

Club Membership Frequently Asked Questions

→ Which membership is right for me or my skater?

- ◆ If you refer to our **Cost of Membership & Benefits** document you will get a thorough breakdown of the differences between Basic vs Full membership..
- ◆ **The main thing to consider is skating goals.**
Basic Membership is perfect for beginners just starting lessons and want to be a part of a skating community.
Full membership is needed when a skater wants to start participating in skating Tests and/or will start competing above Aspire level.
- ◆ Consult your coach if you have one before joining the club or when renewing for the new year! Email the club if you are not sure what the right decision for you is at ozarkfigureskatingclub@gmail.com.

→ I have multiple skaters in my family and there are so many membership types- how should I register all of us?

- ◆ Start with the skaters in the family. **Full Membership(s) should be registered first** to avoid any registration errors. Then if there are additional skaters, add them using the Additional Skater- Basic or Additional Skater- Full memberships as needed.
- ◆ **If the adult in the family is a skater needing a FULL Membership**, register accordingly with the membership needed (Introductory Adult Full if new or Returning Adult Full if Renewing). Then, if there are additional skating family members, add them using the Additional Skater- Basic or Additional Skater- Full memberships as needed.
- ◆ **If the adult is a non-skating parent** of a skater under 18, they will need to register themselves as a Parent (Patron) Member after adding the skating memberships needed.

→ When is the “right” time to join Ozark Figure Skating Club?

- ◆ Generally speaking, once you have already started taking Learn to Skate Classes for a few sessions and realize that figure skating is something you want to keep exploring!
- ◆ While figure skating is largely an individual sport, being in a club offers opportunities to get to know fellow skaters and join a community that can help support your skating journey!
- ◆ Our **Big Spirals Little Swizzles** program is a great way for new skaters to learn and get guidance from skaters with more experience!

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→ Why are there so many new membership types? What happened to the simple “family” membership?

- ◆ There have been two major changes to Ozark FSC Membership Types: more adult member options and a different family membership structure.
- ◆ Over the years, the adult membership options have been less inclusive and confusing as such. Now we have adult skating member options that simply match our under 18 skater options.
- ◆ As far as family membership goes, our previous one was not for every family. It was often cheaper to keep two individual memberships for two skaters in the same family which made the decision to get a family membership unclear. Our new “additional skater” option works for every family with more than one skater.

→ Do I need an Ozark Figure Skating Club membership to participate in the Ozark FSC Christmas Show?

- ◆ If you would like to participate in a group number, you must be either an Ozark FSC member or a skater in the Jones Center Learn to Skate program
- ◆ To participate in a Solo, Duet, Trio, or Quartet, you must be a member of Ozark Figure Skating Club and meet the point requirements. You can find more information about the Christmas Show points form at <https://www.ozarkfsc.org/club-forms>

Have any Membership questions in addition to these?
Contact us at ozarkfigureskatingclub@gmail.com