



January 2022

Waltz Times

UPCOMING EVENTS

- Jan 8th PSC Board Meeting
- April 30th Jessamine Open
- May 1st Test Session (in person)
- May 21st Spring Show
- Aug 14th Test Session (in person)

BIRTHDAYS

- 🍰 5 Yakun Wang
- 🍰 13 Sophie Chen
- 🍰 16 Leo Ha
- 🍰 22 Adel Grant
- 🍰 22 Sharon-Rose Mukendi
- 🍰 27 Lynn Sheridan-Merritt
- 🍰 30 Olivia Cable
- 🍰 31 Dorothy-Ann Tierney

Member Spotlight



JENNIFER
STARKMANN

Jennifer started skating in January of 2021. She had briefly done it in middle school, now as an adult she decided to get back to skating as she was looking for a new hobby that involved both some artistry and athleticism. The thing she enjoys most about skating is the way it lets her work out the stress from her everyday routine while still allowing me to feel graceful. She trains with coach Tamara Grose. Right now, she mainly enjoys skating simply for fun, she recently started herself a little more by participating in some competitions, she is also considering possibly testing in the future!

She works for Boeing as a Transportation Analyst while also getting her Master of International Business from the University of South Carolina (UofSC), in addition she plans to start a master's in business Analytics at UofSC sometime next year. She loves that her job challenges her critical thinking as she gets to solve puzzles with data. She also has a huge interest in the aerospace industry, so she finds working with airplanes to be incredibly cool.



QUOTE OF THE MONTH

"Keep trying, you will get it right as long as you keep getting Up."
~Unknown

SHOUTOUT CORNER!!



TESTS PASSED

Congratulations to the following skaters on recently passing USFSA tests:

Elli Provence – *Preliminary MITF*

Sophia Stancel – *Rocker Foxtrot (Dance) and Silver Dance*

AXEL/ DOUBLE AXEL RECOGNITION

Congratulations to **Hannah Powell** on recently landing her *single axel*

*Remarkable accomplishment: Bravo to **Sophia Stancel** who has kept her axel since she first acquired it last summer! It is a very hard jump and many skaters get and lose it multiple times before it finally becomes consistent.

Monthly Messages/Reminders

➤ Who doesn't enjoy shopping on Amazon (at least every once in a while)? It comes with so many perks! Did you know that a great way to support the club at no cost to you is to make the club your organization of choice for Amazon Smile? Learn more about it here:

https://smile.amazon.com/gp/chpf/about/ref=smi_se_rspo_laas_aas

➤ The Spring Show isn't until May 21st but it's never too early to begin brainstorming! Theme will be "*Hollywood Princesses*"

➤ Virtual Testing "permission forms" currently on hold as some rules are being reviewed. To be resumed soon, be on the look out for more information.

➤ Reminder to always check ice calendar as times are subject to change. The schedule oftentimes remains the same but has a tendency to be a little different during holidays. Visit <https://flightadventurepark.com/irmo/ice-skating-calendar/>

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