



## FUNDRAISING AND VOLUNTEER POLICY & AGREEMENT

### MCFSC Advanced Skaters and Free Skate Skaters

In order for the MCFSC to offer services and events to our members, we rely on their participation in providing the necessary volunteer power and funding required for their implementation.

#### INTERPRETATION

- A family having more than one applicable member in the club may fundraise as a family unit, fulfilling the requirements of the highest-ranking skater.
- A “buy-out” option will be available for each fundraising activity, and the required due date for the “buy-out” will be published at the start of each fundraising activity.
- Any member who does not participate fully in a mandatory fundraiser will be assessed the total “buy-out” amount for that fundraiser.
- Any member who does not fully meet the requirements of a fundraising activity will be considered in arrears and therefore not in good standing, resulting in denial of membership with MCFSC until the “buy-out” payment is paid in full.
  - *Arrears*: Arrears shall be defined as a failure to pay on or before the due date. A member with indebtedness shall not be permitted to vote, hold office, skate in any Club-sponsored freestyle session, compete at competitions or take any U.S. Figure Skating test until such time as the indebtedness is corrected. The Board of Directors may drop a delinquent member from the Club roster for indebtedness.
- **Advanced Skaters** are identified as any skater taking advantage of advanced ice time and private lessons. (If the skater is taking private lessons while still enrolled in Learn to Skate classes, they are required to follow the Advanced Skater Fundraising Requirements.)
- **Free Skate Skaters** are those enrolled in Free Skate 1-6 classes. They are required to follow the Free Skate Fundraising Requirements.

#### MCFSC CLUB FUNDRAISERS AND REQUIREMENTS

##### 1) MAYSA CONCESSIONS

- Free Skate Requirement: two (2) four-hour shifts in the season
- Advanced Requirement: four (4) four-hour shifts in the season

*MCFSC benefits from funds raised through MAYSA Concessions. If you are unable to fulfill your designated shift requirements, a \$200 buy-out fee will be assessed per unfilled shift. This fee will be assessed at the end of the MAYSA Concessions season.*

*Please note:* The shift requirements listed above are per family. For example, if you have two skaters in your family (one Free Skate and one Advanced), the total requirement for that family is four (4) four-hour shifts during the season.

*Also:* Skaters who advance into Free Skate 1 or enroll into Advanced Ice/Private Lessons after January 1st of the given season will have applicable concession shift requirements prorated by half.

## **2) BUTTERBRAIDS**

- Free Skate Requirement: 10 Butterbraids sold (Buy-out \$150)
- Advanced Requirement: 20 Butterbraids sold (Buy-out \$275)

The buy-out fee will be billed as of the closing date listed in the Butterbraid fundraiser information. This requirement is not prorated.

## **3) WINTER GUN RAFFLE**

- Free Skate Requirement: none
- Advanced Requirement: 10 tickets sold (Buy-out \$200)

The club hosts a gun raffle each year, with the drawing held during the annual Ice Show. The buy-out fee for unsold tickets will be billed at the close of the Ice Show. This requirement is not prorated.

## **MCFSC CLUB VOLUNTEER HOUR REQUIREMENTS**

Throughout a season, MCFSC hosts one of the largest figure skating competitions in the state, produces an annual Ice Show, offers test sessions for our Advanced Skaters and hosts social events for the club. To continue to be successful in these endeavors, we require volunteer hours from the families of participating skaters.

If your child participates in any of the events listed below, you will be required to fulfill the volunteer requirements for the specific event. The buy-out is \$30/shift, and unfulfilled shifts will be billed at the close of the event or season.

### **1) CLUB TEST SESSIONS**

Families of participating skaters must:

- Work a minimum of one (1) shift (running or announcing) during the test session
- Bring a minimum of one (1) hospitality item for Hospitality Rooms

*\*If all requirements are not fulfilled, the buy-out total is \$60.*

### **2) MAGIC CITY INTERNATIONAL COMPETITION**

Families of Learn to Skate Competitors must:

- Work a minimum of three (3) volunteer shifts during the competition
- Bring a minimum of three (3) hospitality items

*\*If all requirements are not fulfilled, the buy-out total is \$120.*

Families of Advanced Competitors must:

- Work a minimum of four (4) volunteer shifts during the competition
- Bring a minimum of four (4) hospitality items

*\*If all requirements are not fulfilled, the buy-out total is \$180.*

### **3) ANNUAL MCFSC ICE SHOW**

Families of participating skaters must:

- Work a minimum of one (1) shift (room parents, spotlights, programs, etc) during the show or designated practices leading up to the show