
REVOLUTIONS NEWSLETTER

December 2004

A word from the Editors:

Hi All!

Well, the end of the year is here and what a year it has been. There have been changes in the Rink management and also in the Club Executive.

A great big thank-you to all our skaters for their support throughout the year.

May 2005 see success and enjoyment for everyone.

Regards,

Pippa & Tara

CHRISTMAS BREAKUP!!!!

**WHERE: The Rocks Park
Seventeen Mile Rocks**

**WHEN: Sunday 19th December 2004
at 8am**

**WHAT TO BRING:
Food, Drinks, Chairs, Tables, All that
picnic stuff and a fun attitude**

Just to let everyone know that this year we are going to be having our break up at the above details. This is for all skaters, parents, friends and coaches. We hope this will be a fun and active day for all involved. It will be at Shelter 4. Please look and I'm sure you will find everyone

Remember Christmas only comes once a year and this is a time to celebrate a wonderful skating year for all and a time to come together as a club and have some Christmas fun and cheer!

CHANGES TO RINK MANAGEMENT AND CLUB TRAINING TIMES AND LESSON COSTS

With the change in rink management, there will be corresponding changes to the hours that the Club is entitled to train, the costs for lessons (and how you pay) and the training fee you will be expected to pay.

The Rink has advised the Executive that they will provide the Club with the following training times:

Monday	4pm - 9pm
Wednesday	4pm - 7:30pm
Saturday	7:30am - 9am

The Club will now be responsible for paying the Rink for these hours of floor time. Accordingly, each Club member will need to pay training fees to the Club, to ensure that we have training time to use.

The only class that will be continuing is the **Figures Class 6:30am - 7:30am Saturday**, as this time has been granted to the Club free of charge and as such is affordable.

Please make sure you read the back page of your Membership Application to see what your obligations regarding training fees for 2005 will be.

For many skaters the new structure should bring about a decrease in the floor hire fees that they pay per week.

These changes will come into effect on 1 March 2005.

Please see your Executive prior to renewing your membership if you have any questions.

UPCOMING FEES

Training Fees

All Club members will be required to pay their training fees for 2005. Please see the note about this elsewhere in this newsletter.

Skate Australia

Your Skate Australia Membership Fee remains unchanged from 2004 and will fall due 1 January 2005.

In order to be covered by insurance at training you must be a current Skate Australia member. The Club will be entitled to refuse you entry to the skating surface if your membership is not current.

Snr Competitive - \$77

Jnr Competitive - \$71.50

Social Competitive - \$49.50

Skater Achiever - \$17.50

NOTE: All SAP Members who joined for Showskate have valid 2005 SA memberships & need only renew their Club Memberships in January.

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You will also need to renew your Club Membership; again the fees are unchanged from 2004.

Please see Briony Beckett – Registrar for your forms.

Family - \$65.00

Single - \$32.50

Peter Brlec

The Peter Brlec seminar will be run 14-16 January 2005. If you intend to do this Seminar, you **MUST** be a current Skate Australia & Club Member.

This Seminar is open to HPC, Development Squad, Advanced & Secondary League skaters. There will be no Private lessons at this Seminar, only classes.

The anticipated cost is \$60/skater.

A NOTE ABOUT THE WEBSITE

Our Website is now up and running.

Please check it out at:

www.geocities.com/revolutions_rsci

If you are mentioned on the site and your details are not there – please forward them to Stephanie (swan_is@inet.net.au).

If you are interested in receiving our email reminders and electronic communications – please visit our Webgroups page and sign up:

<http://sports.groups.yahoo.com/group/RevolutionsRSCI/>

If you have feedback about either of these sites, please let Stephanie know.

WORLDS 2004

We welcome home Phillipa Wan and Karen Clough from their journey to California for 2004 Worlds.

Junior Ladies Figures:-

Phillipa Wan – 24th

Megan Tonkin – 25th

Total in Event – 33

Senior Ladies Figures:-

Karen Clough – 13th

Tamera Russell – 14th

Rachel Tonkin – 21st

Snr International

Precision:-

Skate Australia – 8th



Congratulations to all our country's top skaters! For more info, placements, and photos, ect. Jump online and see Jayson Sutcliffe's site, its all there:-

www.jaysonsutcliffe.com

SKATER OF THE MONTH – SHOWSKATE 2004

This month goes to Gemma Adcock for Her wonderful performances at the recent Showskate.

Gemma skated in 4 wonderful routines, including a solo routine, a pairs routine with Courtney McManus, the Dwarves Small Group routine and the Car Wash Large Group routine.

Gemma was a very dedicated team member of both her groups routines and attended her training sessions every week. A great big thank-you to her family too for their support in enabling her to attend these sessions and ensure her outstanding performances.

Congratulations Gemma!!!!



CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to all skaters, and their families, for all the wonderful achievements that Revolutions has seen this year.

We all look forward to an even more rewarding and successful year in 2005.

We hope to see each and every one of you there.

**HAVE A HAPPY & SAFE
CHRISTMAS & NEW YEAR**

CLUB MEMBER OF THE YEAR!!!



The Revolutions Executive Committee is proud to present our Club Member of the Year:-

GILLIAN HILLIER

We would like to congratulate Gillian for her outstanding commitment to the Club this year, above and beyond the call of duty. She has been a successful competitive member, a brilliant coach and a dedicated executive member, writing the club newsletter up until our AGM in October (not forgetting she's also a wonderful mother to Sam). Further to this, she has rounded off her year with a supreme effort in coordinating the Club's showskate routines. Gillian's fantastic choreography incorporated skaters of all abilities and encouraged 14 new skaters to join our Club.

A perpetual trophy has been made to honour Gillian and will be presented at the Club Break-up.

Thank-you Gillian!!

RESULTS!!!

SHOWSKATE 2004

A huge congratulations to all the Revolutions skaters who took part in the Showskate, it was a spectacular event.

Special mentions to the following skaters, who placed in their respective events:-

Amy Keating
Brett Campbell
Channa Adcock
Chelsea Bedford-Brinkman
Courtney McManus
Courtney Warner
Daniel Adcock
Emily Huggill
Fran Housego
Gabby Hollands-Smith
Gemma Adcock
Gillian Hillier
Jacqui Brialey
Jade Grambower
Jake Rawlins
Jamayma Rawlins
Jamie-Lee Hume
Jayden Reinke
Jillian Stokes
Josie Rawlins
Kathleen Housego
Kelsey Swart
Kiara Tucker
Kirra Goodie
Laura Bailey
Michael Adcock
Miranda Huggill
Mitchell Warner
Naomi Stokes
Nicole Rawlins
Paris Kenealy
Phillipa Wan
Rachel Howard
Rhiannon Grambower
Sharni Kozubek
Stephanie Kozubek
Tom Housego
Tristian Stacey
Zac Reinke

**Congratulations everyone who
took part in the 2004
Showskate.**

Your Club is proud of you!!!

BRONZE SILVER & GOLD TEST

Congratulations to all the Revolutions Skaters who prepared for and skated tests at Runaway Bay on Sun 12 December.

Congratulations to the following skaters who passed their tests:

Figures No. 1 (Bronze)

Wendy Robertson

Figures No. 3 (Bronze)

Rhiannon Grambower

Figures No.7 (Silver)

Jade Grambower

Figures No. 8 (Silver)

Skye McManus

Figures No. 11 (Gold)

Phillipa Wan

Freeskating No. 2 (Bronze)

Rhiannon Grambower

Freeskating No. 4 (Silver)

Amy Keating

Skye McManus

Dance No. 6 (Silver)

Geraldine Barnes-Hampton

Monique Dixon

Dance No. 8 (Silver Medal)

Daniel Balmer

Solo Dance No. 1 (Bronze)

Wendy Robertson

Solo Dance No. 6 (Silver)

Courtney McManus

Solo Dance No. 11 (Gold)

Phillipa Wan

Precision No. 1 (Bronze Medal)

Jacqui Brialey

Adam Clough

Gillian Hillier

Rachel Howard

Amelia Keating

Nicole Kozubek

Sharni Kozubek

Stephanie Kozubek

Samantha Russell

Phillipa Wan

Stephanie Wan

STATE TRACKSUITS

All State Tracksuits returned for zips and embroidery have now been fixed and returned to the Club. Please see Bev Wan to collect them.

OFFICIALS GENERAL PRINCIPLES SEMINAR

The Officiating General Principles course (discussed at CAOC meeting) has been set for Sunday 20 February 2005, commencing at 9am and finishing at approximately 5pm.

Morning and afternoon tea will be provided but each participant is required to bring their own lunch.

The cost of this course is being met by the Qld Artistic Committee. This is the only course that the Qld Artistic Committee will be running at their expense - if you are unable to attend you will be required to arrange for your own attendance at another course at your own expense.

All officials must complete this course.

Anyone who wishes to become an official must also complete this course before they can be awarded their commission.

Please confirm your attendance at this course (by email) by 21 January 2005. Email should be sent to Kathleen McPhail at:

kathleen.mcphail@nrm.qld.gov.au

Also a reminder that all officials should hold current "Blue Cards" signifying that they have completed a Working With Children Check.

JAYSON SUTTCLIFFE ROLLABOI

World Champion Freeskater (Quad & Inline), Jayson Suttcliffe, has released a book describing his career and experiences. It is available from selected bookstores and can also be ordered from his website:

<http://www.jaysonsuttcliffe.com/>

PROPOSED ARTISTIC CALENDAR 2005

The Proposed Artistic Calendar for 2005 is available on the Club noticeboard at Digi. The dates are not yet confirmed, if you are aware of any major errors or clashes, please advise your Club executive.

2005 NATIONALS REQUIREMENTS (DRAFT)

These requirements are now available – all Coaches have been provided with these, so please see your coach.

CLUB CONTACT DETAILS

If you need to contact anyone in the Executive, you can use the following contact details:-

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