

# 2019 La Jolla Open Championships Special Skater Competition

*April 26 - 28, 2019*

Hosted by the La Jolla Figure Skating Club  
Sanctioned by U.S. Figure Skating



Event to take place at  
UTC Ice Sports Center  
University Towne Centre  
4545 La Jolla Village Drive San Diego, CA 92122

## **La Jolla Special Skater Events**

- Free Style levels 1 through 6.
- Artistic Levels 1 through 6

*Entry Deadline: Monday, March 22, 2019*

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The La Jolla Figure Skating Club invites you to the 2019 La Jolla Open Championships to be held at UTC Ice Sports Center University Towne Centre 4545 La Jolla Village Drive San Diego, CA 92122. The UTC Ice Sports Center is indoors, located in a mall with an overlooking food pavilion. The ice surface measures 185' x 85' with slightly rounded corners. The rink is conveniently located within the Dining Terrace of the University Towne Center Mall.

The La Jolla Open will consist of four sections: U.S. FIGURE SKATING events, Showcase events, Learn to Skate events and Special Skater events.

Events are open to all eligible persons registered with U.S. Figure Skating. The 2019 La Jolla Open Championships will be conducted in accordance with current U.S. Figure Skating Rules and Standards except as noted in this Announcement. Official notices and bulletins will be posted on the official bulletin board at the rink and on the La Jolla Figure Skating Club website ([www.lajollafsc.com](http://www.lajollafsc.com)).

### **Special Skater Events to be skated**

**Free Skate:**

**Events to be skated are the Freestyle Programs.**

<b>Level</b>	<b>Duration</b>	<b>Program Description</b>
<b>Freestyle Level 1</b>	<b>1 minute</b>	<b>Special Olympics Freestyle Level I program.</b>
<b>Freestyle Level 2</b>	<b>1 min. 30 seconds</b>	<b>Special Olympics Freestyle Level II program.</b>
<b>Freestyle Level 3</b>	<b>2 minutes</b>	<b>Special Olympics Freestyle Level III program.</b>
<b>Freestyle Level 4</b>	<b>2 minutes</b>	<b>Special Olympics Freestyle Level IV program.</b>
<b>Freestyle Level 5</b>	<b>2 min. 30 seconds</b>	<b>Special Olympics Freestyle Level V program.</b>
<b>Freestyle Level 6</b>	<b>3minutes</b>	<b>Special Olympics Freestyle Level VI program</b>

**Showcase Free Skating**

<b>Level</b>	<b>Duration</b>	<b>Program Description</b>
<b>Showcase Level 1</b>	<b>1 minute</b>	<b>Special Olympics Freestyle Level I program.</b>
<b>Showcase Level 2</b>	<b>1 min. 30 seconds</b>	<b>Special Olympics Freestyle Level II program.</b>
<b>Showcase Level 3</b>	<b>2 minutes</b>	<b>Special Olympics Freestyle Level III program.</b>
<b>Showcase Level 4</b>	<b>2 minutes</b>	<b>Special Olympics Freestyle Level IV program.</b>
<b>Showcase Level 5</b>	<b>2 min. 30 seconds</b>	<b>Special Olympics Freestyle Level V program.</b>
<b>Showcase Level 6</b>	<b>3 minutes</b>	<b>Special Olympics Freestyle Level VI program</b>

## Showcase Events

### Showcase Events – Basis of Judging:

All entry qualifications must be attained as of March 22, 2019. Those eligible under U.S. Figure Skating Rules, reinstated skaters and representatives of other governing bodies may compete.

- a. Performances will be judged for theatrical and artistic qualities, from an entertainment standpoint.
- b. Technical skating skill and difficulty will not be rewarded as such; however, skating must be the major element of the performance and of sufficient quality to support the theatrical elements chosen.
- c. *Unintended falls, poorly executed skating elements and obvious losses of control will reduce contestant's marks.*
- d. Jump difficulty is not rewarded in showcase, therefore jumps, if choreographed, should be those performed with style, flow and confidence. Jumps should not be used but as the choreography requires.
- e. Theatrical elements evaluated will include: Energy, poise, acting, pantomime, eye contact, choreography, form, extension and the use of costumes, ice and props.
- f. One performance mark incorporating the 6.0 scoring system will be assigned each performance by each judge. No technical skating mark will be used. Any overtime penalties will be posted with the results.

### MUSIC

Please provide CD's only and have at least one back-up at the arena during competition. The La Jolla FSC is not responsible for poorly recorded CD's. No CD-RW CD's and only one track per CD. Please clearly mark CD with the competitor's name and event. The official competition music must be turned in at the registration table at the time of check in. A duplicate CD should be readily available. Music may be picked up at the registration table following each event. Every reasonable care will be taken, but the La Jolla FSC cannot be responsible for CDs left at the end of the competition. Please have separate CDs for practice and competition.

### AWARDS

Awards will be given for *all* placements for Special Skater events.

**Grouping of events:** Any event may be divided into groups at the discretion of the referee. No final rounds will be skated for events that are divided.

### VIDEOTAPING AND/OR PHOTOGRAPHY

Contractual commitments with our Videographer and Professional Photographer require that we limit all private videotaping and still photographs to your own skater. Any spectator seen shooting either video or stills of a skater other than their own shall be removed from the arena.

**No flash photography is permitted in the arena at any time.**

## PRACTICE ICE

No official practice ice will be offered through the club. Please call UTC Ice directly at 858-452-9110 or check their website [www.utcice.com](http://www.utcice.com) for their freestyle schedule and prices.

## SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

A schedule of events will be available approximately 2 weeks after the close of entries. The information will be posted on the La Jolla Figure Skating Club web (<http://www.lajollafsc.com>) site as soon as it is available.

### **ENTRY DEADLINE - Friday, March 22, 2019**

Entries must be submitted online via Entryeze ([www.entryeze.com](http://www.entryeze.com)) by midnight March 22, 2019 or postmarked no later than, March 22, 2019. Entries may be accepted after this date at the discretion of the competition committee. A \$25 late fee MUST accompany late entries to be considered. No entries or changes to entries will be accepted after March 26, 2019 for any reason.

### **ENTRY FEES Special Skater Events :**

Entry fees should be made payable to the La Jolla Figure Skating Club. The entry fees for the various events are: **(Processing fees are additional and are not refundable)**

<b>Freestyle Level 1</b>	<b>\$40</b>
<b>Freestyle Level 2</b>	<b>\$40</b>
<b>Freestyle Level 3</b>	<b>\$40</b>
<b>Freestyle Level 4</b>	<b>\$40</b>
<b>Freestyle Level 5</b>	<b>\$40</b>
<b>Freestyle Level 6</b>	<b>\$40</b>
<b>Showcase Level 1</b>	<b>\$40</b>
<b>Showcase Level 2</b>	<b>\$40</b>
<b>Showcase Level 3</b>	<b>\$40</b>
<b>Showcase Level 4</b>	<b>\$40</b>
<b>Showcase Level 5</b>	<b>\$40</b>
<b>Showcase Level 6</b>	<b>\$40</b>

There is a \$25 charge for returned checks.

Entries are to be sent to: **Carylyn Landt**  
3635 Calle Colina Roca  
Alpine, CA 91901  
619-445-3260

**Special Skaters**  
**Official Entry Form** (Page 1)  
Entry Deadline: March 22, 2019

U.S. FIGURE SKATING #:

Competitor Name \_\_\_\_\_ Male \_\_\_\_\_ Female \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Birthdate: \_\_\_\_\_ Age on 3/22/2019: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: Day time : \_\_\_\_\_ Evening \_\_\_\_\_

Competitor Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Coach: \_\_\_\_\_ Coach Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Coach Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Club: \_\_\_\_\_

Is the Skater Vision Impaired? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

Is the Skater Hearing Impaired? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

List any physical impairments \_\_\_\_\_

Partner Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Please indicate which event(s) you are entering by placing an "X" in the column(s) following the event(s) you plan to enter.

Entry Fees

Free Skate	Freestyle 1	\$40		
	Freestyle 2	\$40		
	Freestyle 3	\$40		
	Freestyle 4	\$40		
	Freestyle 5	\$40		
	Freestyle 6	\$40		
Artistic	Artistic Level 1	\$40		
	Artistic Level 2	\$40		
	Artistic Level 3	\$40		
	Artistic Level 4	\$40		
	Artistic Level 5	\$40		
	Artistic Level 6	\$40		
<b>Total Fees</b>				

Coach signature to verify the skater is entered in the correct event(s).

Coach Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

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**Special Skaters**

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**Competitor:** \_\_\_\_\_

**HOME CLUB CERTIFICATION AND PARENTAL AUTHORIZATION**

**IMPORTANT: The Club Certification and Parental Authorization **MUST** be signed or entry will be returned.**

**Club Certification:** I hereby approve the entry of the above named entrant and certify to the best of my knowledge:

1. He/She is a member in good standing of the Home Club listed.
2. He/She is eligible to enter the specified events.
3. He/She is an eligible person as defined by the rules of U.S. FIGURE SKATING.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature and Title of Club Official

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

**Parental Authorization:**

I have read and agree to abide by the rules of this competition. I am aware that ice skating is at the competitor's sole risk and agree to hold harmless the U.S. FIGURE SKATING, La Jolla Figure Skating Club, and the UTC Ice Sports Center, their officers, directors, agents, and employees from any and all loss, damage, and/or injury, whatsoever kind or nature, that may be sustained by the entrant in any manner while participating in any activity of this competition.

The Referee of the competition shall have the right to determine the fitness of any entrant to skate in the competition in accordance with the current U.S. FIGURE SKATING season rules

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Parent or Legal Guardian

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Competitor

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

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Alpine, CA 91901  
619-445-3260

**Make checks payable to: LJFSC (\$25 for returned checks).**