



We proudly sponsor the PMC

## Newsletter June 9, 2009

Golden Blades/Flagg Pond offers both ISI and USFS programs for skaters of all ages and ability levels.

**Mission Statement:** To provide quality skating instruction for all who wish to participate. Bestow upon them a fun and exciting environment which promotes good sportsmanship and encourages each skater to set and achieve individual goals. To guide skaters to be confident, independent, well-rounded individuals who feel assured they can achieve anything they set their minds to.

### Dates to Remember:

June Ice contract is now past due  
Summer ice schedule now available  
June 17-June 24 Team Apparel Sale  
June 15 Surveys due  
June 26, 27, 28 Districts at Lower Cape  
June 25 Memberships due  
August 1 & 2 Pam Mass Challenge  
August TBA SUMMER BASH

### Ice Contracts:

Are now past due for June. The June and summer contracts are available at the rink. The BIA, as a favor to our team, is running the May, June, July and August ice time. This is a tremendous help to us.

### Semi-Private Lessons:

We are offering semi private lessons to skaters who have participated in one of our learn to skate programs this seasons. Please see the application for details. This is a great opportunity for the skaters to continue to learn new skills during the summer months. We currently have ten skaters enrolled for the months of May and June! Please take a minute to introduce yourself to our new skating friends.

### Membership:

The 2009-2010 Membership applications are now available. Skater who will be competing in Colorado this summer MUST renew their memberships ASAP. Forms can be found at the rink or on our website. Note: Your USFS membership will expire on June 30, 2009 and your ISI membership will expire on September 1, 2009. Coach's memberships and Corey checks also need to be renewed. Please see Lisa.

### Fundraising:

Team Raffle: Watch for details this week. The "Got Change" jug can be found at the rink during our freestyle sessions.

### Survey

Thank you to those who have already filled them out and returned them. If you haven't, I would sincerely appreciate it if you could take a few minutes to fill it out and return it to Lisa no later than June 15, 2009. The information gained will help us to plan for next year. The questionnaire is divided into four areas: communication, ice time, fundraising and club activities. Your honest response to the questions is greatly appreciated. If you did not receive one please email Lisa.

### Golden Ice:

Syncro practice will be at 6:00 June 16, 2009. Due to a *large number of lower level skaters* contracted at 5:00, it is **HIGHLY** suggested that you keep to your original ice contract and skate your freestyle session at 3:20 or 4:00.

### Pam Mass Challenge:

Are the riders ready? As you know our team proudly supports the PMC. It would be fantastic to have a group of skaters to cheer on the riders for the 30<sup>th</sup> Ride. The event will be held August 1 & 2. If you would like to make a personal donation, log on to [pmc.org](http://pmc.org). One of our team parents, John Dwyer, will be participating in this event again this year. If you are interested in riding see John. Please keep an eye out for more information on how to join us to cheer on the riders!

### Team Apparel SALE!

This week only! Get your team jackets, sweatshirts, headbands, dress bags, and t-shirts at sale prices.

(For in-stock items only)

Jackets \$40.00, Headbands \$6.00, T-shirts \$5.00, Dress Bags \$25.00 (includes embroidery), Blanket \$10.00, New Sweatshirts \$20.00, gloves \$1.00, last years sweatshirts \$15.00 Items will be available at the rink on June 17 & 24.

Check out the web site for the Star of the Week! [Skategoldenblades.com](http://Skategoldenblades.com)

Shout it out!

Danielle Bruno Novice Moves, Alex Leppo Pre Juv Moves and Preliminary freestyle.

Pass on the good news! Give your skater a "Shout it out!"

Have a great week! Lisa [skate2usa@comcast.net](mailto:skate2usa@comcast.net)