

## **Figure Skate Library Policy**

Southern Valley Figure Skating Club has a collection of figure skates that may be borrowed for club members to use. The members will sign out the skates and keep them for their use during the entire season.

1. Figure Skate usage is free to all SVFSC MEMBERS on a first come first serve basis.
2. Figure skates must be checked out through a SVFSC board member, SVFSC's Bookkeeper, SVFSC's Marketing and Communications Coordinator or other personnel as authorized / designated by the Board of Directors.
3. Figure Skates borrowed are to be returned after the Spring Show each year. If your skater does not plan on skating the entire season with SVFSC, the skates are to be returned at the end of the current session. Please contact SVFSC's Bookkeeper or SVFSC's Marketing and Communications Coordinator to return skates.
4. Skaters are required to take proper care of their borrowed skates and follow the care guidelines given. Skaters are responsible for the sharpening for their borrowed skates. Skates are to be sharpened by a skate sharpener that has been approved by SVFSC.
5. The Soft guards provided will also need to be returned with the figure skates.
6. Skates that are not returned, lost, or damaged beyond normal wear and tear will result in a replacement fee charged to the skaters primary account holders account. Replacement fees are approximately:
  - Smaller - lower skill level skates: \$65 - \$80
  - Medium to Advanced skill level skates: \$110 - \$250

## **Figure Skate Care**

### **General Boot Care**

- Always wipe moisture from the interior and exterior of your boots after every use.
- Let your boots dry between uses.
- Never use a hairdryer or put your boots near a heat register. This will dry the natural oils in the materials, causing it to dry and crack.

### **Skate Blade Care**

- Hard Skate guards should always be worn when not on the ice to protect the sharpening & integrity of your blades.
- Always wipe the moisture off your blades. As the blades warm up you will need to wipe them again to make sure they are dry. Wet blades rust.
- Use soft blade covers to protect your blades between skating.

**This Contract shall be binding and effective for the 2024-25 membership year of SVFS Club.**