) parts however only one show fee is applicable. Skaters agree to accept whatever character / role they are awarded by the casting committee. Again, if skaters are placed in multiple roles, and accept the multiple roles, an additional costume fee of \$35 will need to be paid. By signing below, I have acknowledged that I have read and understand the full show announcement; completed the required registration form; and the MVSC letter of intent I have also agreed to pay a one-time show participation fee \$30.00 at the time or registration and a remaining \$80.00 to MVSC no later than Monday, March 6th.

Skater / Skater's Guardian Signature: _____

Print name: _____

Date: _____

Road Trip Parts

- **Travelers** – There will be four (4) travelers that will be featured throughout the entire show. They will have “mini-solos” throughout the show. If a skater wants to be a “traveler” they will **not** be eligible for a solo part.
 - Two (2) Travelers – Pre-preliminary and above
 - Two (2) Travelers – Freeskate 1 and above

- **Solo Parts** – There will be a total of eleven (11) solo parts available this year. Solo parts will be offered to various skating levels outlined below. If a skater wants a solo part, they will **not** be eligible for a Traveler part.
 - Two (2) Solos – Adult Skaters. There will be special consideration for adults wanting to participate in a solo. This is due to the limited number of adult participants.
 - Three (3) Solos – Pre-preliminary and above
 - Three (3) Solos – Freeskate 3 – 6 level
 - Three (3) Solos – Freeskate 3 and below

- **Duet / Trio / Group Ensembles** – There will be approximately nine (9) group numbers for Road Trip. Group numbers will be assigned by the MVSC Skate Director. Four (4) group numbers will be reserved for the Greeley Ice Haus Skate School which will leave five (5) group numbers for MVSC members.