



FIGURE SKATING
NORTH CAROLINA

Annual Meeting
June 15, 2020

Welcome

- Welcome to a very different annual meeting for the Triangle Figure Skating Club of North Carolina. While we wish we could meet in person, we will do our best to meet the annual meeting expectations of our members. In this presentation, we have included the information that we would have presented to you had we been able to meet in person. We hope that you take the time to look through it and rejoice over the achievements of the TFSC and it's members. We have worked diligently to provide accurate and up to date information in this presentation. If something is missing or incorrect, please contact us so that it can be corrected.

TFSC Board Members

Board Member (Class)	Officer Position
Malin Zandelin (A)	President
Mary Walker (C)	Vice President/Test Chair
Analia Wehe-Lehmann (B)	Treasurer
Danielle Donaldson (C)	Secretary
Letitia Hazel (C)	SafeSport Chair
Jacqueline Pusztay (B)	Member at Large
Dia McGaughey (A)	Member at Large
Keith O'Neal (B)	Member at Large
Dr. Edwin Lindsay (A)	Member at Large

TFSC Board Would Like To...

- Thank Mark Lee, Shixiong Shang, Jianxn Hu and Jason Wong for their contributions to the board.
- Welcome Dr. Edwin Lindsay, Keith O’Neal and Dia McGaughey as new TFSC board members.
- Recognize Mary Walker, Dr. Letitia Hazel, and Danielle Donaldson as outgoing board members for their dedicated service.
- Thank Dr. Beth Campbell for her tireless service on club committees.

Meeting Content

- Test and Competition Committee Report
- Member Competitions Update
- TFSC Coaches Appreciation
- TFSC Volunteer Appreciation
- Member Officials
- Treasurer Report
- Membership Report
- SafeSport Report
- Social Media Update
- Questions and Adjournment

President's Remarks

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Membership Report - 395 Total

Voting Memberships - 239		Non-voting Memberships	
Senior (over 18)	13	USFSA Volunteer	15
Junior (under 18)	79	Team Triangle (basic skills members)	14
Family	65	Associate Member	13
Additional Family member	1	Non-Skating Adult	124
Senior Introductory	2		
Junior Introductory	26		
Collegiate	25		
Professional	22		
USFSA Official	6		
Total	239		156

SafeSport Report

- The club strives to provide a safe environment for its members that is free of misconduct and harassment and is committed to following all the guidelines put forth by US Figure Skating. The club will not tolerate or condone any form of harassment or misconduct of any of its members, including athletes, coaches, officials, directors, employees, parents, volunteers or any other persons while they are participating in or preparing for a figure skating activity or event conducted under the auspices of U.S. Figure Skating. All forms of misconduct are unacceptable and in direct conflict with U.S. Figure Skating rules. All individuals, regardless of membership with U.S. Figure Skating, are encouraged to report suspected SafeSport violations to the board or directly to US Figure Skating. The club has and will continue to form a committee to process any specific case that is reported to us and follow all the guidelines put forth by US Figure Skating while doing so.
- We do want to remind our members of the gravity of filing such a complaint. It is not to be taken lightly and misuse of this action can also be seen as harassment and be grounds for a move to membership not in good standing. Please read through the information of what constitutes a Safe Sport violation at <https://www.usfigureskating.org/safesport> before filing the complaint.

SafeSport Report

- All TFSC Coaches are expected to promote the sport of figure skating and all of its disciplines while adhering to the [Triangle Figure Skating Club Coaches' Code of Ethics, Standards, Ethics and Conduct.](#)
- All TFSC skaters are expected to promote the sport of figure skating and all of its disciplines and adhere to the [Triangle Figure Skating Club Skater Code of Conduct.](#)

2019-2020 Treasurer's Report

Event-based financial reports for competitions and test sessions are being provided with the Treasurer's Report to account for timing differences between the advance collection of fees for events and the subsequent payments of event expenses. In addition, below is a summary of financial highlights:

- As of May 31, 2020, the main operating account had a balance of \$2,512;
- As of May 31, 2020, the money market account had a balance of \$55,526;
- As of May 31, 2020, funds restricted for skater development totaled \$23,643;

2019-2020 Treasurer's Report

- Net membership dues for the 2019-2020 season totaled \$22,753;
- Net income for the 2019-2020 Dogwood competition totaled \$8,604;
- The St. Patrick's Day competition was cancelled due to Covid-19. All competition and test session entry fees were refunded to the participants. There was a non-refundable cost of \$457 paid for medals that can be used next fiscal year;
- Rent expense for club ice for the 2019-2020 season totaled \$27,100;

2019-2020 Treasurer's Report

- The club awarded \$2,500 in stipends to skaters to celebrate their hard work and accomplishments and for qualifying to compete at Sectionals and/or Nationals this season;
- The club provided Amazon gift cards to all coaches associated with the club to show support through the Covid-19 crisis. The total expense for these gifts was \$820;
- The board and test committee worked diligently this year to ensure that the fee structure for test sessions was fair and reasonable. Costs were reviewed to minimize expenses, leading to a very successful test session season.

Test and Competition Committee Report

- Test Committee Members: Beth Campbell (Co-Chair), Mary Walker (Co-Chair), Ying Xing, Shixiong Shang
- Completed Test Sessions: Five Test Sessions were held during 2019-2020
- Canceled Test Session: 1 Test session canceled due to COVID 19
- Upcoming Tests Session: September 20 at the Polar Ice House in Wake Forest, pending COVID 19 “re-opening status
- Coaches will receive testing survey to gauge skater preparedness for future test dates

Test and Competition Committee Report

- Club Hosted Competitions
 - 2019 Dogwood Open Competition, Wake Forest, NC
 - 2020 St. Patrick's Day Competition - Canceled due to COVID 19
 - 2020 Cary Classic Competition – Canceled due to COVID 19

TFSC Graduating Senior Award Recipients

Leah Lunsford	Gold
Corinne Walker	Gold
Katherine Xing	Gold
Ian Kang	Gold
Emmeline Briggs	Silver
Eliza Jackson-Wald	Silver
Carolyn Bellof	Gold
Alyssa Thompson	Gold

TFSC Members Earning Silver and Gold Recognition

Allison Rho	Silver Moves in the Field
Maria Staicu	Silver Moves in the Field
Rebecca Stone	Silver Moves in the Field
Stephany Estermyer	Gold Moves in the Field
Corinne Walker	Gold Moves in the Field
Jillian Clarke	Pre - Gold Dance
Katherine Xing	Silver Dance
Katherine Xing	Gold Freeskate
Ashley Merrills	Gold Freeskate

TFSCNC Was Represented At The:

- 2019 John Smith Memorial, Indian Trail, NC
- 2019 Dogwood Open, Wake Forest NC
- 2019 Central Carolina Skating Classic. Hillsborough, NC
- 2019 Hershey Classic, Hershey, PA
- 2019 Autumn Skate, Wilmington, DE
- 2019 Peach Open, Duluth, GA
- 2019 Falling Leaves Competition, Richmond, VA

TFSCNC Was Represented At The:

- 2019 Florida Open, Orlando, FL
- 2019 Atlanta Open, Alpharetta, GA
- 2019 Potomac Open, Ashburn, VA
- 2019 Middle Atlantic Championships, New York, NY
- 2019 Philadelphia Championships, Aston, PA
- 2019 Broadmoor Open, Colorado Springs, CO
- 2020 South Atlantic Regional Championships, Aston, PA

2020 National Qualifying Series Participants

- Emily Bell, Novice Ladies, Coach Jason Wong
- Jason Hu, Juvenile Boys, Coach Jason Wong
- Ian Kang, Novice Men, Coach Dia McGaughey
- Ashley Merrills, Junior Ladies, Coach Janet Ford
- Alison Rho, Juvenile Girls, Coach Janet Ford
- Jada Whitfield, Novice Ladies, Coach Kennedy Briggs
- Kendall Whitfield, Novice Ladies, Coach Kennedy Briggs

2020 South Atlantic Regional Challenge

- Emily Bell, Novice Ladies, 12th place Qualifying Round Group B, Coach Jason Wong
- Hannah Hortman, Novice Ladies, 5th place Qualifying Round Group B, Coach Janet Ford
- Jason Hu, Juvenile Boys, 1st place (Qualified to Sectionals), Coach Jason Wong
- Ian Kang, Novice Men, 6th place (Qualified to Sectionals), Coach Dia McGaughey
- Ashley Merrills, Junior Ladies, 13th place Final Round, Coach Janet Ford
- Alison Rho, Juvenile Girls, 5th place Final (Qualified to Sectionals), Coach Janet Ford
- Jada Whitfield, Novice Ladies, 6th place Final (Qualified to Sectionals), Coach Kennedy Briggs
- Kendall Whitfield, Novice Ladies, 7th place Final (First alternate to Sectionals), Coach Kennedy Briggs

2020 Eastern Sectional Singles Final

- Jada Whitfield, Novice Ladies, 14th place, Coach Kennedy Briggs
- Alison Rho, Juvenile Girls, 16th place, Coach Janet Ford
- Ian Kang, Novice Men, 9th place, Coach Dia McGaughey
- Jason Hu, Juvenile Boys, 2nd place, Coach Jason Wong



2020 US National High Performance Development Team

- Jason Hu, Juvenile Boys, Coach Jason Wong

TFSNC Was Represented At The:

- 2019 Central Carolina Skating Classic, Hillsborough, NC
- 2019 Hershey Open, Hershey, PA
- 2019 Autumn Skate, Wilmington, DE
- 2019 Adult International FS Competition, Lake Placid, NY
- 2019 Peach Classic, Atlanta, GA
- 2019 John Smith Memorial, Indian Trail, NC
- 2020 New Year's Invitational, Woodbridge, VA
- 2020 Eastern Sectionals, Ardmere, PA

2020 Adult Competition Series Final

- Danielle Donaldson – Adult Pre-Bronze, 3rd place, Coach Elena Betchke
- Andrea Polik – Adult Bronze, 1st place, Coach Elena Betchke
- Chelsea Alexander – Adult High Beginner, 2nd place, Coach Marilyn Nolte
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Dance Non-Qualifying Competitions

- 2019 Chesapeake Open, West Laurel, MD
- 2019 Cannon Texas Open, Euless, TX
- 2019 North American Cup, Lake Placid, NY
- 2019 Dance-Pairs Chicago, Geneva, IL

2020 National Qualifying Series

- Catherine Cummings and Alexander Cummings, Ice Dance Juvenile, 2nd national rank Coach Natalia Efimova
- Nastia Efimova and Jonathan Zhao, Ice Dance Novice, 3rd national rank, Coach Natalia Efimova

2020 US Ice Dance Final Championships

- Nastia Efimova and Jonathan Zhao, Novice, 5th place,
- Catherine Cummings and Alexander Cummings, Juvenile, 6th place



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2020 US National High Performance Development Team

- Catherine Cummings and Alexander Cummings Ice Dance Juvenile, Coach Natalia Efimova
- Nastia Efimova and Jonathan Zhao Ice Dance Novice, Coach Natalia Efimova

Triangle Formation Synchronized Skating

- Head Coach and Program Director
 - Jannika Lilja
- Assistant Coaches
 - Brianne Safer
 - Anne Marie Misey
 - Anna Webster
 - Jane Khin
 - Kristen Borths
 - Jillian Clark
 - Isabella Achtelstetter

Triangle Formation Synchronized Skating

- Triangle Formation Team Managers
 - Ashley Lewis
 - Liz O'Neal
 - Mary Lee Conner
 - Lynan Collinson
 - Letitia Hazel-Lindsay
 - Kim Clark
 - Leigh Kashuba

2019-2020 Triangle Formation Team Results

- **Snowplow Sam**
 - 1st place at Central Carolina Synchro Classic, Hillsborough NC
- **Synchro Skills 2**
 - 4th place at Philadelphia Invitational, PA
 - 3rd place at Carolina Synchro Classic, Hillsborough, NC.
 - 3rd place at South Atlantic Synchro Open, Richmond, VA
 - 3rd place tie at Reflections Invitational, Hershey, PA

2019-2020 Triangle Formation Team Results

- **Juvenile Team**
 - 3rd place Philadelphia Invitational, PA
 - 2nd place at California Fall Classic, CA
 - 3rd place at Dr. Porter Classic in Ann Arbor, MI
 - 2nd place at Reflections Invitational, Hershey, PA

2019-2020 Triangle Formation Team Results

- Intermediate Team
 - 2nd place Philadelphia Invitational, PA
 - 1st place at California Fall Classic, CA
 - 3rd place at Dr. Porter Classic in Ann Arbor, MI
 - 1st place at Reflections Invitational, Hershey, PA.

Synchronized Skating Qualifying Competitions

- **Juvenile Team**

- 8th place Eastern Synchronized Sectional Championships, Albany, NY

- **Intermediate Team**

- 3rd place Eastern Synchronized Sectional Championships, Albany, NY
- 9th place at Synchronized Skating National Championships in Providence, RI

2019-2020 Triangle Formation Intermediate National Championship Team Roster

- Isabella Achtelstetter, Victoria Braynin, Madison Bellof, Rachel Broughton, Jennifer Cali, Jillian Clarke (Asst. Captain), Sofia Cobb, Chandley Daniels, Jacob Galbraight, Patience Goodel, Haleigh Hardisty, Lily House, Annie Hu, Ena Jeong, Lillian Kashuba, Marissa Lee, Sophie Miller (Asst. Captain), Lyric O'Neal, Maria Staicu, Alyssa Thompson, Daria Thompson and Corinne Walker (Captain).

Special Recognition

- Jillian Clark and Corinne Walker will compete for the Skyliners Synchronized Skating Junior team for the 2020-2021 season. TFSC would like to thank them for their contributions and wish them well as they embark on this exciting new challenge.

Thanks to all TFSC Coaches

Isabella Achtelstetter	Janet Ford	Yaroslava Petukhova
Kristin Anderson	Crystal Hancy Sinibaldi	Adriana Rogers
Elena Betchke	Roberta Harger-Quigley	Heather Simmons
Josie Bodl	Kristie Hemstreet	Isabella Schilf
Jillian Clark	Carly Jones	Samantha Schilf
Tonya Crowley	Jannika Lilja	Kara Taylor
Holly Eisenhour	Dia McGaughey	McKenzie Taylor
Oleg Efimov	Anne Marie Misey	Madeleine Tharrington
Natalia Efimova	Cody Murphy	Nathan Truesdell
Stephanie Estermeyer	Marilyn Nolte	Kat Xing
Molly Farber	Jaqueline Pusztay	Anna Webster
Michelle Fisher	Robyn Petroskey	Jason Wong
Corinne Walker		

TFSC Volunteer Appreciation

- TFSC Volunteers
 - Thanks to all TFSC 2019-2020 volunteers
 - Email us at trianglefscnc@gmail.com if you are interested in serving as a volunteer for the 2020-2021 season.

Member Officials Report

- 11 Members are currently volunteering their time and expertise to officiating at USFS events around the country.
- Members Assigned to Officiate at the Qualifying Competitions
 - Kevin Elvin, Malin Zandelin, Beth Blake, JoAnn Eufrazio, Deborah Weidman, Janet Ford
- Members Assigned to Officiate at the 2020 US Figure Skating Championships
 - Deborah Weidman and Janet Ford
- Congratulations to Michael Rowland for achieving Tech Accountant Level 1 certification.

Social Media Update

- Our website <http://trianglefscnc.org/> is currently being updated to better reflect the hard work and dedication our members put in every day.
- We have also tried to increase the activity on our FB account.
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Questions?

Click on the [annual meeting link](#) on the TFSC webpage and scroll to the bottom to post your question in the comment section.