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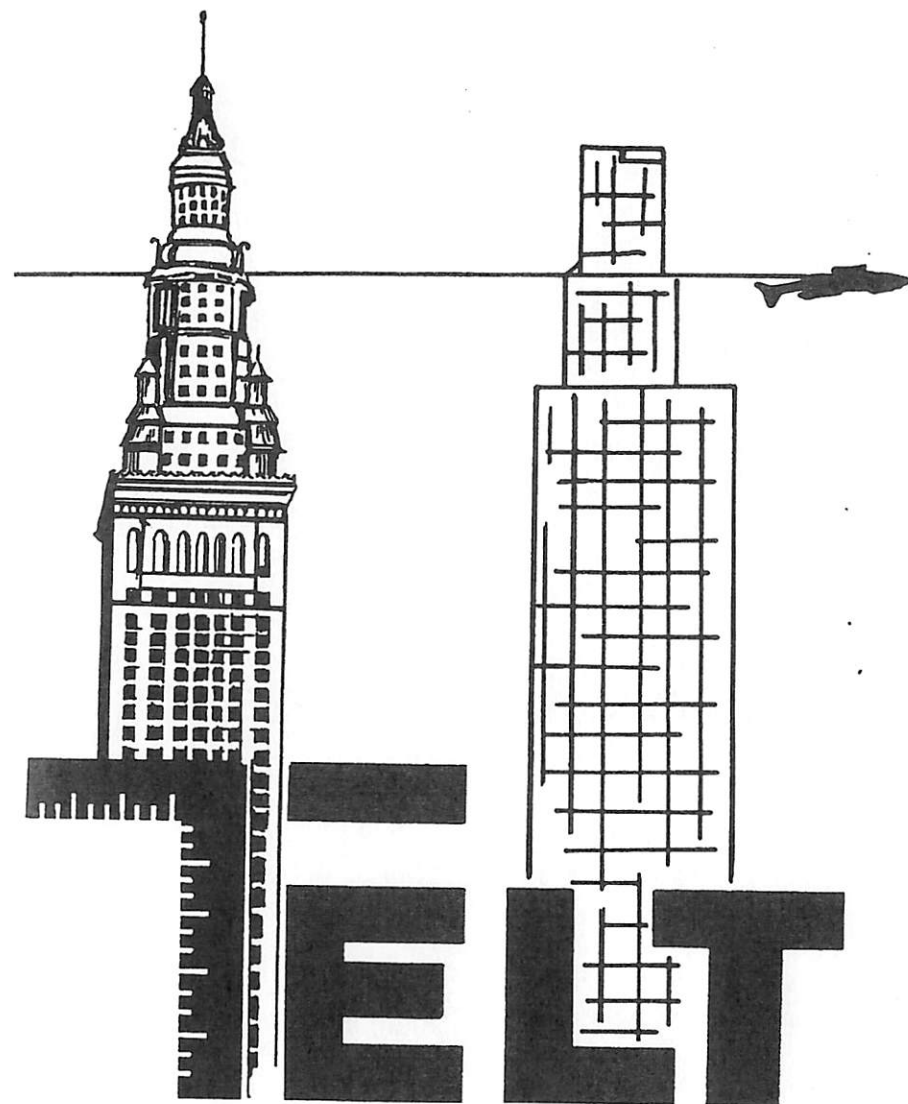


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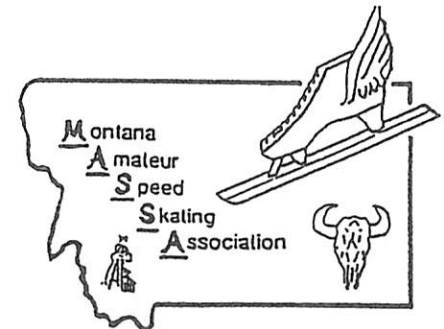
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FOREWORD

The changes made at the 1995 ASU Convention in Danvers, Massachusetts, and in 1996 at Bloomington, Minnesota, are incorporated in this 1996–1997 edition of the ASU Speedskating Handbook.

As I have done for many years, I am very pleased to thank Bill and Linda Houghton for their scrupulous work on proofreading. Their patience and talents are amazing. To differentiate between colons, semi-colons and commas and periods and “i” next to “I” takes a lot of patience and a keen eye. Of course, most of their corrections consist of missing words, misspellings and other such changes. Bill enjoys coming up to me with a smile on his face and a large fanfold printout of all of their discoveries. I do appreciate it and it saves me a lot of time. Frankly, even with the time I wouldn’t find everything that Bill and Linda do. My eyes and patience have seen better days.

Chuck Moore again did his thorough job checking the changes to the Constitution, By-Laws and Racing Rules. His recollections of what actually was meant by a change proposal as amended during the hurly-burly of the convention is indispensable.

Larry Ralston put order into the Medallion and Medal report. Spherical trigonometry was a soft touch compared to keeping the medal sponsors straight.

Jim Chapin came through with a corrected version of a clerking procedure and another Missourian, Susan Jarrett promptly checked maddening detail on pages of records and championship listings. Her work starts early in struggling to get meet records and surveyors certifications. In addition to the incredible and maddening detail in the records section, Susan, as chairman of the Scholarship Committee, keeps track of the various donations made to the ASU Scholarship Fund.

One person who I did not thank in the last book and should not be forgotten now is Chuck Kazmierski. As Advertising Director, he sent out hundreds of solicitations to obtain funds to help pay for the publication of this handbook. I believe that I may have overlooked John McGill several issues ago who also helped immeasurably. I apologize for these oversights. Since I had done fund raising myself for many years on cycling and skating books, my mind went blank when I thought about fund raising. It was just natural that it would be there.

Thanks again to all who helped.

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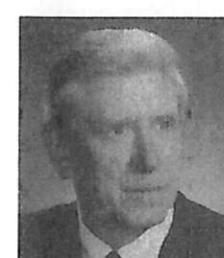
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OHIO-State of Ohio.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA-State of California south of the 36th Parallel.

WESTERN NEW YORK-Western New York area and all of the State of Pennsylvania west of Interstate 219.

WISCONSIN-State of Wisconsin except Douglas County, Burnett, Pierce, Polk and St. Croix Counties.

ARTICLE VI. SUSPENSION OR EXPULSION OF MEMBERS

1. Any Association violating the provisions of the Constitution, By-Laws, or Rules of this Union, or any Article of Alliance or refusing to abide by any decision of the Board of Control or of a majority of the members of this Union, may be suspended or expelled by a two-thirds vote of the Board of Control, and its territory assigned to another Association. By a like vote, such Association may be again reinstated or readmitted with or without modifications of the territory under its jurisdiction.
2. In the event that any member of this Union becomes inactive or its individual members or the number of individuals represented by club membership therein numbers less than fifty, its membership in this Union shall, at the discretion of two-thirds of the Board of Control, cease and its territory may be re-allocated.

ARTICLE VII. POWERS AND OBLIGATIONS OF MEMBER ASSOCIATIONS

1. Associations in this Union shall be composed of amateur clubs or individuals interested in skating and whose Constitutions and By-Laws shall not conflict with that of this Union.
2. They shall have absolute jurisdiction and control over amateur speed skating in the territory allotted to them by this Union with power to grant and issue sanctions for contests in their own territory, except National and North American Championships.
3. Associations shall see that an ASU registration card is issued to each of their own individual members in good standing. Such card shall be used for identification purposes and shall contain the ASU registration number and an expiration date. The National office of ASU may assist the Associations in this registration process. This card shall be accepted by all Associations of the Union as prima-facie evidence of the individual's registration eligibility.
4. Suspensions of individual members by any active Association shall be recognized by all Associations.
5. Associations in this Union shall adopt the regulations stated herein relating to skating eligibility. Adoption by reference is permissible.
6. In all cases wherein an insurance claim has been made against a member association or club which results in additional expenses under the Union's liability policy for which the Union is billed, those expenses shall be borne by and paid by the party or parties against whom the claim has been made. If the claim is against more than one party covered by said policy, the expenses shall be divided equally between them.

ARTICLE VIII. REPRESENTATION AT MEETINGS

1. Active Associations and allied members shall be entitled to be represented at every meeting of this Union by three delegates who shall have one (1) vote collectively.
2. The vote to which an Association is entitled may be cast by a lesser number of delegates and in case the delegates of any Association differ on any question, the vote of their Association shall be cast proportionately by the delegates present.
3. All delegates must reside in the territory of and be members in good standing of their respective Associations, and the names and addresses of the appointed delegates and of their alternates shall be certified by the President or Secretary of the Associations and filed with the Executive Secretary of the Union at least five days before the meeting.
4. No delegate shall be eligible to vote at any meeting if the organization he represents has been suspended or expelled.
5. In the event of the death, resignation or removal of any delegate, the vote may be cast by the remaining delegates or his alternate, or the Association may appoint his successor.

ARTICLE IX. GOVERNMENT

1. The Government of the Union shall be vested in a Board of Control. The membership (and votes) of which shall be:
 - a. One representative selected by each active Association (one vote each),
 - b. Past Union Presidents (one collective vote). A past president participating in this vote cannot vote additionally in any other capacity.
 - c. A representative from the U.S. International Speedskating Association (one vote).
 - d. One skaters' representative (one vote).
2. The President shall be Chairman of the Board of Control and, in his absence, the Vice Presidents in their order.
3. All members of the Board of Control (except the delegate from the USISA) must maintain current registration with the Union and active membership in the association having jurisdiction for the address of domicile.

ARTICLE X. OFFICERS

1. The active officers of this Union shall consist of a President, three Vice Presidents, an Executive Secretary, and a Treasurer all of whom shall be members in good standing in their Association.
2. The President and the Vice Presidents shall be elected by ballot by a majority of the votes cast by delegates to the annual meeting of the Union, and shall serve for a term of two years, or until their successors are duly elected.
3. The Executive Secretary shall be elected or re-elected by the Board of Control at each annual meeting and shall serve at the pleasure of the Board of Control. An annual contract fee shall be determined by the Board of Control.

**ASU CONSTITUTION
AMATEUR SPEEDSKATING UNION
OF THE UNITED STATES**

ARTICLE I. NAME

The name of this organization shall be Amateur Speedskating Union of the United States hereinafter referred to as the "Union" or ASU.

ARTICLE II. PURPOSE AND OBJECTIVES

The purpose and objectives of the Union shall be to encourage, advance, improve and control amateur speed skating in all its branches throughout the United States; to instruct and train boys and girls and men and women; to develop and improve their capabilities in the amateur sport of speed skating; to encourage, promote, educate, control and develop competitive speed skating; to encourage participation in the amateur sport of speed skating and by so doing, combat juvenile delinquency and promote outdoor winter sports and competition; to lessen the burdens of government in furnishing recreational and competitive participation and to develop by these means excellence in national and international competition.

ARTICLE III. MEMBERSHIP

The membership shall consist of Associations with the jurisdiction and territory specified; also of allied organizations and such other associations as may from time to time be admitted to active membership in or alliance with this Union as hereinafter provided.

ARTICLE IV. NEW MEMBERS

1. New active associations and allied members may be admitted at any time by a two-thirds vote of the Board of Control or by a two-thirds vote of the delegates present at an annual meeting of the Union, upon written application to the Executive Secretary of the Union and the submission of the following:
 - a. Its name.
 - b. The number of its members.
 - c. The reasons why membership is desired.
 - d. The territory it desires and whether same has been allotted to any other association.
 - e. A statement that if admitted it will uphold the Constitution and By-Laws, enforce the rules of the Union, and accept and enforce the decisions of the Board of Control.
 - f. Submission of ten (10) copies of its Constitution and By-Laws for approval by the Legislative Committee.
 - g. Deposit of dues.
2. If any part of the territory applied for has been allotted to another member, the Secretary of the latter shall also be sent a copy of said application.

3. No action shall be taken thereon until after the lapse of thirty days from the mailing of copies of said application.
4. Objections, if any, to said application, must be filed with the Executive Secretary before the expiration of thirty days and copies of such objections supplied the Executive Secretary for mailing to the applicant and to the members of the Board of Control.
5. Written notice of the approval or rejection of the new member shall be mailed to the applicant and to the Secretaries of all members of the Union within ten days thereafter.
6. Members admitted to the Union later than thirty days prior to the annual meeting shall have no vote at that meeting.

ARTICLE V. CHANGES IN TERRITORY

1. All changes in territory shall require approval by two-thirds vote of the Board of Control or of the delegates present at the annual meeting.
2. Applications for such changes must be made in writing to the Executive Secretary and the Secretary of the affected Association, and the procedure shall be as specified in Article IV.
3. Approved Associations' Boundries are as follows:

AMATEUR SKATING ASSOCIATION OF ILLINOIS-State of Illinois excluding Madison and St. Clair Counties, and including Lake County, Indiana.

COLORADO-State of Colorado.

GREATER MINNESOTA-State of Minnesota, State of North Dakota, State of South Dakota and Douglas, Burnett, Pierce, St. Croix and Polk Counties in Wisconsin.

IOWA-State of Iowa.

MARYLAND-State of Maryland, State of Virginia, State of Delaware, District of Columbia and the State of Pennsylvania south of Interstate 80 and east of Interstate 219.

MICHIGAN-State of Michigan.

MIDDLE ATLANTIC-State of New Jersey and the following counties in the State of New York: Bronx, Broome, Chenango, Cortland, Delaware, Dutchess, Kings, Nassau, New York, Orange, Otsego, Putnam, Queens, Richmond, Rockland, Schoharie, Suffolk, Sullivan, Ulster, Westchester; Litchfield, Fairfield and New Haven Counties in Connecticut and all counties in Pennsylvania east of Interstate 219 and north of Interstate 80.

MISSOURI-State of Missouri, Madison and St. Clair Counties in Illinois, and Douglas, Johnson, Leavenworth, Shawnee and Wyandotte counties in Kansas.

MONTANA-State of Montana.

NORTHEAST-State of Massachusetts except Berkshire County, State of Rhode Island, State of New Hampshire, State of Vermont except Western Vermont, easterly to Route 7 to Route 100 to the Canadian border, State of Maine, and the State of Connecticut, except Litchfield, Fairfield and New Haven Counties.

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA-State of California north of the 36th Parallel.

NORTHERN NEW YORK-Berkshire County in Massachusetts and the following counties in the State of New York: Rensselaer, Albany,

4. The Treasurer shall be elected or re-elected by the Board of Control at the annual meeting. An annual contract fee shall be determined by the Board of Control.
5. All past Presidents of this Union shall automatically become Honorary Presidents during their lives. Nothing herein, however, shall prevent the election of an Honorary President to any office or prevent said person being a delegate or member of the Board of Control.
6. In the event of a vacancy in the office of the Executive Secretary or Treasurer, the Board of Control shall select a temporary successor to serve until the next annual meeting.
7. In the event of a vacancy in the office of President or of a Vice President, the Vice Presidents in their order shall automatically fill the vacancy with all the powers and duties pertaining to the office.
8. Officers may be elected and members of committees appointed without being present at the annual meeting.
9. Qualification for election to an office:
 - a. To be nominated for election to the office of President or Vice President of the ASU, the candidate shall have demonstrated qualifications listed below:
 - (1) Shall have been active at the ASU or national level for a minimum of three years.
 - (2) Shall have attended a minimum of two annual conventions.
 - (3) Shall have served either as a national official, ASU Committee Chairman, Board of Control member or as a national level committee member for a minimum of two years.
 - b. To be nominated for the office of President, the candidate shall have served as Vice President in at least one category in addition to meeting the above.
 - c. The Nominating Committee shall verify that these criteria are met. Nominations from the floor shall be permitted but held in abeyance until the Nominating Committee verifies the qualifications.
 - d. The Nominating Committee may recommend waiving these criteria if conditions warrant. The delegates may accept the recommendation by a two-thirds vote.

ARTICLE XI. UNION EMPLOYEES

The ASU has no employees. All persons engaging in ASU activities and events are volunteers. The Board of Control, subject to prior budget allocations, may contract with vendors or other third parties for services. The Board of Control may delegate this authority to the Executive Committee for short term needs.

ARTICLE XII. QUORUM

A quorum for meetings of the Union or the Board of Control shall consist of the representatives duly selected by at least five active member Associations in good standing, present in person.

ARTICLE XIII. AMENDMENTS

This Constitution may be altered or amended at any annual or special meeting of the Union at which a quorum is present or by mail vote by a vote of two-thirds of the delegates present or of the members voting by mail; provided, however, that a notice setting forth the proposed alteration or amendment shall have been mailed to the Secretary of each allied and active member of the Union at least thirty days prior to the date of such meeting or to the date of the mail vote. Interpretation of the intent or language of the Constitution shall be decided by a majority vote of the Board of Control using Robert's Rules of Order (Revised) as a guide in determining parliamentary practice.

BY-LAWS
AMATEUR SPEEDSKATING UNION
OF THE UNITED STATES

ARTICLE I. DUTIES OF OFFICERS

1. The President of the Union shall preside at all meetings, issue the calls for the annual and special meetings, appoint committees and perform all the duties pertaining to the office of the President. Whenever the Union is entitled to representation by an allied member, the President shall appoint such representatives.
2. The President shall submit an operating budget for the succeeding year to the Board of Control at each annual meeting.
3. The President shall select the chief officials to officiate at National and North American Championships. He shall select only the Chief Referee for the National Marathon Championships.
4. The Vice Presidents in their order shall perform all the duties of the President in the absence, inability, or refusal of the President, and when so acting shall have all the powers of the President. In addition:
 - a. The 1st Vice President shall be responsible for the function and performance of Legislative and Financial Committee activities.
 - b. The 2nd Vice President shall be responsible for Racing, Awards, and Records Committee activities.
 - c. The 3rd Vice President shall be responsible for Registration, Racing Blade Publication, and Promotional activities.Each Vice President shall coordinate and monitor the efforts of Committee Chairmen within their respective areas of responsibility.
5. The Executive Secretary shall keep a record of the minutes of all meetings of this Union, shall send out all notices of meetings of this Union and notify the Secretary of each active and allied member of this Union of meetings to be held, shall conduct all correspondence and shall function as the national office of the Union.
6. The Treasurer shall keep the accounts and financial records of the Union, receive all money and pay all bills as approved by the President, make an itemized statement of the financial condition of the Union quarterly or whenever else called upon by any of the officers, submit and turn over to the Finance Committee, whenever called upon to do so, all accounts, books, papers, vouchers and records pertaining to the office, turn the same over to his successor, and perform all the duties relating to the office as required by the Constitution and By-Laws. The Treasurer shall be bonded at the expense of the Union, as approved by the President.

**ARTICLE II. DUTIES AND POWERS OF THE
BOARD OF CONTROL**

The Board of Control shall:

1. Have full control and management of all the affairs of this Union.
2. Enforce and construe the Constitution, By-Laws, Rules and Regulations, and impose penalties for violations thereof.

3. Decide all questions affecting skating.
4. Hear and decide all appeals, protests, and complaints.
5. Have power by two-thirds vote to suspend, expel, or otherwise discipline any Association or member thereof or any officer or member of the Board of Control.
6. Have power by two-thirds vote to remove any suspension or remit any penalty.
7. Have power by two-thirds vote to fill any vacancy among the officers or in the Board of Control when the latter is not promptly filled by the Association entitled to representation therein.
8. Approve all skating records.
9. Grant sanctions for championships, as hereinafter provided by the By-Laws.
10. Adopt, amend, or rescind rules and regulations governing the manner and method of conducting contests, provide and define the qualifications of all contestants; reject any entries if deemed objectionable, and may delegate this power to its representatives in charge thereof.
11. Annually appoint qualified persons to the National Officials Lists of Chief Referees, Assistant Referees, Chief Starters, Assistant Starters, Chief Clerks of Course, Assistant Clerks of Course and Chief Judges.
12. Appoint an Editor of the Racing Blade newsletter.
13. Appoint an Editor of the ASU Handbook.
14. Appoint a Commissioner of Racing Officials.
15. Appoint a National Recorder who will be responsible for issuing record certificates and for compiling and maintaining records.
16. Appoint four members to the USISA Board of Directors and four members to its President's Advisory Board.
 - a. Appointments will be made by selecting those eight applicants who received the most votes on a ballot prepared by the Executive Secretary listing applicants who have submitted their names by April 1.
 - b. A ballot will be sent to each association by May 1 for its consideration and direction to its Board of Control member. The ballot must be cast in person at the Convention for up to eight different candidates. No mail votes will be allowed.
 - c. The four members who received the most votes will be members of the Board of Directors. The remaining four will be members of the President's Advisory Board.
 - d. In the event of a vacancy in any of the eight offices on either of the USISA Boards, the President shall appoint the person who received the next highest vote total at the previous election. Should this person be unable to serve, the next highest vote total recipient shall be appointed. This appointment shall be subject to approval by the Board of Control. Should there be no one eligible under these guidelines, the President may make an interim appointment from those expressing interest in the position. In such a situation, an election shall be held as soon as possible to fill the vacant position. The appointee shall assume position No. 8

with all others moving up.

17. Review, revise if necessary, and approve the budget in its final form.
18. Make a full report through the Executive Secretary at the annual meetings of its proceedings during the previous year.
19. Have appellate jurisdiction of all matters taken to it by appeal by any individual member of any association or by any association which is a member hereof and its decision thereon shall be final.
20. Have the power for the purpose of determining such appeals to issue through the Executive Secretary to the several parties and witnesses its citation to appear at the hearing with the records and papers involved in the case. The President shall appoint three members of the Board of Control as a committee to investigate any appeal, protest, complaint, or other matter, and to report findings to the Executive Secretary who shall thereupon submit said report to the Board of Control for its decision.
21. Require all charges, complaints, and appeals to be written, sworn to, and filed with the Executive Secretary, with copies for the members of the Board. At least thirty (30) days notice of charges, complaints, and appeals, with copies thereof, must be given to persons or associations against whom same are made or from whom an appeal is taken and a full hearing granted with opportunity to refute, defend, or answer same. The Board may require sworn written answers or defenses.
22. Have such other and general powers as may be necessary to properly manage the affairs of this Union.

ARTICLE III. COMMITTEES

1. The President, with the approval of the Board of Control, shall, at the annual meeting thereof, appoint the Chairman and members of the following Standing Committees with such powers and duties subject to such rules and regulations as the Board may determine, with full power to remove any member thereof for cause: Auditing, Finance, Fund Development, Legislative, Racing, Records, Electronic Timing, Coaching, Training Seminar, Growth & Development, Nominating, Medallion and Medal Trust Fund.
2. A standing Hall of Fame Committee consisting of five (5) members elected to staggered five (5) year terms shall be responsible for establishing the criteria for consideration as a nominee for the Hall of Fame and for soliciting, screening and nominating skaters and non-skaters for election to the Hall of Fame by the convention delegates.

The Hall of Fame Facilities Director, elected to a five (5) year term, shall be responsible for establishing, gathering display material and maintaining a Speedskating Hall of Fame with the advice and consent of the Hall of Fame Committee.

The Hall of Fame Committee and the Facilities Director shall remain the instrument of and under the full jurisdiction of the ASU convention of delegates.

Each year the four (4) members whose terms are not expiring shall act as a nominating committee for the fifth member and every five (5) years for the

Hall of Fame Facilities Director. Election shall be at the annual convention by the convention of delegates. Re-election to an additional term is permitted only once.

The Hall of Fame Committee shall elect its own chairman annually.

Committee members who have retired from an active role shall continue indefinitely as honorary committee members and function in an advisory capacity without vote.

3. A USISA Board Members Committee consisting of eight members will be elected every two years by the Board of Control for membership on the USISA Board of Directors and its President's Advisory Board.
 - a. The members of this committee will attend at least two of the major USISA meetings each year and will represent the position of the ASU in all intercourse with the USISA. Guidance during the year will be provided by the ASU Executive Committee.
 - b. The committee will elect its own chairman who will file an annual report with the Executive Secretary by May 1, reporting on the attendance of committee members at USISA meetings, problems that have arisen affecting the ASU and solutions to these, if any.
 - c. ASU Executive Committee members or their spouses are not eligible to run for the USISA Boards through the ASU during their term of office.
4. The President may also at any time appoint such other Committees with such powers and duties as he may deem necessary.
5. The Executive Committee of the Board of Control shall consist of the President, all Vice-Presidents, the Executive Secretary and the Treasurer.
 - a. It shall have power to enforce rules and regulations and to decide financial and procedural matters requiring immediate attention, and enforce preservation of order and obedience for the success of the Union.
 - b. A quorum will consist of three members.
 - c. It shall file a brief, written report of all decisions to each Association within thirty (30) days of each meeting, and a full, written Annual Report for review by the Board of Control at the Annual Meeting.
 - d. No action of the Executive Committee may be taken contrary to the ASU Constitution or By-Laws of the Union.
6. The President is an ex-officio member of all committees except the Nominating Committee and the Hall of Fame Committee.
7. Duties of Committees:
 - a. The Finance Committee shall review the financial condition of the Union, review the fee structure, and prepare an operating budget for inclusion in the annual agenda. The budget shall include all projected disbursements and anticipated revenues to achieve a balanced budget.
 - b. The Auditing Committee.
 - c. The Fund Development Committee.
 - d. The Legislative Committee shall have the following duties pertaining to the Constitution and By-Laws:

- (1) Generate change proposals as needed.
 - (2) Review all change proposals.
 - (3) Conduct committee meeting at convention to review proposals and present recommendations to the assembled delegates.
 - (4) Interpret Constitution and By-Laws, if requested by the President or Executive Committee.
 - (5) Conduct work throughout the year by phone or mail.
- e. The Racing Committee.
- f. The Tracks and Distances Committee.
- g. The Records Committee shall:
- (1) Accept applications for record times skated at the North American Long Track Championships and the North American Short Track Championships (when skated in the U.S.A.) and the National Long Track Championships and the National Short Track Championships.
 - (2) Verify the application time as correct in accordance with ASU rules on timing and track survey.
 - (3) Present record times to the Board of Control for acceptance at the annual convention.
 - (4) Keep records current.
 - (5) Provide a copy of the current records to the meet director of each upcoming championship.
 - (6) Send copies of the record applications to the CASSA office with a copy of the accepted Record Times for the North American Championships when held in the U.S.
- h. The Growth and Development Committee shall:
- (1) Be a resource center for development of new speedskating organizations.
 - (2) Prepare, develop and gather printed material, films and videos to assist in promoting the growth of the sport throughout the U.S.
 - (3) Conduct on-site seminars on organizing associations and clubs.
 - (4) Prepare a report for the annual convention including a novice report, new areas of interest and seminars conducted.
- i. The Nominating Committee shall:
- (1) Recruit and nominate candidates for all elective offices in the ASU.
 - (2) Verify that candidates meet criteria established in the Constitution, Article X, Para.9.
 - (3) Conduct balloting at the convention or by mail for the skaters' representative.
- j. The Hall of Fame Committee shall:
- (1) Accept applications for Skaters and Contributors to the Sport for election to the Hall of Fame (see forms in Hall of Fame section).
 - (2) Screen applications and verify qualifications.
 - (3) Review the names of Skaters and Contributors to the Sport for inclu-

sion in the Hall of Fame based on the following:

- (a) Their contributions occurred more than twenty (20) years prior to the current year.
 - (b) They have never been nominated in the past and they meet the criteria for selection.
- (4) Select as many nominees for election to membership in the Speedskating Hall of Fame as the committee may feel is necessary.
 - (5) Present nominations to the annual convention of delegates for election to membership in the Hall of Fame.
 - (6) If an applicant is not selected by the committee after five (5) years from the date of application, the applicant shall no longer be considered. However, upon supplying additional qualifying information, such application may be re-submitted.
 - (7) The Facilities Director shall:
 - (a) Serve as liaison between the ASU and the Hall of Fame.
 - (b) Insure that the desires of the ASU are carried out by the operators of the Hall of Fame.
 - (c) Annually report to the convention of delegates on the operation maintenance and use of the Hall of Fame.
 - (d) Recommend to the convention of delegates any improvements or changes necessary to enhance Hall of Fame operations and use.
- k. The Medallion and Medal Trust Fund Committee shall:
- (1) Actively seek donors and sponsors to establish an endowment to help defray the expenses for medallions and medals for championship events.
 - (2) Establish sponsorship programs and fees.
 - (3) Direct the investment of funds by the ASU Treasurer. Funds shall be maintained in a separate account and income only can be used for award expenses. Principal shall not be used.
- l. The USISA Board Members Committee shall have the following minimum duties:
- (1) Each member shall attend at least two major USISA meetings and the ASU Convention each year at his own expense.
 - (2) Shall seek USISA committee appointments.
 - (3) Shall diligently work for the good of USISA, the ASU and all of speedskating.
 - (4) Shall keep the ASU advised of all matters affecting the ASU and skaters.
- m. The Electronic Timing Committee shall see that electronic timing (digital and/or photographic readout) support is provided at the National and North American Championships. Additionally, it shall supply appropriate

documentation to the Records Committee to help validate new records.

- n. The Coaching Committee shall promote the application of sport and coaching sciences to the coaching of ASU registered speed skaters as practiced by ASU member associations and all ASU registered individuals within the limits of its charter as revised on May 19, 1996.
- o. The Training Seminar Committee shall conduct speedskating training seminars as needed for the development of ASU registered speedskaters and within the limits of its charter as adopted on May 17, 1992 and amended May 19, 1996.
- p. The Scholarship Fund Committee shall:
 - (1) Each year determine the number and amount of scholarships.
 - (2) Accept applications from skaters.
 - (3) Screen applications and choose recipients.
 - (4) Send name(s) of recipients to the ASU National Office thirty (30) days prior to the ASU Conventions.

ARTICLE IV. MEETINGS

- 1. An annual convention of delegates of the active Associations shall be convened at the annual meeting to hear reports from the officers and committees and to take action and make recommendations for final action by the Board of Control. The annual convention shall be regularly scheduled in May, the weekend after Mother's Day.
- 2. Bids for the annual Convention shall be placed in nomination at the opening session of the Convention and shall be closed at the end of the last session of the second day. The bids shall be for the meeting three (3) years from the convention at which they were submitted. Presentations shall be made the day prior to the Board of Control meeting discussing location, hotel facilities, transportation, nearby attractions, etc. Should no site be selected, selection shall be postponed until the following convention. Should no site be selected for the immediately following convention, bids may be invited for submission by mail and the Secretary shall conduct a mail vote of the Board of Control members during the month of November to determine the site.
- 3. A special meeting of the Union shall be called by the President whenever requested by a written request of seven Board of Control members setting forth the purpose for which the meeting is desired. Notice of special meetings shall be mailed by the Executive Secretary to the Secretary of each active and allied member at least fifteen days prior to the date of holding said meeting and such notice shall state the object thereof.
- 4. Meetings of the Board of Control shall be convened at the time of the annual meeting. The meeting shall be open to the public. The President may close the meeting with the consent of the Board only if spectator action makes it difficult for the Board to do its work. Only members of the Board of Control, the officers of the Union, and individuals specifically invited by the presiding officer may actively participate.
- 5. Special Meetings of the Board of Control may be called at any time by the President, only upon the written request of three members of the Board of

Control. At least fifteen days notice of special meetings shall be mailed by the Executive Secretary to each member of the Board, stating the object thereof and the time and place of holding same.

- 6. A majority of all votes cast shall decide all questions at meetings of the Union, and of the Board of Control at which a quorum is present, except where otherwise specified in the Constitution and By-Laws. Roll call voting of the Board of Control shall be done by random order selection using pre-recorded random listings.
- 7. The presiding Officer may cast a vote at meetings of the Union if he is a delegate. He may also cast one vote at the meetings of the Board of Control if he is a member thereof representing his Association. He shall also have one vote as presiding officer in the event of a tie.
- 8. No proxies shall be voted at any meetings.
- 9. The order of business at all meetings of this Union and the Board of Control shall be as follows:

Roll Call; Reading and approval of minutes of previous meeting; Unfinished business; Reports and communications; New business, including a review of the conduct of the National and North American meets held during the season; At the annual meetings the election of officers and appointment of standing committees; Adjournment.
- 10. Voting at meetings of the Board of Control may be viva voce and members thereof absent at any meeting may vote by mail or telephone, such vote to be received by the Executive Secretary at or prior to the time of holding such meeting, provided notice of the question to be voted on has been given to all members of the Board of Control.
- 11. Decisions reached by the Board of Control at its annual meeting shall not be reconsidered until the following annual meeting. This shall not prevent the Union from confirming Board of Control action by mail vote where required.
- 12. The Board of Control may declare an action it takes to be immune from reconsideration for a stated period of time. Such action shall require a two-thirds vote.
- 13. Agenda items shall be forwarded to the Executive Secretary no later than March 1 of each year. The Executive Secretary shall send duplicate copies of the submittals to the appropriate committee chairperson for review. The committee chairperson shall review the submittals for proper format, add references where necessary, and after consulting the writer of the item, add other required information to facilitate convention action. The chairperson shall attempt to produce consensus submittals from identical or very similar proposals by contacting the sponsoring associations to work out wording acceptable to all. The associations will retain the right to have their individual submittals placed on the convention agenda if they desire. The committee chairperson shall return the agenda items, with revisions, to the Executive Secretary by April 1. The consensus submittal shall contain a list in the "Rationale" of the associations that originally submitted a proposal on the subject. Failure of the committee chair to follow the above procedure will cause the agenda submittals to be published as originally received. The format of all agenda items shall be as follows:

- a. Subject of the proposal.
 - b. Article, paragraph, and page of Racing Rules, Constitution, or By-Laws to which it applies.
 - c. Description of the proposal.
 - d. Rationale for the proposal.
14. Notice of any meeting may be waived in writing by those entitled thereto by a two-thirds vote of the members.
 15. A registration fee shall be paid by each person attending the Annual Meeting to help defray expenses of the host Association. A banquet charge may be added to the above amount. The host association shall provide the ASU with 2 rooms (other than meeting rooms) for the President and Executive Secretary.

ARTICLE V. VOTING BY MAIL

1. The President may on his own motion, upon the written request of any active or allied member, or of three members of the Board of Control, submit to a vote by mail or telephone any question or matter which requires decision by either the Board of Control or the members of the Union.
2. The Executive Secretary shall mail or telephone to each member of the Board of Control a clear statement of the question to be voted upon with a request that votes thereon be mailed or telephoned to the Executive Secretary before the expiration of 30 days after which the voting shall be declared closed. An information copy of the question shall be mailed to each Association Secretary.
3. A vote taken by mail or telephone shall have the same effect as if taken at a meeting and the Executive Secretary shall make a complete record of the votes cast and, within five days of the close of the voting period, mail to the Board of Control member and Secretary of each member Association the results of the vote.

ARTICLE VI. COMMISSIONER OF RACING OFFICIALS

1. The Commissioner of Racing Official's duties shall be to:
 - a. Conduct Officiating clinics for all officials and coaches on procedures and rule interpretations.
 - b. Prepare and administer a written examination for the Chief and Assistant, Referees, Starters, Clerks of Course and Chief Judges. These officials shall be required to take the written examination, return it to the Commissioner's office by the date specified, and score a minimum grade of 80%. Officials failing the test will be allowed one re-test in the same year. Failure to comply with these requirements shall mandate that an Official not receive a National or North American assignment nor be allowed to assist in any National or North American event during that season. An official removed from the ASU Officials List for not complying with this section shall be eligible for resubmission the following year. Any National or North American meets worked towards advancement requirements for Chief position may be carried forward with a removed official.
 - c. Maintain a permanent file on all National and Assistant National

- Officials, and candidates for same, for future assignments.
- d. Report annually to the Board of Control on all candidates for appointment as National and Assistant National Officials.
- e. Recommend all Chief Officials for National and North American Championships.
- f. Attend all National and North American Championships held in the U.S.A. (with the exception of the National Marathon Championships) and file a written report on all Officials to the Board of Control and give the report at the annual meeting. Lodging and transportation expenses for the required meets shall be the same as for Chief Officials. Additionally, either lodging or transportation expenses, whichever is greater, shall be allowed for the annual meeting.
- g. Establish a rotation schedule for use at National and North American meets for referees and starters with the agreement of the chief concerned.
- h. Act as technical advisor when necessary.

ARTICLE VII. SANCTIONS

1. Sanctions for National Long Track, National Marathon and National Short Track speed skating championships shall be granted by the Board of Control which shall fix the time and place for holding same at the time the sanction is granted.
 - a. It is recommended that the National Long Track site follow a rotation between the four existing 400 meter tracks: Butte, MT; Milwaukee, WI; Lake Placid, NY.; and Roseville, MN.
 - b. The schedule as follows shall be reviewed and confirmed by the Meet Scheduling Committee each year:

NATIONALS		NORTH AMERICAN
LK. PLACID	1997	CANADA
ROSEVILLE	1998	BUTTE
BUTTE	1999	CANADA
MILWAUKEE	2000	LK. PLACID
 - c. At each Convention, the immediately preceding Long Track meets shall be reviewed by the Board of Control to determine if the meet conduct was satisfactory. If it was not, the Board may remove the host from the rotation until the problems are addressed. The Board will review the Commissioner's and referee's report and interview attendees if necessary. Once a host is removed from the rotation it must reapply.
 - d. The host organization for the Long Track meet shall present a brief report at the Convention, immediately preceding their conducting the event, on the arrangements and conditions that will apply to the meet.
 - e. A host association wishing to be placed in the rotation for Long Track Championships must apply for a sanction using the official ASU Sanction Application Form. The Board of Control will consider it at the next Convention, reviewing location, support organization etc., and vote by majority to accept or reject the applicant.

2. North American Long Track and North American Short Track championships shall be sanctioned by the Board of Control and such meets shall be open to all duly accredited amateur skaters from any nation consistent with all United States laws and regulations.
3. Application for sanction for a National or North American Championship shall be made to the Executive Secretary by April 1 preceding the Convention at which it will be considered. If no application is received by that date, the Board may award a sanction by mail vote. Such mail vote shall be conducted before September 15 of the same year.
4. National Short Track Meets shall not be sanctioned for a date prior to the second week in February nor later than April 15 of the same year and shall not last more than three days.
5. North American Short Track Meets shall be sanctioned each year for a date agreed upon by ASU and CASSA. The meet shall not last more than three days.
6. Applications for sanctions must be made to the Secretary of the Association having jurisdiction over the territory within which the championship is desired to be held; such application shall be endorsed as approved by the President of such Association and filed with the Executive Secretary of the Union. An application for a short track sanction must confirm compliance with the Protocol and Short Track Format which is available from the National Office for \$10.00.
7. A condition for granting a sanction for the National or North American Long or Short Track Championship is the sponsoring Association's agreement to conduct the championship in accordance with the Official ASU Protocol approved by the Union.
8. Separate sanctions may be awarded for championships in different classes.
9. Sanctions may be awarded for a series of short track championship contests in circuit at different places in rotation, the number of points won by contestants on the whole circuit shall decide the championship.
10. Sanction fee for the National Long Track, North American Long Track, National Marathon, National Short Track and North American Short Track Championships shall be payable one year prior to the dates granted for the conduct of the meet. Payment for meets held in the United States shall be forwarded to the Treasurer of the Union.
11. No sanction shall be issued until the fee is paid. If no event is held under the sanction, the fee will be refunded.
12. The Board of Control shall have the right to revoke or cancel any sanction after issue.
13. Active Associations of this Union shall have full power and authority to grant sanctions for local championships, competitions, exhibitions, benefits, entertainments, and contests within the territory under their respective jurisdictions and to charge such fees therefore and make such arrangements for the proper conduct thereof as they may deem proper.
14. No sanction shall be necessary for games, exhibitions, or competitions where the same are held by a club which is a member of an Association of this Union and where the entries are confined to the members of said club or for novice races. All others must be sanctioned.

15. All local championships sanctioned by the Associations shall be limited to the skaters of the Association granting the sanction when sanctioned as "Closed" and open to all skaters of this Union when sanctioned as "Open."
16. Each Association and allied organizations requiring the participation of members of this Union shall bring to the annual Convention its list of preferred dates for its meets and training camps for the next season so that co-operative scheduling of events can be accomplished at the Convention to avoid conflicts.

ARTICLE VIII. ANNUAL DUES OF MEMBER ASSOCIATIONS

1. The annual dues of each Association of this Union shall be payable June 1 of each year. No dues shall be paid by allied members.
2. Each active Association shall be assessed a fee for skaters and non-competitors, as determined annually by the Board of Control payable with the annual dues.
3. If the dues, assessments and/or fees of any Association are unpaid on February 1st, such member shall be automatically suspended until same are paid and, if unpaid on May 1st, such member shall be automatically expelled from the Union. Associations expelled for nonpayment of dues may be reinstated on payment of arrears. An association in arrears shall not be allowed to vote at any meeting of the Union or of the Board of Control.
4. The receipts from dues and from all other sources shall be used in paying the expenses of the Union.

ARTICLE IX. REGISTRATION OF INDIVIDUALS

1. There shall be four types of registration for individuals:
 - a. Skater: any individual who wishes to compete in any speedskating event sanctioned by the Union or any of its members. Such individual residing in an association territory must be a member in that association.
 - b. Non-Competitor: any individual who wishes to register, but will not compete in speedskating events. Such individual must register if they are to coach or officiate in any sanctioned meet. Such an individual residing in an Association territory must *also* be a member of that Association.
 - c. Honorary: any individual so designated by the Union. This individual may function as a skater or non-competitor.
 - d. Special Need Skater: any individual who wishes to compete in any speedskating event sanctioned by the Union or any of its members providing that event has a Special Need Class. Such individual residing in an association territory must be a member of that association.
2. All registrations shall be in force from June 1 of the year granted through May 31 of the expiration year.
3. Individuals living in an area outside the jurisdiction of an Association must register directly with the Union's National Office. The National office shall provide a listing of such individuals for distribution to all Associations requesting such a list.
4. Members of all U.S. Olympic Speedskating Teams (including exhibition),

past Presidents and Secretaries of the Union, and all members of the ASU Hall of Fame are granted lifetime, honorary registration in the Union.

5. All registrants, except those granted honorary status by the Union, shall pay a fee in conjunction with registration with the Union.
6. Individuals may maintain more than one type of registration concurrently.
7. Registration fees:
 - a. The annual registration fee for skaters shall be thirty dollars (\$30.00).
 - b. Registration for first year novice skaters shall be ten dollars (\$10.00).
 - c. The annual registration fee for non-competitors shall be twenty dollars (\$20.00).
 - d. The annual registration fee for Special Need skaters shall be ten dollars (\$10.00).
 - e. The maximum annual registration fee for a family shall be eighty dollars (\$80.00).

ARTICLE X. TRAVEL EXPENSES OF OFFICERS, OFFICIALS, AND REPRESENTATIVES

1. Travel expenses shall be allowed only for the following:
 - a. For officiating at a National or North American meet, one Referee, one Starter, one Clerk of Course and one Chief Judge, the majority to be selected from the least distance to the meet, whenever possible. For the National Marathon Championships, only the travel expenses of the Chief Referee will be allowed.
 - b. For one representative appointed by the President to attend the annual meeting of the Canadian Association.
 - c. For travel of an emergency nature requested by the President and authorized by the Board of Control. Authorization can be by an informal telephone vote conducted by the Secretary.
2. Travel expenses shall be paid according to the following schedule:
 - a. Lowest available air fare. In lieu of air travel, private automobile may be used and mileage allowance computed at a rate allowed by G.S.A. up to the value of the lowest available air fare.
 - b. Hotel room charges beginning the night before and including all days of the event but excluding the final day. Only hotel expenses for a hotel at or near the event shall be allowed. No expense over the skater's rate at the host hotel (if there is an official host hotel) shall be paid to persons covered under this section. If the expense is above the published skater's rate, only the skater's rate shall be reimbursed.
 - c. Reasonable meal allowance not exceeding the G.S.A. rate.
 - d. Travel and lodging expenses shall not be reimbursed or paid to any officer, official or representative unless such person shall have traveled fifty miles or more to attend such events.
3. Travel and lodging expenses for National Officials: Payment of travel and lodging expense for these officials shall be made directly to the official assigned by the Union upon presentation of actual signed receipts, within 30 days of presentation.

ARTICLE XI. FINANCIAL CONTROLS

1. Budget Expense Request: All committee chairpersons, officers, Commissioners, Racing Blade editor, and other persons responsible for ASU activities requiring the expenditure of ASU funds shall prepare a standard budget request form projecting financial requirements for the next year. This budget request form is required to be submitted to the Finance committee by mail prior to the Annual Convention from all of the above responsibilities, even though the person responsible at the time of required submittal may be changed by election, appointment, or resignation at the Annual Convention.
2. Budget Expense Control Procedures:
 - a. No disbursements shall be permitted in excess of the approved budgeted amount, without authorization.
 - b. Authorization may be given by the President of the ASU when funds are available and not allocated for other budgeted items (surplus of projected receipts available) and the item does not exceed 15% of the approved budgeted amount or \$250.00, whichever is less.
 - c. Any expense in excess of \$250.00 not approved within the annual budget will require the recommendation from the President and Secretary of the Union, and approval of a majority of the Executive Committee or the Board of Control. Such approval shall be made on the basis of funds available and not allocated for budgeted items, or new sources of pending funds not previously projected or anticipated. Written confirmation of approval is forwarded to the requestor, with copies to the Union Finance Committee.
 - d. Budget line item adjustments may be made during the year when recommended by the Treasurer and approved by a majority of the Executive Committee or the Board of Control and submitted to the Union Finance Committee.
3. Reimbursement for Expenses: All expenses for officials, officers, and other persons authorized to receive expense reimbursement from the Union for travel, meals, lodging, or any other expense shall be reimbursed only upon presentation of actual signed receipts verifying expenses incurred.
4. **ASU Medallion/Medal Fund.** The Union shall establish and maintain a restricted fund which shall be designated The ASU Medallion/Medal Fund.
 - a. Contributions. Contributions to this Fund shall be accepted by the Union with the understanding that the investment income from the Fund shall be used to purchase the Medallions and Medals awarded at the National Meets. Donors to the Fund are sponsors in perpetuity so long as the fund shall be in existence.
 - b. Medallion/Medal Fund Committee. The principal of the Fund shall be maintained in a separate account by the Treasurer and invested by the Union Medallion/Medal Fund Committee, which shall be appointed by the President at the Annual Meeting of the Union.
 - c. Designated Class. Any contributor to the Fund of one thousand dollars (\$1000.00) had the right to designate a Medallion Award for a particular class championship in the name of a person or organization. All of the Medallions Awards have been taken.

- d. Contributors of fees as shown below shall have the right to designate a set of medals for a particular position in a particular class, if available, in the name of a person or organization.

Cost of Medal Sponsorship

1st Place Gold Medals	\$550.00 per class
2nd Place Silver Medals	\$450.00 per class
3rd Place Bronze Medals	\$350.00 per class
4th Place Green-Bronze Medals	\$250.00 per class

Selected availability 2-3-4 places per race—\$300.00

Individual Race Sponsorship (limited availability)—\$450.00 per race.

Persons desiring to participate in this program may contact the following Fund Chairman for current availability and details:

Lawrence R. Ralston
46948 West Dr., Ackley Beach
Decatur, MI 49045
1-616-423-8810

- e. The Medallion/Medal Fund Committee shall notify the Executive Secretary of every Medallion or Medal assignment.

f. Donors.

National Long Track Class Championship Gold Medallions are made possible by grants from the following:

Class	Sponsor	Medallion
Grand Master Men	Northern New York S.A.	Angelo Guiliano Memorial Award
Grand Master Women	Peg O'Connell	George O'Connell Memorial Award
Master Men	Shirley Yates	Yates Family Award
Master Women	Robert R. Stewart	Robert R. Stewart Award
Senior Men	Eugene Lynch	Eugene Lynch Award
Senior Women	Dr. & Mrs. Milan Novak	Mary Novak Sand Award
Intermediate Men	Lawrence & George Ralston	Lloyd F. Ralston Memorial Award
Intermediate Women	Maryland Skating Assn.	Maryland Skating Assn. Award
Junior Boys	Mr. & Mrs. James Chapin	Chapin Family Award
Junior Girls	Sandvig Family	L.F. Sandvig Memorial Award
Juvenile Boys	Minneapolis Bearcat Speedskating Club	Bearcat Speedskating Club of Minneapolis Award
Juvenile Girls	Howard Gutgesell	Howard P. Gutgesell Award
Midget Boys	Gary Eikaas	Gary Eikaas Award
Midget Girls	Eastern Minnesota Skating Association	Jesse Howe Christopherson Memorial Award

National Short Track Class Championship Gold Medallions are made possible by grants from the following:

Class	Sponsor	Medallion
Grand Master Men	Middle Atlantic Skating Association	Amos Ottley Memorial Award
Grand Master Women	Michigan Speedskating Association	Cathy Turner Award
Master Men	Ohio Skating Association	Ohio Skating Association Award
Master Women	V.F.W. Auxiliary #2164 Wheaton, IL and Carol Jackson	V.F.W. Auxiliary #2164 Wheaton, IL and Carol Jackson Award
Senior Men	Mr. & Mrs. Lloyd Carlstrom	Carlstrom Family Award
Senior Women	Mr. & Mrs. Herbert Knudten	Herbert Knudten Award
Intermediate Men	Lake Placid Sports Conclave	James C. (Bunny) Sheffield Memorial Award
Intermediate Women	Mr. & Mrs. Charles Blair	Blair Family Award
Junior Boys	Dr. & Mrs. Milan Novak	Dr. Ray Novak Award
Junior Girls	Mrs. Rita Crowe	Crowe Family Award
Juvenile Boys	Mr. & Mrs. Tom Jarrett	Mr. & Mrs. Tom Jarrett Award
Juvenile Girls	Joseph Sulc	Joseph A. & Barbara Sulc Award
Midget Boys	Dave & Betty Roche	Dave & Betty Roche Award
Midget Girls	Linda Kellerman	The Robert L. Kellerman Memorial Award

North American Long Track Class Championship Gold Medallions made possible by grants from the following:

Grand Master Men	—	—
Grand Master Women	—	—
Master Men	—	—
Master Women	—	—
Senior Men	Midway Skating Club	Bill Cushman Award
Senior Women	—	—
Intermediate Men	—	—
Intermediate Women	—	—
Junior Boys	—	—
Junior Girls	—	—
Juvenile Boys	Mr. & Mrs. Bruce Bauer	Bauer Family Award
Juvenile Girls	—	—
Midget Boys	—	—
Midget Girls	—	—

North American Short Track Class Championship Gold Medallions made possible by grants from the following:

Grand Master Men	—	—
Grand Master Women	—	—

Master Men	—	—
Master Women	—	—
Senior Men	Jerry Search	Richard Search Memorial Award
Senior Women	Mr. & Mrs. Charles Moore	Moore Family Award
Intermediate Men	—	—
Intermediate Women	—	—
Junior Boys	Bauer Family & Friends	Charles Nicholas Bauer Memorial Award
Junior Girls	Brad Goskowicz	Goskowicz Family Award
Juvenile Boys	Mr. & Mrs. Bruce Bauer	Bauer Family Award
Juvenile Girls	—	—
Midget Boys	—	—
Midget Girls	Mr. & Mrs. T. Weaver/ Bruce Bauer	Ruth Wiltfang Memorial Award

National Long Track Class Championship Medals are made possible by grants from the following:

Class	Sponsor	Event	Position	Medal
				Title
Grand Master Men	—	—	—	—
Grand Master Women	—	—	—	—
Master Men	Ken Altuchoff	500m	1,2,3,4	Altuchoff Family Award
Master Women	Flushing SSC	3000m	1,2,3,4	Carole Moore-Flushing SSC Award
Senior Men	Jack Shea	All	1	John A. "Jack" Shea Double Gold Medalist 1932 Winter Olympic Games
Senior Women	Al Abgott	All	1	In Honor of Betty Klein Abgott
Intermediate Men	Monica Crawford & Edward Helminski	All	2,3,4	Roy C. Helminski Award
Intermediate Women	Montana Amateur Speedskating Association	All	1	The Gerald D'Arcy Memorial Award
Intermediate Women	John M. Byrne	All	1	Byrne Family Award
Junior Boys	Bay County, Michigan Speedskating Club	All	1	Honoring Richard Somalski for devotion to the sport
Junior Girls	Mary and Vern Jacquin	All	1	Mary and Vern Jacquin Award
Juvenile Boys	Michigan Benefactors	All	1	George E. Van Memorial
Juvenile Girls	Katherine Gappy	All	1	Dr. Mona

Midget Boys	Betty and Ted Gulczynski	All	1	Donnelly, Alpena, MI John Gulczynski Memorial
	Ella Strauss	All	2,3,4	John E. Strauss Memorial
Midget Girls	Mary T. Smith	500m	1,2,3,4	Dedicated to Patty Smith Ryan
General Contributor				George Howie

National Short Track Class Championship Medals are made possible by grants from the following:

Class	Sponsor	Event	Position	Medal
				Title
Grand Master	—	—	—	—
Grand Master Women	—	—	—	—
Master Men	David Newmark	All	1	David "Dan" Newmark Memorial
Master Women	So. California SSA	All	1,2,3,4	So./California SSA Award
Senior Men	Leon Wilmot	All	1	Leon Wilmot Award
	Edward Helminski & Monica Crawford	All	2,3,4	Roy C. Helminski Award
Senior Women	Al Abbott	All	1	Kit Klein Outland Memorial
Intermediate Men	David Lind & Bill Lanigan	500m	1	Lind and Lanigan Award
Intermediate Men	Flint Speedskating Club	Balance	1	Don Meek Memorial Award
Intermediate Men	David Lind and Chris Lind Lanigan	All	2,3,4	The Lind Family Award
Intermediate Women	David Lind	3000m, 1500m, 500m	1,2,3,4	The Lind Family Award
Intermediate Women	Christine Lind Lanigan	777m	1,2,3,4	Chris Lind Lanigan Award
Intermediate Women	Dr. Anthony Arena	1000m	1,2,3,4	Arena Family Award
Junior Boys	Mr. & Mrs. Tim Quinn	All	1	Quinn Family Award
Junior Boys	Mr. & Mrs. Duane Riley	1500m	2,3,4	Riley Family Award
Junior Boys	Edgar Dame	1000m, 500m	2,3,4	Dame Family Award
Junior Girls	Robert Engling	All	1	The Engling Award

Juvenile Boys	Charles & Greta Hall	All	1	Hall Family Award
Juvenile Boys	Ted & Kay Klaiber	777m	2,3,4	Klaiber Family Award
Juvenile Girls	Affholter Children	All	1	Affholter Family Award
Midget Boys	Terry McDermott	All	1	McDermott Award
Midget Girls	Bill and Sharon Cawthra	500m	1,2,3,4	Cawthra Family Award
Midget Girls	Mr. & Mrs. Jeff FitzRandolph	333m	1,2,3,4	Jessi FitzRandolph Award
Men's Relay	Leon Wilmot	N/A	1,2,3,4	Leon Wilmot Award
Women's Relay	Dr. Andres Gabel	N/A	1,2,3,4	Eva Gabel Memorial Award

Cost of Marathon Medal Sponsorship \$450.00 per class
National Marathon Class Championship Medals are made possible by grants from the following:

Class	Sponsor	Event	Medal	
			Position	Title
Grand Master Men	—	—	—	—
Master Men	Peter Fitterer, Bob Finkel, Fred Schweikert	25K	1,2,3,4	Friends of Murray Sherman Award
	Peter Fitterer	50K	1,2,3,4	Garden State SSC Award
Senior Men	Anonymous	25K	1,2,3,4	Bearcat SSC of Minneapolis Award
Intermediate (and younger) Men	—	—	—	—
Grand Master Women	—	—	—	—
Master Women	Carole Moore	50K	1,2,3,4	Flushing SSC Award
Senior Women	—	—	—	—
Intermediate (and younger) Women	—	—	—	—

ARTICLE XII. QUALIFICATION OF OFFICIALS

1. Chief Officials shall be replaced only upon attrition or removal for cause.
2. Following qualifications are mandatory for appointment to lists of Assistant National Referees, Starters, Clerks of Course and Chief Judges.
 - a. Three years experience in that category at the local level.
 - b. Ability to skate for category of Referee.
 - c. Pass written and practical tests after attending clinic.
3. National Assistant Officials must have served at four National Meets in their respective categories before being accepted as applicants for National Chief posts.

4. Any person who is actively skating in National competition shall not be qualified as a National Referee.
5. Positions as Chief Officials will be filled, upon evaluation, by vote of the Board of Control.
6. Emeritus official title can be bestowed upon a retiring national official. At least 10 years service is required to be eligible with names submitted to the Board of Control for approval.
7. All officials must maintain current registration with the ASU and active membership in the association having jurisdiction for the address of domicile, if any.

ARTICLE XIII. SKATERS' REPRESENTATIVE

1. The registered intermediate and older skaters of the Union shall select one member to sit on the Board of Control. This member shall meet the following:
 - a. Must be a registered intermediate or older skater in good standing with their Association and the Union.
 - b. Must have been actively competing for a minimum of the three previous seasons.
 - c. Must not be a Board member representing an association.
2. The skaters' representative shall be selected in the following manner:
 - a. The representative shall be selected by all intermediate and older registered skaters who are in good standing with their Association and the Union.
 - b. The intermediate and older skaters may submit nominees to the Executive Secretary no later than November 15 of the election year. The Executive Secretary will compile the list of nominees and forward it to the nominating committee chairman who will compile names and biographies and submit them to the editor of the Racing Blade.
 - c. A ballot will be printed in, or before, the January issue of the Racing Blade.
 - d. Each intermediate and older skater in good standing will have one vote.
 - e. The completed ballot must be signed by each voting skater and forwarded to the chairman of the nominating committee (chosen by the vice president of operations) within approximately 60 days of publication of the ballot. A closure date will be printed on the ballot.
 - f. Each candidate or his designee shall have the right to inspect the ballots up to the start of the annual meeting and then the ballots shall be destroyed.
 - g. The Executive Secretary shall be notified of the results and forward same to all associations 30 days prior to the opening of the annual meeting.
 - h. In the event of resignation or inability of the Skaters' Representative to perform his duties, (as determined by a two-thirds vote of the Executive Committee), the runner-up in the immediate past election will assume the position and duties of the Skaters' Representative. Should the runner-up also be unable to discharge the duties of the office, a new

election shall be held immediately. The election schedule shall be adjusted to tie in with the earliest possible issue of the Racing Blade.

3. The term of the skaters' representative shall be for one year starting on June 1 and ending on May 31.
4. The expenses (transportation and room) of the skater representative to the annual Convention will be covered by the ASU, not to exceed 1 1/2% of the ASU skater registration fees or a lesser amount based on paid receipts.

ARTICLE XIV. NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP PROTOCOL

1. The Board of Control shall maintain an Official ASU Protocol for conduct of the National and North American Championships. This document shall describe the conditions and conduct of the championship. The Protocol shall not supersede the Racing Rules but shall be an addition to them.
2. The Referee and Commissioner shall ensure that all aspects of the Protocol are observed in the set up and conduct of the meet.
3. The Protocol shall be revised in the same manner as the Racing Rules. If a revision of the Racing Rules necessitates a revision of the Protocol, no additional authorization is necessary for the Protocol revision.
4. Section 1 of the Protocol shall be mandatory, the remaining sections are recommendations.
5. In case of conflict between the Constitution, By-Laws, or Racing Rules and the Protocol, the Constitution, By-Laws and Racing Rules shall prevail.

ARTICLE XV. ANNUAL REPORT OF MEMBERS

Each Association shall file with the Executive Secretary, 30 days before the annual meeting, a report by its Secretary of its activities during the year, stating particularly the number of its active members, the competitions conducted by it, and such other matters as it may desire to include or which the President of this Union may request. This report shall be in a style suitable for publication in the Racing Blade newsletter.

ARTICLE XVI. U.S.I.S.A. AFFILIATION

The United States International Speedskating Association and the Amateur Speedskating Union of the United States have entered into an agreement which provides that Union is U.S.I.S.A.'s only member, and all Associations in good standing with the Union are hereby represented in U.S.I.S.A. Pursuant to this agreement, the Union will pay to the U.S.I.S.A. the sum of \$25 per year, on or before January 1, and each succeeding year, as dues for membership.

ARTICLE XVII. AMENDMENTS

The By-Laws may be altered or amended at any annual or special meeting of the Union at which a quorum is present or by mail vote by a vote of two-thirds of the delegates present or of the members voting by mail; provided, however, that a notice setting forth any proposed alteration or amendment shall have been mailed to the Secretary of each allied and active member of the Union at least 30 days prior to the date of such meeting or to the date of the mail vote.

Interpretation of the intent or language of the By-Laws shall be decided by a majority vote of the Board of Control using Robert's Rules of Order (revised) as a guide in determining parliamentary practice.

ARTICLE XVIII. DISPOSITION OF ASSETS

Upon dissolution of the Union, the assets of the Union shall be distributed exclusively to charitable, scientific, literary, or educational organizations which would then qualify under the provisions of Section 501 (c) 3 of the Internal Revenue Code and Regulations of the Department of Treasury applicable to such action as they now exist or as they may hereafter be amended.

ASU RACING RULES RACING RULES AND OFFICIALS

I. APPLICABILITY OF RACING RULES

1. These Racing rules shall be utilized at all National and North American Short Track and all National and North American Long Track Championships sanctioned by this Union.
2. These Racing rules are intended to be utilized at all local and regional competitions sanctioned by members of the Union. The sanctioning member may alter or waive certain rules providing the change is published in advance of the start of competition.
3. The National and North American Championships shall be conducted in accordance with the Guidelines for Sanction Application and the Presentation of National and North American Championships, referred to as "The Official Protocol."

II. OFFICIALS REQUIRED

1. The officials at a meet shall be:
 - a. One Chief Referee designated, and four Assistant Referees for Short Track and a minimum of six Assistant Referees for Long Track, selected by the Chief Referee.
 - b. One Chief Starter similarly designated, and a maximum of five Assistant Starters selected by the Chief Starter.
 - c. One Chief Clerk of Course similarly designated, and one or more Assistants selected by the Chief Clerk. One Assistant shall be on skates.
 - d. One Chief Judge, one National Assistant Chief Judge, one Photofinish Judge and at least three Judges for each of the first five finish positions, plus eight Reserve Judges.
 - e. One Chief Timer, two Assistants, two Substitute Timers, and a Time Recorder.
 - f. One Chief Scorer, and one or more Assistants selected by the Chief Scorer.
 - g. One Lap Counter.
 - h. One Announcer.
 - i. Two Track Measurers or Surveyors.
 - j. One Physician.
 - k. No official may smoke while on the ice, at the finish line, or in the heat box.
- l. Relief officials may be provided at the direction of the Referee.
2. Short Track Meet Officials:
 - a. At all National and North American Short Track meets, only 5 officials may be on the ice. These officials are: Chief Referee, 2 Assistant Referees, and 2 Track Stewards. The sole responsibility of the Track Stewards shall be to replace the corner markers and to place and remove a marker showing which is the correct start line for backstretch

starts. All Long Track and Short Track Chief Referees, Assistant Referees, Track Stewards and Skater Stewards working on the ice shall be on skates and it is recommended that safety helmets be worn.

- b. Two Observer Referees, when available, who shall be positioned off the ice near the beginning or end of the curves.
3. The officials at the National Marathon Championships shall be:
 - a. One Chief Referee and one or more Assistant Referees selected by the Chief Referee.
 - b. One Chief Scorer and six Assistant Scorers selected by the Chief Scorer.
 - c. One Chief Judge and at least five additional judges.
 - d. One Chief Timer and three Assistant Timers.
 - e. One or more Lap Counters.
 - f. One Announcer.
 - g. First aid and medical personnel.
 - h. The Organizer.

III. POWERS AND DUTIES OF OFFICIALS

1. The Chief Referee is the official representative of the ASU at the meet and as such shall exercise authority at a meet when check-in of skaters begins and shall:
 - a. Assemble prior to the meet the Chief Starter, Chief Judge, Chief Timer, Chief Clerk of Course, and all the other officials to review and summarize the rules to be followed in the meet. Coordination of effort and uniformity of application of the rules shall be stressed.
 - b. Approve or reject officials for the meet. He may remove any official at any time during the meet if he deems such removal advisable.
 - c. Hear and decide all disputes and protests; penalize infringements of these rules; uphold and enforce the ASU Constitution, By-Laws, Racing Rules and Official Protocol.
 - d. Change any heats he deems unfair to competitors.
 - e. Be sole judge as to whether the weather or ice conditions warrant the running of the meet; have the power to adjourn the meet.
 - f. Have authority to permit a skater to compete pending a decision on a protest against such skater.
 - g. Have authority to make decisions concerning all questions which arise during the meet; all decisions of the Referee shall be final unless reversed by the Board of Control.
 - h. Have the ability to skate with the contestants, a comparable track inside the corner markers while the race is in progress.
 - i. Inform the skater of the reason for disqualification as soon as possible after the completion of the race.
2. The Assistant/Observer Referees shall perform all duties assigned to them by the Chief Referee. Immediately after a race, they shall report any foul or irregularity they observe to the Chief Referee.

- a. Observer Referees are positioned off the ice near the beginning or end of the curves.
 - b. Observers must be ASU approved Referees.
3. The Clerk of the Course shall name and assign duties to such Assistants as he may require. The Clerks shall:
- a. Verify competitors' entry forms as to class and association approval before making up heat assignments.
 - b. Fairly arrange and equitably distribute the competitors in the heats using the standardized ASU clerking procedure.
 - c. Advise the skaters of the distance of the race and, if a preliminary, the number to qualify.
 - d. Have competitors draw for their positions in races of 1000M and under and record their starting positions on the heat card. If a computer system is being used, the lane assignments may be made by the computer using a random number system. Otherwise the lane assignments shall be drawn in the heat box.
 - e. Shall appoint an assistant as a Skater Steward whose duties shall be to assemble the skaters and conduct them from the heat box to the starting line. It is recommended that this person not be the chief.
 - f. Shall cause to be posted, in the heat box area, and in a timely manner, the names of skaters qualifying from a heat, etc. for the next semi, or final race.
 - g. Be permitted to use a computer system for all National level meets. A computer system shall be furnished for use by the Clerk of Course and shall be as specified in the Protocol.
4. Timekeepers:
- a. The Chief Timer, two Assistants, and two Substitute Timers shall time each event. The time of one or more of the substitutes shall be used only when one or more of the three regular Timers fails to record the time of an event.
 - b. If manual timing is used, then:
 - (1) If two of the watches agree and the third disagrees, the time indicated by the two is the official manual time.
 - (2) If all watches disagree, the time indicated by the watch showing the intermediate time is the official manual time.
 - c. If electronic timing is used, then:
 - (1) If the time is recorded electronically (any read-out), the electronic time is the official time.
 - (2) If an electronic time is not available, the official time will be the official manual time with 0.20 seconds added to it.
 - d. Time starts with the firing of the pistol. Thirty-two (.32) caliber flash type shells are to be used outdoors. "Crimp" type twenty-two (.22) caliber shells shall be used for Short Track. Meets held in the United States shall be timed in hundredths.
 - e. Immediately after the finish of the event, each Timer must show the time to the Chief Timer who will record the individual time.

- f. The Time Recorder shall assist the Chief Timer by recording each Timer's result in writing in order that all applications for records will note the exact time of each individual Timer. All such times must be included on each application for new records.
5. The Chief Scorer shall name and assign duties to such Assistant Scorers as may be required. The Scorers shall:
- a. Record the finish positions of the first four competitors as determined by the Judges.
 - b. Record the official time of each race as determined by the Timer and verify the time for record. The Scorer shall mark cards "Record" for all records set during the meet.
 - c. Keep a cumulative record of points scored by competitors.
 - d. Have the responsibility to forward the Record Application form properly entered and signed, together with the heat or final card, or a copy thereof, and the surveyor's certificate to the Chairman of the Records Committee within 15 days after the meet.
6. Judges:
- a. The Chief Judge shall assign positions to the Judges and shall assign a Photofinish Judge. At Long Track meets the teams of judges will be positioned on tiered platforms to permit all judges a proper view of the finish line.
 - b. The National Assistant Chief Judge shall perform duties as assigned by the Chief Judge.
 - c. The Photofinish Judge shall be positioned in the area of the image-type timing/dedicated finish video equipment. He shall report to the Chief Judge the finish order of skaters who finish within 0.05 seconds of each other. He shall also report any other finish results the Chief Judge may request.
 - d. Each Judge shall make a written note of the number only of the skater finishing in the position to which each is assigned, without referring to any selections made by any of the other Judges.
 - e. These individual decisions shall then be turned over to the Chief Judge who shall compute the standings, record the decision on the official judge's card for that event, and note thereon the official time received from the Chief Timer.
 - f. In case of disagreement among the Judges, the Chief Judge shall hear each Judge involved and make the final decision as to the order of the finish, which shall be without appeal.
 - g. In determining the order of finish where there is disagreement in the results recorded by the individual Judges, the Chief Judge shall award the skater the finish position in which the most Judges recorded such skaters (i.e., if two first place Judges select No. 14 for that position and three second place Judges select No. 14 for that position, the skater No. 14 shall be awarded second position).
 - h. Determining the order of finish of a race under paragraph "e" above is called predominance of judging and without the required three Judges

for each position this rule cannot apply. Following are some examples of predominance of judging.

	Judge	Judge	Judge	
	1	2	3	
"A"				
1st	11	11	21	= 11
2nd	11	32	21	= 32
3rd	21	21	44	= 21
4th	44	44	21	= 44
"B" **				
	Judge	Judge	Judge	
	1	2	3	
1st	11	11	21	= 11-21
2nd	21	11	11	= (tie)
3rd	21	32	32	= 32
4th	44	44	44	= 44
"C"				
	Judge	Judge	Judge	
	1	2	3	
1st	44	44	11	= 44
2nd	21	21	11	= 21
3rd	32	32	44	= 32
4th	11	11	32	= 11
"D" **				
	Judge	Judge	Judge	
	1	2	3	
1st	11	11	32	= 11
2nd	11	11	44	= 21
3rd	32	32	11	= 32
4th	44	44	44	= 44
"E" **				
	Judge	Judge	Judge	
	1	2	3	
1st	11	21	44	= 11-21
2nd	11	21	44	= (tie)
3rd	44	32	32	= 32
4th	44	44	44	= 44
"F" **				
	Judge	Judge	Judge	
	1	2	3	
1st	21	21	11	= 11-21
2nd	21	21	11	= (tie)
3rd	44	44	44	= 44
4th	44	44	32	= 32

Explanation:

*B, E, F 11 and 21 tie, no predominance at either position. They split total of first and second place points.

**D In the scramble, 21 was missed completely. He is given 2nd because of predominance of 32 at 3rd and 44 at 4th, a judgment call based on the circumstances.

- i. For relay races, a team of 3 judges shall be assigned to each relay team. Each judging team shall keep a written tally of the laps completed by its assigned relay team, shall notify the team of the laps remaining if they are not on the same lap as the lead team, and shall judge their position at the finish.
- j. It is recommended that the judges shall be positioned so as to have an equal number upstream and downstream from the finish line.

7. The Lap Counter shall keep a tally of laps completed by each competitor in races of more than one lap and shall notify competitors by card or voice or both of the number of laps remaining to be skated. He shall, by the sound of a bell, signal when the leading skater enters the last lap. At Short Track meets, the Lap Counter shall be off the ice, downstream from the finish line, near the start of the turn. It is recommended that the Lap Cards be elevated 3 feet above the railing for better visibility for the competitors and officials.
8. The Chief Starter may name and assign duties to such Assistants as he may require. The Starter shall:
 - a. Have jurisdiction over skaters reporting to the starting line.
 - b. Be the judge of unfair starts.
 - c. Briefly announce any special rules of the meet or, in his discretion, remind the competitors concerning any standard racing rule.
 - d. Wear a bright colored sleeve on his shooting arm at meets where there are multiple starting lines.
 - e. Allow Assistant Starters to start some races.
9. The Announcer shall announce the results and any disqualifications in each event.
10. The Track Measurers or Surveyors shall:
 - a. Ensure that an official track pursuant to the ASU diagrams contained in the official handbook has been laid out for the meet.
 - b. Deliver, prior to the meet, a certification that the track is correct and conforms to ASU specifications and this rule.
11. Medical procedures at National and North American Championships shall be as follows:
 - a. The medical team will consist of a minimum of two (2) people with the following minimum qualifications:
 - (1) State certified Paramedic, or
 - (2) State certified EMT (Emergency Medical Technician)
 - b. A full fracture board and a bag with a stiff collar, sand bags, two inch tape and bandage scissors are to be provided at the rink so any injured skater with a severe injury, a fracture or a suspected fracture may be immobilized and removed from the ice using the fracture board and carried to a first aid room where the medical team can give a more extensive examination.
 - c. City or private ambulance service must be available to respond to emergencies at the ice rink. If no such service is provided, the host Association must provide a standby ambulance.
 - d. One member of the medical team shall observe the races at all times. Any deviation from the above safety measures must be approved by the Commissioner of Officials.
12. Referees, starters and clerks are prohibited from officiating any event, providing replacements are available, in which a relative is competing. In addition,

Referees and Starters shall be required to remove themselves from the ice during that event. All officials shall be prohibited from disputing any call by another official against a relative. All provisions for filing a protest as outlined in Art. VI will be observed by officials as well as competitors.

13. During a Short Track meet, there shall be a short warm-up period after the lunch break. It is recommended that all timers, boxes, bells and other paraphernalia be banned from the rink during warmup periods when skaters are on the ice.
14. Duties of the officials at the National Marathon Championship:
 - a. Referee:
 - (1) Inspect the course, and instruct the organizers as to changes required to comply with safety regulations, long enough prior to the event so that changes can be effected.
 - (2) Provide last minute instructions to the skaters just prior to the start.
 - (3) With the help of Assistant Referees, control and monitor the development of the events and make changes when required.
 - (4) Assist the Chief Scorer to draw up chronological lists of finishers.
 - (5) Hear and decide all disputes and protests; penalize infringements of these rules; uphold and enforce the ASU Constitution, By-Laws and Racing Rules.
 - b. Scorers: Each skater must supply his own responsible scorer who will record the elapsed time from the official clock on an official check sheet each lap when his skater crosses the finish line. The Chief Scorer and Assistant Scorers will be responsible for constantly monitoring the skater's scorers and the relative positions of the skaters in each class. After the race is over, the Chief Scorer and Assistant Scorers will be responsible for validating the official check sheets to determine finishing positions in each class.
 - c. Judges: The Chief Judge and his Assistants shall pick close finishers for all classes. In order to accomplish this task, the Judges must make certain that they work closely with the skaters' scorers in order to observe when skaters in the same class are close to each other as they enter their final lap.
 - d. Timers: The Chief Timer shall ensure that at least two (2) watches are active. In case the official clock fails, the chief or an Assistant Timer must call out the time every lap when skaters cross the finish line.
 - e. Lap Counters: The Lap Counter shall count the laps of the lead skater(s) only and display this on a board easily visible from a minimum of 30 m. A bell shall be rung for the lead skater(s) starting their last lap. Skaters who are one or more laps behind the leader(s) must rely on their scorers to inform them when they have one lap to go.
 - f. Announcer: The Announcer shall, as much as possible, provide a running commentary of the event, its development, the individual skaters participating, the organizer and the sponsor.
 - g. First Aid and Medical Personnel: For all events, medical or paramedical personnel shall be present, with the necessary equipment to provide

assistance in case of an injury.

- h. The Organizer: All sanction applications must include the name of the person responsible for the technical aspects of the race. This individual shall be called the Organizer, who must be a member of the ASU and shall be responsible for the overall success of the event, keeping in mind the interest of the skaters, the ASU, the volunteers and the sponsors.

IV. CONDUCT OF RACES

1. Entries:
 - a. Entries must be accompanied by a fee, as established by the Board of Control, for National Long Track, National Short Track, National Marathon, North American Long Track, and North American Short Track meets. The ASU shall retain all fees for meets held in the United States except the National Marathon Championships. For meets held in Canada, the fees shall be paid to the Canadian Amateur Speed Skating Association.
 - b. All entries shall be made upon official ASU entry blanks with the name of the competitor, the age, address, name of club, Association, and the registration or membership number of the competitor. The Association shall furnish the skater's best time and date for four main distances in his class (omit 3000).
 - c. Entries for National and North American Championships shall be sent in one envelope by the Association Secretary and received by the meet registrar 72 hours prior to the meet. This does not apply to the National Marathon Championships.
 - d. A registration fee of \$0.25 shall be collected from each competitor at all open meets conducted by any member Association. The fees shall be forwarded to the ASU Treasurer within 30 days after the conduct of the meet and shall be earmarked for the Scholarship Fund.
2. Competitors shall:
 - a. Report immediately to the Registrar of the meet upon arrival at the meet and receive their competitor's number from the Registrar of the meet.
 - b. Inform themselves of the times at which they must compete and report promptly to the heat area and starting line without waiting to be notified.
 - c. Not be accompanied by any person on the course or to the starting line except the Skater Steward who shall be on skates.
 - d. Observe the following passing rules:
 - (1) In Long Track races, upon gaining the inside or pole position, the skater has the right of way and may be passed on the right side; but should the skater stray from the pole position, any competitor has the privilege of passing such skater on the left providing there is ample room. When passing, the responsibility for collision or obstruction is upon the passing skater, provided that the skater being passed does not act improperly.
 - (2) In Short Track races, any competitor is allowed to pass another skater on either the left or the right side. When passing, the responsibility for collision or obstruction is on the passing skater provided

that the skater being passed does not act improperly.

- e. Have no skates on the ice inside of the blocks, poles, and markers which define the straight of way and corners of the track.
 - f. Not intentionally move the corner poles or flags.
 - g. Keep in their respective positions from the start to finish in all races on straight of way tracks. In all races with one or more turns, competitors shall not cross to the inner edge of the track except when they can do so without interfering with other competitors.
 - h. Upon entering the homestretch, stay in a straight line without deviation to the right or left until reaching the finish line. If the skater is far enough ahead so that his changing lanes will not interfere with the following skater, he may cross to another lane.
 - i. In long track races of 1500 meters or less, keep within one lap of the leader in the race; and when passed by the leader and lapped, competitors shall be declared distanced and shall be called out of the race by the Referee unless such competitor shall be finishing in a position for which a prize is offered.
 - j. Be deemed lapped when the leader has gained a lap on them but has not actually passed them, and if it appears that they are in any way impeding or attempting to set pace for the leader or leaders, they shall be called out of the race by the Referee.
 - k. In races over 1500 meters, not be considered lapped until they enter the last 1500 meters of the race and are then a lap behind the leader. Under such conditions, the competitors may be called out of the race by the Referee.
 - l. Be suspended for knowingly competing against an unregistered or suspended skater.
 - m. Not forsake an ASU sanctioned meet for an unsanctioned meet.
 - n. Not enter an unsanctioned meet within the jurisdiction of another member Association.
 - o. Wear equipment when competing in any Short Track meet consisting of a safety-type helmet (which shall have a complete hard shell), gloves or mittens, shin guards, long-sleeved jersey, and neck protector of the bib type covering the neck and all soft parts of the upper chest area. The neck protector shall be made of ballistic nylon as the main material.
 - p. It is recommended that the front and rear tips of skate blades be rounded off to a 1/4 inch radius.
3. Starting of Racing Events:
- a. The Starter shall:
 - (1) Decide all disputes relating to the start.
 - (2) Take a position that gives a clear view of all skaters starting in the race.
 - (3) In Short Track meets, the starter shall always be off the ice.
 - b. The Start:
 - (1) On the command "Go to the Start" the skaters must take their position on the pre-start line (0.75 m behind the starting line) and on the

command "Ready" they will position themselves at the start line so that they are lined up over the dot marking their designated lane and wait for the gun to be fired. There shall be a distinct interval between all skaters taking the starting position and the firing of the gun. (The distinct interval should be about 1 to 1.5 seconds.)

- (2) If a skater takes his starting position before the command "ready" or leaves his position or moves any part of his body after the command "ready" and before the shot is fired, it is a false start.
 - (3) If a false start takes place, the skaters will be recalled with a second shot, or blast with a whistle. The skaters must return to their starting position between the lines without delay. The Starters shall identify the skaters by line position number and shall indicate to the skaters.
 - (4) The skaters will receive no more words of instruction once the command "go to the start" and "ready" have been given. The skater or skaters, who made the false start, will be assessed a false start. The skaters must stand in their same starting position between the lines and wait for the new starting shot.
 - (5) If a skater falls in the first 10 meters after the starting line, in Long Track or before the first apex block of the turn after the starting line in Short Track, the Starter may call the skaters back and make a new start.
 - (6) If a skater falls within the specified distances and the fall was not caused by interference or impeding, and the fall does not interfere or impede the other competitors, the race shall not be recalled by the starter.
 - (7) The Starter shall tell a skater or skaters after the first false start. In the event of a second false start the skater shall be disqualified from the distance concerned.
 - (8) If more than one skater is responsible for a false start, they shall all be assessed a false start.
 - (9) If one of the skaters breaks from his marks, thereby causing other skaters to follow him, only the skater at fault shall be assessed a false start.
 - (10) Any skater that by his or her action, deliberately delays the start, shall be assessed a false start.
 - (11) In the event of a misfire by the Starter's gun, or an official's delay in the start of a race, the complete starting procedure with all verbal commands shall be used. If the skaters have left the starting area, the Starter shall command their return to the starting line with a whistle. Skaters shall return without delay. All false starts or disqualifications shall remain in effect.
- c. Assistant Starter
- 1 The Assistant Starter may, if directed by the Starter, recall the race if a false start occurs, this action will be taken by firing a pistol or a blast with a whistle.
 - 2 The Assistant Starter will be positioned at or near the apex in Short Track or at or near the fall line in Long Track so as to have a clear

view of the fall line area. The assistant starter will recall races in accordance with starting rules 5 & 6 above.

4. Qualifying for Final Races:

- a. Before each qualifying heat, the Clerk of Course shall announce to the competitors the number of competitors that may qualify in said heat for the next round of that event.
- b. Under normal conditions a competitor must finish in a qualifying position to be placed in the next round of that event.
- c. A competitor who does not finish in a qualifying position in a heat or subsequent event may be placed in the next round of that event by the Referee; Short Track, within the last 2 laps; Long Track, within the last 200 meters; if, in the judgement of the Referee, the competitor is the victim of a foul while in a qualifying position through no fault of his own, which thereby prevents the competitor from finishing in a qualifying position. In any event, the competitor, unless injured or temporarily disabled, must finish said race to the best of his ability in an attempt to qualify and the judgement of the Referee in respect thereto shall be final.

5. The Finish of Racing Events:

- a. The competitor whose skate, or any part thereof, first crosses the finish line, shall be the winner of the race.
- b. The position of subsequent finishers shall likewise be decided only upon the basis of the order of any part of a competitor's skate crossing the finish line, no matter what the position of the body of the competitor may be as he crosses the finish line.

6. Disqualification:

- a. The Referee and Assistant Referees shall signal all fouls by upraised arm and clenched fist.
- b. The Referee may disqualify a competitor from an event for:
 - (1) *Off track*: Shortening the distance to be skated with one or both skates on the left side of the curve, marked by track marking blocks.
 - (2) *Pushing*: Deliberately impeding, blocking or pushing another competitor with any part of the body.
 - (3) *Crosstrack*: Improperly cross the course of, or in any way interfere with another competitor.
 - (4) *Slowing down*: Unnecessarily slowing down thereby causing another competitor to slow up or collide.
 - (5) *Collision*: Collide with, or impede the overtaking skater.
 - (6) *Assistance*: Permitting to give and/or receive physical assistance during a race. This will not apply to the push the skater receives from their team-mate in a relay event.
 - (7) *Team skating*: Conspire with others to cause a race to result otherwise than on its merits.
 - (8) *Kicking out*: Deliberately kicking out of a skate, or throwing the body across the finish line thereby causing danger to another skater at the finish.

c. The Referee may disqualify any competitor from the entire meet or any part of the meet if the competitor:

(1) At any time commits any acts unbecoming a gentleman or lady (such as use of profane language, engaging in fighting, causing undue disturbance), or commits any willful or deliberate act which results in damage, loss or injury to person or property, without regard to the location of the competitor's act from time for first check-in, during and until completion of presentation of awards.

(2) Loafs, competes to lose, coaches during the race, or uses unfair team work by blocking or impeding other competitors.

(3) Fails or refuses to compete in his first event on the meet program, or any subsequent event, after voluntarily entering, unless the competitor shows good cause for not competing.

d. The Referee may also disqualify an entire team for any unfair team work by any of the members thereof, such as boxing, pushing, blocking, etc.

e. The Referee may call out of a heat or race any competitors who are disqualified.

f. The Referee may in his discretion disqualify a competitor for the violation of any rule or regulation not specifically designated as grounds for disqualification.

7. Conduct of the Race:

If the field of competitors in qualifying heats or final events of championship races, is deliberately slowing the pace to a speed not in keeping with the ability and caliber of the competitors, the Referee shall have the right to call the race no contest prior to the halfway point and require such qualifying heat or final event to be reskated. All false starts or disqualifications will remain in force on the re-skate.

8. Suspension and Permanent Exclusion:

a. Whenever a competitor has been disqualified from an entire meet, the Referee, within ten days from the termination of said meet, shall file a written report with the Secretary of the ASU, either personally or by certified or registered mail, which report shall contain the full facts and circumstances concerning the disqualification, the name of the competitor so disqualified, the names of any witnesses, and the Referee's recommendation with respect to what suspension, if any, should be imposed by the Board of Control.

b. Upon receiving such report and recommendation, the Secretary, after conferring with the Board of Control, shall serve a copy thereof, either personally or by registered or certified mail, upon the competitor named in the report together with notice of hearing to be held at a specific place designated therein and at a time not less than thirty nor more than sixty days from the date of the secretary's receipt of the Referee's report.

c. The competitor disqualified by the Referee pursuant to the Racing Rules shall have the right at such hearing to testify and present witnesses or any other evidence on his behalf.

d. In accordance with these rules of the ASU, at the conclusion of the hearing the Board of Control shall:

(1) Dismiss the charges against the competitor, or

- (2) Suspend the competitor for a definite period of time, or
 - (3) Permanently exclude said competitor from all speed skating competition conducted by the ASU and its members.
- e. While suspended, a competitor may not compete in local, regional, National or North American meets or races. Any competitor entering a race with a skater known to him to be suspended shall himself be subject to suspension action.
9. At the National Marathon Championships, in the 50 K race, a feed zone will be provided by the organizer.
10. Numbers
- a. Bibs of Lycra material with numbers will be worn as issued by the ASU for National and North American Long Track Championships.
 - b. Helmet covers with numbers will be worn as issued by the ASU for National and North American Short Track Championships.
 - c. Each skater at the Nationals and North American Championships will leave a refundable deposit for a bib or helmet cover at registration.
 - d. Helmet numbers shall have a minimum height of 3 inches and a maximum height of 4½ inches.
 - e. Any helmet number previously on the competitor's helmet shall be totally covered prior to the number issued for the National or North American Short Track Championships being applied.

ARTICLE V

Relay racing consisting of teams from each Association is a part of North American and National Short Track Championships. Medals will be of the official North American and National design. The distance of the National relay will be 3000m.

1. Teams will consist of one (1) Male and one (1) Female team from each association, of four skaters and one reserve who will take part only with consent of the referee.
2. In case of an injury to a team member, or due to damage to a skate, the team may use the reserve for the remainder of the race. The reserve will only be allowed to participate if the Referee is satisfied that the skater cannot continue. Once the reserve has entered he must remain in the team until the race has ended. For subsequent races the team can be composed of any four of the five skaters originally named.
3. Each of the four team members must take part in the race.
4. All members of a team shall be uniformly dressed to the point of having a jersey, bib, or helmet cover of the same color. Teams which do not comply with this may be excluded from relay event.
5. A competitor will be in the race and responsible for the team until he is relayed by a team member. Relaying will be by touch, that is to say, a competitor will not be in the race until he has been touched by, or have touched the competitor he is relieving.
6. A competitor may be relayed at any time except during the last two laps.

These laps must be skated by one skater. A warning shot will be fired to indicate the start of the last three laps. In case of a fall during the last two laps, the skater may be relayed.

7. The Racing Rules shall apply to the relay races, that is to say, for all members of the team, both participating and relayed team members.
8. Breaches of the relay racing rules are considered as follows:
 - a. Relaying non touch: The relay has taken place without a touch or that the touch has not been obvious, clearly shown, and seen by the Referee or Assistant Referee.
 - b. Relaying during the last two laps: the last relay has not been clearly started before the commencement of the final two laps.
9. The Clerk of Course will arrange the heats of the Relay teams entered so as to have as equal ability in each heat as possible.
10. Relay team entry must be submitted to the meet registrar at the same time as the individual entries.
11. Substitution of a relay team member shall be handled the same as an individual. See Article IX, para. 3.g.

VI. PROTESTS

1. Procedure:
 - a. Verbal protests may be made only by a coach, appointed coach, or skater on behalf of any competitor, before or after any race against other competitors, or against any acts or any decisions of any official, including the Referee, or against any disqualifications by the Referee.
 - b. Competitors shall not enter the center of the track to present a protest in their own behalf.
 - c. Upon a verbal protest being made, the Referee shall make note of the same but shall not stop the races by reason of such verbal protest.
 - d. Verbal protests must be reduced to writing and filed with the Referee within one hour.
 - e. Written protests may be filed without previous verbal protests; provided, however, if no written protest shall be filed within one hour after the happening of the incident complained of by the competitor, the protest shall be deemed to have been waived.
 - f. The Referee, upon receiving written protests, shall promptly hold a hearing thereon, and after hearing all parties wishing to be heard, shall promptly render a decision. If the facts produced at said hearing warrant it, he may reverse previous decisions or disqualifications made by him.
 - g. Upon written protest being filed, the Referee shall hold up all prizes until the final decision has been rendered by him.
 - h. Written protests shall contain the following information and must be submitted on the official ASU protest form.
 - (1) The date, time, and event number of the incident.
 - (2) The person or persons involved, including skating numbers, whenever possible.
 - (3) The particular rule or rules alleged to have been infringed.

- (4) A statement of the facts.
- (5) Requested action of the Referee.
- (6) Signature of protestor.

Failure to present the required information gives the Referee the authority to reject the protest if he/she sees fit to do so.

VII. CLASSIFICATIONS OF COMPETITORS

1. Age Classifications:
 - a. The following definitions shall prevail to establish the age classification of skaters:

The age of the skater shall be that age the competitor is on July 1 preceding the competition.

Grand Master-50 years or older. (Not open to younger skaters)

*Master-35 years of age or older. (Not open to younger skaters)

*Senior-19 years of age or older.

*Intermediate-18 years of age or younger.

Junior-15 years of age or younger.

Juvenile-13 years of age or younger.

Midget-11 years of age or younger.

*Age classifications are different for North American Championships held in Canada. See Articles of Alliance section.
 - b. At National and North American meets, a skater may compete in an advanced age class, up to and including the Senior Class only, but in the event a skater scores points, he shall be disqualified from competing in lower age group classes. This disqualification shall not apply to Master or Grand Master skaters scoring points in the Master or Grand Master class. Skaters scoring points in the Master Class may skate in the Senior Class. This does not apply to open, local or exhibitional meets. In such non-national meets, a skater may compete in an advanced age class providing the skater has obtained the permission of the referee or clerk of course of the meet. The clerk of course or referee may combine classes if competitive conditions warrant without jeopardy to a skater's class status.
 - c. At North American meets, skaters who are members of the current United States World Team may compete in the Senior Class in the competition area to which selected, i.e. Short Track or Long Track, without jeopardizing their current or future age classification even though they may have scored points in an advanced age class.
 - d. A skater may compete in an advanced age class in National and North American Short Track competition without jeopardizing his current or future lower age status in National and North American Long Track competition and vice versa. However, a skater so competing and scoring points may not compete in a lower age class in National and North American Short Track competition, or vice versa.
 - e. A skater may compete in only one competitor class at a meet.

VIII. REGISTRATION ELIGIBILITY AND RESIDENCE

1. No person shall be allowed to enter or compete in any event sanctioned by this Union unless said person is eligible and is duly registered by one of the active members or directly with the ASU if residing outside member territories.
2. All contestants must possess credentials for identification to show their registration and their status in the Association to which they belong.
3. No person shall be permitted to represent any organization of which they are not a member.
4. All persons must register with the Association which has jurisdiction over the territory in which said persons legally reside. Such legal residence shall be determined by either of the following: (a) the legal residence of the parents or guardians who provide the principal support of the registrant, or (b) the location where the registrant resides continuously after January 1 prior to the June registration date. Differences of opinion as to the location of a registrant's legal residence shall be referred to the Secretary of the ASU for a decision which shall be made after conferring with officers of the ASU and other interested parties. Persons legally residing in a location over which no member Association of the ASU has jurisdiction shall register with the Secretary of the Amateur Speedskating Union.
5. The registration fee of any member of this Union shall be such fee as such member of this Union may charge its members for the privilege of becoming a member thereof.
6. When any registrant changes his legal residence from one Association to another, he shall notify the Secretary of the Association having jurisdiction over the location where he is registered and surrender his registration card. Such Secretary shall thereupon issue a transfer showing the date of the application and the date of the expiration of his registration. Upon presentation of the transfer, a new registration card shall be issued to him, free of charge, by the Secretary of the Association having jurisdiction over his new legal residence; said new card shall be dated according to the date of the application for transfer. Nothing in this section shall permit a skater to make a temporary change of residence merely for the purpose of skating for another club, organization, or Association, and in such case the Secretary shall refuse to make such transfer. Any registrant who transfers his or her residence to another Association purely for the purpose of training, practicing and/or for receiving coaching must maintain their registration in their home Association. They may compete in meets in the territory of the Association where they have taken up temporary residence, subject to release by their home Association and the rules established by the Association where they are temporarily residing. Any dispute shall be referred to the Secretary of the Amateur Speedskating Union as outlined in paragraph 4 for a decision.
7. A full time student in actual residence at an educational institution may represent either such institution, or a club belonging to the Association having jurisdiction over the location of his legal residence, or may compete unattached but must be registered in the Association having jurisdiction over the location of his legal residence. If the educational institution at which he is a full-time student and in actual residence is not located in the territory of the Association in which he is registered, and is beyond reasonable traveling distance from his Association, he may be granted a blanket release by

his home Association to compete in meets in the Association where the educational institution is located and/or nearby Associations. Such competition shall be governed by the rules of the Association in which the competition takes place.

8. No member of any club, organization, or team which is a member of any Association in the Union shall be allowed to change his affiliation or registration, except in case of a change of residence as above provided, or compete as a representative of any other club, organization, or team, except upon written notice by said member, club, rink, or team filed with the Secretary of the Association in which he is registered. Such change of affiliation shall become effective on June 1, following the receipt of said notice and such member shall skate unattached from receipt of said notice until the same shall become effective. In the event of the disbandment of any club, team, or organization or the dropping of a skater therefrom, such skater may, in the discretion of the Board of Control or other Executive Board of the Association of which he is a member, be permitted to form a new affiliation for the balance of the skating season.
9. No foreign eligible skater shall be allowed to skate within the jurisdiction of the ASU of the U.S. without first having secured permission from his governing body.
10. In principle, a skater may compete only as a member of the skating organization of the country of which the skater is a citizen.
 - a. A skater who has resided in the USA for at least one year may compete as a member of the Union if so permitted by the National Organization (if any) of the country of which the skater is a citizen.
 - b. A skater may also compete as a member of the Union if the skater has resided in the USA for at least one year and in which the skater (or skater's parents if the skater is not of age) has applied for citizenship. In such case, it is not necessary to obtain permission of the National Association (if any) of the country of which the skater has formerly been a citizen.
 - c. In the case of a skater who has dual citizenship, the skater shall decide which country's Association the skater shall skate for and can change only if the skater qualifies under para b. above.
 - d. In the course of the same year (September 1 - August 31) a skater may skate for only one and the same National Association.
 - e. Responsibility for proof of meeting the residency requirement is the obligation of the skater. Verification of the residency is the responsibility of the registering organization.
11. Any skater who is in the Armed Forces may skate in any sanctioned open meet in the United States. However, said skater may compete in closed meets only in the area in which he is registered. All registration fees shall be waived.

IX. COMPETITIONS, SELECTIONS, EXPENSES AND PERMITS

1. The promoters of any meet who desire the attendance of skaters from any association shall notify the Secretary of such Association sufficiently in

advance thereof of the number of skaters wanted for each of the various classes, and what expenses will be allowed such skaters and for what number.

2. Prior to ASU sanctioned Championships each Association shall, if possible, conduct its own championships and derbies, and the winners of such local events shall be included in said lists.
3. Selection of skaters to participate in Short Track and Long Track U.S. National Meets shall be by the individual member Associations. There shall be no Association quotas for the National Marathon Championships. Exhibition classes may be skated provided that classes younger than allowed by ASU rules shall not be skated at National and North American meets when held in the U.S. The number of skaters to be entered by each Association in each class: Grand Master, Master, Senior, Intermediate men and women, Junior, Juvenile, and Midget boys and girls shall be determined as follows:
 - a. Each member Association having 1-100 registered skaters shall be entitled to enter up to a maximum of four (4) skaters per class.
 - b. Each member Association having 101-300 registered skaters shall be entitled to enter up to a maximum of five (5) skaters per class.
 - c. Each member Association having more than 300 registered skaters shall be entitled to enter up to a maximum of six (6) skaters per class.
 - d. In addition, for the National Short Track and Long Track Championships, each member Association shall be entitled to enter a total of seven (7) additional skaters distributed within the fourteen (14) classes as the Association directs.
 - e. All U.S.I.S.A. World Team Members shall be qualified for National Competition in addition to all the above Association qualifiers.
 - f. The defending champion in any class, while still a member of that class, shall be entitled to enter a National competition as an additional entry over the quota allowed for his or her Association.
 - g. Each member Association may designate three (3) alternate skaters in each class, on the list to be furnished to the sponsoring Association of the skaters eligible to enter the National Championships, to substitute for any entry in the same class within the quota of such member Association. In the event that any skater duly entered in such National Competition shall withdraw because of illness or for any other reasons, the President or Secretary of such member Association shall notify the Secretary of the sponsoring Association or Clerk of Course prior to the closing of check-in, that the alternate skater so designated is to be substituted for the withdrawn entry, and an official entry blank together with the appropriate entry fee shall accompany such notice. The entry fee of the withdrawn entry shall be forfeited and not refunded by such sponsoring Association.
4. The number of registered skaters per member Association for the purpose of the above par. 3 shall be determined by the number of paid-up registered skaters as of six weeks prior to the start of the National Long Track or National Short Track Championships of the skating season year in which the Championships are held. The Executive Secretary of the ASU shall notify each member Association of its maximum number of entries per class with the mailing of the entries.

5. The sponsoring Association of an ASU meet shall be granted the privilege of entering an additional two skaters from its Association in each class.
6. From those skaters residing in a district over which no member Association of the Amateur Speedskating Union has jurisdiction and who are registered directly with the Amateur Speedskating Union, one skater per class per state plus an additional 10 total may be entered in National Competition. These skaters will be selected jointly by the President and Secretary of the Amateur Speedskating Union upon application from the skater to compete and when qualified by their records in the judgement of the President and Secretary of the Amateur Speedskating Union to do so.
7. The sponsor of any meet, sanctioned or unsanctioned, held under the control of, or in cooperation with, any member Association of the ASU, may require evidence that any skater desiring to participate who resides within the jurisdiction of any other Association is a duly registered skater with such other Association.
8. For all ASU meets, the secretary of the ASU shall prepare entry blank forms incorporating all rules and requirements and shall forward same to secretaries of the member Associations by first class mail not later than six weeks prior to the date of the meet.
9. Programs and entry blanks for all sanctioned events by this Union must contain this notice:
 - a. SANCTIONED BY AMATEUR SPEEDSKATING UNION OF THE UNITED STATES.
 - b. By signing this entry blank the member of the Amateur Speedskating Union has certified that he/she has read and understands the ASU's Code of Conduct and agrees to abide by it.
 - c. Entry blanks must include the standard waiver form as follows:
 In consideration of your accepting this entry, I hereby, for myself, my heirs, executors, administrators and assigns, waive and release any and all right and claims for damages I may have against the _____
 its Agents, Officers or Members, for any and all injuries suffered by me at said contest to be held (date) _____
 at _____ IN WITNESS WHEREOF,
 I have hereunto set my hand and seal this date of _____, 19____
 Name _____
 Address _____
 City & State _____ ZIP _____
 Reg. No. _____
10. All Associations are required to use the standardized ASU heat and final card for all National and Open Meets.

X. CHAMPIONSHIP EVENTS

1. Distances to be skated in National Long Track Championships (All in meters).

Grand Master	500	800	1000	1500
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Master	500	800	1000	1500	3000
Senior	500	800	1000	1500	3000
Intermediate	500	800	1000	1500	3000
Junior	300	500	800	1000	1500
Juvenile	300	500	600	800	1000
Midget	300	400	500	600	800

2. Distances to be skated at National Short Track Championships (All in Meters).

Grand Master	500	777	1000	1500
Master	500	1000	1500	3000
Senior	500	1000	1500	3000
Intermediate	500	1000	1500	3000
Junior	500	1000	1500	3000
Juvenile	333	500	777	1000
Midget	333	500	611	777

The above distances are mandatory for National competition.

3. Distances to be skated at North American Long Track Championships held in the United States (All in meters).

Grand Master	500	800	1000	1500
Master	500	1000	1500	3000
Senior	500	1000	1500	3000
Intermediate	500	1000	1500	3000
Junior	500	1000	1500	3000
Juvenile	400	500	800	1000
Midget	300	500	600	800

4. Distances to be skated at North American Short Track Championships held in the United States (All in meters).

Grand Master	500	777	1000	1500	
Master	500	777	1000	1500	3000*
Senior	500	777	1000	1500	3000*
Intermediate	500	777	1000	1500	3000*
Junior	500	777	1000	1500	
Juvenile	333	500	777	1000	
Midget	333	500	666	777	

*Point Scorers only

Relay races are limited, for safety reasons, to Juvenile Class and up. Distances for both heats and finals for relay races are 3000 meters. Combined association or provincial teams are not allowed.

5. The distances for the National Marathon Championships shall be 25 kilometers and 50 kilometers for the following classes:
 Grand Master Men and Women
 Master Men and Women
 Senior Men and Women
 Junior Men and Women (Intermediates and under)
6. The order of events shall be in accordance with the appropriate program in the ASU Official Protocol.
7. All championship events shall be determined by the greatest number of points won in all final events by one of the contestants; points shall be awarded in each final event as follows:

- a. First place 5 points
 - Second place 3 points
 - Third place 2 points
 - Fourth place 1 point
- b. In the event of a tie for first place, the points for first and second places shall be added together and divided equally between the contestants so tying. In the event of a tie for second place, the points for second and third place shall be similarly added and divided. And in the event of a tie for third place, the points for third and fourth places shall be likewise added and divided. In case of a tie for the championship, the contestants so tying shall be known as co-champions and duplicate prizes shall be awarded.
- c. The contestant having the greatest number of points at the completion of the scheduled events shall be the champion and shall receive an award emblematic of the championship.
- d. In the event the meet is cancelled, the point standings at the time of cancellation shall determine the class champion, provided at least 50% of the class's final events have been completed.
- e. For each race in the National Marathon Championships, the class champion will be the contestant who completes the course in the fastest time. (Points do not apply).
8. The distance for relay races will be 3000M.
9. The sponsoring Association of a National or North American meet shall submit a report of the competition to the ASU Executive Secretary within five days after the conclusion of the meet. The report shall include the distances skated, time of the winner, full name of the competitors who placed in the final of each event, and the identity of his or her Association. A duplicate shall also be forwarded to the Editor of the Racing Blade.

XI. PRIZES FOR CHAMPIONSHIP EVENTS

1. The medals for all ASU Championships, long track and short track, shall be provided by the ASU.
2. There must be four prizes for each event at a championship meet as follows:
First prize to be a gold medal. Second prize to be a silver medal. Third prize to be a bronze medal. Fourth prize to be a green-bronze medal.
All shall be made from the standard Amateur Speedskating Union die.
3. No prizes shall be given except those approved by the Board of Control. A suitably engraved medallion shall be presented to each class champion. (No medallions shall be awarded for the National Marathon Championship). This medallion shall be made from the official ASU or ASU/CASSA die. All medals and prizes shall be delivered to the winners as soon as possible after the events are finished.

XII. RECORDS

1. No records shall be listed or approved unless said times are made and

recorded in one of the following sanctioned meets: National Long Track, North American Long Track, National Short Track or North American Short Track Championships.

2. Applications for records to be accepted as official shall be substantiated by a certificate signed by the Chief Judge, Chief Timer, and the Referee, certifying to the place, hour and date, the sponsor, the class, the distance, the time in which the race was skated, the competitor's name, address and Association, and in outdoor meets, the condition of the ice.
3. The applications for records to be accepted as official shall also contain a certification by at least one of the Track Measurers or Surveyors that the track used for the sanctioned meet where the record was broken complies with the measurements laid down by the Amateur Speedskating Union, and shall designate the track length in meters per lap.
4. Whenever a new record shall be established during the National or North American meets, Long Track or Short Track, it shall be the duty and responsibility of the Chief Scorer of the meet to forward the Record Application form, properly entered and signed together with the heat or final card, or a copy thereof, and the surveyor's certificate to the Chairman of the Records Committee within 15 days following the completion of the meet.
5. A copy of the electronic timing work sheets for all National and North American Championship meets held in the United States shall be sent to the Records Committee Chairman within two (2) weeks after the event.
6. No records shall be set at the National Marathon Championship.

XIII. SKATING ELIGIBILITY

The eligibility of the ASU is based on the principle that an athlete's health must not suffer nor should he or she be placed at a social or material disadvantage by reason of his or her preparation for and participation in ASU sanctioned, USISA sanctioned or International competition. As used herein, "skater" refers to ice speed skater.

1. An eligible person in skating is someone who:
 - a. Participates in the sport as an avocation, for pleasure, and not as a means of livelihood.
 - b. Has received no financial rewards or material benefits in connection with his or her participation therein, except as otherwise expressly permitted by the Rules.
 - c. Is not otherwise disqualified under any provision of the ASU Rules.
2. A person is not eligible in skating if he or she:
 - a. Is currently practicing or teaching skating for gain as his or her primary source of income or principal vocation.
 - b. Has participated in any capacity in a skating competition or exhibition in violation of the rules of the ASU.
 - c. Has accepted direct or indirect financial benefit without the authorization of the ASU Member Association concerned in connection with their preparation or participation in competition (see also par. 6 of this Article).

- d. Has permitted his name, picture, personal appearance or performance to be used to advertise any commercial product, service or enterprise except in accordance with contracts entered into by the ISU, USISA, ASU or the Member Association concerned. All payments to be made under such contracts shall be to one of the above mentioned organizations and not directly to the athlete concerned (see also par. 6 of this Article).
 - e. In the performance of sport manifestly contravened the Rules of the ASU and the spirit of fair play and good sportsmanship.
3. Eligibility rights are restricted as follows:
- a. A person (although not otherwise disqualified pursuant to par. 2 above) who received remuneration from owning or managing an ice show may not be a competitor in an ASU sanctioned championship.
 - b. Paid employees of the ASU or its Member Associations may not be competitors.
4. Payments may be made for loss of salary or wages from employment due to absence resulting from preparation for or participation in competition, including travel, provided that the ASU Member Association concerned receives evidence establishing such loss.
5. Reimbursement:
- a. A skater or coach may be reimbursed for skating expenses regardless of the nature of the expense, provided such reimbursement is not paid directly to the skater or coach by a meet sponsor or organizer. The meet sponsor or organizer may make reimbursement by check to the skater's or coach's association under the provisions announced by the meet sponsor or host on the entry form data. No skater 9 years of age or younger, shall receive any cash reimbursement, directly or indirectly, at an ASU sanctioned meet.
 - b. The association may not retain any part of the monetary award sent to it by a meet sponsor. The entire amount must be paid to the skater or coach on a separate check or cashier's check made out from the association. A record of all payments made by both the meet sponsor or organizer and the association shall be kept ready for review by the Board of Control.
 - c. A meet sponsor or organizer, association, skater or coach, not complying with the above shall be liable to suspension or refusal of future sanction at the discretion of the Board of Control.
6. Only the ASU and its Member Associations or USISA are permitted to make advertising and sponsorship contracts with regard to ice speedskating to enable them to provide financial assistance in their sole discretion to competitors and officials with respect to expenses incurred resulting from training, equipment, preparation for and participation in ASU sanctioned, USISA sanctioned or international competition, exhibitions and seminars.
7. The following apparel parameters are set forth for all registered skaters competing in any sanctioned ASU speedskating meet:
- a. The skater and uniform must be neat and clean, at least at the start of a race. Safety helmet and gloves, as directed by the rules, must be worn. Torn, discolored, or uniforms in disrepair, may not be used.
 - b. The only lettering that may appear on the uniform is that of (1) skater's name and club (2) club or team sponsor (3) individual sponsor (4) club or association patch (5) competition number (6) USA.
 - c. If a team or club name appears on a uniform, that team or club must be a duly registered member in good standing of: (1) ASU and (2) state association.
 - d. If advertising appears on a skater's uniform, it must meet the following standards: (1) may appear only once on top and once on bottom of uniform (top is waist up, bottom is waist down). (2) name or names may appear on front or back of uniform. (3) the size of lettering for sponsor may not exceed the size of the lettering of the club or team. (4) Short Track skating may include sponsor's name on gloves and helmets. (5) size of lettering may not exceed a height of 6 inches or a width of 2 inches. (6) no lettering is to interfere with skating numbers when used. If the skating number is a permanent part of the uniform, no other lettering may appear on the same side as the number; (7) trademarks (which must be dignified and small in size) will be allowed on technical equipment and uniforms.
8. Breach of Eligibility:
- a. The consequence of a breach of the eligibility rules shall be the loss of eligibility.
 - b. The ASU Board of Control, upon presentation of such evidence as it considers adequate in its sole discretion, may rule upon an alleged breach of the Eligibility Rules, whether or not any protest has been made against an individual's eligible status in skating.
 - c. Before a ruling is made by the ASU Board of Control, both the Member Association and the person concerned shall be notified and the person concerned shall be given an opportunity to furnish an explanation, in person or in writing, of the alleged breach. If the person concerned does not avail himself of such an opportunity within 60 days of receipt of such notice, his right to furnish an explanation shall be waived.
9. Matters concerning eligibility not foreseen in the ASU Rules shall be considered by the ASU Board of Control in a manner consistent with the spirit and intent of the ASU Rules.
10. Reinstatements of ineligible persons for ASU sanctioned competition may be made by the ASU Board of Control.
11. In cases where the ASU Board of Control cannot be reasonably convened, the ASU Executive Committee may act in the Board's stead as allowed by By-Laws Article III, par. 5.
12. The ASU is unequivocally opposed to the use and possession, by American speed skaters, of any banned substances and to the encouragement of contribution by any other individuals or by the athletes themselves to any use of such substances in contravention of the rules regarding doping as set out by the IOC, ISU, USOC and USISA.
- The ASU will recognize and accept any and all penalties imposed on any competitor or official by the aforementioned groups who has been found guilty of any infractions of the Drug Policies of these groups.

The ASU will make available to all members information as provided by the USOC Drug Education Program or by any other of the listed groups.

XIV. CODE OF CONDUCT

All individuals registered with the Amateur Speedskating Union are expected to adhere to the highest code of conduct at all ASU sponsored or sanctioned functions. It is a requirement that the following precepts be adhered to for the good of all in the sport.

1. The subjects of substance abuse are dealt with elsewhere in the Union's governing documents. Breach of these items shall be considered a breach of the Union's Code of Conduct.
2. The Union prohibits unsportsmanlike conduct, cheating, dishonesty, and conduct unbecoming a lady or gentleman. This includes all those items discussed in detail below.
3. The competitor shall at all times show respect for his or her fellow competitor, the officials conducting the competition, coaches, and the spectators. The competitor shall exhibit the following traits: sportsmanship, courtesy towards others, respect for the rights of others, responsible behavior, and a sense of fair play. At no time shall a competitor attempt to take unfair advantage of another competitor, official, or other person associated with the sport.
4. This code prohibits the use of physical abuse, mental abuse, intimidation, coercion, harassment, disruptive conduct, disorderly conduct, threats of any sort of harm, causing injury, or any such activity which infringes upon the rights of others.
5. It is forbidden to damage or steal anyone's property, whether competitor, rink, hotel, or the like. The competitor is bound to pay restitution in addition to the disciplinary action the Union may prescribe.
6. These paragraphs apply to all ASU registrants whether competitor, official, coach, spectator, or person involved in speedskating in any way.
7. Any breach of the Code may be brought before the Board of Control for disciplinary action. A report of the incident may be made by any registrant of the Union and shall be made to the Secretary in writing within 10 days of the incident. The Executive Committee shall discuss the incident and forward the report with the committee's recommendation to the Board of Control members for a mail or telephone vote within 10 days of receipt of the report. The Executive Committee shall recommend whether disciplinary action by the Union is appropriate. If the Board vote is to proceed with disciplinary action, the person(s) shall be notified and a hearing held with all parties heard. The hearing may take place up to 30 days from the report of the Executive Committee, or 60 days after the incident. If no action is taken, the incident report shall be discarded.
8. A special committee may be appointed by the President to conduct the hearing and prepare a written final report with a recommendation to the Board of Control for action. The special committee shall comprise a minimum of three Union registrants, at least two of whom shall be members of the Board of Control. They may be selected from the same geographical area in order to control costs.

9. After reviewing the evidence, the Board of Control shall render a decision that is in accordance with Article IV, paragraph 8,d. of the Racing Rules;
 - a. Dismiss the charges.
 - b. Suspend the registrant for a definite period of time, and the report shall remain in the Union's files.
 - c. Permanently suspend the registrant, and the report shall remain in the Union's files.
 - d. Restitution for any and all property damage shall be made prior to accepting a request for reinstatement.Nothing stated here precludes a civil suit being filed against the individual.

XV. TRACK LAYOUT AND MEASUREMENTS

1. The two track measurers or surveyors shall certify all track measurements consistent with the following:
 - a. Definitions
 - (1) Survey Lines – Those lines (or points) that define the track by positioning lines, marks or blocks on the ice.
 - (2) Skater's Path– 0.5 meter outside the survey line. This is to be used when calculating distances skated.
 - b. Tracks to be utilized are those approved by the Board of Control and published in the Handbook showing "Approved" on the diagram. Other tracks are published for local Association use but may be used in case of emergency upon the prior approval of the Chief Referee and an ASU Representative, for a National or North American meet.
 - c. For long track meets, the survey line may be marked by a snowline or by blocks set on the ice. If blocks are used, they shall be set so that their outside edge is on the survey line and shall be spaced 1.0 meter apart for the first 10 meters of the turn, 2.0 meters apart on the remainder of the turn, and 5.0 meters apart on the straight-of-ways.
 - d. Start lines shall be a minimum of 0.006 meter (approximately 1/4 inch) to a maximum of 0.06 meter (approximately 2 inches) in width. Finish lines shall be a minimum of 0.02 meter (approximately 3/4 inch) to 0.06 meter (approximately 2 inches) in width. The line shall have its upstream side (approaching side) as the measured-to side. The Short Track starting line shall be divided into 6 equal spaces; the midpoint of each space marked with a dot to mark the midpoint of the lane. These starting lanes shall be a minimum of 0.75 meter to a maximum of 1.0 meter to suit the ice dimensions. Prestart lines shall be yellow.
 - e. "Fall-down" marks shall be used only on long tracks and shall be placed 10 meters (32 feet 9 3/4 inches) downstream of the starting line.
 - f. All marks in the ice shall be laid into the ice under the skating surface.
 - g. For Short Track meets, the blocks shall be placed as indicated on the drawings with the outside edge on the marks on the ice. The blocks shall consist of unweighted rubber toilet plungers with a hole drilled in them to prevent sticking.
 - h. For short track meets, the spots marking the block location shall be a

minimum of 0.02 meter (approximately 3/4 inch) in diameter with the outside edge marking the survey line.

- i. For the ASU National Short Track Championships the track shall be an oval of 111.12 meters on an ice rink with minimum measurements of 60 x 30 meters (approximately 196.85 x 98.43 ft.). Besides the standard track there will be four other tracks laid out which are moved one and two meters in either direction of the standard track to preserve good ice conditions. For all tracks one finish line will be used. Applicable to bids submitted after June 1, 1996.
- j. The tolerance for any individual measurement in track layout shall be ± 3 mm or $\pm 1/8$ inch.

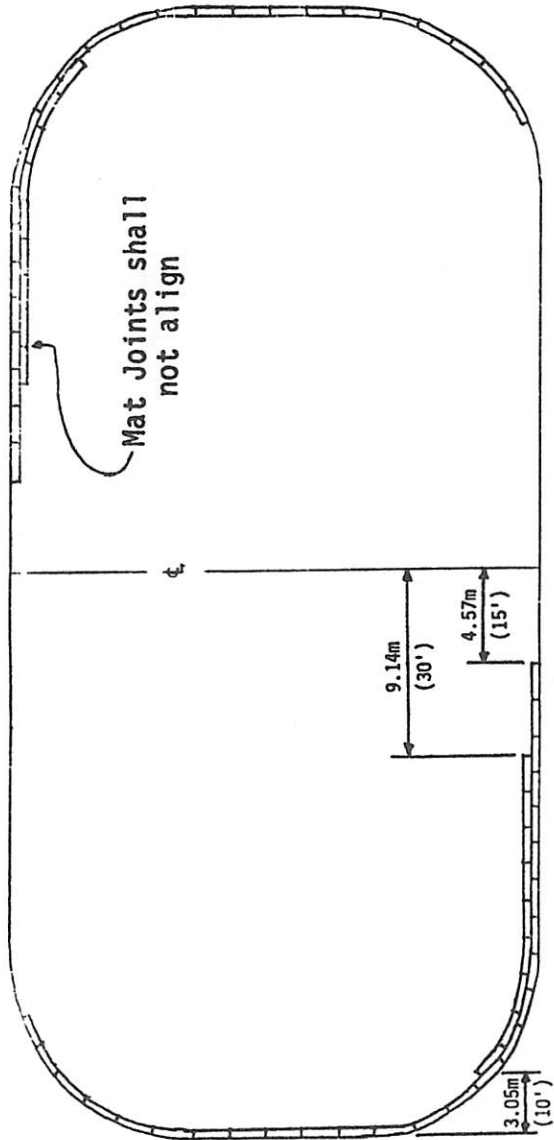
XVI. SHORT TRACK SAFETY PADDING

1. The padding shall be at least as high as the standard hockey board.
2. The pads must be covered with a suitable material so as not to allow any padding particle or materials to come in contact with the ice.
3. The padding must have adequate tabs so they can be firmly tied down so as not to fall onto the skating track when hit by a fallen skater.
4. Enough padding must be provided to cover the walls around the entire end of the rink to a point 15 feet behind the center red line on a standard hockey rink. It shall not be padded any closer than 15 feet unless the rink is 93 feet or wider. The walls shall have a double layer of padding from the end red line to a point no more than 30 feet behind the center red line.

XVII. RECOMMENDATIONS

1. The ASU recommends that no one smokes any tobacco product or uses any aerosol spray lubricant in any building, ice rink or warming hut during speedskating competition.
2. All Long Track and Short Track Referees, Assistant Referees, Track Stewards and Skater Stewards working on the ice shall be on skates and it is recommended that safety helmets be worn.

MAT PLACEMENT



Mats shall be attached to the boards with their weight on the ice.

HEAT & SEMI CARDS LONG TRACK

MEN HEAT - QUARTER -- SEMI WOMEN				EVENT NO.	
_____ OF _____					
GRAND MASTER		MASTER	SENIOR	INTERMEDIATE	
JUNIOR		JUVENILE	MIDGET		
300 - 400 - 500 - 600 - 800 - 1000 - 1500 - 3000					
PICKING 1 2 3 _____ + _____ FASTEST _____					
FOR:		QUARTER	SEMI	FINAL	
ENTRY NO.	NAME		DRAW POS.	CLUB	FINISH

JUDGES PREDOMINANCE			
	JUD 1	JUD 2	JUD 3
1st			
2nd			
3rd			
4th			
5th			
			== _____
			== _____
			== _____
			== _____
			== _____

TIME _____

FINAL CARD LONG TRACK

MEN	FINAL CARD	WOMEN	EVENT NO.	
GRAND MASTER	MASTER	SENIOR	INTERMEDIATE	
JUNIOR	JUVENILE	MIDGET		
300 - 400 - 500 - 600 - 800 - 1000 - 1500 - 3000				
ENTRY NO.	NAME	DRAW POS.	CLUB	FINISH

JUDGES PREDOMINANCE

	JUD 1	JUD 2	JUD 3	
1st				= _____
2nd				= _____
3rd				= _____
4th				= _____
5th				= _____

TIME _____

HEAT & SEMI CARDS SHORT TRACK

MEN	HEAT -	QUARTER -	SEMI	WOMEN	EVENT NO.
_____ OF _____					
GRAND MASTER	MASTER	SENIOR	INTERMEDIATE		
JUNIOR	JUVENILE		MIDGET		
333 - 444 - 500 - 611 - 777 - 1000 - 1500 - 3000 - RELAY					
PICKING 1 2 3 _____ + ____ FASTEST _____					
FOR: QUARTER SEMI FINAL					
ENTRY NO.	NAME	DRAW POS.	CLUB	FINISH	

JUDGES PREDOMINANCE

	JUD 1	JUD 2	JUD 3	
1st				= _____
2nd				= _____
3rd				= _____
4th				= _____
5th				= _____

TIME _____

ASU CLERKING PROCEDURE-LONG TRACK NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS

GRAND MASTERS, MASTERS, SENIOR, INTERMEDIATE & JUNIOR 300M OR 500M
(6 in Final)

ENTRY	HEATS	PICK	FOR
1. 7	2	2 + F 3rd	Final (5 in Final)
2. 8-12	2	3	Final
3. 13-14	3	2	Final
4. 15-18	3	3 + F 4th	Semi, go to (2)
5. 19-24	4	3	Semi, go to (2)
6. 25-30	5	2	Semi, go to (2)

(A) If a skater is added to an event and the total on the line is 6 or more and space permits, run it that way. If more than one skater is added bringing the total to 8 or more, run another event to bring it to 6 or the Final.

(B) In the 500 M, if space does not permit 6 on the line, use the Short Track Clerking Procedure for the 500 M Distance.

GRAND MASTERS, MASTERS, SENIOR, INTERMEDIATE & JUNIOR 800M, 1000M OR 1500M
(8 in Final)

ENTRY	HEATS	PICK	FOR
1. *9	2	3 + F 4th	Final (7 in Final)
* If space permits run 9 in the Final			
2. 10-16	2	4	Final
3. 17-21	3	4	Semi, go to (2)
4. 22-24	3	4	Semi, go to (2)
5. 25-32	4	4	Semi, go to (2)

MASTERS MEN, SENIOR & INTERMEDIATE 3000 M

ENTRY	HEATS	PICK	FOR
1. 17-24	2	6	Final
2. 25-32	2	7	Final
3. 33 up	3	5	Final

JUVENILE & MIDGET 300 M, 400 M & 500 M - (6 in Final)

ENTRY	HEATS	PICK	FOR
1. 7	2	2 + F 3rd	Final
2. 8-12	2	3	Final
3. 13-18	3	3	Semi, go to (2)
4. 19-24	4	3	Semi, go to (2)
5. 25-30	5	2	Semi, go to (2)
6. 31-36	6	2	Semi, go to (2)

JUVENILE & MIDGET 600 M, 800 M - OR - 1000 M (8 in Final)

ENTRY	HEATS	PICK	FOR
1. 9	2	3 + F 4th	Final (7 in Final)
2. 10-16	2	4	Final
3. 17-24	3	4	Semi. go to (2)
4. 25-32	4	4	Semi, go to (2)

NATIONAL LONG TRACK CHECKLIST OF EVENTS AND CLASSES

	500 M			800 M			1000 M			1500 M		
	H	S	F	H	S	F	H	S	F	H	S	F
GRAND MASTERS WOMEN												
GRAND MASTERS MEN												

	500 M			800 M			1000 M			1500 M			3000 M	
	H	S	F	H	S	F	H	S	F	H	S	F	H	F
MASTERS WOMEN														
MASTERS MEN														
SENIOR WOMEN														
SENIOR MEN														
INTERMEDIATE GIRLS														
INTERMEDIATE BOYS														

	300 M			500 M			800 M			1000 M			1500 M		
	H	S	F	H	S	F	H	S	F	H	S	F	H	S	F
JUNIOR GIRLS															
JUNIOR BOYS															

	300 M			500 M			600 M			800 M			1000 M		
	H	S	F	H	S	F	H	S	F	H	S	F	H	S	F
JUVENILE GIRLS															
JUVENILE BOYS															

	300 M			400 M			500 M			600 M			800 M		
	H	S	F	H	S	F	H	S	F	H	S	F	H	S	F
MIDGET GIRLS															
MIDGET BOYS															

ASU CLERKING PROCEDURE - SHORT TRACK

GRAND MASTERS, MASTERS, SENIOR, INTERMEDIATE & JUNIOR 500 M & JUVENILE 333 M.

*(5 in Final)

ENTRY	HEATS	PICK	FOR	ROUNDS
1. 6-10	2	2 + F 3rd Time	Final	2
2. 11-12	3	2	Semi, go to (1)	3
3. 13-15	3	3 + F 4th Time	Semi, go to (1)	3
4. 16-20	4	3	Semi, go to (2)	4
5. 21-25	5	3	Quar, go to (3)	4
6. 26-30	6	3	Semi Quar, go to (4)	5
7. 31-35	7	3	Semi Quar, go to (5)	5
8. 36-40	8	3	Semi Quar, go to (5)	5

(A) In the 500 M if one or more skaters are added to the Final, making it more than 5 on the line, run another event to bring it to only 5 in the Final.

(B) In the 777 M if one skater is added to the Final, run it with 6 in the Final. If two or more skaters are added, run another event to bring it to 5 in the Final.

(C) In the Juvenile 333 M if one or more skaters are added to the Final, run another event to bring it to 5 in the Final.

* (A) For 85 ft. wide rinks, in the 333 M or 500 M if one or more skaters are added to the Final, making it more than 5 on the line, run another event to bring it to only 5 in the Final,

* (B) For rinks over 85 ft. wide, in the 333 M or 500 M if one skater is inserted in the Final, making it 6 on the line, run the event with 6 in the Final,

* (C) On all rinks in the 777 M if one skater is added to the Final, run it with 6 in the Final. If two or more skaters are added, run another event to bring it to 5 in the Final. On the added event if one skater is added run the Final with 6.

GRAND MASTERS, MASTERS, SENIOR, INTERMEDIATE & JUNIOR 1000 M & 1500 M

(6 in Final)

ENTRY	HEATS	PICK	FOR	ROUNDS
1. 7	2	2 + F 3rd Time	Final	2
2. 8-12	2	3	Final	2
3. 13-18	3	3 + F 4th Time	Semi, go to (2)	3
4. 19-24	4	3	Semi, go to (2)	3
5. 25-30	5	3	Quar, go to (3)	4
6. 31-36	6	3	Quar, go to (3)	4

(A) In the above distances, if one skater is added in the Final, skate the distance with 7 skaters. If 2 or more skaters are inserted, run another race to bring the total back to 6 in the Final. On the added event if one skater is added run the Final with 7.

ASU CLERKING PROCEDURE - SHORT TRACK

(continued)

GRAND MASTERS, MASTERS, SENIOR, INTERMEDIATE & JUNIOR 3000 M

(Up To 10 in Final)

ENTRY	HEATS	PICK	FOR	ROUNDS
1. 10-18	2	4	Final	2
2. 19-27	3	3	Final	2
3. 28-36	4	2 + F 3rd Time	Final	2
4. 37-45	5	4	Semi, go to (2)	3

(A) In the above distances, if one skater is added in the Final, skate the distance with the added skater.

JUVENILE & MIDGET, (EXCEPT JUNVENILE 333 M - 6 in Final)

ENTRY	HEATS	PICK	FOR	ROUNDS
1. 7	2	2 + F 3rd Time	Final	2
2. 8-12	2	3	Final	2
3. 13-18	3	3 + F 4th Time	Semi, go to (2)	3
4. 19-24	4	3	Semi, go to (2)	3
5. 25-30	5	3	Quar, go to (3)	4
6. 31-36	6	3	Quar, go to (3)	4

(A) In the Juvenile Class the shortest distance (333 M), the event shall be skated as stated above.

(B) In the above distances, if one skater is added in the Final, skate the distance with 7 skaters. If 2 or more skaters are inserted, run another race to bring the total back to 6 in the Final. On the added event if one skater is added run the Final with 7.

SHORT TRACK CHECKLIST OF EVENTS AND CLASSES

	500 M				777 M				1000 M			1500 M		
	H	Q	S	F	H	Q	S	F	H	S	F	H	S	F
GRAND MASTERS WOMEN														
GRAND MASTERS MEN														

	500 M				1000 M			1500 M			3000 M	
	H	Q	S	F	H	S	F	H	S	F	H	F
MASTERS WOMEN												
MASTERS MEN												
SENIOR WOMEN												
SENIOR MEN												
INTERMEDIATE GIRLS												
INTERMEDIATE BOYS												
JUNIOR GIRLS												
JUNIOR BOYS												

	333 M				500 M			777 M			1000 M		
	H	Q	S	F	H	S	F	H	S	F	H	S	F
JUVENILE GIRLS													
JUVENILE BOYS													

	333 M			500 M			611 M			777 M		
	H	S	F	H	S	F	H	S	F	H	S	F
MIDGET GIRLS												
MIDGET BOYS												

ASU CLERKING PROCEDURE-LONG TRACK NORTH AMERICAN CHAMPIONSHIPS

GRAND MASTERS, MASTERS, SENIOR, & INTERMEDIATE 500M
(6 in Final)

ENTRY	HEATS	PICK	FOR
1. 7	2	2 + F 3rd	Final (5 in Final)
2. 8-12	2	3	Final
3. 13-14	3	2	Final
4. 15-18	3	3 + F 4th	Semi, go to (2)
5. 19-24	4	3	Semi, go to (2)
6. 25-30	5	2	Semi, go to (2)

(A) If a skater is added to an event and the total on the line is 6 or 7, and space permits, run it that way. If more than one skater is added bringing the total to 8 or more, run another event to bring it to 6 in the Final.

(B) In the 500 M, if space does not permit 6 on the line, use the Short Track Clerking Procedure for the 500 M Distance.

GRAND MASTERS, MASTERS, SENIOR, INTERMEDIATE & JUNIOR 800M, 1000M OR 1500M
(8 in Final)

ENTRY	HEATS	PICK	FOR
1. *9	2	3 + F 4th	Final (7 in Final)
* If space permits run 9 in the Final			
2. 10-16	2	4	Final
3. 17-21	3	4	Semi, go to (2)
4. 22-24	3	4	Semi, go to (2)
5. 25-32	4	4	Semi, go to (2)

MASTERS MEN, SENIOR, INTERMEDIATE & JUNIOR 3000 M

ENTRY	HEATS	PICK	FOR
1. 17-24	2	6	Final
2. 25-32	2	7	Final
3. 33 up	3	5	Final

JUVENILE & MIDGET 300 M, 400 M & 500 M - (6 in Final)

ENTRY	HEATS	PICK	FOR
1. 7	2	2 + F 3rd	Final
2. 8-12	2	3	Final
3. 13-18	3	3	Semi, go to (2)
4. 19-24	4	3	Semi, go to (2)
5. 25-30	5	2	Semi, go to (2)
6. 31-36	6	2	Semi, go to (2)

JUVENILE & MIDGET 600 M, 800 M - OR - 1000 M (8 in Final)

ENTRY	HEATS	PICK	FOR
1. 9	2	3 + F 4th	Final (7 in Final)
2. 10-16	2	4	Final
3. 17-24	3	4	Semi, go to (2)
4. 25-32	4	4	Semi, go to (2)

NORTH AMERICAN LONG TRACK CHECKLIST OF EVENTS AND CLASSES

	500 M			800 M			1000 M			1500 M		
	H	S	F	H	S	F	H	S	F	H	S	F
GRAND MASTERS WOMEN												
GRAND MASTERS MEN												
MASTERS WOMEN												

	500 M			1000 M			1500 M			3000 M	
	H	S	F	H	S	F	H	S	F	H	F
MASTERS MEN											
SENIOR WOMEN											
SENIOR MEN											
INTERMEDIATE GIRLS											
INTERMEDIATE BOYS											
JUNIOR GIRLS											
JUNIOR BOYS											

	400 M			500 M			800 M			1000 M		
	H	S	F	H	S	F	H	S	F	H	S	F
JUVENILE GIRLS												
JUVENILE BOYS												

	300 M			500 M			600 M			800 M		
	H	S	F	H	S	F	H	S	F	H	S	F
MIDGET GIRLS												
MIDGET BOYS												

ASU CLERKING PROCEDURE-SHORT TRACK NORTH AMERICAN CHAMPIONSHIPS

GRAND MASTERS, MASTERS, SENIOR, INTERMEDIATE & JUNIOR 500 M & 777 M and
JUVENILE 333 M (5 in Final)

ENTRY	HEATS	PICK	FOR	ROUNDS
1. 6-10	2	2 + F 3rd time	Final	2
2. 11-12	3	2	Semi, go to (1)	2
3. 13-15	3	3 + F 4th time	Semi, go to (1)	2
4. 16-20	4	3	Semi, go to (2)	3
5. 21-25	5	3	Quar, go to (3)	3
6. 26-30	6	3	Semi-Quar, go to (4)	4
7. 31-35	7	3	Semi-Quar, go to (5)	4
8. 36-40	8	3	Semi-Quar, go to (5)	4

- * (A) For 85 ft. wide rinks, in the 333 M or 500 M if one or more skaters are added to the Final, making it more than 5 on the line, run another event to bring it to only 5 in the Final,
- * (B) For rinks over 85 ft. wide, in the 333 M or 500 M if one skater is inserted in the Final, making it 6 on the line, run the event with 6 in the Final,
- * (C) On all rinks in the 777 M if one skater is added to the Final, run it with 6 in the Final. If two or more skaters are added, run another event to bring it to 5 in the Final. On the added event if one skater is added run the Final with 6.

GRAND MASTERS, MASTERS, SENIOR, INTERMEDIATE & JUNIOR
1000 M & 1500 M

(6 in Final)

ENTRY	HEATS	PICK	FOR	ROUNDS
1. 7	2	2 + F 3rd time	Final	
2. 8-12	2	3	Final	2
3. 13-18	3	3 + F 4th time	Semi, go to (2)	3
4. 19-24	4	3	Semi, go to (2)	3
5. 25-30	5	3	Quar, go to (3)	4
6. 31-36	6	3	Quar, go to (3)	4

- (A) In the above distances, if one skater is added in the Final, skate the distance with 7 skaters. If 2 or more skaters are inserted, run another race to bring the total back to 6 in the Final. On the added event if one skater is added run the Final with 7.

**CHECKLIST OF EVENTS AND CLASSES-SHORT TRACK
NORTH AMERICAN CHAMPIONSHIPS**

	500 M				777 M				1000 M				1500 M			
	H	Q	S	F	H	Q	S	F	H	S	F		H	S	F	
GRAND MASTER WOMEN																
GRAND MASTER MEN																
MASTER WOMEN																
MASTER MEN																
JUNIOR WOMEN																
JUNIOR MEN																

	500 M				777 M				1000 M				1500 M				3000 M
	H	Q	S	F	H	Q	S	F	H	S	F		H	S	F	F	
SENIOR WOMEN																	
SENIOR MEN																	
INTERMEDIATE WOMEN																	
INTERMEDIATE MEN																	

	333 M				500 M			777 M			1000 M		
	H	Q	S	F	H	S	F	H	S	F	H	S	F
JUVENILE GIRLS													
JUVENILE BOYS													

	333 M			500 M			666 M			777 M		
	H	S	F	H	S	F	H	S	F	H	S	F
MIDGET GIRLS												
MIDGET BOYS												

**ASU CLERKING PROCEDURE-SHORT TRACK
NORTH AMERICAN CHAMPIONSHIPS (CONTINUED)**

GRAND MASTERS, MASTERS, SENIOR, INTERMEDIATE & JUNIOR 3000 M
(UP TO 10 in Final)

ENTRY	HEATS	PICK	FOR	ROUNDS
1. 10-18	2	4	Final	2
2. 19-27	3	3	Final	2
3. 28-36	4	2 + F 3rd time	Final	2
4. 37-45	5	4	Semi, go to (2)	3

(A) In the above distances, is one skater is added in the Final, skate the distance with the added skater.

JUVENILE & MIDGET, (EXCEPT JUVENILE 333 M) - 6 in Final)

ENTRY	HEATS	PICK	FOR	ROUNDS
1. 7	2	2 + F 3rd time	Final	2
2. 8-12	2	3	Final	2
3. 13-18	3	3 + F 4th time	Semi. go to (2)	3
4. 19-24	4	3	Semi, go to (2)	3
5. 25-30	5	3	Quar, go to (3)	4
6. 31-36	6	3	Quar, go to (3)	4

(A) In the Juvenile Class the shortest distance (333 M), the event shall be skated as stated above.

(B) In the above distances, is one skater is added in the Final, skate the distance with 7 skaters. If 2 or more skaters are inserted, run another race to bring the total back to 6 in the Final. On the added event if one skater is added run the Final with 7.

**AMATEUR SPEEDSKATING UNION
RECORD APPLICATION FORM**

The undersigned race officials do hereby certify that the following information is true and correct and may properly be submitted to the A.S.U. Board of Control to substantiate the record application contained herein.

Meet: _____

Sponsor Assn: _____ Place: _____

Date: _____ Class: _____

Record Time: _____ Distance: _____

Number of meters per lap: _____ Ice Condition: _____

Skater's Name: _____

Skater's Address: _____

Skater's Association: _____

Chief Referee: _____

Chief Judge: _____

Chief Timer: _____

1st Watch Time: _____ 2nd Watch Time: _____ 3rd Watch Time: _____

Electronic Time: _____

The undersigned, a duly appointed Track Surveyor for the above described meet, does hereby certify that the track complies with all the track measurement requirements officially laid down by the Amateur Speedskating Union of the U.S.A. in the A.S.U. Handbook on Racing Rules and Officials.

Name: _____

Records Committee:

Board of Control:

Approved _____ Approved _____

Rejected _____ Rejected _____

Date _____ Date _____

ASU PROTEST FORM

Date: _____ Time: _____

Event No.: _____ Class: _____

Skaters Involved & Number of Skaters: _____

Rule Involved (Page location in book also):

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Particulars of Protest: _____

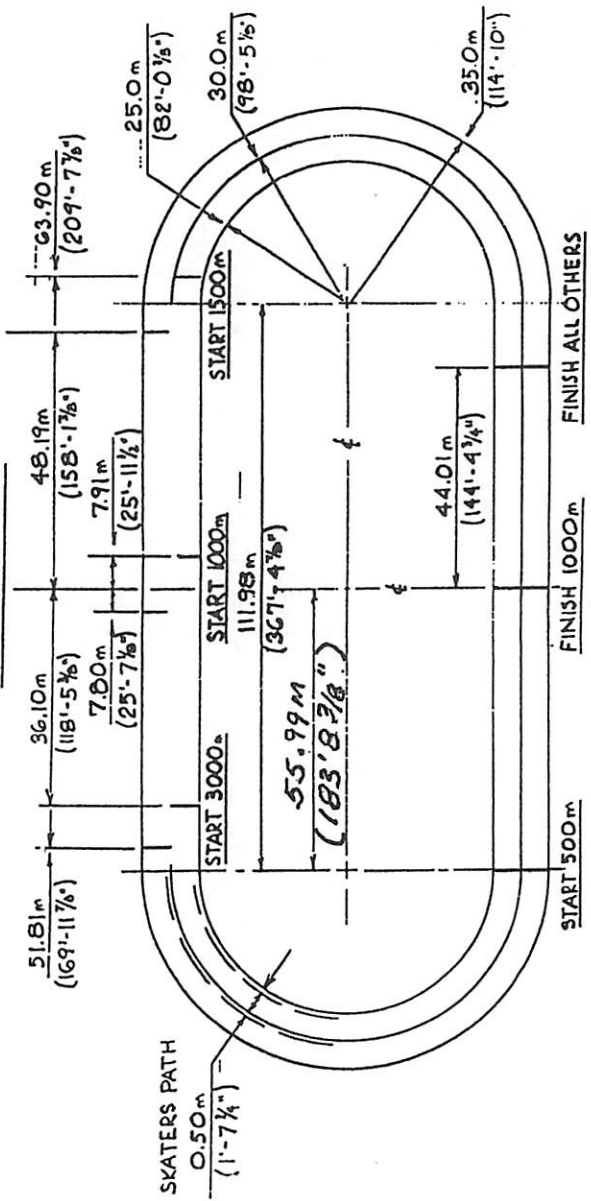
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CALCULATIONS

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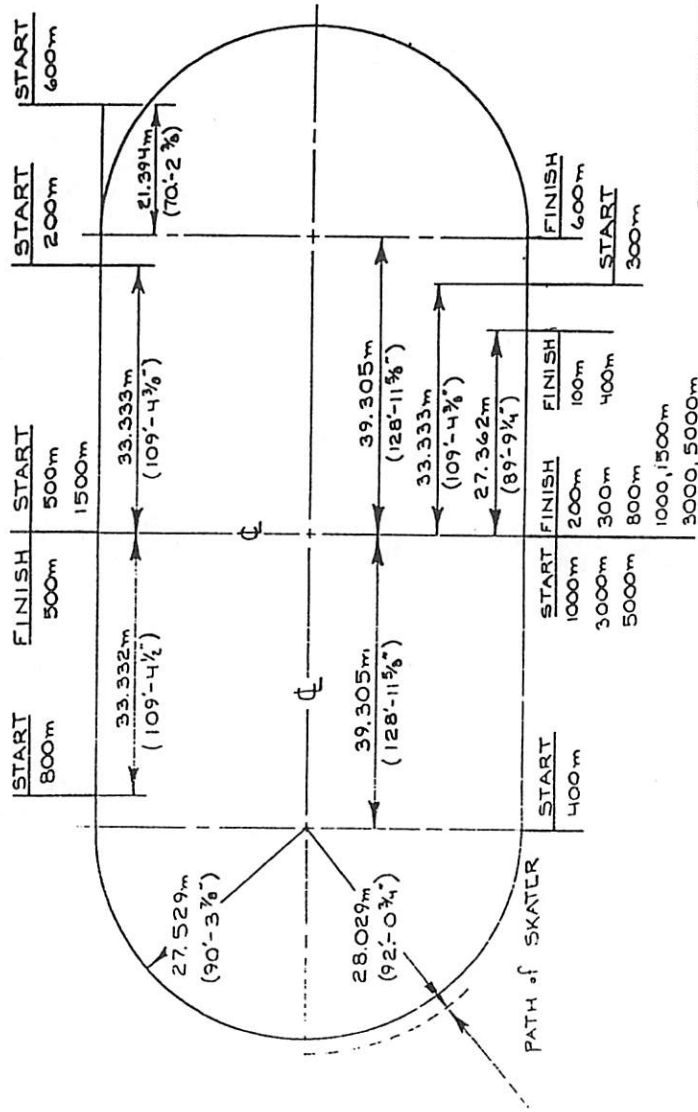
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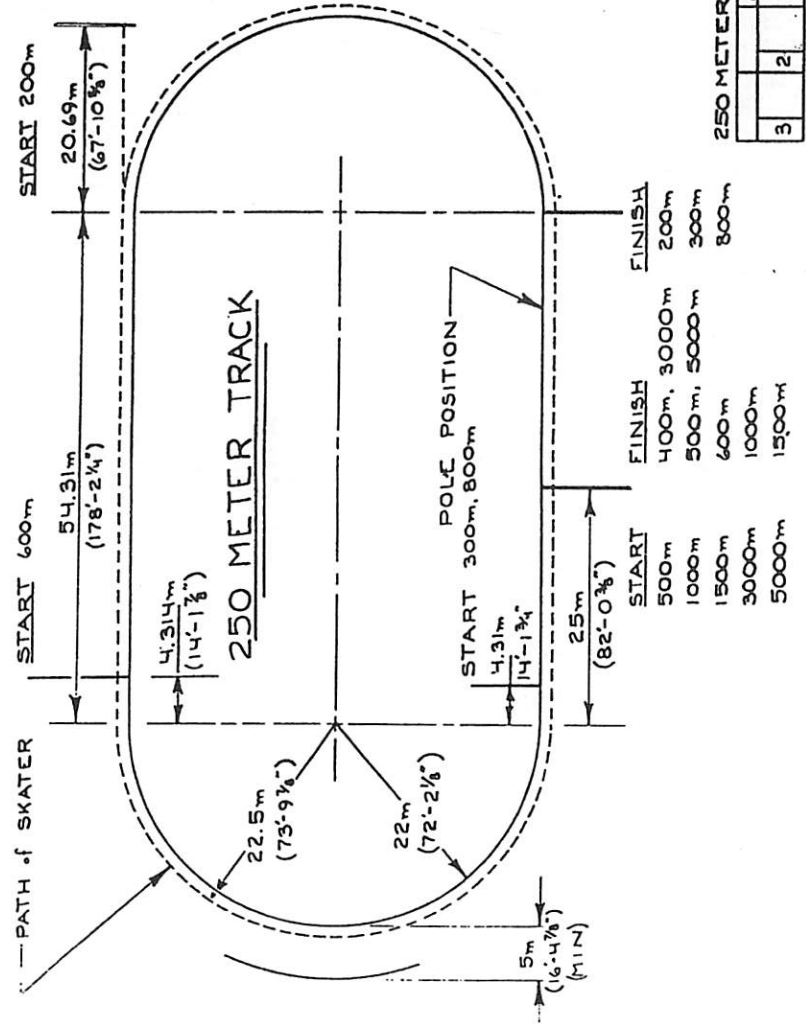
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33.333 METER TRACK

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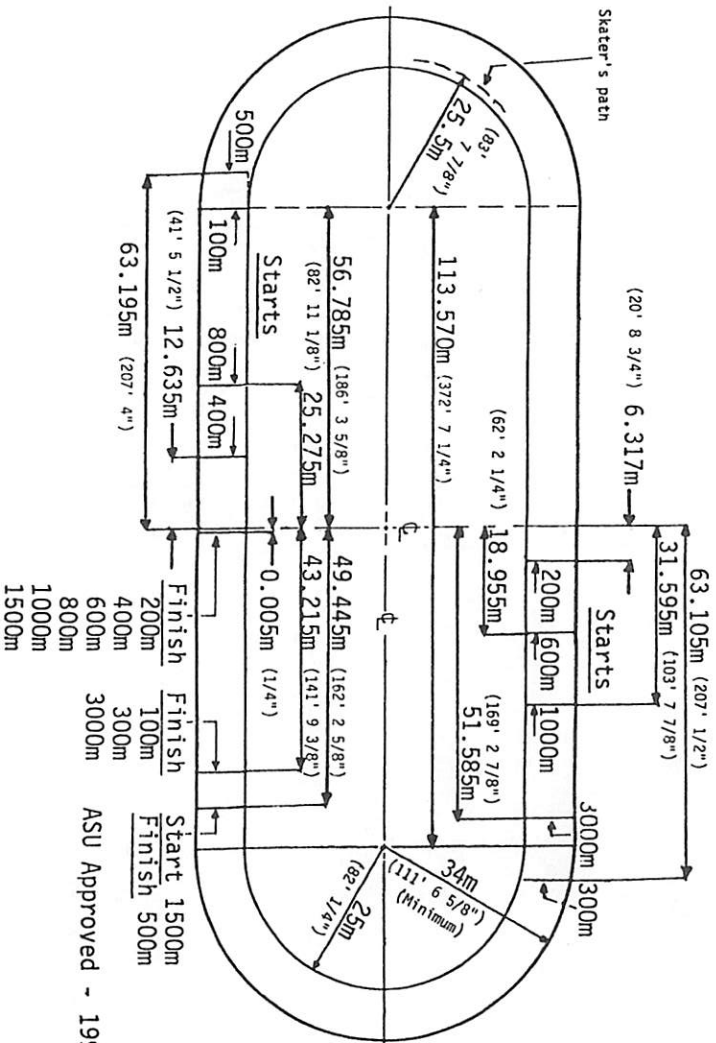
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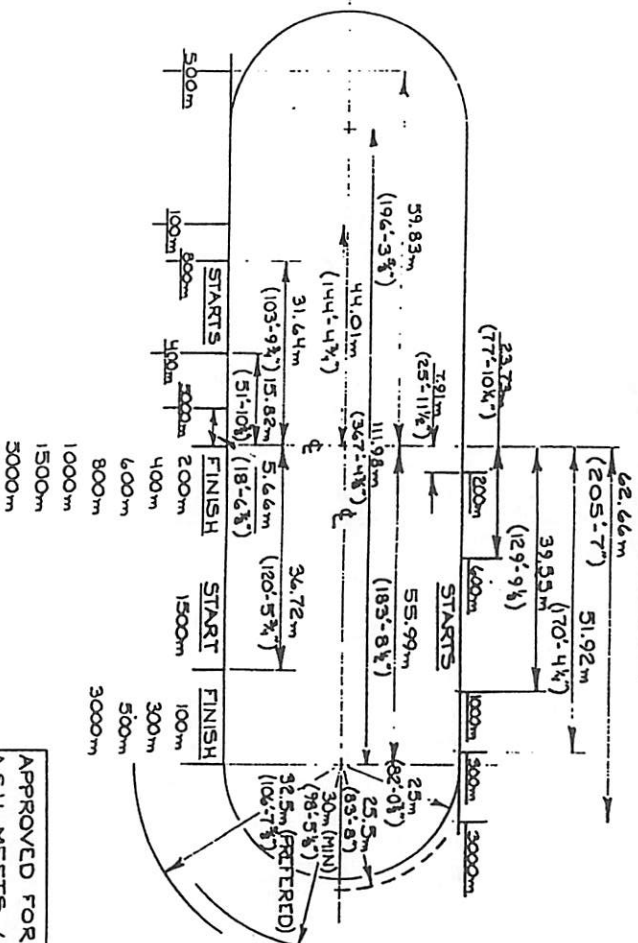
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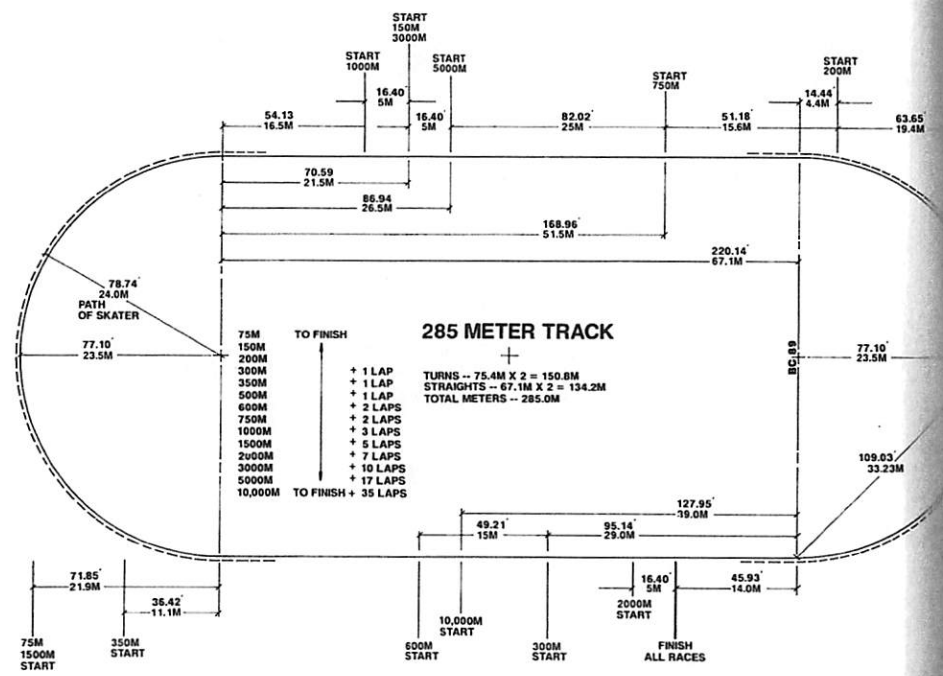
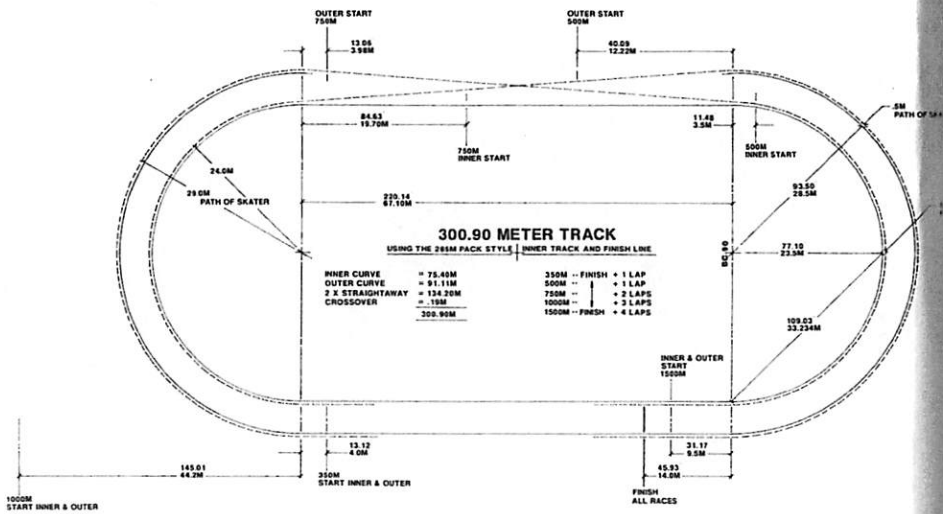
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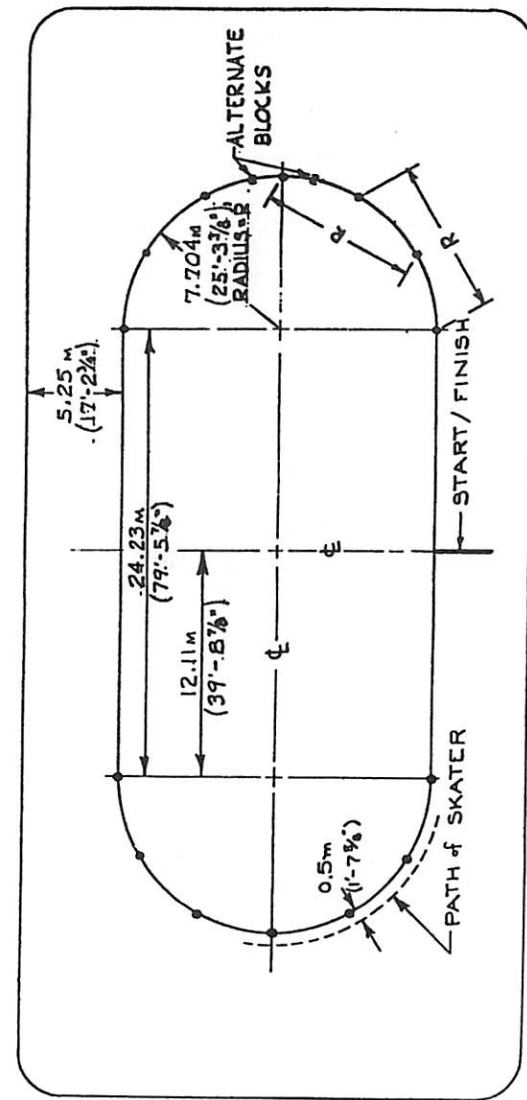
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100 METER OVAL



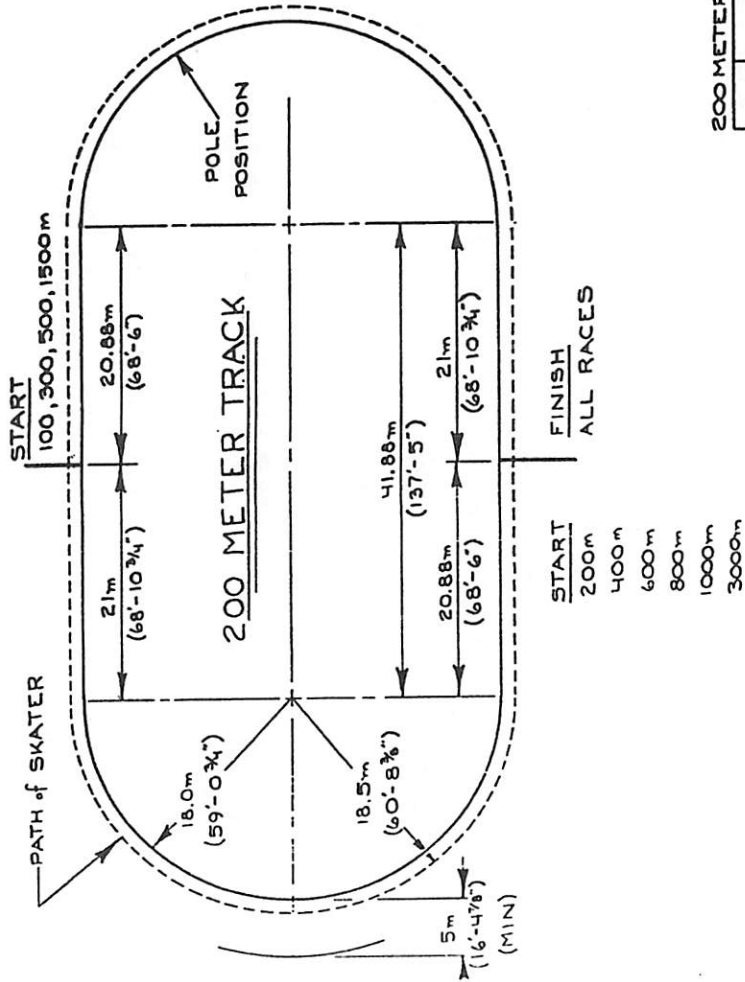
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- NOTES:
- DISTANCE BETWEEN BOARDS & TRACK SURVEY LINE IS 5.25m MINIMUM. IF RINK IS NARROWER THAN 65 FT, RADIUS AND STRAIGHT LENGTH MAY BE ADJUSTED TO MAINTAIN 5.25m BUT YIELD SKATERS PATH OF 100m.
 - DISTANCE BETWEEN EVERY OTHER BLOCK IS THE RADIUS (R) OF THE SURVEY LINE. THE CENTER LINE BLOCK MAY BE REPLACED BY TWO BLOCKS 1.5m EITHER SIDE OF IT, ON SURVEY LINE
 - ALL LAYOUTS TO BE FROM RINK CENTER LINES.

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5	1	6-1-77	4-28-76	
4	3	10-24-80	6-1-77	
3	2			
2	1			
1	0			

100 METER OVAL



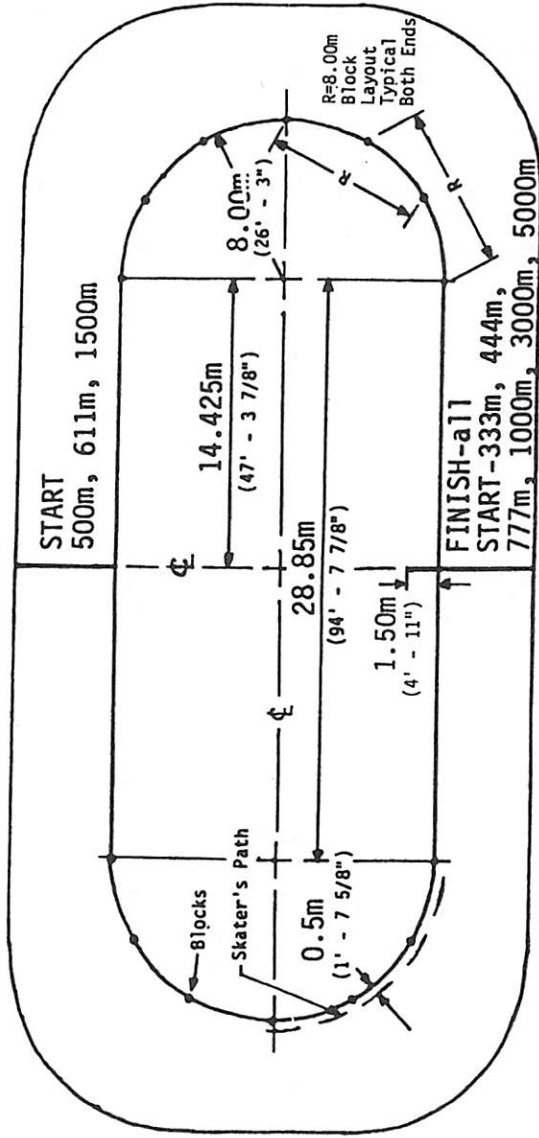
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3	2	1	1	1	1
5-1-77	4-8-76	1-1-76	1-1-76	1-1-76	1-1-76

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111.12 METER OVAL

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DISTANCE - LAP TABLE

Dist.	Lap	Lap
333	3	1000
444	4	1500
500	4 1/2	3000
611	6 1/2	5000
777	7	

NOTES:

- When laying out alternate tracks, starting line on back stretch must move twice (2x) the distance of and in the direction of the track move.
- All layout to be from rink center lines..



HALL OF FAME

By action of the Amateur Skating Union of the United States at the annual meeting held May 15, 1959 at Milwaukee, Wisconsin, the ASU Hall of Fame was created. The purpose of the Hall of Fame was to give permanent recognition to outstanding skaters whose exploits far exceed the ordinary and to those contributors to the sport who, through their efforts for many years, helped in running and promoting the sport.

The ASU Hall of Fame was located at 371 Washington Street, Newburgh, New York, in a building provided and maintained by the Newburgh Lions Club. The Lions Club of Newburgh became involved in the Hall of Fame in 1960 when Mr. Joseph P. Monihan, a Charter Member and Past President of the Lions Club, went to the ASU Convention at Colorado Springs and convinced the delegates that Newburgh, with its reputation as "The Cradle of Speed Skating in the United States", was the logical place to locate it. In addition to the sponsorship of the Hall of Fame, the Newburgh Lions Club sponsored the Middle Atlantic Speed Skating Championship from its inception in 1924 until it moved to Lake Placid in the 1970s. The Lions Club first opened the Hall of Fame in 1967 at the Crawford House on Montgomery Street in Newburgh. In 1968, due to the shortage of available space, the club moved the Hall of Fame to the Columbus Trust Building at the corner of Broadway and Grand Street. Although the Columbus Trust Company donated the space for nearly six years, the location proved to be inaccessible to the interested public.

In 1971, under the direction of Mr. Frank Finnegan, a Past President of the Lions Club, construction of a new permanent Hall of Fame was begun. Many Newburgh area builders, suppliers and labor unions donated materials and services, as did architects and other professionals. The City of Newburgh granted permission to build on city property at Recreation Park and allowed the building to be attached to the Park Office. Whatever materials or labor could not be secured as a contribution was paid for by the Lions Club.

The Hall of Fame was officially opened at its new location, after dedication ceremonies, on March 15, 1974. On display were artifacts from the collections of members along with photographs, skates and other items of interest.

In 1995, the Lions Club that had built the Hall of Fame building on city property was required by the city to vacate the property. In 1996, the Lions Club without prior discussion or notification to the ASU set up a museum in an ice

rink in the Newburgh area hoping to obtain permission to call it the Speedskating Hall of Fame. This name is a trademark owned by the ASU and the ASU had declined to participate. The creation of a suitable Speedskating Hall of Fame has been stymied by the claim of the Lions Club that all of the artifacts are property of the Lions Club. This absurd claim has prevented the ASU from establishing a site due to the refusal of the Lions Club to relinquish possession of the artifacts. Legal action is being considered by the ASU to establish our ownership of all of the artifacts other than those purchased by the Lions Club.

At the 1988 ASU Convention in Arden Hills, Minnesota, a Hall of Fame Endowment Fund was established when former ASU President Al Abgott presented a bequest of \$12,000 from the Estate of Dr. Tom Outland in memory of his late wife, Kit Klein Outland, the first woman member of the ASU Hall of Fame. The bequest was the start of a fund to provide income to maintain and improve the ASU Hall of Fame. Contributions to this fund can be sent to the Executive Secretary of the ASU.

Minimum Requirements for Nomination

The Hall of Fame committee considers nominees who reached their peak of accomplishment at least five years ago. Skaters must have completed in the Senior Class and must have achieved at least one of the following distinctions as a minimum for eligibility:

- (1) Won at least two National or North American Championships at in the Senior Class.
- (2) Set at least two National or North American Records in the Senior Class.
- (3) Won at least one Olympic or World medal.
- (4) Set at least two Olympic or World records.
- (5) Member of at least three Olympic or World Teams, including Juniors.

Special consideration is given to those who qualify on the basis of the above criteria who in addition have contributed to the advancement and promotion of the sports during or after their active participation as competitors for at least a period of five years.

Contributors to the sport may be nominated. The Hall of Fame Committee will consider nominees who have made noteworthy contributions to the sport of speedskating in a non-skating capacity at the National or International level.

The candidacy of each nominee will be judged on the nominee's record, ability, integrity, sportsmanship and character.

A nominee to the Hall of Fame must meet the following minimum qualifications:

1. The nominee must have made a significant impact on the sport at the National and/or International level for a period of at least 15 years.
2. Activities may include serving as an Officer, Official, Committee Member or Chairman, Team Leader, Manager, Coach or service in promoting speedskating development.

Forms for nominations are available from the chairman of the Hall of Fame committee and must be submitted by January 1st.

SKATERS ELECTED TO THE HALL OF FAME

JOSEPH DONOGHUE Born February 11, 1871. Died 1921. Elected to Hall of Fame May 14, 1960 at Colorado Springs, Colorado. First American World Champion. Reached his peak in 1893. Submitted by the Middle Atlantic Association and John T. Egan.

JOHN S. JOHNSON Born May 11, 1873. Died 1934. Elected to Hall of Fame May 14, 1960 at Colorado Springs, Colorado. World Champion. Reached his peak in 1908. Submitted by the Minnesota Association and Mrs. Mary Danielson.

ART STAFF Born February 4, 1897. World Champion. Peak in 1917. Elected May 20, 1961 at Minneapolis, Minnesota. Submitted by Richard P. McCarter and Amateur Skating Association of Illinois.

EDMUND LAMY Born January 18, 1891. Died September 8, 1962. Elected May 20, 1961 at Minneapolis, Minnesota. International Champion. Submitted by Northern New York Association and Eugene Lynch.

ROY McWHIRTER Born August 2, 1895. International Champion. Elected May 20, 1961 at Minneapolis, Minnesota. Submitted by Richard P. McCarter and Amateur Skating Association of Illinois.

EVERETT McGOWAN Born 1901. International Champion. Peak in 1921. Elected May 19, 1962 at Colorado Springs, Colorado. Submitted by the Eastern Minnesota Association and Clarice Mattson.

JACK SHEA Born September 10, 1910. International and Olympic Champion. Peak in 1932. Elected May 19, 1962 at Colorado Springs, Colorado. Submitted by Northern New York Association and Eugene Lynch.

MORRIS WOOD Born January 28, 1882. World Champion. Peak in 1907. Elected May 19, 1962 at Colorado Springs, Colorado. Submitted by the Middle Atlantic Association and John T. Egan.

VALENTINE BIALAS Born January 10, 1903. International Champion. Peak in 1928. Elected May 11, 1963 at Chicago, Illinois. Submitted by the Northern New York Association and Eugene Lynch.

CHARLES JEWTRAW Born May 5, 1900. Olympic Champion. Peak in 1924. Elected May 11, 1963 at Chicago, Illinois. Submitted by the Northern New York Association and Eugene Lynch.

BEN O'SICKEY Born August 19, 1894. National and International Champion. Peak in 1916. Elected May 11, 1963 at Chicago, Illinois. Submitted by Jack Howlett.

BOBBY McLEAN Born 1895. World Champion. Peak 1917. Elected May 16, 1964 at Lake Placid, New York. Submitted by the Amateur Skating Association of Illinois and Richard P. McCarter.

JOE MOORE International Indoor Champion. Peak 1924. Elected May 16, 1964 at Lake Placid, New York. Submitted by Middle Atlantic Association and John T. Egan.

KIT KLEIN Born March 28, 1910; Peak 1936. Olympic and World Champion. Elected May 16, 1964 at Lake Placid, New York. Submitted by Western New York Association and Albert Abgott.

JOHN NILSSEN Born July 8, 1877. World Outdoor and Indoor Champion. Peak 1900. Elected May 15, 1965 at Milwaukee, Wisconsin. Submitted by Dr. Milan Novak.

NORVAL BAPTIE Born 1885. World Outdoor Champion. Peak 1907. Elected May 15, 1965 at Milwaukee, Wisconsin. Submitted by Eastern Minnesota Association and Clarice Mattson.

HARLEY DAVIDSON Born 1880. U.S. Outdoor Champion 1910. Peak 1910. Elected May 15, 1965 at Milwaukee, Wisconsin. Submitted by Eastern Minnesota Association and Clarice Mattson.

DOROTHY FRANEY LANGKOP Born 1915. National Outdoor and North American Indoor Champion. Peak 1936. Elected May 14, 1966 at Colorado Springs, Colorado. Submitted by Dr. Milan Novak.

MADELINE "MADDY" HORN Born June 10, 1911. National Outdoor and Indoor and North American Outdoor and Indoor Champion. Peak 1939. Elected May 14, 1966 at Colorado Springs, Colorado. Submitted by Joe Heifert.

HARRY KAAD Born 1888. Western and Illinois State Champion. Peak 1914. Elected May 14, 1966 at Colorado Springs, Colorado. Submitted by Amateur Skating Association of Illinois and Dr. Milan Novak.

CHARLES T. FISHER Born 1886. Western Indoor and Outdoor Champion. Twelve times Wisconsin State Champion. Peak in 1910. Elected May 18, 1967 at Detroit, Michigan. Submitted by Eugene McGrath.

IRVING JAFFEE Born 1906. Won two Olympic gold medals in 1932. Set World's record in one mile in 1928. Peak in 1932. Elected May 18, 1967 at Detroit, Michigan. Submitted by Eugene Lynch and Mildred Egan.

ALLAN POTTS Born 1904. National Indoor and Outdoor Champion. Member U.S. Olympic teams. Set World's record in 500 meters in 1936. Elected May 18, 1967 at Detroit, Michigan. Submitted by Mildred Egan.

KENNETH BARTHOLOMEW Born Feb. 10, 1920. National Outdoor Champion 14 times. Olympic medalist 1948. Peak 1956. Elected May 18, 1968 at St. Louis, Missouri. Submitted by Minnesota Association and L.F. Maday.

LEO FREISINGER Born Feb. 7, 1916. National and North American Outdoor Champion. Olympic medalist 1936, coach of U.S. Team 1964. Peak 1940. Elected May 18, 1968 at St. Louis, Missouri. Submitted by Eugene McGrath.

ELSIE MULLER McLAVE Born Nov. 25, 1895. National and North American Outdoor and Indoor Champion. Peak 1931. Elected May 18, 1968 at St. Louis, Missouri. Submitted by Middle Atlantic Association and Mildred Egan.

LORETTA NEITZEL Born Feb. 11, 1908. National Outdoor and Indoor Champion. Peak 1930. Elected May 18, 1968 at St. Louis, Missouri. Submitted by Roy Helminski and Eugene Lynch.

EDWARD SCHROEDER Born 1911. Member of 1932, 1936 and 1940 Olympic Teams, North American Outdoor Champion, World medalist, four times. Olympic team coach 1960. Peak 1936. Elected May 18, 1968 at St. Louis, Missouri. Submitted by Dr. Milan Novak.

RAY BLUM Born April 11, 1919. National and North American Outdoor and Indoor Champion. Peak 1952. Elected May 17, 1969 at Anaheim, California. Submitted by Mildred and John Egan.

PATRICIA GIBSON MARSHALL Born Jan. 2, 1935. National Outdoor Champion 5 times. Peak 1956. Elected May 17, 1969 at Anaheim, California. Submitted by Madison Skating Club and Wisconsin Association.

DELBERT LAMB Born Oct. 22,1914. World 500 meter gold medalist. Member Olympic teams and coach 1956. National referee. Peak 1948. Elected May 17, 1969 at Anaheim, California. Submitted by Wisconsin Association and Eugene McGrath.

CARMELITA LANDRY BERNARD Born July 1, 1917. National and North American Outdoor Champion. Peak 1942. Elected May 17,1969 at Anaheim, California. Submitted by Eugene Lynch.

JOHN WERKET Born 1924. World gold medalist 4 times, silver medalist 4 times. World team coach 1967. Peak 1950. Elected May 17,1969 at Anaheim, California. Submitted by Clarice Mattson.

KEN HENRY Born January 7,1929. Member of 3 Olympic teams and coach in 1968. Olympic gold medalist in 500 meter in 1952 and in World meets in 1949 and 1952. Torch bearer for U.S. in 1960 Olympic Winter games. Peak 1952. Elected May 24, 1970 at Buffalo, New York. Submitted by Dr. Milan Novak.

ARTHUR MATHEW LONGSJO Born October 23,1931. Died September 16, 1958. Cyclist and speed skater in Olympic games in 1956. North American Outdoor Champion. Peak 1956. Elected May 24, 1970 at Buffalo, New York. Submitted by Eugene Lynch and Northeastern Skating Association.

GENE SANDVIG Born February 8, 1931. Member of 2 Olympic teams. National and North American Outdoor Champion. National official and active promoter. Peak 1959. Elected May 24,1970 at Buffalo, New York. Submitted by Mary Ossanna.

J. O'NEIL FARRELL Born August 28,1906. Member of 2 Olympic teams and coach in 1936. Bronze medalist in 1928 Olympic games. National Outdoor Champion. Peak 1928. Elected May 16,1971 at Lake Placid, New York. Submitted by Edward Schroeder and Amateur Skating Association of Illinois.

WILLIAM D. DISNEY Born April 3,1932. Member Olympic team and silver medalist in 1960. National and North American Indoor Champion, National official, promoter and team coach. Peak 1960. Elected May 16, 1971 at Lake Placid, New York. Submitted by Larry Pearce and Southern California Skating Association.

MARY NOVAK SAND Born February 17,1938. Eighteen times National and North American Outdoor and Indoor Champion. Set 7 National outdoor and indoor records. Organized and coached several new skating clubs. Co-author of promotional literature and first skater to win National Outdoor Championships in all classes through Senior. Peak 1960. Elected May 14,1972 at Colorado Springs, Colorado. Submitted by Eugene Lynch and John Egan Jr.

EDGAR J. DAME, JR. Born December 10, 1927. North American Indoor Champion. Set 7 National Indoor Records. Peak 1953. Elected May 14,1972 at Colorado Springs, Colorado. Submitted by Eugene Lynch.

ROBERT "BOB" FITZGERALD Born October 3,1923. National and North American Outdoor Champion. Set 3 National Outdoor records. Member of 2 Olympic teams and silver medalist (tie) in 500 meter in 1948. Peak 1948. Elected May 4,1974 at Bloomington, Minnesota. Submitted by Mary Ossanna and Minnesota Skating Association.

JEANNE ASHWORTH WALKER Born July 1, 1938. Peak 1961. Fourteen times National and North American Indoor and Outdoor Champion in the Senior Class. Olympic bronze medalist in 500 meter in 1960. Set 10 National

Indoor records. Elected May 3, 1975 at Madison, Wisconsin. Submitted by Eugene Lynch and the Northern New York Association.

BARBARA MARCHETTI DE SCHEPPER Born May 7, 1930. Peak 1955. Twelve times National and North American Outdoor and Indoor Champion in the Senior Class. Set 5 National Indoor records. Elected May 15,1976 at Colorado Springs, Colorado. Submitted by Dr. Milan Novak.

DON McDERMOTT Born December 9, 1929. Peak 1952. Olympic silver medalist in 500 meter in 1952, World's bronze medalist in 1955. Flag bearer, Olympic games in Squaw Valley in 1960. Elected May 15, 1976 at Colorado Springs, Colorado. Submitted by Mildred Egan and the Middle Atlantic Association.

RICHARD "TERRY" McDERMOTT Born September 20,1940. Peak 1964. Olympic 500 meter gold medalist in 1964 and Silver medalist in 1968. National and North American Indoor Champion. Set 2 National Outdoor records. Promoter and officer in USISA. Elected June 4,1977 at Bay City, Michigan. Submitted by Mike Sturm and the Michigan Association.

ELAINE BODGA GORDON Born November 17, 1917. Peak 1946. National Outdoor and North American Indoor Champion. Coached 12 skaters to National championships over a period of 30 years. Elected May 20,1978 at Oak Brook, Illinois. Submitted by Jean Layton and the Amateur Skating Association of Illinois.

KENNETH B. LEBEL Born July 26, 1937. Peak 1956. National and North American Indoor Champion and North American Outdoor Champion. Set three National Indoor records. Member 1962 World Hockey Team. Won four World Outdoor and three World Indoor Barrel Jumping Championships. Elected May 19,1979 at Saratoga Springs, New York. Submitted by Eugene Lynch and Pat Peaslee.

MARY MEYERS BERGER Born February 10,1946. Peak 1964-68. National Indoor and Outdoor Champion. North American Outdoor Champion. World Team member several times, winning gold medal in 500 meter in 1967. Olympic 500 meter silver medalist in 1968. Developer, coach and promoter of Northern Lights Association for novice skaters. Elected May 17,1980 in Bloomington, Minnesota. Submitted by Clarice Mattson and Eastern Minnesota Skating Association.

EDWARD L. MURPHY Born February 1, 1905. Peak 1932. Olympic team member 1928 taking 5th in 1500 meter. Olympic 5000 meter silver medalist in 1932. Elected May 16,1981 in Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

LORRAINE SABBE Born 1927. Died 1966. Peak 1948-49. Two times National Outdoor and North American Indoor Champion. First woman to win both championships two years straight. Set four North American Indoor records in 1949. Officer of Michigan Skating Association. Elected May 15, 1982 at Bloomington, Minnesota. Submitted by Michigan Skating Association.

JAMES CAMPBELL Born June 6, 1930. Peak 1953-58. Won National and North American Indoor and the North American Outdoor Championships. Set two National Indoor records. As coach of the Glen Ellyn Club (1955-60) developed 5 National Champions, 3 North American Champions and a 1960 Olympic team member. Elected May 14,1983 at St. Louis, Missouri. Submitted by Susan C. McLennand.

JEANNE OMELENCHUK Born March 25, 1931. Ten times National and North American Outdoor Champion in the Senior Class (1957-1965); twice

U.S. Open champion; four times U.S. World Team member; three times Olympic Team member (1960, 1968, 1972). Set four National Outdoor Records. First woman to win a National title in more than one major sport. Won six National Bike Racing titles. Elected May 19, 1984 at Northbrook, Illinois. Submitted by Stephen B. Cohen.

DR. MICHAEL P. PASSARELLA Born July 5, 1946. Two time National Outdoor Champion in the Senior Class (1967, 1974); eleven times National Team member; Olympic team member (1968). Set four National Outdoor Records and one Can-Am Games Record. Elected May 19, 1985 at Albany, New York. Submitted by Amateur Skating Association of Illinois.

JOHN WURSTER Born January 12, 1948. National Outdoor and North American Indoor Champion in Senior Class (1976). Seven times National Team member; World Sprint Team member (1970); two times Olympic Team member (1968, 1972). Set one National Outdoor and one North American Record. Elected May 19, 1985 at Albany, New York. Submitted by Patricia A. Peaslee, Gail Brophy and Northern New York Skating Association.

DIANNE HOLUM Born May 19, 1951. Peak 1972. Olympic 500 meter silver and 1000 meter bronze medalist in 1968; 1500 meter gold and 3000 meter silver medalist in 1972. Set record in the 1500 meter. Member of 7 World Teams (1966-1972) winning 15 World medals. Coach of 1976, 1980 and 1984 Olympic Teams which won 13 medals. Coach of 8 World Teams winning over 100 medals, 13 titles and setting 7 World records. Elected May 17, 1986 at Cleveland, Ohio. Submitted by Mary Novak Sand and the Hall of Fame Committee.

PETE CEFALU Born February 25, 1948. Peak 1970. Won 6 National Outdoor and 1 National Indoor Championships. Set 9 National Outdoor and 2 National Indoor records. Elected May 17, 1986 at Cleveland, Ohio. Submitted by Lorraine Garbe and the Wisconsin Skating Association.

DANIEL J. IMMERFALL Born December 14, 1955. Member of the 1976, 1980 and 1984 U.S. Olympic Teams. Won numerous World Medals. Gold medal winner at World Sprint Championship in 1973 at Oslo, Norway, at 500 meters. Bronze medal winner at 500 meters in 1976 Olympics at Innsbruck, Austria. Set Junior World Record of 39.35 seconds at 500 meters in Italy in 1976. Elected May 15, 1987 at Southgate, Michigan. Submitted by the Wisconsin Skating Association.

MICHEL CONROY Born August 28, 1951. Won six National or North American Championships in the senior division while setting four records. In 1974, she won the North American Indoor while setting records in the 400 and 800 meter events. She concluded her championship career by winning the National Indoors in Champaign in 1975 and set a record at 3/4 miles. Elected May 15, 1987 at Southgate, Michigan. Submitted by the Eastern Minnesota Skating Association.

LEAH POULOS MUELLER Born October 5, 1951. Top competitor in pack-style skating for eighteen years. Won a silver medal at 1000 meters at the 1976 Olympics at Innsbruck, Austria. Won the World Sprint Championship in 1974 and 1979. Won silver medals at 500 and 1000 meters at the 1980 Lake Placid Olympic Games. Won thirty medals in World competition. Elected May 13, 1988, at Arden Hills, Minnesota. Submitted by Linda Babl, Lorraine Garbe and the Wisconsin Skating Association.

PETER A. MUELLER Born July 27, 1954. An accomplished pack style skater both indoor and outdoor. Won the gold medal at 1000 meters and set an

Olympic Record at the 1976 Games at Innsbruck, Austria. First medal won at other than 500 meters since the creation of the Winter Games except for the pack style competition at the Lake Placid Games in 1932. Elected May 13, 1988 at Arden Hills, Minnesota. Submitted by Paul Mueller, Lorraine Garbe, Mary Sand and the Wisconsin Skating Association.

CELESTE CHLAPATY SCHULTZ Born April 20, 1954. Competed for 14 years in pack style skating. National and North American Indoor Champion in 1973, and National Indoor Champion in 1976 and 1977. Won the first World Short Track Competition in 1976 at Champaign, Illinois. Elected May 20, 1989, at Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

ERIC ARTHUR HEIDEN Born June 14, 1958. Started competition in pack style skating and won the National Indoor and Outdoor Championships as a midget. First medal in metric skating was a bronze in 1975. Won a gold and two silvers in 1976 at the Junior Worlds and a gold at the Worlds. In 1977, he made a sweep, never before done, by winning the Junior Worlds, the World Sprints and the Worlds. Won Junior Worlds in 1978 with four gold medals and won the Worlds with three gold medals. His winning all five events and setting 4 Olympic records at the 1980 Lake Placid Olympics has never been equaled. Elected May 20, 1989 at Milwaukee, Wisconsin. Submitted by Mary Novak Sand and Lorraine Garbe.

BETH HEIDEN Born September 27, 1959. Won the National Indoors as a midget and the National Outdoors in 1974 and 1975 as a junior. Member of the 1976 Olympic Team as a 16 year old. Won a bronze and a gold in 1977 at the Worlds. Won a gold and three silvers at the World Sprint in 1978. Swept the races at the Junior Worlds in 1978. In 1979, she won the World Championship at The Hague by winning all four races. Won 3000M bronze at 1980 Olympics. Elected May 20, 1989, at Milwaukee, Wisconsin. Submitted by Mary Novak Sand and Lorraine Garbe.

DIANE L. (WHITE) WYNNE Born April 26, 1943. Won the North American Outdoor in 1955 in her first year of competition. Won the National Indoors as a senior in 1962, 1965 and 1966 and the National Outdoors in 1964 and 1966. Member of the U.S. National Team 1965-68. An intense competitor who devoted her talents and experience to coaching after her competitive days. Elected May 19, 1990, at Colorado Springs, Colorado. Submitted by Don Anderson.

ALAN RATTRAY Born March 19, 1955. National Indoor Champion in 1974 and 1976 as a senior. Won first World Short Track Competition in 1976, in Champaign, Illinois. Gold medal winner in 500m at ISU Short Track Championships in 1978, placing him 3rd overall. Elected May 19, 1990, at Colorado Springs, Colorado. Submitted by Mary Novak Sand.

RICHARD WURSTER Born August 27, 1942. National Long Track Champion as a senior in 1965, 1966 and 1975, and runner-up in 1970 and 1971. U.S. Open Long Track Champion in 1969 and 1970. North American Long Track Champion in 1971 and 1975. Set numerous national records at distances of 880 yards and longer. Member of U.S. World Team in 1965 and 1968 and the U.S. Olympic Team in 1968. Elected May 18, 1991, at Southgate, Michigan. Submitted by Luke Sheremeta.

SHEILA YOUNG OCHOWICZ Born October 14, 1950. National Long Track Champion as a senior in 1970 and 1971. Gold medalist at 500 meters, silver at 1500 meters and bronze at 1000 meters at the 1976 Winter Olympics in Innsbruck, Austria. World Sprint Champion 1973, 1975 and 1976. World Track

Cycling Sprint Champion in 1973, 1976 and 1981. Only athlete to win World Championships in two sports the same year. Elected May 18, 1991, at Southgate, Michigan. Submitted by Clair Young.

SARAH DOCTER-WILLIAMS Born May 10, 1964. Short Track Midget National Champion in 1975 and 1976. Long Track National Champion in 1976. Juvenile Short Track Co-Champion in 1977. In 1978, she won Long Track and Short Track National Championships. Member of World Short Track Team in 1978 and won the 1500 and 3000 meter events along with being on the champion relay team. Overall Junior World Champion in 1981 winning three golds and setting records in each race. Member of the 1980 Olympic Team. Elected May 16, 1992, at St. Louis, Missouri. Submitted by Jeff FitzRandolph.

ANNE HENNING Born September 6, 1955. Started skating in 1964 and was National Short Track Champion as a midget in 1967. Juvenile National Long Track Champion in 1969. Switched to metric skating in 1970 and was a member of the World Team. At Helsinki in 1971, she won the 500 meter race at the World Championship. The World Sprint Championship at Inzell in 1971 saw her winning both 500 meter events. At Davos that year she set World records of 42.5 and 1:27.3 at 500 meters and 1000 meters. She concluded her career in 1972 at the Sapporo Games in Japan, by winning the gold at 500 meters and a bronze at 1000 meters. Elected May 16, 1992, at St. Louis, Missouri. Submitted by Robert R. Vehe

JACK WALTERS Born January 11, 1946. Started skating at three years of age due to the interest of his parents, who had met while skating. He won the National Long Track and tied for the National Short Track as a Senior in 1971. His championship career started by winning the 1957 Midget National Short Track Championship and the 1961 Junior Short Track National Championship. Jack was the alternate member of the 1972 U.S. Olympic Speedskating team. He developed the coaching certification system in Canada and served as National Coach of Canada from 1978 to 1988. Appointed Head Coach of Long Track by the Canadian Amateur Speed Skating Association. Elected May 15, 1993 at Anaconda, Montana. Submitted by Mary Nowak.

LYDIA STEPHANS Born October 19, 1960. Inspired by watching Dianne Holum and Anne Henning on television compete at the 1972 Winter Olympics, she joined the Northbrook Skating Club in Illinois. Three years after starting, she won the 1976 National Short Track Championship as a Junior and followed with the 1978 Championship as an Intermediate. For five years starting in 1980, she was on eight World teams in both Long Track and Short Track. In 1982, she won the National Short Track Championship as a Senior and in 1983, the North American Short Track Championship. She was a member of the 1984 Olympic Team and the World Sprint Team. As a member of the World Short Track Team in 1984, she won a bronze medal in two events. Lydia served as the National Short Track Coach at the U.S. Olympic Education Center at Northern Michigan University in Marquette, Michigan for the 1985-1986 season. She served on the USISA Board of Directors from 1984-89. Elected May 14, 1994 at Schaumburg, Illinois. Submitted by Tom Healy.

PEGGY HARTRICH CLARKE Born April 24, 1955. Started skating at 11 years of age. By the end of her first year, she had qualified for the National Short Track Championships. This was the start of a 13 year competitive career. Peggy won National Short Track titles in 1973 as an Intermediate and in 1974 and 1976 as a Senior. She was a member of World Short Track teams from 1976 through 1979 winning eight medals in individual and relay

events. Upon concluding her competitive career, Peggy helped to promote the sport at schools and the various rinks in the St. Louis area. She coached the Clayton Speedskating Club during her competitive years and continued after her retirement. Elected May 14, 1994 at Schaumburg, Illinois.

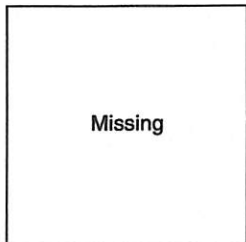
WILLIAM T. LANIGAN Born April 24, 1955 in New York. He was the winner of 17 National/North American/U.S. Open Championships in Short Track and Long Track. During 1964 through 1979, he set over 40 records in these championships. In 1966, he began skating metric meets and over the next eight years he was a member of every National, World, CanAm, and Olympic team. His highest achievement was in 1973 when he won the gold medal at 500m at the World Long Track Championships in Deventer, Holland. Elected May 21, 1995 at Danvers, Massachusetts.

KIM KOSTRON NYQUIST Kim started skating at age 5, but waited until she was 11 to enter into her first race. Her mother had been a member of the Midway Club and encouraged her to have a speedskating career. Kim had limited success as a Juvenile and Junior and realized her best chance was as a metric skater. Her peak year was 1977 when she won the Junior World Long Track Champion in Inzell, Germany by setting World records at 500m and 1000m, finishing second at 3000 and third at 1500m. The same year, she won the 500m race at the World Sprint Championships. Kim was a member of the 1980 U.S. Olympic Team and the World and World Sprint teams in 1979 and 1980. Elected May 19, 1996 at Bloomington, Minnesota.

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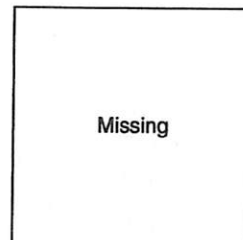
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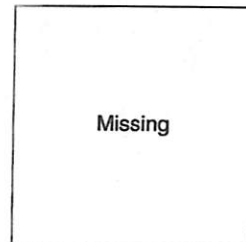
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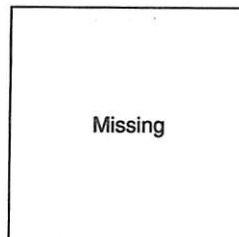
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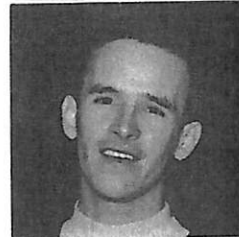
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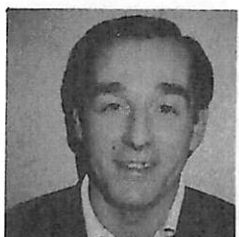
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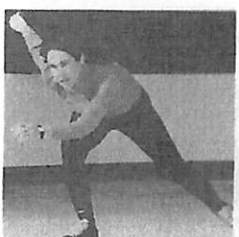
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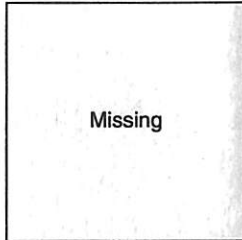
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Richard Wurster



Sheila Young Ochowicz



Sarah Docter Williams



Anne Henning



Jack Walters



Lydia Stephens



Peggy Hartrich Clarke



William T. Lanigan

Treasurer of the Amateur Skating Association of Illinois; Executive Secretary-Treasurer of the ASU (1971-1984); Board of Directors of USISA. Instrumental in negotiating the "Articles of Alliance" between CASSA and ASU, and in creating the position of "Commissioner of Officials." In 1975 designed, with Leon Wilmot, the National and North American Championships' Medallions. Elected May 19, 1984, at Northbrook, Illinois. Submitted by Ted and Kay Klaiber and the Amateur Skating Association of Illinois.

DAVID F. ROCHE Born March 23, 1913. Coach, official, fund-raiser, and for 20 years an attendant at the ASU Convention. Board of Control member for Middle Atlantic Association (14 years); National and International Chief Starter; first Commissioner of Officials for ASU; Co-chaired first Officials Seminar in Chicago and Albany; Head of Doping Control at 1980 Winter Olympic Games in Lake Placid. Vice-President of the ASU (1976-1981); President of the ASU (1982-1984). Elected May 19, 1985, at Albany, New York. Submitted by Roy Helminski, Patricia A. Peaslee and Northern New York Skating Association.

MARY T. SMITH Born April 8, 1918. An active supporter of speed skating since 1954. Registrar, assistant clerk of course, scorer, Secretary/Treasurer for 12 years, and President of the Northern New York Skating Association. National Judge; Chief Scorer; delegate to ASU Convention since 1973. Board of Control member for Northern New York. As member of the Lake Placid Olympic Committee assisted Chief of Protocol for 1978 World Sprint Championships and 1980 Winter Olympic Games. Elected May 19, 1985, at Albany, New York. Submitted by Patti Ryan and Northern New York Skating Association.

LEON WILMOT Born March 7, 1914. Promoter and organizer of speedskating for over 25 years. In 1975, with Lawrence Ralston, designed the National and North American Medallions. Original member of USISA; ASU Vice President 1968-1974; ASU President 1974-1976. Helped arouse initial interest in "Short Track" speedskating. Instrumental in organizing the first World Short Track Championships in 1976 at Champaign, Illinois. Elected May 17, 1986, at Cleveland, Ohio. Submitted by Lawrence Ralston.

GEORGE HOWIE Born December 28, 1918. Active in the promotion of speedskating starting in 1954 with the Oconomowoc Speedskating Club. President of the Wisconsin Skating Association 1965-67. Founding member of USISA and Director of Public Relations 1965-72. President of USISA 1972-84. Involved in obtaining approval for first refrigerated 400 meter track in Milwaukee. Elected May 15, 1987, at Southgate, Michigan. Submitted by Lorraine Garbe and Howard Gutgesell.

GEORGE A. O'CONNELL JR. Born August 29, 1914. Died July 27, 1987. Founding member of the Champaign-Urbana Speedskating Club. Active official as a referee or starter for the Amateur Skating Association of Illinois from 1937 to 1966. Member of the USISA Board of Directors from 1966 until his death. Officiated at eight Olympic Games and World Championships. Elected May 13, 1988, at Arden Hills, Minnesota. Submitted by Lorraine Garbe.

WILLIAM L. MARKLAND Born October 23, 1939. A founder, organizer and promoter of Indoor Short Track Speedskating as an international event. He was Chairman of the Organizing Committee for the first World Short Track Competition held in Champaign, Illinois in April, 1976. Team leader of U.S. Teams from 1977 through 1981. Member of the ISU Short Track Technical Committee starting in 1980. Elected May 13, 1988, at Arden Hills, Minnesota. Submitted by Robert R. Vehe and the Amateur Skating Association of Illinois.

LOUIS ELIASBERG JR. Born April 27, 1929. An original organizer of the Maryland Speedskating Association and its Board of Control delegate for over twenty years. Developed an electronic timing system and provided it at all National meets and most North American meets in the United States for 18 years. Timed all USISA metric competitions for the same period. A pioneer in promoting safety apparel. Original trustee and manager of the ASU Medallion Fund. Elected May 19, 1990, at Colorado Springs, Colorado. Submitted by Robert R. Vehe.

RICHARD J. SOMALSKI Born September 19, 1926. Founded the Bay County Speedskating Club in Michigan in 1946. Actively coached and travelled with skaters throughout the state. Married Marilyn McDermott in 1951 and remembers putting the first pair of skates on 7 year old Terry McDermott. Coached Terry until 1960 when he made his first Olympic team. President of the Michigan Skating Association in 1964. Member of the USISA Board from 1968 to 1992 and was treasurer from 1984 to 1992. Elected on May 18, 1991, at Southgate, Michigan. Submitted by Bay County Speedskating Club.

CHARLES P. BLAIR JR. Born October 24, 1912. Five of his six children were speedskaters in Champaign, Illinois, and won numerous National and North American Championships between 1957 and 1992. For 32 years Charlie took his turns at managing, coaching officiating, while holding all club offices. For over ten years, he maintained the official records for the ASAI and the ASU and served as a National Timer for over 20 years. Elected on May 16, 1992, at St. Louis, Missouri. Submitted by Eleanor Blair.

TED YOUNG Born April 12, 1909. Served three terms as President of the ASU between 1939 and 1945. President of the Missouri Skating Association, from 1934 to 1940. Served as a National Starter from 1938 into the mid 1960s. Instrumental along with Jim Hawkins and Lamar Ottsen in the building of the Steinberg Memorial Skating Rink in Forest Park in St. Louis, that opened in October, 1957. Elected on May 16, 1992, at St. Louis, Missouri. Submitted by Lee and Budd Doyle.

ROBERT R. VEHE Born December 21, 1922. Began involvement in organized speedskating in 1964 when his two sons joined the Mt. Prospect Skating Club in Illinois. He served in all of the club offices numerous times and in many of the Amateur Skating Association of Illinois positions. He represented the ASAI as the Board of Control member for 12 years. He became a National Official in 1972 as a judge and announcer. Starting as Co-Chairman of the ASU Handbook Committee in 1979-1981, he became the editor of the Handbook and editor of The Racing Blade in 1987. In 1992, he converted The Racing Blade into a magazine format. It had started as a four page newsletter 25 years earlier. He is Facilities Director of The ASU Speedskating Hall of Fame. Elected May 14, 1994 at Schaumburg, Illinois. Submitted by Larry Ralston.

JOHN "JACK" M. BYRNE Started skating as a 12 year old in Syracuse, New York in 1933 at the local parks. He skated competitively until 1974. He was President of the Northern New York Skating Association in 1974-75 and 1979-80 along with working as a referee. Became active in USISA in 1976 when he was elected to their Board of Directors. He served as President of USISA from 1980 to 1989. He established the Charitable Foundation with the money received from the Los Angeles Games. The income from the Foundation helps fund USISA's programs. Jack was team manager for the 1984 and 1988 Olympics and was a member of the USOC Administrative Board at the 1992 Games. Since 1988, he has represented USISA on the USOC Board of Directors. Elected May 14, 1994 at Schaumburg, Illinois.

PATRICIA A. PEASLEE Born Jun 17, 1935. Became involved in speedskating in 1957 at the Pittsfield Winter Carnival. Organizer and chairman of many meets and a member of the Pittsfield Parks Speed Skating Club since 1961. Pat was president of the Northern New York Association in 1984 and was secretary for numerous years. Attended her first ASU convention in 1970 and since 1977 has attended every one. Pat has been a national official since 1970 and served as Board of Control and has been chairman and member of various committees. She served two years as Chairman of the Hall of Fame committee. Elected May 21, 1995 at Danvers, Massachusetts.

DONALD H. ANDERSON Has been involved in speedskating as of 1966 for 47 years though never as a competitor or father of a competitor. Don enjoyed skating and in 1946 volunteered to help at local meets. By 1950, he found his interest as a clerk. He has been a National Chief Clerk since the early 1960s. Don has been a board member of the Eastern Minnesota Skating Association and its successor for 40 years. At a national level, he has been Chairman of the Nominating Committee, and Hall of Fame Committee, a Board of Control member and has served as a member of numerous other committees. Has been Chief Clerk at 25 National Championships. Elected May 19, 1996 at Bloomington, Minnesota.

WILLIAM H. CUSHMAN Born August 6, 1934. Got on his first pair of skates at age 3 and got plenty of encouragement from his family. He was one of the original skaters when the Midway Club was founded in 1946. He competed until 1960 and is still member of the club. Has been active in the Eastern Minnesota Skating Association and its successor. In 1972, he joined USISA and served as secretary from 1976 until 1984, when he was made Executive Director. Bill was Manager of the U.S. Olympic Speedskating Teams in 1980 at Lake Placid and 1984 in Sarajevo. In 1989, he was elected President of USISA. Elected May 19, 1996 at Bloomington, Minnesota.

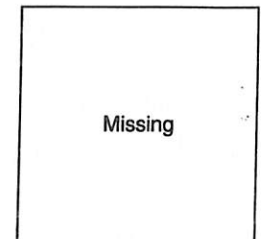
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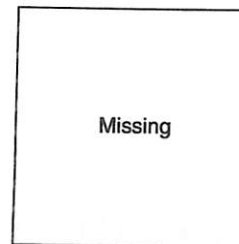


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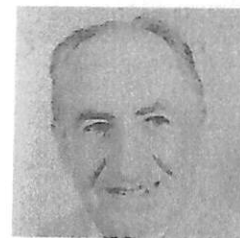
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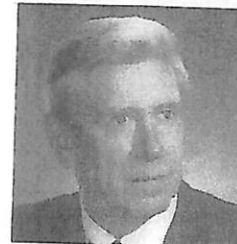
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William H. Cushman



Mary T. Smith



Leon Wilmot



George Howie



George A. O'Connell Jr.



William L. Markland



Louis Eliasberg Jr.

SUGGESTED NOMINEE FOR THE HALL OF FAME OF THE AMATEUR SPEEDSKATING UNION OF THE U.S.A. "SKATER"

A nominee to the Hall of Fame must meet the following minimum qualifications:

1. Achieved, at least, one of the following criteria, five years, or more, prior to the nomination.
 - A. National or North American Senior Class Championships.(At least two)
 - B. National or North American Senior Class Records.(At least two)
 - C. Olympic or World Championship medalist.(At least one)
 - D. Olympic or World Records. (At least two).
 - E. Olympic or World,including Junior, Teams.(At least three).

The candidacy of each nominee will be judged on the nominee's record, ability, integrity, sportsmanship and character.

APPLICATION PROCEDURE: To assist the committee in making its selection, it is essential that the data, requested below, be furnished:

Nominee Name _____ Date Submitted _____
 Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____
 Phone (____) _____ Birthdate _____ Peak Year(s) _____
 Submitter's Name _____ ASU Association _____
 Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____
 Phone (____) _____

APPLICATION DATA:

1. Qualification data required in 1 above.
2. How early interest began.
3. Accomplishments in speedskating competitions, pack style and metric.
4. Membership on Olympic, World and National teams. List the year(s), competition site and accomplishments.
5. Activity in the promotion of speedskating.
6. General comments in support of the nominee's contribution to speedskating.
7. Provide a glossy, black and white photo, 5" x 7" or larger. Can be a portrait or skating photo.

SUPPLEMENTAL DATA:

8. Interests and achievements in sports other than speedskating.
9. Awards, citations, or honors for civic, professional or other activities.
10. Any additional data such as contributions to speedskating in a non-skating capacity, education, occupation, marital status and family that would add to the biography.

All such achievements, as above, must be able to be documented through such sources as National and/or International Records and Official Handbooks or news releases. Qualified applications will be considered for 5 years and may be resubmitted if there are any additional supporting qualifications.

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At the 1985 Convention in Albany, New York, the ASU officially adopted a scholarship program by establishing a committee to develop guidelines for the necessary growth of the fund and the awarding of scholarships. The ASU Board of Control started the fund by voting to divert all surcharges due from Open Meets to a Scholarship Fund beginning with the 1986-87 season.

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The first scholarship of \$500.00 was awarded to Amy Sohnle of Wisconsin at the 1992 ASU Convention in St. Louis. Awards are only made from the endowment earnings. Scholarship applications are due in the National Office by February 15 prior to Fall enrollment.

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1992 – Amy Sohnle
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SPEED SKATING HISTORY

Early Development

Skating is one of the many sports (including running, horse racing, swimming and cycling) in which people learned how to make a game out of their tools and techniques of transportation. Of the three forms of skating speedskating, ice hockey and figure skating speedskating was the first to develop as a sport. This form of ice sport was already highly developed in Holland by the sixteenth century and, apart from improvements in style and equipment, speedskating does not differ much in its general aspects now from its early days. The word "skate" probably comes from the very old Low German word "schake", meaning a shank or leg-bone, and other words such as the Dutch "schaats", Danish "skoite", English "scatch", and Scottish "sketcher".

Nobody knows where man first started to skate. It is quite apparent that ice skate had its origin and development through its predecessor, the ski. When a deep coat of snow covered the ground, the Vikings would use snow shoes (skis), and when the water froze on the rivers and lakes they would use ice skates. In all countries where the Vikings have made their power felt, the archaeologists have found numerous ice skates of Viking manufacture, not only in England, but in Germany, Switzerland and other countries.

Early Scandinavian literature is full of allusions to skating on an iron skate as early as AD 200. For many centuries before this, the people of the northern countries—Sweden, Finland, Norway, Russia, Holland, Scotland—used skates made of polished animal bones for transportation over frozen lakes, rivers, canals and icy fields. During the fourteenth century, people began to make skates with runners of highly waxed wood instead of bones. As there was no sharp edge on bone or wood runners, a long pole was pushed against the ice to propel the skater across the surface.

About the year 1400 mention is made again of skates with metal runners secured in a wooden sole. This latest development of skating had its origin in Holland. A woodcut, printed in Holland in 1498, is the oldest known portrayal of skating. This earliest illustration shows women enjoying skating on iron-clad wooden skates, and an accident on the ice which actually happened to a fifteen-year-old girl, Lidwina. Born in Schiedam in Holland in 1380, she fell and broke a rib while skating with some friends in the winter of 1395. Because of the many complications caused by the fracture, Lidwina became an invalid in constant pain. Having been deeply religious all her life, her prayers became more fervent, and she claimed to have divine visions. At first she was suspected of being a fake but, after being tested by the church and acknowledged to be genuine, no one any longer doubted Lidwina's nearness to God. Miracles began happening at her bedside except the greatest miracle of all her own recovery. After thirty-three years of agony she passed away on Easter Day in 1433 at fifty-three years of age. A shrine was built over her grave where the devout came to pray for centuries. In 1891 she was canonized by Pope Leo XII and became the patron saint of skating.

Here and there, European blacksmiths covered wooden skate runners with iron, but it was not until 1572 that a Scottish innovator made the first pair of all-iron skates. With them, the formal story of skating as an organized sport had its start.

By the early part of the eighteenth century when the first ice club in the world, the Skating Club of Edinburgh, was organized, speedskating was a popular sport in Scotland. The first recorded speedskating competition was on the Fens in England over a distance of fifteen miles on February 4, 1763.

Soon, skating clubs and tournaments spread all over northern Europe. In those pre-artificial ice centuries, skating was exclusively an outdoor, winter sport. Wherever there was enough ice, races were organized. The participants were mostly laborers whose daily work in winter gave them practice in skating fast over the frozen canals. The aristocrats, who were more inclined toward artistic skating, served as judges and spectators for the speedskating competitions. Handsome cash prizes were awarded, and heavy betting and sweepstakes were common practices. In 1879 the National Skating Association of Great Britain was founded to protect speedskating from these dubious practices and to promote the sport in an orderly and uniform manner under the direction of an international council. Thirteen years later, in 1892, the International Skating Union was formed.

As skating spread throughout Europe, other countries held competitions; Norway in 1863; Sweden in 1882; Finland in 1883; Russia in 1884. By the middle of the nineteenth century, speedskating dominated ice sports in Holland and was considered the national sport. Scottish settlers in the New World had made skating a popular sport in North American colonies. However, the first championship held on American soil was not until 1889. G. D. Phillips was the winner.

The first amateur speedskating championship of the world took place in Amsterdam in the winter of 1892-93. Four distances were skated: 500, 1500, 5,000 and 10,000 meters. It was necessary for a skater to win three out of four races to be called Champion of the World. Jaap Eden of Holland was declared the first official Champion of the World when he won the first three races.

Skating Acquires "Wings" of Steel

The old iron skates were heavy, and the blades lost their sharp edges after a few hours of even casual skating. Then, in 1850, E.W. Bushnell of Philadelphia started to make all-steel skates. They were light, strong and maintained their sharp blade edges for months of hard use.

The new steel skates turned skating from a hardy Spartan sport to a popular craze. They were so light that another American, Jackson Haines, combined his professional talents as a ballet master and his enthusiasm as a skater to create the new diversion of figure skating. The new steel blades were also practical enough to turn speed skating into an organized international sport. Axel Paulson of Norway, in collaboration with Carl Warner, also constructed a racing skate of thin metal tubes containing a blade 1/16 of an inch wide and attached to a boot. The modern hockey skate is the outcome of this speed skate.

The American Skating Congress was organized at Alleghany City, Pennsylvania in 1868, and skating competition gradually evolved in the United States from this post Civil War era, primarily through individual clubs. Lack of uniform rules governing races eventually led to a call for a convention of all clubs and organizations in the United States and Canada. The result was the formation of the first skating union organized in North America as the International Skating Union of America. It was organized February 3, 1907, at the Montreal Amateur Athletic Club, Montreal, Canada, by delegates representing the then skating associations of North America.

Its purpose was set forth as "establishing a legislative body with power to make uniform laws, to regulate and control skating contests throughout the United States and Canada, and between the two countries". The Union was composed of several associations having specific geographic areas for their activities. They included the Eastern Skating Association, New England Skating Association, Western Skating Association, Amateur Skating Association of Canada, and the Western Skating Association of Canada. Our present handbook contains many of the same phrases for rules and regulations evolved at this convention, and it appears that this group had an immense influence on the development of the sport and organized competition. This organization was the governing body of speed, figure, hockey and roller skating in the United States and Canada.

The International Skating Union of America functioned under that name until the winter of 1926-27 season when the Amateur Skating Association of Canada severed their affiliations with the United States skating associations and the International Skating Union of America was dissolved at Boston, Massachusetts, in November, 1927. It was succeeded by the Amateur Skating Union of the United States with new articles of alliance whereby the amateur skating associations of Canada were to conduct their own affairs and the Amateur Skating Union of the United States was to be the governing body over the skating sport in the United States, with a further understanding that sanctions for holding skating events involving North American championships were to be alternated between the two countries. Relationships with the Canadians have been revived from time to time with "Articles of Alliance," which define the regulations for conducting meets jointly such as the "North American Championships."

National Championships

Canada and the United States were among the first countries to hold national skating championships - Canada in 1887 and the U.S. in 1889. By 1921, the U.S. followed the Canadian lead in including speed skating championships for women. A list of National and North American Champions appears in another section of this handbook.

Competition in Olympic Games

Speed skating became a men's Olympic sport in 1924. In 1960 women's speed skating events were held for the first time as an official Olympic sport. (Note: women's events in 1932 were considered unofficial).

Charles Jewtraw won the gold medal for the U.S. in the 500 meter Olympic speed skating race at Chamonix, France, in 1924. He was the only U.S. medalist. The Chamonix games were marked by the victories of Finland's Class Thunberg in the 1500 and 5000 meter races, and his silver medal in the 10,000 meter event. Thunberg was also awarded the all-around gold medal.

Four years later, at St. Moritz, Thunberg picked up two more gold medals in the 500 and 1500 meter races. John Farrell's bronze in the 500 meters was the only U.S. medal won in 1928. The St. Moritz games also saw the debut of Norway's Ivar Ballangrud, who took the 5000 meter gold and the 1500 bronze medals.

At Lake Placid in 1932, the best that Ballangrud could do was place second to U.S. champion Irving Jaffee in the 10,000 meter race. John Shea of the U.S. won the 500 and the 1500 meter races; Jaffee also won the 5000 meter gold medal, and his teammate Edward Murphy came in second. It was the best showing U.S. speed skaters made in Olympic competition up to that time.

Ivar Ballangrud, racing in his third Olympic Games in 1936, became the first triple crown winner in Olympic history, taking the 500, 5000 and 10,000 meter events, and finishing second in the 1500. Leo Freisinger's third place bronze in the 500 meter race was the only medal won by the U.S. team.

Two U.S. skaters, Kenneth Bartholomew and Robert Fitzgerald, finished in a three way tie with Norway's Thomas Byberg for second place in the 500 meter race in 1948. In 1952, at Oslo, two Americans, Kenneth Henry and Donald MacDermott, finished first and second in the 500 meter sprint. But 1952 went down in the Olympic records as the year in which a Norwegian truck driver, Hjalmar Anderson, won the 1500, 5000 and 10,000 meter races to become the second triple crown winner in Olympic competition.

In 1956, at Cortina, the Soviets whose skating traditions go back as far as all other north countries entered their first Olympic skating team since Nikolai Panin won a 1908 gold medal for figure skating. USSR's Evgenij Grishin won the 500 and the 1500 meter events; his teammate Boris Skilkov won the 5000 meter race. Sivgard Ericson of Sweden won the 10,000 meter race. There were no U.S. medalists.

The U.S. came back to the medalists' circle in the 1960 Winter Games at Squaw Valley, when Bill Disney took the silver medal in the 500 meter race, and Jeanne Ashworth scored third in the women's 500. But the Soviets took six golds in a total of twelve Olympic speed skating medals, including double wins for Eugenij Grishin and Lidija Skoblikova.

The only gold medal won in the 1964 Winter Olympic Games at Innsbruck, Austria, by a United States representative was won by Terry McDermott of Essexville, Michigan, in the 500 meter event in a record time of 40.1 seconds.

Terry's record and performance were doubly important when it is realized that the United States did not have one 400 meter artificial track on which to train or compete. The first such track in the United States was built at the Wisconsin State Fair Grounds in West Allis, Wisconsin, through the efforts of the newly formed United States International Skating Association and its president, Philip Krumm and his associates, notably Lamar Ottsen, James Hawkins, and George Howie.

The results of the 1968 Winter Olympic Games at Grenoble, France attest to the value of having proper facilities on which to train. Terry McDermott placed second in the 500 meter event and three U.S. girls, Jenny Fish, Dianne Holum, and Mary Meyers tied for second at 500 meters. An additional bronze medal was won by Dianne Holum in the 1000 meter distance.

Great publicity was accorded speed skating competitors in the 1972 Olympic competition in Sapporo, Japan, when our women made headline after headline. Unprecedented wins by Anne Henning and Dianne Holum, gold medals in the 500 and 1500 meter events respectively with an additional bronze in the 1000 for Miss Henning and a silver medal in the 3000 for Miss Holum removed all doubt from the previous notion that American skaters could excel only in the short sprint distances. In addition to the Olympic results, subsequent events provided the United States women the distinction of winning a clean sweep of gold medals in the 1972 World Championship for Ladies. In the World Sprint Championships, Sheila Young and Leah Poulos had proved by their gold medals in two consecutive years that American ladies would be major competitors in future events.

While the results of the 1968 and 1972 Olympic games pointed indelibly to the superior achievements of U.S. women, 1976 revealed the fact that men would not be denied, even though no medals were won by them in 1972 in Sapporo, Japan.

And so in Innsbruck, Austria, a gold medal by Peter Mueller and a bronze by Dan Immerfall reinstated the men into the winning column. Nevertheless, the spectacular triple medal winnings, a gold, a silver and a bronze by Sheila Young, the first such triple achievement by any U.S. skater, together with the silver medal won by Leah Poulos perpetuated the already established tradition that U.S. women would continue to issue a challenge with their prowess in the keenest of ice skating competition.

The construction of the second U.S. artificial Olympic speed skating track was at Lake Placid, New York, for the 1980 Winter Olympic Games. In 1987, another track was built in Butte, Montana, which is excellent for high altitude training. These additional tracks and the establishment of training centers in Lake Placid, Marquette, Michigan, and Colorado Springs bode well for the future of Olympic skating.

In the 1980 Olympic games the name of Eric Heiden was outstanding as he won five gold medals and set five Olympic record times. This was the first such achievement by any skater. The U.S. women continued to excel with Leah Poulos Mueller receiving two silver medals and Beth Heiden winning a bronze.

In 1984, at Sarjevo, Gaetan Boucher of Canada won the 1000 and the 1500 meter events for men. The East Germany team dominated the women's events. There were no U.S. medal winners.

The 1988 Olympic Games at Calgary, Canada were highlighted by Bonnie Blair of Champaign, Illinois, winning the gold medal at 500 meters and the bronze at 1000 meters. Teammate Eric Flaim of Pembroke, Massachusetts, won the silver medal at 1500 meters.

Short Track speedskating was an exhibition event in the Calgary Games resulting in its acceptance as a sport in future Winter Olympics.

At Albertville, France, in 1992, the Men's Long Track Team had no medal winners. The Women's Long Track Team had Bonnie Blair win gold medals at 500 meters and 1000 meters.

Short Track Speedskating was introduced at the Albertville Games as a full-fledged Olympic sport where it created considerable excitement among the spectators. Cathy Turner won the gold at 500 meters and the women's relay team consisting of Cathy Turner, Amy Peterson, Darcie Dohnal and Nikki Ziegelmeyer placed second in the 3000 meter relay.

The 1994 Winter Olympics at Lillehammer, Norway, was outstandingly successful for the U.S. team. In Long Track, Bonnie Blair won gold medals in the 500 meter and 1000 meter events while teammate Dan Jansen set an Olympic record winning the 1000 meter race in 1:12.43. Short Track speedskating again had Cathy Turner winning gold at 500 meters and Amy Peterson winning a bronze medal. The ladies 3000 meter relay team of Cathy Turner, Amy Peterson, Karen Cashman and Nikki Ziegelmeyer placed third. The men's 5000 meter relay team of Randy Bartz, John Coyle, Eric Flaim and Andy Gabel placed second.

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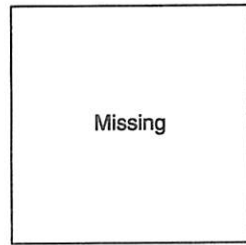


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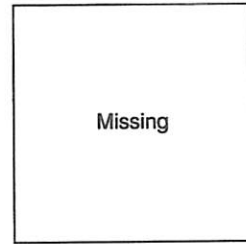


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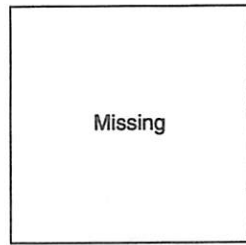


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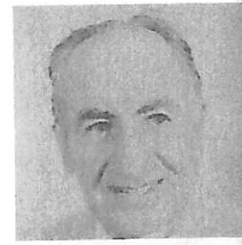


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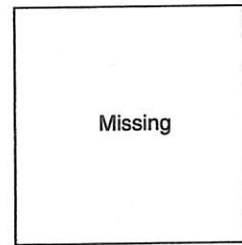
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It is hereby mutually agreed that the Articles of Alliance between the undersigned, dated December 8, 1927 and amended January 4th, 1930 and May 13, 1973, be, and the same hereby are amended so to read as follows:

- 1) The Amateur Speedskating Union of the United States recognizes the Canadian Amateur Speed Skating Association/Association Canadienne de Patinage de Vitesse Amateur as having sole control over speedskating in Canada.
- 2) The Canadian Amateur Speed Skating Association/Association Canadienne de Patinage de Vitesse recognizes the Amateur Speedskating Union of the United States as having sole control over mass style speed skating in the United States of America.
- 3) Each party to this alliance shall respect and enforce all penalties, suspensions and disqualifications imposed by the other party within its jurisdiction.
- 4) All skating competitions or exhibitions, open or closed, held in either Canada or the United States, shall be held under the rules and sanction of the party hereto, in whose territory same are held.
- 5) Registered amateur skaters from either party hereto shall be accepted by the other and be eligible to compete in such sanctioned events held by either as may be open to them. In all such cases the skater must present a permit from his governing body.
- 6) A North American Short Track and North American Long Track Speedskating Championship meet shall be held, if possible, every year, under the joint sanction of the parties hereto, to determine the best skaters in the United States and Canada. They shall alternate yearly between the two countries, unless arranged otherwise to the satisfaction of both parties.
- 7) Sanction fees for the North American Long Track Speed Skating Championships and for the North American Short Track Speed Skating Championships shall be as determined by hosting party; all payable in advance, said sanction fee shall be paid to the party hereto in which country said championships are held and entry fees shall also be paid to the country in which held, in the currency of the host country.
- 8) The officials for said championships meets shall be selected and approved by the party hereto in whose country said championships are held. An assistant referee and an assistant starter shall be sent to championship meets by the other party with one of these or some other person able to assist in seeding and heating.
- 9) The medals shall be provided for the North American Speedskating Championships and be struck from the die of the official championship medal, and shall have suitable inscription thereon, indicating that said medals are North American Championship Medals.

10) The termination of these Articles of Alliance must be ratified by the governing bodies of the parties hereto at three consecutive Annual Meetings of each before final termination is accepted.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have executed this agreement the day and year first written below, under authority of their respective Boards of Control or supervision.

Calgary, March 22, 1986

AMATEUR SKATING UNION OF
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NORTH AMERICAN CHAMPIONSHIPS

In accordance with the Articles of Alliance between the Amateur Speed Skating Union of the United States and the Canadian Amateur Speed Skating Association there shall be held if possible every year an Outdoor and Indoor competition to determine the best skaters in the USA and Canada.

SANCTIONS

Sanction for holding the North American Speedskating Championship (Short Track or Long Track) shall be requested from both the ASU and CASSA at their Annual Meeting TWO years in advance, specifying the approximate date.

SANCTION FEES

Sanction fee for the North American Speedskating Championship (Short Track or Long Track) shall be established by the Board of Directors and payable to C.A.S.S.A. (for all North American Championships events in Canada) ONE year in advance.

ENTRIES

Entry is open to any approved skater from an ISU Member Country.

All entries to a North American Championship must be approved by Provincial-Territorial, State or National Associations and must be signed either by the President or Secretary of those Associations. Entries from other ISU countries must be approved by the President or Secretary of the ISU member Association.

Entry fee for the North American Championship when held in Canada shall be as established by the Board of Directors.

Each Member Association of the Amateur Speedskating Union of the United States and Branch Association of CASSA may enter a maximum of four (4) skaters in any one class for a North American Speed Skating Championship

(Short Track and Long Track). Such skaters will be ranked on their entry forms as of their standing within their respective Member Association or Branch Association age class. Accurate times shall, if possible, be provided by the member associations to assist in the seeding of entrants (Maximum number under negotiation 1988)

The sponsoring association of a North American Championship shall be granted the privilege of entering an additional two skaters from their association in each class.

NOTE: National team members are exempt from provincial quotas.

The defending champion in each class, when still a member of that class, shall be entitled to enter a North American Championship as an additional entry over and above the quota allowed for his association.

All entries shall be made upon the official entry blank in the real name of the applicant, with age and address, name of club and association and registered or membership number.

Pseudonyms are permitted, but must be accompanied by the correct name.

Entries shall not be received, or acknowledged, until the entry fees are paid in full and the skaters national or provincial-territorial registration (allocated by the CASSA, the ASU or another ISU member country) is recorded on the official entry blank.

AGE CLASSIFICATION

For Speedskating competitions a skater's age shall be the age he has attained prior to July 1st of the skating season during which the competition or meet is held. For purposes of this article, a skating season shall commence on July 1 st of the one calendar year and end of June of the succeeding calendar year.

Midget	10-11 years
Juvenile	12-13 years
Junior	14-15 years
Intermediate (CASSA)	16-17 years
Intermediate (ASU)	16-18 years
Senior (CASSA)	18-Over
Senior (ASU)	19-Over
Master (CASSA)	30-Over
Master (ASU)	35-Over
Grand Master	50-Over

Exhibition races for Pee Wee (age 6 & 7) and Bantam (age 8 & 9) are allowed at the discretion of the meet organizers.

MEDALS

The Medals for the North American championships shall be provided by the agency, club or association who have received the sanction for holding same.

There must be three prizes for each event at a North American championship meet:

First Prize to be a Gold Medal
Second Prize to be a Silver Medal
Third prize to be a Bronze Medal

If there is a tie for first place two gold medals shall be awarded as well as a bronze. If there is a tie for first and a tie for second place in the same event gold and bronze medals are to be awarded to the four skaters respectively.

REPORTING OF RESULTS

The sponsoring association accepts the responsibility of preparing within fourteen (14) days after the meet a protocol of full listings of results, circulating copies directly or via branches to Clubs directly concerned and to the Executive Director of CASSA and the ASU. In addition, the Association/Club receiving such sanction shall send a full set of results to the Chairman of the Records committee of both CASSA and the ASU, along with a certification of track measurement from the track surveyor. The Official CASSA and ASU representatives shall within thirty (30) days of the completion of the meet send their reports to the CASSA Vice-President Competitions and the ASU Vice President (Racing) on the manner in which the Championships were conducted.

PROGRAM (LONG TRACK)

a) List of classes and races

Mass Start

Grand Masters Men/Ladies	500, 800, 1000, 1500m
Masters Men	500, 1000, 1500, 3000m
Masters Ladies	500, 800, 1000, 1500m
Senior Men/Ladies	500, 1000, 1500, 3000m
Intermediate Men/Ladies	500, 1000, 1500, 3000m
Junior Men/Ladies	500, 1000, 1500, 3000m
Juvenile Boys/Girls	400, 500, 800, 1000m
Midget Boys/Girls	300, 500, 600, 800m

- b) Skaters must skate all the distance for their age class to be considered for the class championship unless adequate reason for not skating is given.
- c) Whenever feasible, the Canada-United States Team Competition (under 20) will be incorporated into the North American Long Track Championships with points accumulate by team members counting towards William E. "Bill" Dyer trophy. Distances to be skated in this competition are:

Men's Sprint	500, 1000, 500, 1000m
Women's Sprint	500, 1000, 500, 1000m
Men's All round	500, 1500, 3000, 5000m
Women's All round	500, 1000, 1500, 3000m

Any skater who has obtained points in the shorter distances qualifies for the 3000m event.

Bantam (Pony) & Pee Wee (Pony Cradle) do not constitute a North American championship and should be listed separately on the program as **EXHIBITION RACES**.

The authorized North American Championship medals are not to be awarded to Bantam (Pony) & Pee Wee (Pony Cradle) classes.

Recommended distances for Bantam (Pony) are 200, 300, 400 and meters.

At least one final event per class must be held on the first day of all North American Championships.

PROGRAM (SHORT TRACK)

Contestants entering a North American Short Track Championship must skate all events in their age class as indicated immediately below if they are to be considered for the class championship.

List of Classes and Races

Grand Masters	500	777	1000	1500	
Masters	500	777	1000	1500	
Senior	500	777	1000	1500	3000*
Intermediate	500	777	1000	1500	3000*
Junior	500	777	1000	1500	
Juvenile	333	500	777	1000	
Midget	333	500	666	777	

*Point Scorers only

Whenever feasible, an international class featuring Canadian and U.S.A. national teams and other invited national teams will be incorporated in the North American Short Track Championships. Distances skated will conform with World Short Track distances.

Bantam (Pony) & Pee Wee (Pony Cradle) races do not constitute a North American Championship and should be listed separately on the program as **EXHIBITION RACES**.

The authorized North American Championship medals are not to be awarded to Bantam (Pony) and Pee Wee (Pony Cradle) classes.

Recommended distances for Bantam (Pony) are 200, 300, 400 and 600 meters and for Pee Wee (Pony Cradle) are 100, 200 and 300 and 400 meters.

Relay races are medal competitions in North American Short Track Championships with one (1) team per Association or branch per sex regardless of age. Points will not count for the class winner.

At least one final event per class must be held on the first day of all North American Championships.

POINTS-NORTH AMERICAN CHAMPIONSHIPS

All championship events shall be determined by the greatest number of points won in all final events by one of the contestants.

Points will be allocated and class championships declared in accordance with the following point system:

1st Place	5 points
2nd Place	3 points
3rd Place	2 points
4th Place	1 point

In the event of a tie for first place four points shall be given to each of the two contestants so tying the next skater being awarded two points and the next one point.

In a tie for second place two and one-half points shall be given to the two contestants and the next skater shall receive one point. A tie for fourth place each competitor is given one-half point.

In a North American Championship meet, class championship medallions based on total points will be awarded.

In case of a tie for the championship, the contestants so tying shall be known as co-champions and duplicate awards shall be awarded.

MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS

Protective headgear, neck guards (in Canada), gloves, and long sleeves must be worn by all competitors.

APPLICABLE RULES

In the absence of any applicable rule in the Articles of Alliance between the ASU of USA or CASSA, the rules of the hosting organization shall apply.

When sanction is given for a Canadian, North American Championship or higher level championship, a technical inspection of facilities and equipment should be carried out by the Chief Referee, Commissioner or the Technical Director, and his approval should be given before the start of the competition.

NATIONAL, NORTH AMERICAN AND U.S. OPEN LONG TRACK CHAMPIONS SENIOR MEN CHAMPIONS

YEAR	HOLDER	RESIDENCE	YEAR	HOLDER	RESIDENCE
1891	Joseph Donoghue	Newburgh	1942	Ken Bartholomew	Minneapolis (N, NA)
1892	Joseph Donoghue	Newburgh	1943-45	No Contests due to war	
1893	John S. Johnson	Minneapolis	1946	Robert Fitzgerald	Minneapolis (N)
1894	John S. Johnson	Minneapolis	1947	Ken Bartholomew	Minneapolis (N)
1895	John S. Johnson	Minneapolis		Mario Trafeli	Detroit (NA)
1896	John Nilsson	Minneapolis	1948	George Fisher	Champaign (N, NA)
1897	John Nilsson	Minneapolis	1949	Ray Blum	Nutley (N)
1898-99	No Contests due to war		1950	Ray Blum	Nutley (NA)
1900	Leroy See	New York		Ken Bartholomew	Minneapolis (N)
1901	Morris Wood	New York	1951	Ken Bartholomew	Minneapolis (N)
1902	Morris Wood	New York	1952	Ken Bartholomew	Minneapolis (N)
1903	Morris Wood	New York		Ray Blum	Nutley (NA) Tie
1904	Morris Wood	New York		Terry Browne	Detroit (NA) Tie
1905	Morris Wood	New York		Art Longsjo	Westminister (NA) Tie
1906	Morris Wood	New York	1953	Ken Bartholomew	Minneapolis (N)
1907	Morris Wood	New York	1954	Art Longsjo	Westminister (NA)
1908	Edmund Lamy	Saranac Lake		Ken Bartholomew	Minneapolis (N)
1909	Edmund Lamy	Saranac Lake	1955	Ken Bartholomew	Minneapolis (N)
1910	Edmund Lamy	Saranac Lake		Jay Hasbrouck	New York (NA)
1911	Robert McLean	Chicago	1956	Ken Bartholomew	Minneapolis (N, NA)
1912	Robert McLean	Chicago	1957	Jim Campbell	Glen Elyn (NA)
1913	Robert McLean	Chicago		Bob Snyder	Detroit (N) Tie
1914	Robert McLean	Chicago		Ken Bartholomew	Minneapolis (N) Tie
1915	Russell Wheeler	Montreal (Intl.)	1958	Andy Korenak	West Allis (NA)
1916	Harry Cody	Toronto (Intl.)		Gene Sandvig	Minneapolis (N)
1917	Arthur Staff	Chicago	1959	Keith Meyer	Glen Elyn (NA) Tie
1918-19	No Contests due to war			Gene Sandvig	Minneapolis (NA) Tie
1920	Everett McGowan	St. Paul (Intl.)		Ken Bartholomew	Minneapolis (N)
	Roy McWhirter	Chicago (N)	1960	Tom Augustitis	Detroit (NA)
1921	Charles Jewtraw	Lake Placid (N)		Ken Bartholomew	Minneapolis (N)
	Joe Moore	New York (Intl.)	1961	Ed Rudolph	Northbrook (N)
1922	Roy McWhirter	Chicago (N)		Arnold Uhrlass	Yonkers (NA)
	William Steinmetz	Chicago (Intl.)	1962	Floyd Bedbury	St. Paul (N)
1923	Harry Kaskey	Chicago (N)		Dick Hunt	LaCanada (NA)
	Charles Jewtraw	Lake Placid (Intl.)	1963	Tom Gray	Bloomington (N)
1924	Charles Gorman	St. Johns (intl.)		Ed Rudolph	Northbrook (NA) Tie
1925	Francis A. Allen	Chicago		Bud Campbell	Paramount (NA) Tie
1926	O'Neill Farrell	Chicago (Intl.)	1964	Neil Blatchford	Northbrook (N)
1927	No Contest		1965	Richard Wurster	Ballston Spa (N)
1928	Lloyd Guenther	Detroit (N)		Bob Fenn	Flushing (US)
1929	Allen Potts	New York (N)	1966	Richard Wurster	Ballston Spa (N)
	Jack Shea	Lake Placid (NA)		Bill Langan	Flushing (US)
1930	Jack Shea	Lake Placid (N)	1967	Mike Passarella	Chicago (N)
	Ross Robinson	Toronto (NA)		John Wurster	Ballston Spa (US)
1931	Frank Stack	Winnipeg (NA)	1968	Pete Cefalu	West Allis (N)
1932	James Webster	St. Paul (NA)	1969	Pete Cefalu	West Allis (N)
1933	Melvin Johnson	Detroit		Richard Wurster	Ballston Spa (US)
1934	James Webster	St. Paul (N)	1970	Pete Cefalu	West Allis (N)
	Ed Schroeder	Chicago (NA)		Richard Wurster	Ballston Spa (NA)
1935	Marvin Swanson	Minneapolis (N)	1971	Jack Walters	Boston (N)
1936	Marvin Swanson	Minneapolis (N)		Richard Wurster	Ballston Spa (NA)
1937	Marvin Swanson	Minneapolis (N)	1972	Barth Levy	Denver (N, NA)
1938	Vic Ronchetti	Chicago (NA, N)	1973	Mike Woods	Milwaukee (N)
1939	Charles Leighton	Minneapolis (NA)		Jim Chapin	St. Louis (NA)
	Ken Bartholomew	Minneapolis (N)	1974	Leigh Barczewski	West Allis (N) Tie
1940	Leo Freisinger	Chicago (N, NA)		Mike Passarella	Chicago (N) Tie
1941	Ken Bartholomew	Minneapolis (N, NA)		Mike Grunnet	Champaign (NA)

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LONG TRACK CHAMPIONS (continued)

SENIOR MEN CHAMPIONS

YEAR	HOLDER	RESIDENCE
1975	Richard Wurster	Grafton (N, NA)
1976	John Wurster	Ballston Spa (N)
	Leigh Barczewski	West Allis (NA)
1977	Jim Chapin	St. Louis (N)
	Jacques Thibault	Quebec (NA)
1978	Bill Heinkel	West Allis (N)
	Jack Mortell	Wilmette (NA)
1979	Erik Henriksen	Champaign (N, NA)
1980	Greg Oly	Minneapolis (N)
	Barth Levy	Lakewood (NA)
1981	Tom Grannes	Minneapolis (N)
	Kevin O'Brien	Prince Edw. Isle (NA)
1982	Greg Oly	Minneapolis (N)
	Kevin O'Brien	Prince Edw. Isle (NA)
1983	Mike Ralston	Streamwood (N, NA)
1984	Mike Ralston	Streamwood (N, NA)
1985	Andy Gabel	Northbrook (N)
	Gordon Goplen	Saskatoon (NA)
1986	Eric Klein	St. Louis (N)
	Frank Filardi	Park Ridge (NA-Metric)
1987	David Pavlacic	St. Louis (N)
	Brian Wanek	West Allis (NA-Metric)
1988	Pat Wentland	Boston (N, NA)
	Richard Laliberte	Ste. Foy (NA-Metric)
1989	Matt Trimble	Iowa City (N)
	Mike Greenland	Maplewood, MN (NA)
	Dan Blunderfield	Winnipeg (NA-Metric)
1990	Andy Zak	Minneapolis (N)
	Pat Wentland	Scituate (NA)
	Cameron Beul	Flushing (NA-Metric)
1991	Pat Seltam	Pembroke (N, NA)
1992	Mike Jansen	West Allis (N)
	John Coyle	W. Bloomfield (NA) Tie
	Pat Wentland	Boston (NA) Tie
1993	Matt Trimble	Plymouth (NA) Tie
	Joe Franz	Green Mountain (NA) Tie
	Joe Franz	Green Mountain (N)
1994	John Singer	Milwaukee (NA)
	Erik Henriksen	Mahomet (N)
1995	Pat Seltam	Pembroke (NA)
	Cameron Beul	Butte (N)
1996	Tim Hoffman	Milwaukee (N)
	Matt Trimble	Fridley (T) (NA)
	Jason Hedstrand	Shoreview (T) (NA)

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SENIOR LADIES CHAMPIONS

YEAR	HOLDER	RESIDENCE	YEAR	HOLDER	RESIDENCE
1921	Gladys Robinson	Toronto (Intl.)	1965	Jean Omelenchuk	Detroit (N, US)
1922	Gladys Robinson	Toronto (Intl.)	1966	Diane White	St. Paul (N)
1923	Gladys Robinson	Toronto (Intl.)		Jean Ashworth	Wilmington (US)
1924	Rose Johnsonn	Chicago (Intl.)	1967	Jean Ashworth	Wilmington (N, US)
1925	Rose Johnsonn	Chicago (Intl.)	1968	Helen Lutsch	Mt. Prospect (N)
	Leila B. Potter	Toronto (NA)	1969	Sally Blatchford	Northbrook (N)
1926	Leila B. Potter	Toronto (NA)		Sue Bradle	Peekskill (US)
	Lois Littlejohn	Chicago (N)	1970	Sheila Young	Detroit (N, NA)
1927	No Contests		1971	Sheila Young	Detroit (N)
1928	Elsie Muller	New York		Ruth Moore	Boston (NA)
1929	Loretta Neitzel	Detroit	1972	Ruth Moore	Boston (N) Tie
1930	Leila B. Potter	Toronto (NA)		Nancy Thorne	Madison (N) Tie
	Loretta Neitzel	Detroit (N)		Judy Spraggs	Detroit (NA)
1931	Elsie Muller	New York	1973	Nancy Class	St. Paul (N, NA)
1932	Helen Bina	Chicago	1974	Kris Garbe	West Allis (N)
1933	Kit Klein	Buffalo		Nancy Class	St. Paul (NA)
1934	Dorothy Franey	St. Paul (N)	1975	Nancy Swider	Park Ridge (N)
	Kit Klein	Buffalo (NA)		Mary Moore	Syracuse (NA)
1935	Kit Klein	Buffalo (NA, N)	1976	Connie Carpenter	Madison
1936	Dorothy Franey	St. Paul (N)	1977	Liz Crowe	St. Louis (N, NA)
1937	Maddy Horn	Beaver Dam (N)	1978	Betsy Davis	Montclair (N) Tie
1938	Janet Milne	Saranac Lake (NA)		Paula Class	St. Paul (N) Tie
	Mary Dolan	Minneapolis (N)		Debbie Carlstrom	Des Plaines (NA)
1939	Maddy Horn	Beaver Dam (N, NA)	1979	Gretchen Byrne	Syracuse (N)
1940	Maddy Horn	Beaver Dam (N, NA)		Pat Durnin	Winnipeg (NA)
1941	Carmelita Landry	Fitchburg (N, NA)	1980	Sheri Miller	Butte (N, NA)
1942	Carmelita Landry	Fitchburg (N, NA)	1981	Lisa Merrifield	Butte (N, NA)
1943-45	No Contests due to war		1982	Lisa Merrifield	Butte (N)
1946	Elaine Gordon	Chicago (N)		Katie Class	St. Paul (NA)
	Eileen Whaley	Winnipeg (NA)	1983	Janet Hainstock	Alpena (N, NA)
1947	Betty Mitchell	Winnipeg (NA)	1984	Janet Hainstock	Alpena (N)
	Geraldine Scott	Minneapolis (N)		North American—No Contest	
1948	Betty Mitchell	Winnipeg (NA)	1985	Betsy Davis	Lavallette (N)
	Lorraine Sabbe	Detroit (N)		Leslie Bader	Yonkers (NA)
1949	Lorraine Sabbe	Detroit (N)	1986	Debbie Perkins	Madison (N)
1950	Betty Mitchell	Winnipeg (NA)		Moira D'Andrea	Saratoga Spgs (NA-Metric)
	Janice Christopherson	St. Paul (N)	1987	Laura Zuckerman	White Fish Bay (N)
1951	Barbara DeSchepper	Detroit (N)		Gaylene Rodrigue	Ottawa (NA-Metric)
	Gwendolyn Dubois	St. Paul (NA)	1988	Elise Brinich	Illinois (N)
1952	Barbara DeSchepper	Detroit (NA) Tie		Jody Franzen	Menomonee Falls (NA)
	Doreen McLeod	Edmonton (NA) Tie		Sylvie Cantin	Ste. Foy (NA-Metric)
	Barbara DeSchepper	Detroit (N)	1989	Lisa Merrifield	Butte (N)
1953	Pat Gibson	Madison (N)		Jody Franzen	Menomonee Falls (NA)
1954	Pat Gibson	Madison (N)		Stacey Crockett	Manitoba (NA-Metric)
	Barbara DeSchepper	Detroit (NA)	1990	Janie Eickhoff	Los Alamitos (N)
1955	Pat Gibson	Madison (N, NA)		Cynthia Wayne	Chicago (NA)
1956	Pat Gibson	Madison (N, NA)		Hilary Mills	Milwaukee (NA-Metric)
1957	Jean Omelenchuk	Detroit (NA)	1991	Liza Dennehy	Butte (N)
	Mary Mayland	Minnesota (N)		Susan Denlinger	Brookwood (NA)
1958	Jean Omelenchuk	Detroit (N, NA)	1992	Hilary Mills	Milwaukee (N, NA)
1959	Jean Omelenchuk	Detroit (N, NA)	1993	Kristen Talbot	Saratoga Spgs (N)
1960	Mary Novak	Lombard (N, NA)		No Competitors	(NA)
1961	Jean Ashworth	Wilmington (N, NA)	1994	Hilary Mills	Milwaukee (N, NA)
1962	Jean Omelenchuk	Detroit (N, NA)	1995	Chantal Bailey	Butte (N)
1963	Jean Ashworth	Wilmington (N)	1996	Cindy Darrow	St. Charles, IL (N)
	Jean Omelenchuk	Detroit (NA)		Cindy Darrow	St. Charles, IL (NA)
1964	Diane White	St. Paul (N)			

NATIONAL, NORTH AMERICAN AND U.S. OPEN
SHORT TRACK CHAMPIONS

SENIOR MEN CHAMPIONS

YEAR	HOLDER	RESIDENCE	YEAR	HOLDER	RESIDENCE
1906	Morris Wood	New York	1959	Steve Stenson	New York (N) Tie
1907	Morris Wood	New York		Dick Hunt	Los Angeles (N) Tie
1908	Edmund Lamy	Saranac Lake		Don Beam	Binghamton (NA)
1909	Edmund Lamy	Saranac Lake	1960	Terry McDermott	Bay City (N)
1920	Edmund Lamy	Saranac Lake		Steve Stenson	College Pt. (NA)
1911	Robert McLean	Chicago	1961	Keith Meyer	Glen Ellyn (N) Tie
1912	Robert McLean	Chicago		Bob McCarthy	Jamaica (N) Tie
1913	Robert McLean	Chicago		Terry McDermott	Bay City (NA)
1914	Robert McLean	Chicago	1962	Charles Aedo	Los Angeles (N)
1915	Russell Wheeler	Montreal (Intl.)		Ken LeBel	Lake Placid (NA)
1916	Anton O'Sickey	Cleveland	1963	Bud Campbell	Paramount (N)
1917	Arthur Staff	Chicago		Robert McCarthy	New York (NA)
1918-20	No Contests due to war		1964	John Keith	Hacienda Hgts. (N)
1921	Joe Moore	New York (Intl.)		Bob Fenn	Flushing (US)
1922	Joe Moore	New York (Intl.)	1965	Bud Campbell	Paramount (N)
1923	Joe Moore	New York (Intl.)		Bob Fenn	Flushing (US)
1924	Joe Moore	New York (Intl.)	1966	Bill Lanigan	Flushing (N)
1925	Edward Meyers	New York		John Keith	Paramount (US)
1926	Charles Gorman	St. John (NA)	1967	Bill Lanigan	Flushing (N)
1927	Charles Gorman	St. John (NA)		Bud Campbell	Paramount (US)
1928	Allan Potts	New York (N)	1968	John Keith	Paramount (N)
	Charles Gorman	St. John (NA)		Bill Lanigan	Flushing (US)
1929	Percy Johnson	Toronto (NA)	1969	Bill Lanigan	Flushing (US)
1930	No Contest		1970	Barth Levy	Brooklyn (N)
1931	Frank Stack	Winnipeg (NA)		Bill Noyes	Paramount (NA)
1932	Frank Stack	Winnipeg (NA)	1971	Barth Levy	Brooklyn (N) Tie
1933	Alex Hurd	Sudbury (NA)		Jack Walters	Boston (N) Tie
1934	Herb Flack	Toronto (NA)		Pat Maxwell	Buffalo (NA)
1935	Alex Hurd	Sudbury (NA)	1972	Barth Levy	Denver (N)
1936	Alex Hurd	Sudbury (NA)		Bill Noyes	Paramount (NA)
1937	Marvin Swanson	Minneapolis (NA)	1973	Bill Lanigan	New York (N)
	Leo Freisinger	Chicago (N)		Benjie Perez	Paramount (NA)
1938	Frank Stack	Winnipeg (NA)	1974	Alan Rattray	Los Angeles (N)
	Leo Freisinger	Chicago (N)		Bill Lanigan	New York (NA)
1939-40	No Contests		1975	Bud Campbell	California (N)
1941	John Simmons	Stamford (N) Tie		Jim Lynch	Australia (NA)
	Ray Erickson	Brooklyn (N) Tie	1976	Alan Rattray	Los Angeles (N)
1942	H. Van Putten	Haledon (NA)		John Wurster	Ballston Spa (NA)
1943-47	No Contests due to war		1977	John Mortell	Wilmette (N)
1948	Al Broadhurst	Rosindale (NA)		Gaetan Boucher	Quebec (NA)
1949	Edgar Dame	Revere (NA)	1978	Stan Wisniewski	Sierra Madre (N)
1950	Edgar Dame	Revere (NA)		Scott Drebes	Champaign (NA)
	Emmanuel Babayan	Pasadena (N)	1979	Bill Lanigan	Flushing (N)
1951	No Contests			Gaetan Boucher	Quebec (NA)
1952	Ray Blum	Nutley (NA)	1980	Barth Levy	Lakewood (N)
1953	Edgar Dame	Revere (NA)		Gaetan Boucher	Quebec (NA)
	Jim Campbell	Chicago (N)	1981	Scott Drebes	Champaign (N)
1954	Art Longsjö	Westminister (NA)		Gaetan Boucher	Quebec (NA)
	Bob Olson	Glendale (N)	1982	Jack Mortell	Evanston (N) Tie
1955	Jay Hasbrouck	Brooklyn (N) Tie		Paul Jacobs	Park Ridge (N) Tie
	Bill Disney	Los Angeles (N) Tie		Louis Baril	Quebec (NA)
	Bill Disney	Los Angeles (NA)	1983	Pat Moore	Niles (N) Tie
1956	Ken LeBel	Lake Placid (N, NA)		Pat Maxwell	Syracuse (N) Tie
1957	Jack Disney	Los Angeles (NA)		Pat Moore	Niles (NA)
	Steve Stenson	New York (N)	1984	David Besteman	Madison (N)
1958	Jim Campbell	Chicago (NA)		Gordon Goplen	Saskatoon (NA) Tie
	Jack Disney	Los Angeles (N)		Michael Holmes	St. John (NA) Tie

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SENIOR MEN CHAMPIONS

YEAR	HOLDER	RESIDENCE
1985	Brian Arseneau	Arlington Heights (N)
	Guy Daignault	Montreal (NA)
1986	Brian Arseneau	Arlington Heights (N)
	Marco Vincent	Quebec (NA)
1987	Brian Arseneau	Arlington Heights (N)
	Mike Murray	New Brunswick (NA)
1988	Brian Arseneau	Arlington Heights (N)
	Mike Murray	New Brunswick (NA)
1989	Andy Gabel	Northbrook (N, NA)
1990	Andy Gabel	Northbrook (N)
	John Monroe	Manitoba (NA)
1991	Pat Wentland	Scituate (N)
	Mike Murray	New Brunswick (NA)
1992	Brian Arseneau	Buffalo Grove (N)
	Eric Forget	Quebec (NA)
1993	Pat Wentland	Scituate (N)
	Dwayne Kraus	Br. Columbia (NA)
1994	Brian Arseneau	Buffalo Grove (N)
	Jonathon Gougoux	Quebec (NA)
1995	Joe Rohraff	Westland, MI (NA)
	Chad Powell	Plano, TX (N)
1996	Chad Powell	Plano, TX (N)
	Robert MacLeod	New Brunswick (NA)

NATIONAL, NORTH AMERICAN AND U.S. OPEN SHORT TRACK CHAMPIONS SENIOR LADIES CHAMPIONS

YEAR	HOLDER	RESIDENCE	YEAR	HOLDER	RESIDENCE
1921	Glady's Robinson	Toronto (Int'l.)	1972	Michael Conroy	St. Paul (N, MA)
1922	Glady's Robinson	Toronto (Int'l.)	1973	Mitchel Conroy	St. Paul (N) Tie
1923-27	No Contests			Celeste Chlapaty	Chicago (N) Tie
1928	Elsie Muller	New York (N)		Mitchel Conroy	St. Paul (N, MA) Tie
1929	Faith Schoen	Chicago (N, MA)	1974	Celeste Chlapaty	Chicago (N, MA) Tie
1930	Loretta Neitzel	Detroit (N)		Peggy Hartich	St. Louis (N)
1931	Elsie Muller	New York (N)	1975	Michael Conroy	St. Paul (N)
1932	Kit Klein	Buffalo (N, MA)		Michael Conroy	St. Louis (N)
1933	Maddy Horn	Beaver Dam (N, MA)	1976	Celeste Chlapaty	St. Louis (N, MA)
1934	Kit Klein	Buffalo (N)		Peggy Hartich	St. Louis (N) Tie
1935	Kit Klein	Toronto (N, MA)	1977	Celeste Chlapaty	St. Louis (N, MA)
1936	Lelia B. Potter	St. Paul (N, MA)		Peggy Hartich	St. Louis (N) Tie
1937	Dorothy Franey	Minneapolis (N, MA)	1978	Lori Toshack	Winnipeg (N, MA)
1938	Maddy Horn	Beaver Dam (N)		Debbie Carlstrom	Des Plaines (N)
1938	Eleanor T. Dyer	Chicago (N, MA)	1979	Cathy Turnbull	Saskatchewan (N, MA)
1939-40	No Contests			Patty Lyman	Colorado Spgs. (N)
1941	Virginia Jain	Schenectady (N)	1980	Cathy Turnbull	Quebec (N, MA)
1942	Elaine Gordon	Chicago (N, MA)		Pam Mercer	Wyandotte (N) Tie
1943-47	No Contests due to war			Debbie Carlstrom	Des Plaines (N) Tie
1948	Lorraine Sabbe	Detroit (N, MA)	1981	Cathy Turnbull	Saskatchewan (N, MA)
1949	Lorraine Sabbe	Detroit (N, MA)		Mary Polaski	Colorado Spgs. (N)
1950	Barb Deschopper	Detroit (N, MA, N)	1982	Margie Burns	Riverside (N, MA)
1951	No Contests			Lydia Stephens	Northbrook (N)
1952	Janet Bachman	Wilmington (N, MA)	1983	Sue Hellingwerf	Quebec (N, MA)
1953	Barb Deschopper	Detroit (N, MA, N)		Bonnie Blair	Champaign (N)
1954	Barb Deschopper	Detroit (N, MA, N)	1984	Lydia Stephens	Northbrook (N, MA)
1955	Barb Deschopper	Detroit (N, MA, N)		Bonnie Blair	Champaign (N)
1956	Jean Ashworth	Wilmington (N)	1985	Nicola Merrifield	Los Angeles (N)
1957	Pat Underhill	Edmonton (N, MA)	1986	Bonnie Blair	Champaign (N)
1958	Mary Novak	Wilmington (N, MA)		Syvie Limeau	Quebec (N, MA)
1959	Jean Ashworth	Wilmington (N, MA)	1987	Morra D'Andrea	Saratoga Spgs. (N)
1960	Mary Novak	Lombard (N)		Karen Gardiner	Australia (N, MA)
1961	Jean Ashworth	Wilmington (N, MA)	1988	Wendy Goetz	Burlingame (N)
1962	Diane White	Lombard (N)	1989	Cathy Morin	Quebec (N, MA)
1963	Jean Ashworth	Wilmington (N, MA)	1990	Jeanie Eickhoff	Los Alamitos (N)
1964	Earlene Sechanic	St. Paul (N)	1991	Karen Gardiner	Australia (N, MA)
1965	Erith Johnson	Chicago (N, MA)	1992	Kristen Talbot	Los Alamitos (N)
1966	Diane White	Wilmington (N)	1993	Isabel Charost	Manitoba (N, MA)
1967	Jean Ashworth	New York (N, MA)	1994	Karen Cashman	Schuylerville (N)
1968	Sally Blatchford	Buffalo (N, US)	1995	Heather Gallagher	Quebec (N, MA)
1969	Sally Blatchford	St. Paul (N, US)	1996	Hilary Mills	Quincy (N)
1970	Cathy Crowe	Wilmington (N)	1997	Tricia Stennes	Ontario (N, MA)
1971	Mary Blair	Wilmington (N)	1998	Jane Lapato	Ontario (N, MA)
			1999	Kit Jarosz	Saratoga Spgs. (N)
			2000	Syvia Pryzek	Quebec (N, MA)
			2001	Debra Cohen	Northbrook (N)
			2002	Hilary Mills	Northbrook (N)
			2003	Kelly O'Hare	St. Louis (N, MA)

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YEAR	MIDGET BOYS	JUVENILE BOYS	JUNIOR BOYS	INTERMEDIATE MEN	SENIOR MEN
1955	Fred Fischel, IL	Tom Weisel, WI	Ron Eikaas, MN	Allan Olson, IL (T) Floyd Bedbury, MN (T)	Ken Bartholomew, MN
1956	Tom Gray, MN	Paul Nelson, MN	Tom Weisel, WI	Ron Eikaas, MN	Ken Bartholomew, MN
1957	Roger Capan, IL	Fred Fischel, IL	Tom Weisel, WI	David Arends, IA	Ken Bartholomew, MN (T) Bob Snyder, MI (T) Gene Sandvig, MN
1958	Tom Ashley, MN	Tom Gray, MN	Paul Nelson, MN	Tom Weisel, WI	Ken Bartholomew, MN
1959	Ray Novak, IL	Peter Kreinder M.A.	Bob Busse, WI	Ed Rudolph, IL	Ken Bartholomew, MN
1960	Ray Novak, IL	Jim Quenemoen, MN	Tom Gray, MN	Paul Nelson, MN	Ken Bartholomew, MN
1961	Bill Heinkel, WI	Bob Christensen, MN	Jack Walters, N. E.	Tom Gray, MN	Ed Rudolph, IL
1962	Bob Swanson, IL	Pete Cefalu, WI	Robert Leto, M.A.	Tom Gray, MN	Floyd Bedbury, E. MN
1963	Bob Swanson, IL	Bill Heinkel, WI	Pete Cefalu, WI	Neil Blatchford, IL	Tom Gray, MN
1964	Ray Timpone, IL	Ray Passarella, IL	John Heoney, M.A.	Jerry Hamernick, E. MN	Neil Blatchford, IL
1965	Gildon Turek, IL	Bill Kucyk, MI	Bill Heinkel, WI (T) Barth Levy, M.A. (T)	Bill Lanigan, MA	Richard Wurster, N. NY
1966	Ray Wood, E. MN	Gary Jonland, IL	Don Cernanec, OH	Peter Cefalu, WI	Richard Wurster, N. NY
1967	Lee Mazzilli, M.A. (T) Bill Anderson, IL (T)	Tom Klanchnik, MN	Dennis Berry, MN	Barth Levy, MA	Mike Passarella, IL
1968	Jon Lutz, WI	Dennis Klick, MN	Gary Jonland, IL	Steve Duerr, MN	Pete Cefalu, WI
1969	Les Barczewski, WI (T) M. Elliot, MI (T)	Lee Mazzilli, M.A.	Tom Klanchnik, MN	Gary Jonland, IL	Pete Cefalu, WI
1970	Eric Heiden, WI	John Lutz, WI	Peter Mueller, WI	Gary Jonland, IL	Pete Cefalu, WI
1971	David Pogorzelski, MO	Les Barczewski, WI	Lee Mazzilli, M.A.	Bob Haenisch, IL	Jack Walters, N.E.
1972	John Rodgers, IL	Tom Grunnah, IL	Jim Durlak, IL	Jim Chapin, MO	Barth Levy, CO
1973	Ron Muck, IL	Chris Brandt, MO	Les Barczewski, WI	Jim Chapin, MO	Mike Woods, WI
1974	Jeff Carlton, IL	John Rodgers, IL	Gary Ross, MI	Les Barczewski, WI	Leigh Barczewski, WI (T) Mike Passarella, IL (T) Richard Wurster, WI
1975	Nick Thometz, MN	Ron Muck, IL	Scott Guy, IL (T) John Rodgers, IL (T)	Mark Huck, IL	
1976	Bob Kuspa, WI	Kevin Johnson, MI	Steve Hickner, MI	Scott Guy, IL	John Wurster, N. NY
1977	John Gulczynski, WI	Mike Jansen, WI	Craig Kressler, MI	Scott Guy, IL	Jim Chapin, MO
1978	Brian Tetzlaff, MN	Robert Kuspa, WI	Kevin Johnson, MI	Jeff Bradley, IA	Bill Heinkel, WI
1979	John Albrecht, E. MN	Andy Gabel, IL	Mike Jansen, WI	Jeff Bradley, IA	Erik Henrikson, IL
1980	Frank Filardi, IL	Brian Tetzlaff, E. MN	Brian Tetzlaff, E. MN	Tom Grannes, MN	Greg Oly, MN
1981	Bruce Grannes, MN	John Malmberg, MN	Dan Jansen, WI	Mike Jansen, WI	Tom Grannes, MN
1982	Isham Jones, IL	Jeff Frank, MI	Dave Silk, MT	Mike Ralston, IL	Greg Oly, MN

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YEAR	MIDGET BOYS	JUVENILE BOYS	JUNIOR BOYS	INTERMEDIATE MEN	SENIOR MEN
1983	Michael Kangas, MI	Akio Tagawa, WI	Eric Flaim, N.E.	Marty Pierce, WI	Mike Ralston, IL
1984	Ryan Vanderboom, WI	Kevin Phelps, WI	Frank Filardi, IL	Marty Pierce, WI	Mike Ralston, IL
1985	Heath Haster, E. MN	Michael Kangas, MI	David Cruikshank, IL	John Albrecht, E. MN	Andy Gabel, IL
1986	Heath Haster, E. MN	Ryan Vanderboom, WI	Nathaniel Mills, IL	Akio Tagawa, WI	Eric Klein, MO
1987	Casey FitzRandolph, WI	Heath Haster, E. MN	Ryan Vanderboom, WI	John Coyle, MI	Dave Pavliac, MO
1988	Aaron Smith, E. MN	Heath Haster, E. MN	Ryan Vanderboom, WI	Mark Molenda, WI	Pat Wentland, N.E.
1989	Chad Garofola, IL	Casey FitzRandolph, WI (T)	Heath Haster, E. MN	Don Foley, MT	Matt Trimble, IA
1990	Paul Chusid, WI	Tim Hoffmann, WI (T)	Heath Haster, E. MN	Doug Mackenzie, WI	Andy Zak, MN
1991	Lucas Mills, IL	Tim Hoffmann, WI (T)	Casey FitzRandolph, WI (T)	Kurt Luedke, WI	Pat Seltsam, N.E.
1992	Nick Pearson, WI	Tony Goskowicz, WI	Tim Hoffmann, WI (T)	Joe Callahan, WI	Mike Jansen, WI
1993	Daniel Weinstein, NE	Lucas Mills, IL	Cory Carpenter, WI	Jon Kazmierski, MI	Joe Franz, N. NY
1994	Eric Krantz, IL	Shawn Monroe, IL	Tony Goskowicz, WI	Jason Hedstrand, E. MN	Erik Henriksen, IL
1995	Shani Davis, IL	Daniel Weinstein, NE	David Needham, NE	David Needham, NE	Cameron Buel, MT
1996	William Scheels, WI	Apolo-Anton Ohno, WA	Donald Stewart, NNY	Lucas Mills, WI	Tim Hoffmann, WI

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YEAR	CHAMPION
1991	Bob Fischer, M.A. (T)
	Vern Kappes, WI (T)
1992	Vern Kappes, WI
1993	Bob Fischer, M.A.
1994	Bob Fischer, M.A.
1995	William Wangeman, UT
1996	Al Harding, M.A.

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YEAR	CHAMPION
1985	Verner Kappes, WI (T)
	Rich Wurster, OH (T)
1986	Vern Kappes, WI
1987	Vince Gagliano, M.A.
1988	Vince Gagliano, M.A.
1989	Vince Gagliano, M.A.
1990	Barth Levy, OH
1991	Barth Levy, OH
1992	Barth Levy, OH
1993	Dick Jansen, WI
1994	Dick Jansen, WI
1995	Greg Oly, GMN
1996	Barth Levy, WI

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YEAR	MIDGET GIRLS	JUVENILE GIRLS	JUNIOR GIRLS	INTERMEDIATE WOMEN	SENIOR WOMEN
1955	Anne Reynolds, IL	Nancy Renshaw, MI (T)	Mary Novak, IL	Karen Smith, MN	Pat Gibson, WI
1956	Sandra Danielson, MN	Sharyl Yarwood, MN (T)	Ann Berquist, IL	Mary Novak, IL	Pat Gibson, WI
1957	Mary Meyers, E. MN	Kathleen Harrington, M.A.	Sandra Eklund, MN	Mary Novak, IL	Mary Maland, MN
1958	Kathy Sullivan, MI	Sandra Danielson, MN	Sandra Eklund, MN	Barbara Lockhart, IL	Jean Omelenchuk, MI
1959	Mary Meyers, E. MN	Sandra Danielson, MN	Sandra Danielson, MN	Sharyl Yarwood, MN	Jean Omelenchuk, MI
1960	Holly Blatchford, IL	Rene Garven, MN	Barbara Mueller, WI	Sylvia White, MT	Mary Novak, IL
1961	Peggy Garven, MN	Rene Garven, MN	Kay Dickey, MN	Karen Kaper, IL	Jean Ashworth, N.E.
1962	Judy Trombley, MN	Vicki Gutgesell, WI	Mary Meyers, E. MN	Janice Smith, W. NY	Jean Omelenchuk, MI
1963	Peggy Dixon, IL	Mickey Green, N. NY	Suzie Blair, M.A.	Janice Smith, W. NY	Jean Ashworth, N.E.
1964	Debby Fish, OH	Linda Hernesko, MI	Jenny Fish, OH	Mary Meyers, E. MN	Diane White, E. MN
1965	Mary McClure, MN	Beverly Hansen, E. MN	Jenny Fish, OH	Holly Blatchford, IL (T)	Jean Omelenchuk, MI
1966	Mary Saxton, IL	Debbie Fish, OH (T)	Dianne Holum, IL	Sue Hegle, MN (T)	Diane White, E. MN
1967	C. Trombley, MN	Susan Warden, W. NY (T)	Donna Peterson, MN	Holly Blatchford, IL	Jean Ashworth, N. NY
1968	Denise Chlapaty, IL	Debbie Fish, OH	Joanne Sheehan, N. NY	Jenny Fish, OH	Helen Lutsch, IL
1969	Kay Lunda, WI	Kay Lancour, WI	Patty Sheehan, N. NY	Donna Peterson, MN	Leah Poulos, IL
1970	Debbie Klak, IA	Patty Sheehan, N. NY	Anne Henning, IL	Leah Poulos, IL	Sally Blatchford, IL
1971	Debbie Klak, IA	Peggy Crowe, MO	Patty Sheehan, N. NY	Joanne Sheehan, N. NY	Sheila Young, MI
1972	Karen Lunda, WI	Kay Lunda, WI	Lori Monk, WI (T)	Chris Lind, IL	Sheila Young, MI
1973	Mary Docter, WI	Julie Burch, E. MN (T)	Denise Chlapaty, IL (T)	Celeste Chlapaty, IL (T)	Ruth Moore, N.E. (T)
1974	Kelly Lunda, WI	Debbie Klak, IA (T)	Lori Monk, WI (T)	Kris Garbe, WI (T)	Nancy Thorne, WI (T)
1975	Kim Klein, MI	Karen Lunda, WI	Carole Brennan, MI	Denise Chlapaty, IL	Nancy Class, E. MN
1976	Sarah Docter, WI	Karen Lunda, WI	Beth Heiden, WI (T)	Kay Lunda, WI	Kris Garbe, WI
1977	Janice Schwartz, IL	Connie Paraskevin, MI (T)	Cindy Seikkula, MN (T)	Cindy Seikkula, MN	Nancy Swider, IL
1978	Anne Hills, MN	Valerie Raimann, WI (T)	Beth Heiden, WI	Liz Crowe, MO	Connie Carpenter, MN
1979	Christine Schwartz, IL	Kelly Lunda, WI	Karen Lunda, WI	Karen Lunda, WI	Liz Crowe, MO
1980	Maira D'Andrea, N. NY	Sarah Docter, WI	Valerie Raimann, WI	Valerie Raimann, WI	Betsy Davis, M.A. (T)
1981	Peggy Clasen, MN	Angela Zuckerman, WI	Dorthea Boyce, IL	Sandy Chobot, WI	Paula Class, MN (T)
1982	Lainie Roth, E. MN	Anne Hills, E. MN	Angela Zuckerman, WI	Sandy Chobot, WI	Gretchen Byrne, N. NY
1983	Debbie Nowell, N.E.	Maira D'Andrea, N. NY	Angela Zuckerman, WI	Bonnie Blair, IL	Sheri Miller, MT
		Michelle Klaine, E. MN	Anne Hills, E. MN	Bonnie Blair, IL	Lisa Merrifield, MT
			Suzette Essman, WJ	Kim Keppler, OH	Lisa Merrifield, MT
					Janet Hainstock, MI

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YEAR	MIDGET GIRLS	JUVENILE GIRLS	JUNIOR GIRLS	INTERMEDIATE WOMEN	SENIOR WOMEN
1984	Tara Laszlo, E. MN	Debbie Nowell, N.E.	Michelle Kline, E. MN	Anne Hills, E. MN	Janet Hainstock, MI
1985	Lexie Riley, N. NY	Debbie Nowell, N.E.	Peggy Clasen, E. MN (T)	Beth Nowell, N.E.	Betsy Davis, M.A.
			Bambi Reid, N. NY (T)		
1986	Mary Brophy, N. NY	Tara Laszlo, E. MN	Kristen Talbot, N. NY	Michelle Kline, E. MN	Debbie Perkins, WI
1987	Becky Sundstrom, IL	Shana Sundstrom, IL	Heather Haster, E. MN	Jody Franzen, WI	Laura Zuckerman, WI
1988	Cathy Johnson, E. MN	Chris Witty, WI	Debra Cohen, IL	Heather Haster, E. MN	Elise Brinich, IL
1989	Jesse Ritter, IL	Chris Witty, WI	Debra Cohen, IL	Julie Kriskovich, MT	Lisa Merrifield, MT
1990	Whitney McGill, IL	Carrie Johnson, E. MN	Chris Witty, WI	Kim Strzykalski, WI	Janie Eickhoff, S. CA
1991	Erin Baker, IL	Jessi FitzRandolph, WI	Becky Sundstrom, IL		Liza Dennehy, MT
1992	Sarah Shapiro, WI	Whitney McGill, IL	Amy Sannes, E. MN	Cari Dohnal, WI	Hilary Mills, WI
1993	Sarah Elliott, WI	Bonnie Whitehill, E. MN	Amy Sannes, E. MN	Karen Fitzgerald, E. MN	Kristen Talbot, N. NY
1994	Sarah Elliott, WI	Andrea Kilbourne, N. NY	Bonnie Whitehill, E. MN	Amy Sannes, E. MN	Hilary Mills, WI
1995	Tracy Monroe, IL	Jackie Linell, GMN	Bonnie Whitehill, G.MN	Amy Sannes, G.MN	Chantal Bailey, MT
1996	Bonnie Klint, IL	Sarah Elliott, WI	Kirstin Holum, WI	Bonnie Whitehill, G.MN	Cindy Darrow, IL

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YEAR	CHAMPION
1993	Mary Lou DiNicola, N. NY
1994	No Competitors
1995	No Competitors
1996	Joan Clark MD

MASTER WOMEN (Class Recognized in 1985) NATIONAL LONG TRACK

YEAR	CHAMPION
1985	Mary Lou DiNicola, N. NY (T)
	Jeanne Omelenchuk, MI (T)
1986	Jeanne Omelenchuk, MI
1987	Jeanne Omelenchuk, MI
1988	Jeanne Omelenchuk, MI
1989	Jeanne Omelenchuk, MI
1990	Dianne Holum, WI
1991	Nancy Weber, S. CA
1992	Carole Moore, M.A.
1993	Carole Moore, M.A.
1994	Jody Whitsell, M.A.
1995	Laurie Benson, GMN
1996	Carole Moore-M.A.

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YEAR	MIDGET BOYS	JUVENILE BOYS	JUNIOR BOYS	INTERMEDIATE MEN	SENIOR MEN
1955	Steve Toth, M.A.	Bob Cantarella, N. NY (T)	Don Prather, IL	Kenneth LeBel, N. NY	Bill Disney, CA (T)
		Charles Ciccarelli, CT (T)			Jay Hasbrouck, M.A. (T)
		Bill Larkin, M.A. (T)			
1956	Tom Nelson, MN	Paul Rittmuller, N.E.	Robert Nelson, MN	Steve Stenson, M.A.	Kenneth LeBel, N. NY
1957	Jack Walters, N.E.	Bob Fenn, M.A.	Robert McCarthy, M.A.	Miles Albright, CT	Steve Stenson, M.A.
1958	Mark Geller, M.A. (T)	Jim Edmunds, IL	Don Hill, IL	Terry McDermott, MI (T)	Jack Disney, CA
				Ed Rudolph, IL (T)	
1959	Ray Novak, IL	Wayne Michelson, CA	Bud Campbell, CA	Ed Rudolph, IL	Dick Hunt, CA (T)
1960	Ray Novak, IL	Bill Freeman, MI	Jack Walters, N.E.	Bob Fenn, M.A.	Steve Stenson, M.A. (T)
1961	Bill Meacham, IL	Pete Cefalu, WI	Terry Evans, IL	Bob Fenn, M.A.	Terry McDermott, MI
1962	J. Caulfield, W. NY	Bill Heinkel, WI (T)	Bob Leto, M.A.	Terry Evans, IL	Keith Meyer, IL (T)
		Ray Novak, IL (T)			Bob McCarthy, M.A. (T)
1963	Ray Timpone, IL	Bud Schnell, N. NY	John Wurster, N. NY	Wayne Michelson, CA	Charles Aedo, CA
1964	Ray Timpone, IL	Bill Giddings, M.A.	Ray Novak, IL	Bill Lanigan, M.A. (T)	Bud Campbell, CA
				Jack Jaynor, M.A. (T)	John Keith, CA
1965	Andy Dixon, IL	Jeff Edwards, IL	Barth Levy, M.A.	Bill Lanigan, M.A.	Bud Campbell, CA
1966	Pete Mueller, WI	Bobby Knight, IL (T)	Steve Prater, CA	Barth Levy, W. NY	Bill Lanigan, M.A.
		Rickey Simon, MO (T)			
1967	Ken Kresge, OH	John Siempelkamp, MO	Mark McDonald, N. NY	Jim Keane, OH	Bill Lanigan, M.A.
1968	Stan Fail Jr., S. CA	Lee Mazzilli, M.A.	Benjie Perez, S. CA	Steve Prater, S. CA	John Keith, S. CA
1969	Mark Elliott, MI	Lee Mazzilli, M.A.	Jon Sontz, M.A.	Ray Timpone, IL	Bill Lanigan, M.A.
1970	Eric Heiden, WI	James Durlak, IL	Lee Mazzilli, M.A.	Gary Jonland, IL	Barth Levy, M.A.
1971	David Pogorzelski, MO	Les Barczewski, WI (T)	Lee Mazzilli, M.A. (T)	Rusty Smith, IL	Barth Levy, M.A. (T)
		Zack Wallerstedt, IL (T)	Bill Anderson, IL (T)		Jack Walters, N.E. (T)
1972	John Rodgers, IL	Tom Grunnah, IL	Jim Durlak, IL	Bill Anderson, IL	Barth Levy, CO
1973	Andy Gulczynski, WI	Chris Brandt, MO	Ken Herrmann, WI	Leigh Barczewski, WI	Bill Lanigan, M.A.
1974	Andrew Zak, MN	John Rodgers, IL	Tom Grunnah, IL	Les Barczewski, WI	Alan Rattray, CA
1975	Nick Thometz, MN	Craig Kressler, MI	Steve Hickner, MI	Rob Gulbranson, IL	Bud Campbell, CA
1976	Jeff Stratmeyer, MD	Jeff Klaiber, IL	Ron Muck, IL	Scott Drebes, IL	Alan Rattray, CA
1977	John Gulczynski, WI	Nicky Thometz, MN	Craig Kressler, MI	Scott Guy, IL	Jack Mortell, IL
1978	Martin Pierce, WI	Robert Kuspa, WI	Nick Thometz, MN	Greg Morris, CA	Stan Wisniewski, CA
1979	Frank Filardi, IL	Andy Gabel, IL	Nick Thometz, MN	Patrick Moore, IL	Bill Lanigan, M.A.
1980	Jeff Frank, MI	Tony Meibock, OH	Tom Carter, IL	Charles Riddle, MI	Barth Levy, OH

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YEAR	MIDGET BOYS	JUVENILE BOYS	JUNIOR BOYS	INTERMEDIATE MEN	SENIOR MEN
1981	Bob Malleck, MI	John Sand, CT	Marty Pierce, WI	David Besteman, WI	Scott Drebes, IL
1982	Nathaniel Mills, IL	Jeff Frank, MI	Marty Pierce, WI	Andy Gabel, IL	Jack Mortell, IL (T)
1983	Jeff Zukowski, WI	David Cruikshank, IL	Mike Heldrich, IL	Marty Pierce, WI	Paul Jacobs, IL (T)
1984	Ryan Vanderboom, WI	Nathaniel Mills, IL	David Cruikshank, IL	Eric Flaim, N.E.	Pat Moore, IL (T)
1985	Heath Haster, E. MN	Michael Kangas, MI	David Cruikshank, IL	John Albrecht, E. MN	Pat Maxwell, N. NY (T)
1986	Heath Haster, E. MN	Jeffrey Benjamin, IL	Nathaniel Mills, IL	Mark Greenwald, IL (T)	David Besteman, WI
1987	Casey FitzRandolph, WI	Dave Tamburrino, N. NY	Justin Brown, N. NY	David Cruikshank, IL (T)	Brian Arseneau, IL
1988	Aaron Smith, E. MN	Todd Porter, N. NY	Dave Tamburrino, N. NY	Mark Greenwald, IL	Brian Arseneau, IL
1989	Ethan Oberman, IL	Casey FitzRandolph, WI	Dave Tamburrino, N. NY	Charles King, S. CA	Andy Gabel, IL
1990	Tom O'Hare, MO	Leif Ahlgren, E. MN	Casey FitzRandolph, WI	Jeff Benjamin, IL	Andy Gabel, IL
1991	Emil Tack, E. MN	Brad Campbell, N. NY	Leif Ahlgren, E. MN	Jeff Benjamin, IL	Pat Wentland, N.E.
1992	Todd Anderson, MI	Tom O'Hare, MO	Leif Ahlgren, E. MN	Tim Quinn, OH	Brian Arseneau, IL
1993	Peter Northup, NE	Kip Carpenter, WI	Jeb Gorham, N. NY	Jason Talbot, N. NY (T)	Pat Wentland, NE
1994	Ron Blondo, OH	Shawn Monroe, IL	Tony Goskovicz, WI	Scott Koons, OH	Brian Arseneau, IL
1995	John Paul Kepka, MO	Daniel Weinstein, NE	Rusty Smith, S. CA (T)	Tony Goskovicz, WI	Chad Powell, TX
1996	Misi Toth, MO	Apolo-Anton Ohno, WA	Chad Richards, N. NY (T)	Jeb Gorham, NNY	Chad Powell, TX
			Rusty Smith, S. CA		

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YEAR	CHAMPION
1991	Bob Fischer, M.A. (T)
	Francis Ouellette, N.E. (T)
1992	Bob Fischer, M.A.
1993	Bob Fischer, M.A.
1994	Ed Lang, NE
1995	Ed Lang, NE
1996	Ed Lang, NE

MASTER MEN (Class Recognized in 1985) NATIONAL SHORT TRACK

YEAR	CHAMPION
1985	Bob Norman, MI
1986	John Keith, ASU
1987	Bob Fischer, M.A.
1988	Chris Malek, M.A.
1989	Chris Malek, M.A.
1990	Barth Levy, OH
1991	Michael Powers, N.E.
1992	Barth Levy, OH
1993	Barth Levy, WI
1994	Bob Scherl, MO
1995	Ken Mastrianna, S. CA
1996	John Scherl, MI

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YEAR	MIDGET GIRLS	JUVENILE GIRLS	JUNIOR GIRLS	INTERMEDIATE WOMEN	SENIOR WOMEN
1955	Sandra Henik, M.A.	Kathy Mulholland, M.A.	Mary Lou Brombach, N. NY	Jean Ashworth, N.E.	Barbara DeSchepper, MI
1956	Mary Powers, M.A.	Kathleen Harrington, N. NY	Kathy Mulholland, M.A.	Jean Ashworth, N.E.	Micky Finch, M.A.
1957	Ginny Nickel, M.A.	Barbara Sulc, M.A.	Gail Purdy, N. NY	Mary Lou Brombach, N. NY	Jean Ashworth, N.E.
1958	Rene Garven, MN	Barbara Mueller, WI	Sandra Eklund, MN	Barbara Lockhart, IL	Mary Novak, IL
1959	Linda Poe, W. NY	Rene Garven, MN	Barbara Mueller, WI	Melrene Matthis, IL	Jean Ashworth, N.E.
1960	Holly Blatchford, IL	Rene Garven, MN	Barbara Mueller, WI	Karen Kaper, IL	Mary Novak, IL
1961	Peggy Garvin, MN	Linda Schubert, WI	Kathy Sullivan, MI	Loretta Chapman, MI	Mary Novak, IL
1962	Sue Warden, W. NY	Suzie Blair, IL	Kathy Sullivan, MI	Janice Smith, W. NY	Diane White, E. MN
1963	Sue Warden, W. NY	Maggie Reno, IL	Holly Blatchford, IL	Janice Smith, W. NY	Jean Ashworth, N.E.
1964	Paula Wimer, CA	Lee Dolch, OH	Holly Blatchford, IL (T)	Mary Meyers, E. MN	Edith Johnson, W. NY
1965	Mary Saxton, IL	Dianne Holum, IL	Jenny Fish, OH (T)	Suzie Blair, IL	Diane White, E. MN
1966	Kim Vala, IL (T)	Debby Fish, OH	Jenny Fish, OH	Vickie Swanson, CA	Diane White, E. MN
1967	Gail Graydon (T)	Kim Vala, IL	Dianne Holum, IL	Jenny Fish, OH	Sally Blatchford, IL
1968	Anne Henning, IL	Patty Sheehan, N. NY	Debby Fish, OH	Peggy Dixon, IL	Mary Blair, WI
1969	Denise Chlapaty, IL	Rosanne Grandt, OH	Paula Wimer, S. CA	Joanne Sheehan, N. NY	Cathy Crowe, MO
1970	C. Brennan, MI	Kay Lunda, WI	Patty Sheehan, N. NY	Joanne Sheehan, N. NY	Cathy Crowe, MO
1971	Janice Bogard, MO	Christine Coleman, M.A.	Denise Chlapaty, IL	Celeste Chlapaty, IL	Cathy Crowe, MO
1972	Beth Heiden, WI (T)	Robin Deterling, MO	Kim McIsaac, S. CA	Celeste Chlapaty, IL	Michel Conroy, E. MN
1973	Karen Lunda, WI (T)	Debbie Carlstrom, IL	Kim McIsaac, S. CA	Nancy Swider, IL (T)	Michel Conroy, E. MN (T)
1974	Karen Lunda, WI	Karen Lunda, WI	Diane Havlir, IL	Peggy Hartrich, MO (T)	Celeste Chlapaty, IL (T)
1975	Stephanie Anderson, IL	Vicky Raimann, WI (T)	Debbie Carlstrom, IL	Nancy Swider, IL	Peggy Hartrich, MO
1976	Kelly Lunda, WI	Valerie Raimann, WI (T)	Lydia Stephans, IL	Liz Crowe, MO	Michel Conroy, E. MN
1977	Sarah Docter, WI	Kelly Lunda, WI	Valerie Raimann, WI	Debbie Carlstrom, IL	Celeste Chlapaty, IL (T)
1978	Lisa Dorenkott, OH	Sharon Pavliacic, MO (T)	Deanna Prather, IL	Kris Hansen, IL	Peggy Hartrich, MO (T)
1979	Lauri Glynn, M.A.	Sarah Docter, WI (T)	Gloria Bogacki, IL	Lydia Stephans, IL	Celeste Chlapaty, IL
1980	Barb Nagengast, MN	Sarah Docter, WI	Lisa Parfitt, MI	Cathy Turner, W. NY	Debbie Carlstrom, IL
	Moira D'Andrea, N. NY	Pam Albrecht, IL		Ann Klopp, MN	Patty Lyman, CO
		Megan McConville, OH			Pam Mercer, MI (T)
					Debbie Carlstrom, IL (T)

NATIONAL SHORT TRACK CHAMPIONS (continued)

YEAR	MIDGET GIRLS	JUVENILE GIRLS	JUNIOR GIRLS	INTERMEDIATE WOMEN	SENIOR WOMEN
1981	Michelle Kline, MN	Debbie Pavlacic, MO	Becky Mane, WI	Bonnie Blair, IL	Mary Polaski, CO
1982	Lainie Roth, E. MN	Sonia Spragg, MI (T) Moira D'Andrea, N. NY (T)	Michelle Fang, IL	Lisa Parfitt, MI	Lydia Stephans, IL
1983	Debbie Nowell, N.E.	Michelle Kline, E. MN	Tammy Rosbeck, MI	Michelle Fang, IL	Bonnie Blair, IL
1984	Chika Tagawa, WI	Debbie Nowell, N.E.	Moira D'Andrea, N. NY (T) Beth Nowell, N.E. (T)	Michelle Fang, IL	Bonnie Blair, IL
1985	Tricia Stennes, E. MN	Kristen Talbot, N. NY	Wendy Goelz, W. NY	Laura Zuckerman, WI	Nicola Merrifield, S. CA
1986	Mary Brophy, N. NY	Tara Laszlo, E. MN	Heather Haster, E. MN	Moira D'Andrea, N. NY	Bonnie Blair, IL
1987	Becky Sundstrom, IL	Shana Sundstrom, IL	Amy Peterson, E. MN	Wendy Goelz, W. NY	Moira D'Andrea, N. NY
1988	Becky Sundstrom, IL	Mary Brophy, N. NY	Amy Peterson, E. MN (T) Tara Laszlo, E. MN (T)	Kristen Talbot, N. NY	Wendy Goelz, W. NY
1989	Jesse Ritter, IL	Nikki Ziegelmeyer, MO	Tricia Stennes, E. MN	Kristen Talbot, N. NY	Janie Eickhoff, S. CA
1990	Kelly Anderson, MI	Becky Sundstrom, IL	Jessica Mills, N.E.	Amy Peterson, E. MN	Janie Eickhoff, S. CA
1991	Erin Baker, IL	Jessi FitzRandolph, WI	Nikki Ziegelmeyer, MO	Karen Cashman, N.E.	Kristen Talbot, N. NY
1992	Sarah Shapiro, WI	Sarah Lang, N.E.	Nikki Ziegelmeyer, MO	Cari Dohnal, WI	Karen Cashman, N.E.
1993	Michelle Hill, IL	Whitney McGill, IL	Erin Gleason, M.A. (T) Sarah Lang, NE (T)	Mary Brophy, N. NY	Hilary Mills, WI
1994	Sarah Elliott, WI	Sarah Shapiro, WI	Sarah Lang, NE	Kelly O'Hare, MO	Jane Lapato, N. NY
1995	Cherise Wilkins, NNY	Sarah Elliott, WI	Julie Goskowicz, WI	Kelly Anderson, MI	Debra Cohen, IL
1996	Bonnie Klint, IL	Sarah Elliott, WI	Penelope Lang, NE	Whitney McGill, IL	Hilary Mills, WI

GRAND MASTER WOMEN (Class Recognized in 1993) NATIONAL SHORT TRACK

YEAR	NAME
1993	Hanne Mitchell, M.A.
1994	Mary Lou DiNicola, N. NY
1995	Elaine Standler, MI
1996	Joan Clark, MD

MASTER WOMEN (Class Recognized in 1985) NATIONAL SHORT TRACK

YEAR	NAME
1985	No Competitors
1986	No Competitors
1987	Leslie Moore, M.A.
1988	Leslie Moore, M.A.
1989	Leslie Moore, M.A.
1990	Barb Johnson, WI
1991	Carole Moore, M.A.
1992	Carole Moore, M.A.
1993	Jody Whitsell, M.A.
1994	Jody Whitsell, M.A.
1995	Carole Moore, MA
1996	Peggy H. Clarke, MO

NATIONAL MARATHON CHAMPIONSHIPS (Inaugurated in 1992)

Men-25K

YEAR	SITE	GRAND MASTER	MASTER	SENIOR	JUNIOR
1992	Lake Placid	Bob Fischer	Bob Finkel	Joe Franz	Nicholas Cuniowski
1993	Duluth	Bob Fischer	Dave Montgomery	Kevin Johnson	Lucas Aker
1994	Lake Placid	Bob Fischer	Paul Foley	Dave Phillips	Derrick Roberts
1995	Lake Placid	Al Harding	Paul Hyams	Joe Franz	Joshua Brymer
1996	Lake Placid	Mark Sullivan	Paul Hyams	Joe Franz	Steve Refsland

Men-50K

YEAR	SITE	GRAND MASTER	MASTER	SENIOR	JUNIOR
1992	Lake Placid	Bob Fischer	Paul Hyams	Paul Marchese	
1993	Duluth	Bob Fischer	Dave Montgomery	Joe Koppi	
1994	Lake Placid	Bob Fischer	Tim Parshall	Dave Phillips	
1995	Lake Placid	Bill Bauer	Paul Hyams	Joe Franz	Joshua Brymer
1996	Lake Placid	Bill Bauer	Bob O'Hara	Don Gallegos	

Women-25K

YEAR	SITE	GRAND MASTER	MASTER	SENIOR	JUNIOR
1992	Lake Placid		Carole Moore	Bernadette Lombardo	Jessica Riley
1993	Duluth	Hanne Michell	Carole Moore	Lynn Knutson	
1994	Lake Placid	Eleanor Reddington	Carole Moore	Lori Heyboer	Breanna Fellows
1995	Lake Placid	Eleanor Reddington	Carole Moore	Beth Bedford	Jennifer Kirsch
1996	Lake Placid	Gail Ferat	Carole Moore	Beth Bedford	Jennifer Kirsch

Women-50K

YEAR	SITE	GRAND MASTER	MASTER	SENIOR	JUNIOR
1992	Lake Placid		Carole Moore		
1993	Duluth		Carole Moore		
1994	Lake Placid	Eleanor Reddington	Carole Moore	Lori Heyboer	
1995	Lake Placid	Eleanor Reddington	Carole Moore	Beth Bedford	Jennifer Kirsch
1996	Lake Placid		Carole Moore	Beth Bedford	Jennifer Kirsch

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Distance	Time	Name	Association	Place	Date
GRAND MASTER MEN					
500M	0:46.88	Robert Fischer	Mid Atlantic	Butte	1/26/91
800M	1:23.61	Robert Fischer	Mid Atlantic	Lake Placid	1/31/93
1000M	1:38.11	Robert Fischer	Mid Atlantic	Roseville	1/30/94
1500M	2:38.43	Robert Fischer	Mid Atlantic	Lake Placid	1/30/93
MASTER MEN					
500M	0:41.29	Dick Jansen	Wisconsin	Lake Placid	1/31/93
800M	1:08.83	Greg Oly	Minnesota	Butte	1/27/91
1000M	1:28.36	Vince Gagliano	Mid Atlantic	Butte	1/29/89
1500M	2:19.51	Vince Gagliano	Mid Atlantic	Butte	1/28/89
3000M	5:01.15	Greg Oly	G. Minnesota	Butte	1/29/95
SENIOR MEN					
300M	0:25.54	Jim Gulczynski	Wisconsin	St. Paul	2/1/76
500M	0:39.11	Pat Seltsam	Northeastern	Butte	1/26/91
800M	1:02.42	Pat Seltsam	Northeastern	Butte	1/27/91
1000M	1:24.32	Claus Reichmann	N. New York	Milwaukee	1/31/81
1500M	2:09.13	Matt Trimble	Iowa	Butte	1/29/89
3000M	4:34.14	Pat Seltsam	Northeastern	Butte	1/26/91
5000M	8:34.80	John Dorff	Minnesota	St. Paul	1/27/80
INTERMEDIATE MEN					
300M	0:25.58	Marty Pierce	Wisconsin	Milwaukee	2/6/83
500M	0:41.45	Kurt Luedke	Wisconsin	Butte	1/26/91
800M	1:06.88	David Needham	Northeast	Butte	1/28/95
1000M	1:23.73	David Needham	Northeast	Butte	1/29/95
1500M	2:12.79	Don Foley	Montana	Butte	1/29/89
3000M	4:48.60	Jeff Bradley	Iowa	St. Paul	2/3/79
JUNIOR BOYS					
300M	0:25.32	David Cruikshank	Illinois	Lake Placid	2/3/85
500M	0:41.05	Tim Hoffman	Wisconsin	Butte	1/26/91
	0:41.05	Casey FitzRandolph	Wisconsin	Butte	1/26/91
800M	1:06.94	David Cruikshank	Illinois	Lake Placid	2/3/85
1000M	1:28.26	Frank Filardi	Illinois	Milwaukee	2/4/84
1500M	2:08.36	Casey FitzRandolph	Wisconsin	Butte	1/26/91
JUVENILE BOYS					
300M	0:26.09	Michael Kangas	Michigan	Lake Placid	2/3/85
400M	0:35.05	John Malmberg	Minnesota	Milwaukee	1/31/81
500M	0:42.98	Brandt Matosich	Montana	Butte	1/29/95
600M	0:53.46	John Malmberg	Minnesota	Milwaukee	1/31/81
800M	1:09.41	Daniel Weinstein	Northeast	Butte	1/28/95
1000M	1:32.08	Casey FitzRandolph	Wisconsin	Butte	1/29/89
MIDGET BOYS					
200M	0:21.15	Bruce Grannes	Minnesota	Milwaukee	2/1/81
300M	0:28.47	Heath Haster	E. Minnesota	Lake Placid	2/3/85
400M	0:37.84	Heath Haster	E. Minnesota	Milwaukee	2/1/86
500M	0:47.84	Heath Haster	E. Minnesota	Milwaukee	2/1/86
600M	0:56.94	Heath Haster	E. Minnesota	Milwaukee	2/2/86
800M	1:21.60	Shani Davis	Illinois	Butte	1/28/95

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Distance	Time	Name	Association	Place	Date
GRAND MASTER WOMEN					
500M	0:50.59	Mary Lou DiNicola	N. New York	Lake Placid	1/31/93
800M	1:26.60	Mary Lou DiNicola	N. New York	Lake Placid	1/30/93
1000M	1:50.62	Mary Lou DiNicola	N. New York	Lake Placid	1/31/93
1500M	2:43.59	Mary Lou DiNicola	N. New York	Lake Placid	1/30/93
MASTER WOMEN					
500M	0:46.19	Dianne Holum	Wisconsin	Milwaukee	1/28/90
800M	1:16.35	Dianne Holum	Wisconsin	Milwaukee	1/27/90
1000M	1:38.60	Dianne Holum	Wisconsin	Milwaukee	1/28/90
1500M	2:44.35	Laurie Benson	G. Minnesota	Butte	1/28/95
3000M	6:03.02	Sue Perles	S. California	Roseville	1/29/94
SENIOR WOMEN					
300M	0:29.76	Pam Mercer	Michigan	Milwaukee	2/1/81
500M	0:45.12	Kristen Talbot	N. New York	Lake Placid	1/31/93
800M	1:12.33	Chantal Bailey	Montana	Butte	1/28/95
1000M	1:30.50	Chantal Bailey	Montana	Butte	1/29/95
1500M	2:24.47	Chantal Bailey	Montana	Butte	1/28/95
3000M	4:57.83	Chantal Bailey	Montana	Butte	1/29/95
INTERMEDIATE WOMEN					
300M	0:27.73	Paula Class	E. Minnesota	St. Paul	1/31/76
500M	0:45.32	Amy Sannes	G. Minnesota	Butte	1/29/95
800M	1:15.51	Amy Sannes	G. Minnesota	Butte	1/28/95
1000M	1:33.54	Amy Sannes	G. Minnesota	Butte	1/29/95
1500M	2:29.44	Amy Sannes	G. Minnesota	Butte	1/28/95
3000M	5:11.81	Amy Sannes	G. Minnesota	Butte	1/29/95
JUNIOR GIRLS					
300M	0:27.71	Peggy Ann Clasen	E. Minnesota	Lake Placid	2/3/85
500M	0:45.27	Bonnie Whitehill	G. Minnesota	Butte	1/29/95
800M	1:13.92	Bonnie Whitehill	G. Minnesota	Butte	1/28/95
1000M	1:31.71	Becky Sundstrom	Illinois	Butte	1/27/91
1500M	2:29.05	Debra Cohen	Illinois	Butte	1/28/89
JUVENILE GIRLS					
300M	0:28.20	Kristen Talbot	N. New York	Lake Placid	2/3/85
400M	0:39.26	Maira D'Andrea	N. New York	St. Paul	2/6/82
500M	0:46.17	Debbie Nowell	Northeastern	Lake Placid	2/2/85
600M	0:58.33	Maira D'Andrea	N. New York	Milwaukee	1/31/81
800M	1:16.15	Christine Scheels	Wisconsin	Butte	1/26/91
1000M	1:34.75	Lynn Weaver	E. Minnesota	Butte	1/29/89
MIDGET GIRLS					
200M	0:21.52	Peggy Clasen	E. Minnesota	Milwaukee	2/1/81
300M	0:30.50	Tricia Stennes	E. Minnesota	Lake Placid	2/3/85
400M	0:38.68	Peggy Clasen	E. Minnesota	Milwaukee	1/31/81
500M	0:49.05	Jesse Ritter	Illinois	Butte	1/28/89
600M	0:59.43	Jesse Ritter	Illinois	Butte	1/29/89
800M	1:21.11	Tracy Monroe	Illinois	Butte	1/28/95

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Distance	Time	Name	Association	Place	Date
GRAND MASTER MEN					
*500M	0:46.22	Al Harding	Mid Atlantic	Milwaukee	2/28/96
*800M	1:18.71	Al Harding	Mid Atlantic	Milwaukee	2/27/96
*1000M	1:40.41	Al Harding	Mid Atlantic	Milwaukee	2/28/96
*1500M	2:44.76	Vern Kappes	Wisconsin	Milwaukee	2/27/96
MASTER MEN					
*500M	0:42.36	Barth Levy	Wisconsin	Milwaukee	2/28/96
*800M	1:12.09	Barth Levy	Wisconsin	Milwaukee	2/27/96
*1000M	1:31.15	Barth Levy	Wisconsin	Milwaukee	2/28/96
*1500M	2:27.71	Barth Levy	Wisconsin	Milwaukee	2/27/96
*3000M	4:55.58	Barth Levy	Wisconsin	Milwaukee	2/28/96
SENIOR MEN					
*500M	0:40.18	Tim Hoffman	Wisconsin	Milwaukee	2/28/96
*800M	1:02.89	Tim Hoffman	Wisconsin	Milwaukee	2/27/96
*1000M	1:20.35	Tim Hoffman	Wisconsin	Milwaukee	2/28/96
*1500M	2:11.88	Matt Kooreman	Michigan	Milwaukee	2/27/96
*3000M	4:15.17	Matt Trimble	G. Minnesota	Milwaukee	2/27/96
INTERMEDIATE MEN					
*500M	0:40.71	David Needham	Northeast	Milwaukee	2/28/96
*800M	1:03.90	Lucas Mills	Wisconsin	Milwaukee	2/27/96
*1000M	1:22.77	Lucas Mills	Wisconsin	Milwaukee	2/28/96
*1500M	2:14.05	David Needham	Northeast	Milwaukee	2/27/96
*3000M	4:26.91	Paul Olsen	G. Minnesota	Milwaukee	2/28/96
JUNIOR BOYS					
*300M	0:25.91	Nick Pearson	Wisconsin	Milwaukee	2/27/96
*500M	0:41.07	Nick Pearson	Wisconsin	Milwaukee	2/28/96
*800M	1:05.55	Nick Pearson	Wisconsin	Milwaukee	2/27/96
*1000M	1:26.94	Daniel Weinstein	Northeast	Milwaukee	2/28/96
*1500M	2:12.64	Nick Pearson	Wisconsin	Milwaukee	2/27/96
JUVENILE BOYS					
*300M	0:27.08	Apolo-Anton Ohno	Washington	Milwaukee	2/27/96
*500M	0:43.48	Apolo-Anton Ohno	Washington	Milwaukee	2/28/96
*600M	0:51.50	Apolo-Anton Ohno	Washington	Milwaukee	2/27/96
*800M	1:10.57	Apolo-Anton Ohno	Washington	Milwaukee	2/27/96
*1000M	1:29.55	Apolo-Anton Ohno	Washington	Milwaukee	2/28/96
MIDGET BOYS					
*300M	0:28.80	Nathaniel Bolton	Northeast	Milwaukee	2/27/96
*400M	0:37.36	Craig Banker	Wisconsin	Milwaukee	2/28/96
*500M	0:46.38	Craig Banker	Wisconsin	Milwaukee	2/28/96
*600M	0:55.86	Craig Banker	Wisconsin	Milwaukee	2/27/96
	0:55.86	William Scheels	Wisconsin	Milwaukee	2/27/96
*800M	1:15.91	William Scheels	Wisconsin	Milwaukee	2/27/96

*First time distance skated therefore nor a record

Distance	Time	Name	Association	Place	Date
GRAND MASTER WOMEN					
*500M	1:04.17	Joan Clark	Maryland	Milwaukee	2/28/96
*800M	1:47.17	Joan Clark	Maryland	Milwaukee	2/27/96
*1000M	2:09.18	Joan Clark	Maryland	Milwaukee	2/28/96
*1500M	3:29.27	Joan Clark	Maryland	Milwaukee	2/27/96
MASTER WOMEN					
*500M	0:48.29	Laurie Benson	G. Minnesota	Milwaukee	2/28/96
*800M	1:21.87	Carole Moore	Mid Atlantic	Milwaukee	2/27/96
*1000M	1:40.22	Laurie Benson	G. Minnesota	Milwaukee	2/28/96
*1500M	2:50.93	Carole Moore	Mid Atlantic	Milwaukee	2/27/96
*3000M	5:29.30	Carole Moore	Mid Atlantic	Milwaukee	2/28/96
SENIOR WOMEN					
*500M	0:46.33	Cindy Darrow	Illinois	Milwaukee	2/28/96
*800M	1:17.99	Cindy Darrow	Illinois	Milwaukee	2/27/96
*1000M	1:40.59	Cindy Darrow	Illinois	Milwaukee	2/28/96
*1500M	2:35.56	Cindy Darrow	Illinois	Milwaukee	2/27/96
*3000M	5:49.85	Cindy Darrow	Illinois	Milwaukee	2/28/96
INTERMEDIATE WOMEN					
*500M	0:45.49	Bonnie Whitehill	G. Minnesota	Milwaukee	2/28/96
*800M	1:22.40	Bonnie Whitehill	G. Minnesota	Milwaukee	2/27/96
*1000M	1:42.12	Bonnie Whitehill	G. Minnesota	Milwaukee	2/28/96
*1500M	2:18.66	Christine Walker	Michigan	Milwaukee	2/27/96
*3000M	5:33.74	Bonnie Whitehill	G. Minnesota	Milwaukee	2/28/96
JUNIOR GIRLS					
*300M	0:29.32	Kirstin Holum	Wisconsin	Milwaukee	2/27/96
*500M	0:46.15	Kirstin Holum	Wisconsin	Milwaukee	2/28/96
*800M	1:10.51	Kirstin Holum	Wisconsin	Milwaukee	2/27/96
*1000M	1:28.56	Kirstin Holum	Wisconsin	Milwaukee	2/28/96
*1500M	2:13.49	Kirstin Holum	Wisconsin	Milwaukee	2/27/96
JUVENILE GIRLS					
*300M	0:29.24	Sarah Elliott	Wisconsin	Milwaukee	2/27/96
*500M	0:45.84	Sarah Elliott	Wisconsin	Milwaukee	2/28/96
*600M	0:55.20	Sarah Elliott	Wisconsin	Milwaukee	2/27/96
*800M	1:13.15	Sarah Elliott	Wisconsin	Milwaukee	2/27/96
*1000M	1:32.29	Sarah Elliott	Wisconsin	Milwaukee	2/28/96
MIDGET GIRLS					
*300M	0:30.07	Bonnie Klint	Illinois	Milwaukee	2/27/96
*400M	0:39.64	Ellie Ochowicz	Wisconsin	Milwaukee	2/28/96
*500M	0:47.95	Bonnie Klint	Illinois	Milwaukee	2/28/96
*600M	0:59.76	Bonnie Klint	Illinois	Milwaukee	2/27/96
*800M	1:20.22	Bonnie Klint	Illinois	Milwaukee	2/27/96

*First time distance skated

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Distance	Time	Name	Association	Place	Date
GRAND MASTER MEN					
500M	0:48.66	Vern Kappes	Wisconsin	Lake Placid	2/2/92
800M	1:23.53	Vern Kappes	Wisconsin	Lake Placid	2/1/92
1000M	1:44.63	Rich Widmark	Illinois	Roseville	2/4/96
1500M	2:46.86	Dick Ring	Northeastern	Lake Placid	2/1/92
MASTER MEN					
500M	0:45.25	Vincent Gagliano	Mid Atlantic	Winnipeg	2/7/87
800M	1:12.65	Joe Kopp	Minnesota	Regina	2/7/93
1000M	1:32.32	Joe Kopp	Minnesota	Regina	2/6/93
1500M	2:19.39	Joe Kopp	Minnesota	Regina	2/7/93
3000M	5:04.27	Barth Levy	Ohio	Lake Placid	2/2/92
SENIOR MEN					
300M	0:25.09	John Wurster	N. New York	Lake Placid	2/15/76
500M	0:40.94	John Coyle	Michigan	Lake Placid	2/2/92
800M	1:08.06	Joe Franz	N. New York	Regina	2/6/93
1000M	1:24.63	Matt Trimble	Minnesota	Regina	2/6/93
1500M	2:09.21	Rich Wurster	Wisconsin	Lake Placid	2/15/76
3000M	4:32.58	Matt Trimble	Minnesota	Regina	2/7/93
5000M	8:53.70	Kevin O'Brien	Prince Edw. Is.	Lake Placid	2/13/82
INTERMEDIATE MEN					
300M	0:25.20	Scott Guy	Illinois	Ste. Foy	2/6/77
500M	0:41.90	Scott Guy	Illinois	Ste. Foy	2/5/77
800M	1:12.48	Kurt Simmons	Mid Atlantic	Lake Placid	2/4/90
1000M	1:26.64	Simon Langlois	Quebec	Regina	2/6/93
1500M	2:23.35	Scott Guy	Illinois	Lake Placid	2/15/76
3000M	5:02.80	Rod Phillips	Manitoba	Winnipeg	2/8/81
JUNIOR BOYS					
300M	0:26.01	Mike Ralston	Illinois	Saratoga Spgs	2/3/80
500M	0:40.96	Scott Van Horne	Manitoba	Regina	2/6/93
800M	1:09.35	Sean Ireland	Manitoba	Winnipeg	2/10/85
1000M	1:27.42	Scott Van Horne	Manitoba	Regina	2/6/93
1500M	2:17.80	Jeremy Kozuback	Alberta	Regina	2/7/93
*3000M	5:38:60	Jean-Rene Belanger	Quebec	Roseville	2/4/96
JUVENILE BOYS					
300M	0:27.00	Derrick Auch	Manitoba	Winnipeg	2/7/81
	0:27.00	Derrick Auch	Manitoba	Lake Placid	2/14/82
400M	0:35.10	Derrick Auch	Manitoba	Lake Placid	2/13/82
500M	0:44.44	J. Makowsky	Saskatchewan	Regina	2/7/93
600M	0:53.20	Derrick Auch	Manitoba	Winnipeg	2/8/81
800M	1:10.60	Tony Goskowicz	Wisconsin	Lake Placid	2/2/92
1000M	1:31.72	J. Makowsky	Saskatchewan	Regina	2/7/93
MIDGET BOYS					
200M	0:20.16	Derrick Auch	Manitoba	Saratoga Spgs	2/2/80
300M	0:28.71	Heath Haster	E. Minnesota	Lake Placid	2/8/86
400M	0:37.44	Heath Haster	E. Minnesota	Lake Placid	2/9/86
500M	0:46.55	Heath Haster	E. Minnesota	Lake Placid	2/9/86
600M	0:57.67	Heath Haster	E. Minnesota	Lake Placid	2/8/86
800M	1:25.80	Shawn Monroe	Illinois	Lake Placid	2/1/92

*First Time Distance Skated

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Distance	Time	Name	Association	Place	Date
GRAND MASTER WOMEN					
*500M	1:08.04	Agatha Vanderstarre	Brit. Columbia	Regina	2/6/93
*800M	1:56.74	Agatha Vanderstarre	Brit. Columbia	Regina	2/7/93
*1000M	2:27.59	Agatha Vanderstarre	Brit. Columbia	Regina	2/6/93
*1500M	3:47.94	Agatha Vanderstarre	Brit. Columbia	Regina	2/7/93
MASTER WOMEN					
500M	0:50.78	Laurie Benson	G. Minnesota	Roseville	2/4/96
800M	1:19.86	Sue Perles	S. California	Lake Placid	2/4/90
1000M	1:40.68	Sue Perles	S. California	Lake Placid	2/3/90
1500M	2:34.64	Sue Perles	S. California	Lake Placid	2/4/90
SENIOR WOMEN					
300M	0:28.40	Liz Crowe	Missouri	Ste. Foy	2/6/77
500M	0:45.60	Pat Durnin	Manitoba	Winnipeg	2/24/79
800M	1:15.87	Connie Carpenter	Wisconsin	Lake Placid	2/15/76
1000M	1:35.47	Hilary Mills	Wisconsin	Lake Placid	2/2/92
1500M	2:30.44	Connie Carpenter	Wisconsin	Lake Placid	2/15/76
3000M	5:16.12	Hilary Mills	Wisconsin	Lake Placid	2/2/92
INTERMEDIATE WOMEN					
300M	0:28.00	Karen Lunda	Wisconsin	Ste. Foy	2/5/77
500M	0:44.90	Sandy Chobot	Wisconsin	Winnipeg	2/24/79
800M	1:17.46	Valeria Hopkins	Northeastern	Lake Placid	2/1/92
1000M	1:36.98	Valeria Hopkins	Northeastern	Lake Placid	2/2/92
1500M	2:28.80	Vicki Raimann	Wisconsin	Milwaukee	2/12/78
3000M	6:11.54	Catherine McLean	Ontario	Lake Placid	2/2/92
JUNIOR GIRLS					
300M	0:27.81	Connie Paraskevina	Michigan	Lake Placid	2/15/76
500M	0:46.30	Connie Paraskevina	Michigan	Ste. Foy	2/5/77
800M	1:19.47	Stacey Crockett	Manitoba	Lake Placid	2/6/88
1000M	1:39.64	Amy Sohnle	Wisconsin	Lake Placid	2/3/90
1500M	2:39.28	Mary Docter	Wisconsin	Lake Placid	2/15/76
*3000M	6:02.42	Domique Pilote	Quebec	Roseville	2/4/96
JUVENILE GIRLS					
300M	0:28.75	Catriona Lemay	Saskatchewan	Winnipeg	2/9/85
400M	0:38.45	Kelly Lunda	Wisconsin	Lake Placid	2/14/76
500M	0:46.71	Catriona Lemay	Saskatchewan	Winnipeg	2/10/85
600M	0:58.70	Sarah Docter	Wisconsin	Milwaukee	2/12/78
800M	1:19.08	Valerie Lemieux	Quebec	Lake Placid	2/2/92
1000M	1:39.11	Valerie Lemieux	Quebec	Lake Placid	2/1/92
MIDGET GIRLS					
200M	0:21.03	Maira D'Andrea	N. New York	Saratoga Spgs	2/2/80
300M	0:29.70	Peggy Clasen	E. Minnesota	Winnipeg	2/7/81
400M	0:40.35	Stacey Crockett	Manitoba	Winnipeg	2/10/85
500M	0:49.96	Stacey Crockett	Manitoba	Winnipeg	2/10/85
600M	1:00.89	Anne Maltais	Quebec	Lake Placid	2/2/92
*800M	1:25.05	Anne Maltais	Quebec	Lake Placid	2/1/92

*First Time Distance Skated

**NORTH AMERICAN LONG TRACK RECORDS
400 METER-INDOOR MAY 1996**

Distance	Time	Name	Association	Place	Date
GRAND MASTER MEN					
500M	0:44.10	Ronald Johnston	Alberta	Calgary	2/4/95
800M	1:16.44	Al Harding	Mid Atlantic	Milwaukee	2/5/94
1000M	1:31.15	Ronald Johnston	Alberta	Calgary	2/5/95
1500M	2:32.29	Ronald Johnston	Alberta	Calgary	2/5/95
MASTER MEN					
500M	0:41.92	Mike Greenland	G. Minnesota	Calgary	2/4/95
800M	1:08.59	Barth Levy	Ohio	Calgary	2/3/91
1000M	1:25.65	Mike Greenland	G. Minnesota	Calgary	2/5/95
1500M	2:13.71	Mike Greenland	G. Minnesota	Calgary	2/4/95
3000M	4:42.36	Mike Greenland	G. Minnesota	Calgary	2/4/95
SENIOR MEN					
500M	0:37.81	Pat Seltsam	Mid Atlantic	Calgary	2/4/95
800M	1:04.12	Cameron Beul	N. New York	Calgary	2/3/91
1000M	1:19.55	Pat Seltsam	Mid Atlantic	Calgary	2/4/95
1500M	2:07.19	Pat Seltsam	Mid Atlantic	Calgary	2/3/91
3000M	4:21.47	John Singer	Wisconsin	Milwaukee	2/6/94
INTERMEDIATE MEN					
500M	0:40.13	Alan McIlveen	Alberta	Calgary	2/4/95
800M	1:06.34	Joseph Callahan	Wisconsin	Calgary	2/3/91
1000M	1:21.11	Alan McIlveen	Alberta	Calgary	2/5/95
1500M	2:12.10	Alan McIlveen	Alberta	Calgary	2/4/95
3000M	4:30.51	Alan McIlveen	Alberta	Calgary	2/4/95
JUNIOR BOYS					
500M	0:40.64	Casey FitzRandolph	Wisconsin	Calgary	2/2/91
800M	1:05.42	Casey FitzRandolph	Wisconsin	Calgary	2/3/91
1000M	1:28.48	James Monson	Manitoba	Calgary	2/2/91
1500M	2:13.37	Ian Houghton	Brit. Columbia	Calgary	2/4/95
3000M	4:50.89	Olivier Lemieux	Saskatchewan	Calgary	2/5/95
JUVENILE BOYS					
300M	0:26.39	Scott Van Horne	Manitoba	Calgary	2/2/91
400M	0:34.12	Kenton Puttick	Saskatchewan	Calgary	2/4/95
500M	0:41.44	Brandt Matosich	Montana	Calgary	2/5/95
800M	1:08.38	Brandt Matosich	Montana	Calgary	2/4/95
1000M	1:27.90	Philippe Marois	Quebec	Calgary	2/5/95
MIDGET BOYS					
300M	0:27.96	Vincent Labrie	Quebec	Calgary	2/4/95
400M	0:36.50	Jonathan Makowsky	Saskatchewan	Calgary	2/3/91
500M	0:45.61	Jay Morrison	Brit. Columbia	Calgary	2/5/95
600M	0:54.92	Jonathan Makowsky	Saskatchewan	Calgary	2/2/91
800M	1:15.55	Beorn Nijenhuis	Alberta	Calgary	2/5/95

**NORTH AMERICAN LONG TRACK RECORDS
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Distance	Time	Name	Association	Place	Date
GRAND MASTER WOMEN					
*500M	1:03.41	Agatha Vanderstarre	Brit. Columbia	Calgary	2/4/95
*800M	1:42.23	Agatha Vanderstarre	Brit. Columbia	Calgary	2/5/95
*1000M	2:05.69	Agatha Vanderstarre	Brit. Columbia	Calgary	2/4/95
*1500M	3:19.81	Agatha Vanderstarre	Brit. Columbia	Calgary	2/5/95
MASTER WOMEN					
500M	0:48.48	Jody Whitsell	Mid Atlantic	Milwaukee	2/6/94
800M	1:17.18	Cynthia Wayne	Illinois	Calgary	2/3/91
1000M	1:38.12	Cynthia Wayne	Illinois	Calgary	2/2/91
1500M	2:35.61	Cynthia Wayne	Illinois	Calgary	2/3/91
#3000M	5:30.17	Cynthia Wayne	Illinois	Calgary	2/3/91
SENIOR WOMEN					
500M	0:46.12	Susan Denlinger	Ohio	Calgary	2/2/91
800M	1:14.29	Susan Denlinger	Ohio	Calgary	2/3/91
1000M	1:32.24	Hilary Mills	Wisconsin	Milwaukee	2/5/94
1500M	2:29.96	Hilary Mills	Wisconsin	Milwaukee	2/5/94
3000M	5:02.89	Hilary Mills	Wisconsin	Milwaukee	2/6/94
INTERMEDIATE WOMEN					
500M	0:46.45	Beth Lotterhos	G. Minnesota	Calgary	2/5/95
800M	1:15.21	Jennifer Cavar	Ontario	Calgary	2/3/91
1000M	1:33.00	Beth Lotterhos	G. Minnesota	Calgary	2/5/95
1500M	2:31.30	Eva Rodansky	Michigan	Milwaukee	2/5/94
*3000M	5:18.71	Beth Lotterhos	E. Minnesota	Milwaukee	2/6/94
JUNIOR GIRLS					
500M	0:44.30	Danielle Wotherspoon	Alberta	Calgary	2/4/95
800M	1:13.04	Kari Barabonoff	Alberta	Calgary	2/3/91
1000M	1:33.79	Danielle Wotherspoon	Alberta	Calgary	2/5/95
1500M	2:26.18	Missy Hagstrum	G. Minnesota	Calgary	2/4/95
*2000M	3:28.96	Bonnie Whitehill	E. Minnesota	Milwaukee	2/6/94
*3000M	5:23.61	Danielle Wotherspoon	Alberta	Calgary	2/5/95
JUVENILE GIRLS					
300M	0:28.80	Jessi FitzRandolph	Wisconsin	Calgary	2/2/91
400M	0:37.35	Katherine Kraus	Brit. Columbia	Calgary	2/4/95
500M	0:45.39	Katherine Kraus	Brit. Columbia	Calgary	2/5/95
800M	1:13.00	Katherine Kraus	Brit. Columbia	Calgary	2/4/95
1000M	1:34.10	Tara Risling	Alberta	Calgary	2/5/95
MIDGET GIRLS					
300M	0:29.86	Jennifer Lee	Brit. Columbia	Calgary	2/2/91
400M	0:39.09	Jennifer Lee	Brit. Columbia	Calgary	2/3/91
500M	0:49.40	Bonnie Klint	Illinois	Calgary	2/5/95
	0:49.40	Chelsey Parker	Saskatchewan	Calgary	2/5/95
600M	0:57.27	Jennifer Lee	Brit. Columbia	Calgary	2/2/91
800M	1:17.27	Jennifer Lee	Brit. Columbia	Calgary	2/3/91

Exhibition race

* First time distance skated

**NATIONAL SHORT TRACK RECORDS
111.12 METER OVAL
MAY 1996**

Distance	Time	Name	Association	Place	Date
GRAND MASTER MEN					
500M	0:53.12	Ed Lang	Northeast	Saratoga Spg.	3/20/94
777M	1:21.80	Ed Lang	Northeast	St. Louis	3/16/96
1000M	1:48.62	Ed Lang	Northeast	St. Louis	3/17/96
1500M	2:49.83	Robert Fischer	Mid Atlantic	St. Louis	3/13/92
MASTER MEN					
500M	0:48.80	Ken Mastrianna	S. California	Muskegon	3/19/95
777M	1:19.50	Barth Levy	Ohio	St. Louis	3/14/92
1000M	1:37.44	John Camilli	Michigan	St. Louis	3/16/96
1500M	2:33.25	John Camilli	Michigan	St. Louis	3/15/96
3000M	5:19.59	John Camilli	Michigan	St. Louis	3/17/96
SENIOR MEN					
500M	0:44.79	Brian Arseneau	Illinois	St. Louis	3/15/92
777M	1:12.20	Brian Arseneau	Illinois	St. Louis	3/14/92
1000M	1:33.11	Joseph Rohraff	Michigan	St. Louis	3/16/96
1500M	2:25.72	Chad Powell	ASU	St. Louis	3/15/96
3000M	5:07.20	Todd Porter	N. New York	St. Louis	3/17/96
INTERMEDIATE MEN					
500M	0:44.48	Tony Goskowicz	Wisconsin	Muskegon	3/19/95
777M	1:14.79	Jason Talbot	N. New York	St. Louis	3/14/92
1000M	1:30.94	Jeb Gorham	N. New York	St. Louis	3/16/96
1500M	2:25.29	Stephen Refsland	Missouri	St. Louis	3/15/96
3000M	5:15.54	Tony Goskowicz	Wisconsin	Muskegon	3/18/95
JUNIOR BOYS					
500M	0:45.58	Tony Goskowicz	Wisconsin	Saratoga Spg.	3/20/94
777M	1:15.10	Leif Ahlgren	E. Minnesota	St. Louis	3/14/92
1000M	1:33.12	Rusty Smith	S. California	St. Louis	3/16/96
1500M	2:24.61	Rusty Smith	S. California	St. Louis	3/15/96
3000M	5:04.15	Rusty Smith	S. California	St. Louis	3/16/96
JUVENILE BOYS					
333M	0:31.59	Apolo Anton Ohno	ASU	St. Louis	3/16/96
500M	0:46.77	Apolo Anton Ohno	ASU	St. Louis	3/17/96
777M	1:15.27	Apolo Anton Ohno	ASU	St. Louis	3/16/96
1000M	1:38.55	Ron Biondo	Ohio	St. Louis	3/15/96
MIDGET BOYS					
333M	0:34.19	Miguel Jose	ASU	St. Louis	3/16/96
500M	0:50.37	Chul Lee	Mid Atlantic	St. Louis	3/17/96
611M	1:02.48	Chul Lee	Mid Atlantic	St. Louis	3/16/96
777M	1:18.77	Chul Lee	Mid Atlantic	St. Louis	3/15/96

**NATIONAL SHORT TRACK RECORDS
111.12 METER OVAL
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Distance	Time	Name	Association	Place	Date
GRAND MASTER WOMEN					
500M	0:58.37	Mary Lou DiNicola	N. New York	Saratoga Spg.	3/20/94
777M	1:32.69	Mary Lou DiNicola	N. New York	Saratoga Spg.	3/19/94
1000M	1:59.41	Mary Lou DiNicola	N. New York	Saratoga Spg.	3/20/94
1500M	3:02.79	Mary Lou DiNicola	N. New York	Saratoga Spg.	3/18/94
MASTER WOMEN					
500M	0:53.21	Jody Whitsell	Mid Atlantic	Saratoga Spg.	3/20/94
777M	1:28.17	Carole Moore	Mid Atlantic	St. Louis	3/14/92
1000M	1:48.43	Peggy Clarke	Missouri	St. Louis	3/15/96
1500M	2:49.86	Peggy Clarke	Missouri	St. Louis	3/15/96
3000M	5:54.46	Sarah Fitzpatrick	N. New York	Muskegon	3/19/95
SENIOR WOMEN					
500M	0:49.12	Kristen Talbot	N. New York	St. Louis	3/15/92
777M	1:17.82	Karen Cashman	Northeastern	St. Louis	3/14/92
1000M	1:41.59	Hilary Mills	Wisconsin	St. Louis	3/16/96
1500M	2:36.19	Hilary Mills	Wisconsin	St. Louis	3/15/96
3000M	5:27.94	Hilary Mills	Wisconsin	St. Louis	3/17/96
INTERMEDIATE WOMEN					
500M	0:49.06	Whitney McGill	Illinois	St. Louis	3/17/96
777M	1:22.99	Kristen Talbot	N. New York	Morristown	3/19/88
1000M	1:41.28	Whitney McGill	Illinois	St. Louis	3/16/96
1500M	2:37.10	Whitney McGill	Illinois	St. Louis	3/15/86
3000M	5:37.60	Kelly Anderson	Michigan	Muskegon	3/19/95
JUNIOR GIRLS					
500M	0:48.75	Julie Goskowicz	Wisconsin	Muskegon	3/19/95
777M	1:18.48	Nikki Ziegelmeyer	Missouri	St. Louis	3/14/92
1000M	1:40.14	Julie Goskowicz	Wisconsin	Muskegon	3/18/95
1500M	2:42.92	Katie Krall	Colorado	St. Louis	3/15/96
3000M	5:26.51	Julie Goskowicz	Wisconsin	Muskegon	3/19/95
JUVENILE GIRLS					
333M	0:33.78	Michelle Hill	Illinois	Muskegon	3/18/95
500M	0:49.91	Sarah Elliot	Wisconsin	St. Louis	3/17/96
777M	1:18.71	Sarah Elliot	Wisconsin	St. Louis	3/17/96
1000M	1:44.90	Sarah Elliot	Wisconsin	St. Louis	3/15/96
MIDGET GIRLS					
333M	0:35.27	Sarah Elliott	Wisconsin	Saratoga Spg.	3/19/94
500M	0:52.47	Sarah Elliott	Wisconsin	Saratoga Spg.	3/20/94
611M	1:03.85	Sarah Elliott	Wisconsin	Saratoga Spg.	3/20/94
777M	1:24.12	Sarah Elliott	Wisconsin	Saratoga Spg.	3/18/94

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Distance	Time	Name	Association	Place	Date
GRAND MASTER MEN					
500M	0:54.46	Denis Pennington	Australia	Red Deer	4/07/96
777M	1:28.20	Denis Pennington	Australia	Red Deer	4/06/96
1000M	1:53.44	Robert Fischer	Mid Atlantic	Franklin Park	3/31/91
1500M	2:50.63	Robert Fischer	Mid Atlantic	Franklin Park	3/29/91
MASTER MEN					
500M	0:47.66	Bob Scherl	Missouri	Cleveland	3/26/95
777M	1:16.90	Ken Mastrianna	S. California	Cleveland	3/25/95
1000M	1:44.01	Bob Scherl	Missouri	Cleveland	3/26/95
1500M	2:41.40	Jean Marc Tremblay	Quebec	Red Deer	4/07/96
3000M	5:59.11	Chris Malek	Mid Atlantic	Franklin Park	3/31/91
SENIOR MEN					
500M	0:45.34	Francois Drolet	Quebec	St. Jerome	4/02/94
777M	1:10.64	Jonathan Gougoux	Quebec	St. Jerome	4/03/94
1000M	1:35.44	Jonathan Gougoux	Quebec	St. Jerome	4/01/94
1500M	2:30.02	Dany Lemay	Quebec	Cleveland	3/24/95
3000M	5:21.66	Dany Lemay	Quebec	Cleveland	3/26/95
INTERMEDIATE MEN					
500M	0:43.86	Eric Bedard	Quebec	Cleveland	3/25/95
777M	1:09.01	Eric Bedard	Quebec	Cleveland	3/25/95
1000M	1:32.66	Tony Goskowicz	Wisconsin	Cleveland	3/26/95
1500M	2:26.93	Takafumi Nishitani	Japan	Red Deer	4/07/96
3000M	5:13.56	Eric Bedard	Quebec	Cleveland	3/26/95
JUNIOR BOYS					
500M	0:44.70	Jonathan Guilmette	Quebec	Cleveland	3/26/95
777M	1:11.70	Jonathan Guilmette	Quebec	St. Jerome	4/03/94
1000M	1:35.90	Tony Smith	Alberta	Red Deer	4/05/96
1500M	2:31.74	Tony Goskowicz	Wisconsin	St. Jerome	4/02/94
JUVENILE BOYS					
333M	0:31.58	Philippe Lefrancois	Quebec	Red Deer	4/06/96
500M	0:46.94	Apolo Anton Ohno	Washington	Red Deer	4/06/96
777M	1:14.84	Francois-Louis Tremblay	Quebec	Cleveland	3/26/95
1000M	1:39.78	Philippe Marois	Quebec	Cleveland	3/25/95
MIDGET BOYS					
333M	0:34.43	Philippe Tremblay	Quebec	St. Jerome	4/02/94
444M	0:48.89	Chad Garofola	Illinois	Marquette	3/25/89
500M	0:50.38	Simon Poissant	Quebec	Red Deer	4/06/96
611M	1:06.32	Ethan Oberman	Illinois	Marquette	3/25/89
666M	1:07.88	Philippe Tremblay	Quebec	St. Jerome	4/03/94
777M	1:19.75	Philippe Tremblay	Quebec	St. Jerome	4/02/94

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Distance	Time	Name	Association	Place	Date
GRAND MASTER WOMEN					
*500M	1:11.90	Agatha Vanderstarre	Brit. Columbia	Red Deer	4/06/96
*777M	1:53.00	Agatha Vanderstarre	Brit. Columbia	Red Deer	4/06/96
*1000M	2:27.50	Agatha Vanderstarre	Brit. Columbia	Red Deer	4/07/96
*1500M	4:42.55	Agatha Vanderstarre	Brit. Columbia	Red Deer	4/07/96
MASTER WOMEN					
500M	0:52.36	Kathy Hunt	Ontario	Red Deer	4/06/96
777M	1:24.12	Kathy Hunt	Ontario	Red Deer	4/06/96
1000M	1:50.15	Kathy Hunt	Ontario	Red Deer	4/05/96
1500M	2:48.34	Kathy Hunt	Ontario	Red Deer	4/07/96
*3000M	6:38.96	Sara Bont	Australia	Champaign	3/28/93
SENIOR WOMEN					
500M	0:47.89	Sylvia Pryczek	Quebec	Cleveland	3/26/95
777M	1:18.64	Sylvia Pryczek	Quebec	Cleveland	3/25/95
1000M	1:40.23	Sylvia Pryczek	Quebec	Cleveland	3/26/95
1500M	2:34.32	Sylvia Pryczek	Quebec	Cleveland	3/24/95
3000M	5:26.56	Sylvia Pryczek	Quebec	Cleveland	3/26/95
INTERMEDIATE WOMEN					
500M	0:48.45	Catherine Dussault	Quebec	Cleveland	3/26/95
777M	1:18.12	Catherine Dussault	Quebec	Cleveland	3/25/95
1000M	1:41.18	Catherine Dussault	Quebec	Cleveland	3/26/95
1500M	2:36.68	Catherine Dussault	Quebec	Cleveland	3/24/95
3000M	5:37.51	Catherine Dussault	Quebec	Cleveland	3/26/95
JUNIOR GIRLS					
500M	0:47.71	Erin Porter	N. New York	Cleveland	3/26/95
777M	1:16.89	Erin Porter	N. New York	Cleveland	3/25/95
1000M	1:38.85	Julie Goskowicz	Wisconsin	Cleveland	3/26/95
1500M	2:36.57	Julie Goskowicz	Wisconsin	Cleveland	3/24/95
JUVENILE GIRLS					
333M	0:33.83	Sarah Elliott	Wisconsin	Red Deer	4/06/96
500M	0:49.44	Sarah Elliott	Wisconsin	Cleveland	3/26/95
777M	1:16.89	Marie-Eve Drolet	Quebec	Red Deer	4/05/96
1000M	1:44.16	Kim Mi Yeon	Brit. Columbia	Red Deer	4/07/96
MIDGET GIRLS					
333M	0:35.82	Sarah Elliott	Wisconsin	St. Jerome	4/02/94
444M	0:48.95	Alanna Kraus	Brit. Columbia	Marquette	3/25/89
500M	0:52.04	Sarah Elliott	Wisconsin	St. Jerome	4/03/94
611M	1:07.10	Marie-Josée Cloutier	Quebec	Champaign	3/28/93
666M	1:10.11	Claudie Leroux	Quebec	St. Jerome	4/03/94
777M	1:24.25	Caroline Larouche	Quebec	Red Deer	4/07/96

*First time distance skated on 111.12 meter oval therefore not a record

WORLD SHORT TRACK SPEEDSKATING

Short Track style speedskating consists of four to six skaters competing at the same time on a 111.12 meter oval track as in "pack style" skating. All skaters compete in qualifying heats and semi-finals to skate in the final race where they are awarded points to determine the winners. There are only two age divisions.

Distances skated for Men and Women: 500, 1000, 1500, 3000 meters
Points scored: 1st-5 points; 2nd-3 points; 3rd-2 points; 4th-1 point

While World competitions on an outdoor 400 meter track have been traditional and almost exclusively so in Europe, an attempt to promote World Indoor competition on a "short" track was initiated at Champaign, Illinois in 1976 under the impetus of Bill Markland. Nine nations participated in this fledgling endeavor to establish a World "Short Track" Championship.

Since then more nations have been added to the list of participants. As of 1980 the International Skating Union has officially recognized World Indoor (Short Track) Championships. At the 1988 Olympic Games in Calgary, Alberta, Canada, the Indoor Short Track style of speedskating was included as exhibition races. Short Track Speedskating became a permanent olympic event in 1992 at Albertville.

MEMBERS OF THE UNITED STATES SHORT TRACK TEAMS

- 1976—Champaign, Illinois, USA
Craig Kressler, Stan Wisniewski, Scott Drebes, Alan Rattray, Jack Mortell, Les Braczewski, Lydia Stephens, Debbie Carlstrom, Cindy Kressler, Laura Bob Fenn, Pat Maxwell, Kerry Lydon, Patti Albrecht, Celeste Chlapaty, Peggy Kriss Hansen, Lydia Chlapaty, Kris Garbe
Team Leader/Coach: Don Prather
- 1977—Grenoble, France
Stan Wisniewski, Vicki Raimann, Celeste Chalapaty, Peggy Hartrich, Valari Raimann, Bill Markland/Coach: Don Prather
- 1978—Birmingham, England
Greg Morris, Alan Rattray, Jack Mortell, Scott Drebes, Peggy Hartrich, Sarah Docter, Dorie Boyce, Patricia Lyman
Team Leader: Bill Markland/Coach: Mary Polaski
- 1979—Quebec City, Quebec, Canada
Alan Rattray, Scott Drebes, Nicky Thometz, Stan Wisniewski, Peggy Hartrich, Gloria Bogacki, Dorie Boyce, Margaret Burns
Team Leader: Bill Markland/Coach: Mary Polaski
- 1980—Milan, Italy
Steve Merrifield, Scott Drebes, Pat Moore, Paul Jacobs, Lydia Stephens, Cathy Turner, Diana Bruck, Margaret Burns
Team Leader/Coach: Bill Markland
- 1981—Paris, France
Paul Jacobs, Stan Wisniewski, Jack Mortell, Scott Drebes, Lydia Stephens, Barbara Johnson, Pam Mercer
Team Leader: Roy Helminski/Coach: Jack Mortell
- 1982—Moncton, New Brunswick, Canada
Steve Merrifield, Pat Moore, David Besteman, Paul Jacobs, Lydia Stephens, Michelle Fang, Gloria Bogacki, Bonnie Blair
Team Leader: Tom Healy/Coach: Tom Plant

- 1983—Tokyo, Japan
Pat Moore, Steve Merrifield, Marty Pierce, Jack Mortell, Bonnie Blair, Gloria Bogacki, Lydia Stephens, Moira D'Andrea
Team Leader/Coach: Tom Plant
- 1984—Peterborough, England
Pat Moore, David Besteman, David Pavlacic, Tom Carter, Bonnie Blair, Becky Mane, Lydia Stephens, Wendy Goelz
Team Leader: Tom Plant/Coach: Pat Maxwell
- 1985—Amsterdam, Holland
David Besteman, David Pavlacic, Tom Carter, Barth Levy, Bonnie Blair, Becky Mane, Heather Trepanier, Tammy Rosbeck
Team Leader/Coach: Tom Plant
- 1986—Chamonix, France
Mark Greenwald, Brian Arseneau, David Pavlacic, David Cruikshank, Bonnie Blair, Tara Laszlo, Wendy Goelz, Becky Mane
Team Leader: Paul Mueller/Coach: Lydia Stephens
- 1987—Montreal, Quebec, Canada
Brian Arseneau, David Besteman, Andy Gabel, Pat Moore, Tara Laszlo, Becky Mane, Amy Peterson, Tricia Stennes
Team Leader: Paul Mueller/Coach: Pat Maxwell
- 1988—St. Louis, Missouri, USA
Brian Arseneau, Pat Moore, Andy Gabel, David Besteman, Dave Pavlacic (Alt), Becky Mane Sanfilippo, Tara Laszlo, Amy Peterson, Tricia Stennes
Team Leader: Paul Mueller/Coach: Pat Maxwell
- 1989—Solihull, Great Britain
Brian Arseneau, Andy Gabel, Charles King, David Besteman, Tara Laszlo, Kristen Talbot, Amy Peterson, Cathy Turner
Team Leader: Paul Mueller/Coach: Pat Maxwell
- 1990—Amsterdam, Netherlands
Brian Arseneau, Andy Gabel, Randy Bartz, John Coyle, Brendan Eppert (Alternate), Amy Peterson, Tricia Stennes, Tama Sundstrom, Cathy Turner, Becky Sundstrom (Alternate)
Team Leader: Paul Mueller/Coach: Jack Mortell
- 1991—Sydney, Australia
Andy Gabel, John Singer, Brian Arseneau, Randy Bartz, Charles King, Amy Peterson, Cathy Turner, Tricia Stennes, Darcie Dohnal, Carrie Johnson
Coach: Gregg Planert/Manager: Paul Mueller
- 1992—Denver
Andy Gabel, Pat Wentland, Brian Arseneau, Randy Bartz, Keith King, Amy Peterson, Darcie Dohnal, Tricia Stennes, Karen Cashman, Nikki Ziegelmeyer
Coach: Jack Mortell/Manager: Paul Mueller
- 1993—Beijing, China
Andy Gabel, Randy Bartz, Eric Flaim, John Coyle, Brian Arseneau, Amy Peterson, Nikki Ziegelmeyer, Darcie Dohnal, Becky Sundstrom, Karen Cashman
Coach: Jeroen Otter/Team Leader: Jack Mortell
- 1994—Guilford, Great Britain
Randy Bartz, John Coyle, Eric Flaim, Charles King, Andy Gabel, Amy Peterson, Karen Cashman, Julie Goskowicz
Coach: Jeroen Otter/Team Leader: Jack Mortell

1995—Gjovik, Norway
Eric Flaim, John Coyle, J.P. Shilling, Andy Gabel, Charles King, Amy Peterson,
Karen Cashman, Hilary Mills, Whitney McGill, Erin Gleason.
Coach: Jeroen Otter, Sharon Misasi/Team Leader: Pat Maxwell

1996—The Hague, Netherlands
Tony Goskowicz, Andy Gabel, J.P. Shilling, Scott Koons, Mike Kooreman, Amy
Peterson, Erin Porter, Julie Goskowicz, Karen Cashman, Erin Gleason
Coach: Jeroen Otter, Sharon Misasi/Team Leader: Pat Wentland

MEMBERS OF THE UNITED STATES SHORT TRACK TEAMS TEAM COMPETITIONS

1991—Did not participate

1992—Nobeyama, Japan
Charles King, Keith King, Pat Wentland, John Coyle, Andy Gabel

1993—Budapest, Hungary
Carrie Johnson, Kim Strzykalski, Shana Sundstrom, Tricia Stennes,
Cari Dohnal

1994—Cambridge, Ontario, Canada
Randy Bartz, John Coyle, Eric Flaim, Charles King, Andy Gabel, Amy Peterson,
Carrie Johnson, Karen Cashman, Nicole Ziegelmeyer, Julie Goskowicz
Coach: Jeroen Otter/Team Leader: Jack Mortell

1995—Zoetermeer, The Netherlands
Eric Flaim, John Coyle, John Paul Shilling, Andy Gabel, Charles King, Amy
Peterson, Karen Cashman, Hilary Mills, Whitney McGill, Erin Gleason.

1996—Lake Placid, N.Y.
Tony Goskowicz, Andy Gabel, J.P. Shilling, Scott Koons, Mike Kooreman, Amy
Peterson, Erin Porter, Julie Goskowicz, Karen Cashman, Erin Gleason

WORLD SHORT TRACK RECORDS (111.12M TRACK)

Distance	Time	Name	Country	Place	Date
MEN					
500M	0:43.08	Mirko Vuillermin	Italy	Beijing	3/27/91
1000M	1:28.47	Michael McMillen	New Zealand	Denver	4/4/91
1500M	2:18.61	Marc Gagnon	Canada	Guilford	2/7/91
3000M	4:56.29	Chae Ji-Hoon	Rep. of Korea	Gjovik	3/19/91
5000M	7:09.76	Marc Gagnon	Canada	Gjovik	3/19/91
RELAY		Sylvain Gagnon Frederic Blackburn Bryce Holbeck			
WOMEN					
500M	0:45.53	Yun-Mi Kim	Rep. of Korea	Gjovik	3/18/91
1000M	1:34.07	Nathalie Lambert	Canada	Hamar	11/7/91
1500M	2:27.38	Lee-Kyung Chun	Rep. of Korea	Jaca	2/23/91
3000M	5:02.18	Lee-Kyung Chun	Rep. of Korea	Gjovik	3/19/91
3000M	4:24.68	Wang Chunlu	China	Gjovik	3/19/91
RELAY		Zhang, Yanmei Yang Yank (Jilin) Zhang Dongxiang			

JUNIOR WORLD SHORT TRACK RECORDS

Distance	Time	Name	Country	Place	Date
MEN					
500M	0:44.08	Patrice Lapointe	Canada	Seoul	1/15/94
1000M	1:32.71	Patrice Lapointe	Canada	Bormio	12/3/94
1500M	2:25.53	Seung-Chan Lee	Rep. of Korea	Calgary	1/28/95
LADIES					
500M	0:46.23	Yum-Mi Kim	Rep. of Korea	Calgary	1/28/95
1000M	1:37.09	So-Hee Kim	Rep. of Korea	Hamar	2/26/94
1500M	2:31.36	So-Hee Kim	Rep. of Korea	Seoul	1/15/94

MEDAL WINNERS I.S.U. SHORT TRACK COMPETITIONS 1976 thru 1980

NOTE: The short track competitions held prior to 1981, by a decision of the ISU, are not called World Championships. The inaugural meet held in Champaign in 1976 is commonly referred to as the First World Short Track Competition. The 1977 meet is the Second World Short Track Competition and the meets held 1978-1980 are called the ISU Short Track Championships. The meet in 1981 is, by definition, the First World Short Track Championship.

Name	Event	Time	Date	Location	Finish	Class
Alan Rattray	500M	45.87	4/11/76	Champaign, USA	1st	(Sr)
Bob Fenn	500M	—	4/11/76	Champaign, USA	3rd	(Sr)
Alan Rattray	1000M	1.45.78	4/11/76	Champaign, USA	1st	(Sr)
Alan Rattray	1500M	2.27.31	4/10/76	Champaign, USA	1st	(Sr)
Jack Mortell	1500M	—	4/10/76	Champaign, USA	3rd	(Sr)
Pat Maxwell	3000M	—	4/10/76	Champaign, USA	2nd	(Sr)
Jack Mortell	3000M	—	4/10/76	Champaign, USA	3rd	(Sr)
Celeste Chlapaty	500M	—	4/11/76	Champaign, USA	2nd	(Sr)
Peggy Hartrich	500M	—	4/11/76	Champaign, USA	3rd	(Sr)
Celeste Chlapaty	1000M	1.50.39	4/11/76	Champaign, USA	1st	(Sr)
Denise Chlapaty	1000M	—	4/11/76	Champaign, USA	2nd	(Sr)

MEDAL WINNERS (continued)
I.S.U. SHORT TRACK COMPETITIONS
1976 thru 1980

Name	Event	Time	Date	Location	Finish	Class
Celeste Chlapaty	1500M	2.40.12	4/10/76	Champaign, USA	1st	(Sr)
Peggy Hartrich	1500M	—	4/10/76	Champaign, USA	3rd	(Sr)
Peggy Hartrich	3000M	—	4/10/76	Champaign, USA	2nd	(Sr)
Celeste Chlapaty	3000M	—	4/10/76	Champaign, USA	3rd	(Sr)
Stan Wisniewski	500M	47.19	4/11/76	Champaign, USA	1st	(Jr)
Rob Gulbranson	500M	—	4/11/76	Champaign, USA	2nd	(Jr)
Scott Drebes	500M	—	4/11/76	Champaign, USA	3rd	(Jr)
Stan Wisniewski	1000M	1.43.19	4/11/76	Champaign, USA	1st	(Jr)
Rob Gulbranson	1000M	—	4/11/76	Champaign, USA	2nd	(Jr)
Scott Drebes	1000M	—	4/11/76	Champaign, USA	3rd	(Jr)
Stan Wisniewski	3000M	5.39.87	4/10/76	Champaign, USA	1st	(Jr)
Scott Drebes	3000M	—	4/10/76	Champaign, USA	3rd	(Jr)
Liz Crowe	500M	51.64	4/11/76	Champaign, USA	1st	(Jr)
Liz Crowe	1000M	—	4/11/76	Champaign, USA	2nd	(Jr)
Laura Dathe	1500M	—	4/10/76	Champaign, USA	3rd	(Jr)
Liz Crowe	3000M	—	4/10/76	Champaign, USA	2nd	(Jr)
Greg Morris	250M	24.51	4/11/76	Champaign, USA	1st	(Nov)
Craig Kressler	250M	—	4/11/76	Champaign, USA	2nd	(Nov)
Steve Hickner	250M	—	4/11/76	Champaign, USA	3rd	(Nov)
Craig Kressler	500M	48.63	4/11/76	Champaign, USA	1st	(Nov)
Scott Guy	500M	—	4/11/76	Champaign, USA	2nd	(Nov)
Craig Kressler	1000M	1.41.19	4/10/76	Champaign, USA	1st	(Nov)
Debbie Carlstrom	250M	26.72	4/11/76	Champaign, USA	1st	(Nov)
Kris Hansen	250M	—	4/11/76	Champaign, USA	2nd	(Nov)
Debbie Carlstrom	500M	51.41	4/11/76	Champaign, USA	1st	(Nov)
Lydia Stephans	500M	—	4/11/76	Champaign, USA	2nd	(Nov)
Cindy Kressler	500M	—	4/11/76	Champaign, USA	3rd	(Nov)
Kris Hansen	1000M	1.48.26	4/10/76	Champaign, USA	1st	(Nov)
Lydia Stephans	1000M	—	4/10/76	Champaign, USA	2nd	(Nov)
Debbie Carlstrom	1000M	—	4/10/76	Champaign, USA	3rd	(Nov)
Jack Mortell	3000M	4.43.47	4/11/76	Champaign, USA	2nd	(Sr)
Alan Rattray	Relay					
Bob Fenn						
Pat Maxwell						
Jack Mortell	5000M	7.53.20	4/10/76	Champaign, USA	1st	(Sr)
Alan Rattray	Relay					
Bob Fenn						
Pat Maxwell						

MEDAL WINNERS (continued)
I.S.U. SHORT TRACK COMPETITIONS
1976 thru 1980

Name	Event	Time	Date	Location	Finish	Class
Celeste Chlapaty	3000M	4.42.49	4/11/76	Champaign, USA	1st	(Sr)
Denise Chlapaty	Relay					
Peggy Hartrich						
Kris Garbe						
Rob Gulbranson	1500M	2.45.99	4/11/76	Champaign, USA	1st	(Jr)
Scott Drebes	Relay					
Les Barczewski						
Stan Wisniewski						
Kris Hansen	1500M	2.32.25	4/11/76	Champaign, USA	1st	(Nov)
Debbie Carlstrom	Relay					
Cindy Kressler						
Lydia Stephans						
Liz Crowe	1500M	2.34.86	4/11/86	Champaign, USA	2nd	(Nov)
Kerry Lydon	Relay					
Laura Dathe						

(NOTE: The First World Short Track Competition-Champaign, USA, was the only time three categories were scheduled.)

2nd World Short Track Competition

Name	Event	Time	Date	Location	Finish
Craig Kressler	500M	46.76	4/17/77	Grenoble, FRA	2nd
Craig Kressler	1000M	1.56.41	4/17/77	Grenoble, FRA	3rd
Craig Kressler	1500M	2.28.99	4/16/77	Grenoble, FRA	2nd
(Finished 2nd overall in Competition)					
Peggy Hartrich	1000M	1.43.59	4/17/77	Grenoble, FRA	2nd
Valie Reimann	1500M	2.44.97	4/16/77	Grenoble, FRA	2nd
Vicki Reimann	1500M	2.45.26	4/16/77	Grenoble, FRA	3rd
Peggy Hartrich	3000M	4.47.30	4/17/77	Grenoble, FRA	1st
Valie Reimann	Relay				
Vicki Reimann					
Celeste Chlapaty					
(Valie Reimann finished 3rd overall in Competition)					

ISU Premiere Short Track Championships

Alan Rattray	500M	47.09	4/8/78	Solihull, GBR	1st
Alan Rattray	1000M	1.44.92	4/9/78	Solihull, GBR	2nd
(Finished 3rd overall in Championship)					
Patricia Lyman	500M	52.20	4/8/78	Solihull, GBR	1st
Peggy Hartrich	1000M	1.51.15	4/9/78	Solihull, GBR	2nd
Patricia Lyman	1000M	1.51.15	4/9/78	Solihull, GBR	3rd
(Finished 3rd overall in Championship)					
Barah Docter	1500M	2.44.37	4/8/78	Solihull, GBR	1st
Barah Docter	3000M	5.49.69	4/9/78	Solihull, GBR	1st
(Finished ISU Champion)					

MEDAL WINNERS (continued)
I.S.U. SHORT TRACK COMPETITIONS
1976 thru 1980

Name	Event	Time	Date	Location	Finish
Sarah Docter Peggy Hartrich Patricia Lyman Dorie Boyce	3000M Relay	5.18.40	4/9/78	Solihull, GBR	1st
ISU Short Track Championships					
Nick Thometz	1 500M	2.31.25	4/7/79	Quebec City, CAN	2nd
Nick Thometz (Finished 3rd overall in Championship)	3000M	5.23.60	4/8/79	Quebec City, CAN	2nd
Dorie Boyce Cathy Turner Peggy Hartrich Margaret Burns	3000M Relay	5.12.26	4/8/79	Quebec City, CAN	2nd
ISU Short Track Championships					
Gloria Bogacki	500M	51.93	3/22/80	Milano, ITA	2nd
Gloria Bogacki	3000M	5.45.18	3/23/80	Milano, ITA	3rd
Gloria Bogacki Margaret Burns Lydia Stephans Diana Bruck	3000M Relay	5.15.33	3/23/80	Milano, ITA	3rd

MEDAL WINNERS
WORLD SHORT TRACK COMPETITIONS
1981 to Present

Name	Event	Time	Date	Location	Finish
Pam Mercer	500M	54.03	4/4/81	Meudon, Fr.	3rd
Gloria Bogacki Barbara Johnson Pam Mercer Lydia Stephans	3000M Relay	5.17.94	4/5/81	Meudon, Fr.	2nd
Steve Merrifield	1500M	2.34.48	4/2/82	Moncton, Can.	3rd
Paul Jacobs Steve Merrifield Pat Moore	5000M Relay	N.T.	4/4/82	Moncton, Ca.	3rd
David Besteman Marty Pierce (s)					
Bonnie Blair	1000M	1.44.03	4/10/83	Tokyo, Japan	2nd
Pat Moore	500M	47.92	4/9/83	Tokyo, Japan	3rd
Bonnie Blair Lydia Stephans Gloria Bogacki Moira D'Andrea Michelle Kline (s)	3000M Relay	5.12.25	4/10/83	Tokyo, Japan	3rd

MEDAL WINNERS (continued)
WORLD SHORT TRACK COMPETITIONS
1981 to Present

Name	Event	Time	Date	Location	Finish
David Besteman	500M	46.60	4/7/84	Peterborough, Gbr.	3rd
Lydia Stephans	1500M	2.57.66	4/7/84	Peterborough, Gbr.	3rd
Bonnie Blair (Finished 3rd overall in Championship)	1000M	1.47.79	4/8/84	Peterborough, Gbr.	1st
Bonnie Blair Lydia Stephans Wendy Goelz Becky Mane Michelle Fang (s)	3000M Relay	5.06.70	4/8/84	Peterborough, Gbr.	3rd
Bonnie Blair	1500M	2.48.28	3/15/85	Amsterdam, Ned.	1st
Bonnie Blair	500M	49.32	3/16/85	Amsterdam, Ned.	2nd
Bonnie Blair (Finished 2nd overall in Championship)	1000M	2.03.41	3/17/85	Amsterdam, Ned.	3rd
Bonnie Blair	1500M	2.35.12 WR	4/4/86	Chamonix, Fr.	1st
Bonnie Blair	500M	48.12 Wr	4/5/86	Chamonix, Fr.	1st
Bonnie Blair	1000M	1.46.73	4/6/86	Chamonix, Fr.	1st
Bonnie Blair (Finished WORLD CHAMPION)	3000M	5.51.01	4/6/86	Chamonix, Fr.	2nd
Tara Laszlo	1500M	2.36.09	4/4/86	Chamonix, Fr.	3rd
Tara Laszlo	1000M	1.47.96	4/5/86	Chamonix, Fr.	3rd
Brian Arseneau David Besteman Andy Gabel Pat Moore	5000M Relay	N.T.	4/5/87	Montreal, Can.	3rd
Andy Gabel	500M	52.82	2/10/88	St. Louis, USA	2nd
Amy Peterson	1500M		4/2/92	Denver, USA	3rd
Andy Gabel	500M	43.69	3/27/93	Beijing	3rd
Amy Peterson	1000M	1:41.21	3/28/93	Beijing	3rd
Eric Flaim	1500M	2:30.52	3/17/95	Gjovik	2nd

MEDALS WON IN JUNIOR WORLD SHORT TRACK
CHAMPIONSHIPS

Year	Competitor	Medal	Distance	Time	Place	Date
1994	Tony Goskowicz	Bronze	1000M		Seoul	1/15-16/94
	Tony Goskowicz	Bronze	1500M		Seoul	1/15-16/94
	Tony Goskowicz-3rd Overall Champion 5 points					
1995	Tony Goskowicz	Gold	500M	0:44.60	Calgary	
1996	Erin Porter	Gold	1500M	2:39.984	Courmayeur	
	Erin Porter	Bronze	1500M	2:48.666	Courmayeur	
	Erin Porter	Bronze	1000M	1:39.355	Courmayeur	
	Erin Porter-2nd Overall Champion 9 points					
	Kip Carpenter	Silver	1000M	1:36.587	Courmayeur	

Relay Amy Peterson Bronze 3000M 4:37.13 The Hague
 Erin Porter
 Julie Goskowicz
 Karen Cashman
 Erin Gleason

WORLD INDOOR (SHORT TRACK) CHAMPIONS

MEN—500M

1981—Mike Richmond, Australia0:48.21
 1982—Guy Daigneault, Canada0:45.69
 1983—Louis Grenier, Canada0:45.37
 1984—Guy Daigneault, Canada0:46.45
 1985—Louis Grenier, Canada0:45.19
 1986—Tatsuyoshi Ishihara, Japan0:45.38
 1987—Robert Dubreuil, Canada0:46.02
 1988—Richard Suyten, Netherlands0:45.90
 1989—Mark Lackie, Canada0:46.22
 1990—Willy O'Reilly, Great Britain0:45.23
 1991—Ki-Hoon Kim, Republic of Korea0:45.66
 1992—Ki-Hoon Kim, Republic of Korea0:43.86
 1993—Mirko Vuillermin, Italy0:43.10
 1994—Frederic Blackburn, Canada0:44.07
 1995—Chae Ji-Hoon, Republic of Korea0:43.98
 1996—Orazio Fagone, Italy0:43.08

MEN—1000M

1981—Benoit Baril, Canada1:44.01
 1982—Guy Daigneault, Canada1:41.53
 1983—Louis Grenier, Canada1:39.21
 1984—Tatsuyoshi Ishihara, Japan1:41.61
 1985—Toshinobu Kawai, Japan1:38.61
 1986—Guy Daigneault, Canada1:34.79
 1987—Toshinobu Kawai, Japan1:39.11
 1988—Peter VanderVelde, Netherlands1:35.56
 1989—Kim Ki Hoon, Republic of Korea1:37.78
 1990—Tutomu Kawasaki, Japan1:31.80
 1991—Willy O'Reilly, Great Britain1:38.67
 1992—Ki-Hoon Kim, Republic of Korea1:37.26
 1993—Marc Gagnon, Canada1:32.84
 1994—Marc Gagnon, Canada1:33.08
 1995—Marc Gagnon, Canada1:35.38
 1996—Li Jiajun, China1:32.03

MEN—1500M

1981—Louis Baril, Canada2:43.18
 1982—Guy Daigneault, Canada2:34.42
 1983—Michel Delisle, Canada2:37.60
 1984—Yuichi Akasaka, Japan2:36.08
 1985—Tatsuyoshi Ishihara, Japan2:28.06
 1986—Tatsuyoshi Ishihara, Japan2:25.66
 1987—Guy Daigneault, Canada2:27.72
 1988—Tatsuyoshi Ishihara, Japan2:31.48
 1989—Michel Daigneault, Canada2:28.64
 1990—Tatsuyoshi Ishihara, Japan2:29.49
 1991—Joon-Ho Lee, Republic of Korea2:26.02
 1992—Ki-Hoon Kim, Republic of Korea2:27.03
 1993—Sylvain Gagnon, Canada2:30.22
 1994—Ji-Hoon Chae, Republic of Korea2:26.45

1995—Chae Ji-Hoon, Republic of Korea2:30.47
 1996—Marc Gagnon, Canada2:18.16

MEN—3000M

1981—Gaetan Boucher, Canada5:34.99
 1982—Louis Grenier, Canada5:34.23
 1983—Louis Grenier, Canada5:33.33
 1984—Guy Daigneault, Canada5:16.93
 1985—Tatsuyoshi Ishihara, Japan5:04.24
 1986—Toshinobu Kawai, Japan5:17.15
 1987—Michel Daigneault, Canada5:11.99
 1988—Richard Suyten, Netherlands5:10.19

WOMEN—500M

1981—Mika Kato, Japan0:53.12
 1982—Sylvie Daigle, Canada0:49.30
 1983—Sylvie Daigle, Canada0:49.54
 1984—Mariko Kinoshita, Japan0:50.78
 1985—Eiko Shishii, Japan0:48.89
 1986—Bonnie Blair, USA0:48.12
 1987—Eden Donatelli, Canada0:50.15
 1988—Yumiko Yamada, Japan0:49.34
 1989—Cristina Sciollo, Italy0:48.32
 1990—Sylvie Daigle, Canada0:48.74
 1991—Yamei Zhang, China0:47.08
 1992—Li Yan, China0:47.23
 1993—Yanmei Zhang, China0:46.37
 1994—Marinella Canclini, Italy0:47.09
 1995—Wang Chunlu, China0:45.72
 1996—Isabelle Charest, Canada0:45.65

WOMEN—1000M

1981—Miyoshi Kato, Japan1:45.96
 1982—Maryse Perreault, Canada1:50.09
 1983—Sylvie Daigle, Canada1:43.66
 1984—Bonnie Blair, USA1:47.79
 1985—Eiko Shishii, Japan1:49.31
 1986—Bonnie Blair, USA1:46.73
 1987—Marika Kinoshita, Japan1:47.40
 1988—Sylvie Daigle, Canada1:41.39
 1989—Maryse Perreault, Canada1:42.50
 1990—Sylvie Daigle, Canada1:41.42
 1991—Sylvie Daigle, Canada1:50.59
 1992—Li Yan, China1:46.83
 1993—Nathalie Lambert, Canada1:39.33
 1994—Nathalie Lambert, Canada1:45.46
 1995—Wang Chunlu, China1:45.21
 1996—Marinella Canclini, Italy1:39.66

WOMEN—1500M

1981—Miyoshi Kato, Japan2:47.54
 1982—Maryse Perreault, Canada2:48.10
 1983—Sylvie Daigle, Canada2:53.29
 1984—Eiko Shishii, Japan2:56.42
 Mariko Kinoshita, Japan2:56.42
 1985—Bonnie Blair, USA2:48.28
 1986—Bonnie Blair, USA2:35.21
 1987—Eiko Shishii, Japan2:36.92
 1988—Sylvie Daigle, Canada2:49.29
 1989—Sylvie Daigle, Canada2:39.03
 1990—Nathalie Lambert, Canada2:41.87
 1991—Nathalie Lambert, Canada2:48.58
 1992—So Hee Kim, Republic of Korea2:44.24
 1993—Nathalie Lambert, Canada2:39.42
 1994—So-Hee Kim, Republic of Korea2:43.03
 1995—Chun Lee-Kyung, Republic of Korea2:46.73
 1996—Lee-Kyung Chun, Republic of Korea2:35.50

WOMEN—3000M

1981—Miyoshi Kato, Japan5:45.48
 1982—Louise Begin, Canada5:43.26
 1983—Sylvie Daigle, Canada6:10.88
 1984—Sylvie Daigle, Canada6:06.05
 1985—Eiko Shishii, Japan5:43.40
 1986—Eiko Shishii, Japan5:43.77
 1987—Nathalie Lambert, Canada5:31.65
 1988—Sylvie Daigle, Canada5:20.13

1989—Michel Daignault, Canada5:31.79
 1990—Joon-Ho Lee, Republic of Korea5:30.49
 1991—Ki-Hoon Kim, Republic of Korea5:21.28
 1992—Ki-Hoon Kim, Republic of Korea5:05.90
 1993—Ji-Hoon Chae, Republic of Korea5:13.66
 1994—Orazio Fagone, Italy5:55.56
 1995—Chae Ji-Hoon, Republic of Korea4:56.29
 1996—Chae Ji-Hoon, Republic of Korea5:00.56

MEN—5000M RELAY

1981—Canada7:58.43
 1982—Canada7:52.74
 1983—Canada7:46.27
 1984—Canada7:52.27
 1985—Japan7:47.21
 1986—Netherlands7:33.09
 1987—Netherlands7:42.27
 1988—Italy7:32.04
 1989—Netherlands7:43.10
 1990—Netherlands7:29.12
 1991—Australia7:38.41
 1992—Japan7:20.57
 1993—New Zealand7:10.95
 1994—Japan7:20.11
 1995—Canada7:09.76
 1996—Italy7:04.92

1989—Quo Hongru, China6:19.67
 1990—Joelle Van Koetsveld, Netherlands5:41.00
 1991—Nathalie Lambert, Canada5:24.66
 1992—So Hee Kim, Republic of Korea5:26.71
 1993—Nathalie Lambert, Canada5:45.80
 1994—Nathalie Lambert, Canada6:23.21
 1995—Chun Lee-Kyung, Republic of Korea5:02.18
 1996—Hye-Kyung Won, Republic of Korea5:23.67

WOMEN—3000M RELAY

1981—Canada5:14.01
 1982—Canada5:00.69
 1983—Canada4:55.07
 1984—Canada5:04.81
 1985—Japan4:57.77
 1986—Canada4:49.38
 1987—Canada4:50.54
 1988—Canada4:48.42
 1989—Canada4:54.25
 1990—Canada4:42.56
 1991—Canada4:44.59
 1992—Canada4:35.74
 1993—Canada4:26.56
 1994—Canada4:30.89
 1995—China4:24.68
 1996—Italy4:21.50

WORLD SHORT TRACK TEAM CHAMPIONS

MEN

POINTS

1991—Japan64
 1992—Republic of Korea79
 1993—Italy63
 1994—Republic of Korea59
 1995—Canada58
 1996—Canada63

WOMEN

POINTS

1991—Canada79
 1992—Republic of Korea79
 1993—Italy63
 1994—Canada61
 1995—Republic of Korea50
 1996—Republic of Korea58

WORLD SHORT TRACK CHAMPIONS (Overall)

MEN

1981—Benoit Baril, Canada12 Points
 1982—Guy Daigneault, Canada18 Points
 1983—Louis Grenier, Canada17 Points
 1984—Guy Daigneault, Canada13 Points
 1985—Toshinobu Kawai, Japan13 Points
 1986—Tatsuyoshi Ishihara, Japan12 Points
 1987—Toshinobu Kawai, Japan7 Points
 Michel Daignault, Canada7 Points
 1988—Peter van der Velde, Netherlands11 Points
 1989—Michel Daignault13 Points
 1990—Joon-Ho Lee, Republic of Korea7 Points
 1991—Willy O'Reilly, Great Britain11 Points
 1992—Ki-Hoon Kim, Republic of Korea20 Points
 1993—Marc Gagnon, Canada10 Points
 1994—Marc Gagnon, Canada10 Points
 1995—Ji-Hoon Chae, Republic of Korea15 Points
 1996—Marc Gagnon, Canada11 Points

WOMEN

1981—Miyoshi Kato, Japan15 Points
 1982—Maryse Perreault, Canada16 Points
 1983—Sylvie Daigle, Canada20 Points
 1984—Mariko Kinoshita, Japan10 Points
 1985—Eiko Shishii, Japan18 Points
 1986—Bonnie Blair, USA18 Points
 1987—Eiko Shishii, Japan11 Points
 1988—Sylvie Daigle, Canada18 Points
 1989—Sylvie Daigle, Canada12 Points
 1990—Sylvie Daigle, Canada13 Points

1991—Nathalie Lambert, Canada13 Points
 1992—So-Hee Kim, Republic of Korea13 Points
 1993—Nathalie Lambert, Canada15 Points
 1994—Nathalie Lambert, Canada16 Points
 1995—Lee-Kyung Chun, Rep. of Korea13 Points
 1996—Lee-Kyung Chun, Rep. of Korea11 Points

OLYMPIC SPEEDSKATING

Olympic style speedskating consists of two skaters, competing at one time on a 400 meter track. There are two separate lanes on the track, the inside lane being shorter than the outside lane. In order that the competitors in each race skate the same distance, they must change lanes once each lap. A flagman stands at the crossover point with a red and green flag and directs the leading skater to cross over first. All the competitors are ranked on the basis of time.

The distances skated are:

MEN—500, 1000, 1500, 5000, 10000 meters

WOMEN—500, 1000, 1500, 3000, 5000 meters

The calculation of points is made in the following manner in accordance with Rule 261.4 of the International Skating Union:

The number of seconds elapsed for a 500 metres race counts as the number of points; for 1000 metres, one-half (1/2) the number of seconds; for 1500 metres, one-third (1/3); for 3000 metres, one-sixth (1/6); for 5000 metres, one-tenth (1/10); and for 10,000 metres, one-twentieth (1/20) of the number of seconds. The number of points must be calculated to three decimals omitting the fourth (4th) decimal. In the case of tied final results the fourth (4th) decimal may be taken into consideration.

EXAMPLE:

Distance	Time	Time in Seconds	Divisor	Points
500M	0:37.74	37.74	1	37.740
1000M	1:15.77	75.77	2	37.885
1500M	1:57.29	117.29	3	39.096
3000M	4:14.87	254.87	6	42.478
5000M	9:06.14	546.14	10	54.614
10000M	16:20.06	980.06	20	49.003

The skaters having the lowest total score in each division is the winner of the competition. Medals are awarded to the skaters who finish in the first three places in each event.

MEMBERS OF THE UNITED STATES OLYMPIC TEAMS

1924—Chamonix, France

Joe Moore, New York; Charles Jewtraw, Lake Placid, NY; Valentine Bialis, Utica, NY; Richard (Duke) Donovan, St. Paul, MN; William Steinmetz and Harry Kaskey, Chicago, IL: Manager—William Taylor

1928—St. Moritz, Switzerland

Irving Jaffee, New York; Valentine Bialis, Utica, NY; Eddie Murphy and O'Neill Farrell, Chicago, IL: Manager—Oscar Hauser: Trainer—George Lloyd

1932—Lake Placid, NY,

Edward Schroeder, Eddie Murphy, O'Neill Farrell, Chicago, IL; Jack Shea, Lake Placid, NY; Valentine Bialis, Utica, NY; Irving Jaffee, Raymond Murray and Allan Potts, New York: Coach—William Taylor: Asst. Coach—William O'Hare: Trainer—Frank Volkringer

1936—Garmisch—Partenkirch, Germany

Delbert Lamb, Robert Peterson, Milwaukee, WI; Allan Potts, New York; Edward Schroeder, Leo Freisinger, Chicago, IL: Manager Henry Kemper, St. Louis: Coach—J. O'Neil Farrell, Chicago

1940—Cancelled, World War II

Team selected but never competed. Edward Schroeder, Leo Freisinger, George Wallace, George Shimek, Robert Heckenbach, Albert Kucera, Charles Leighton, Delbert Lamb: Coach—Peter Miller

1944—No Contests Due To War

1948—St. Moritz, Switzerland

Ken Bartholomew, Arthur Seaman, Robert Fitzgerald, John Werket, Minneapolis, MN; Ray Blum, Nutley, NJ; Ken Henry, Richard "Buddy" Solem, Chicago, IL; Louis "Sonny" Ruprecht, St. Louis, MO; Del Lamb, Milwaukee, WI: Manager—Ben Bagdade, Detroit, MI: Coach—Peter Miller

1952—Oslo, Norway

Ken Henry, Charles Burke, Chicago, IL; Donald McDermott, Ferndale, NY; Al Broadhurst, Roslindale, MA; John Werket, Robert Fitzgerald, Patrick McNamara, Eugene Sandvig, Minneapolis, MN: Manager—Richard Shearman, Jamestown, NY: Coach—Lamar Ottsen, St. Louis, MO

1956—Cortina d'Ampezzo, Italy

John Werket, Patrick McNamara, Donald McDermott, William Carow, Eugene Sandvig, Ken Henry, Arthur Longsjø, Charles Burke: Manager—Herbert Schwarz: Coach—Delbert Lamb

1960—Squaw Valley, CA,

William Disney, Richard (Terry) McDermott, William Carow, Donald McDermott, Eddie Rudolph, Floyd Bedbury, Keith Meyer, Richard Hunt, Ross Zucco, Arnold Uhrlass, Jean Ashworth, Kathleen Mulholland, Jeanne Omelenchuk, Barbara Lockhart, Cornelia Harrington, Beverly Buhr: Manager—Albert Zirkel: Coach Edward Schroeder

1964—Innsbruck, Austria

Richard (Terry) McDermott, Eddie Rudolph, William Disney, Tom Gray, Howard (Buddy) Campbell, Dick Hunt, Wayne LeBombard, Stan Fail, Floyd Bedbury, Roy Wallace, Jean Ashworth, Janice Smith, Marie Lawler, Barbara Lockhart, Judy Morstein, Sylvia White: Manager—Phillip Krumm: Coach—Leo Freisinger

1968—Grenoble, France

Richard (Terry) McDermott, Eddie Rudolph, Wayne LeBombard, Neil Blatchford, Mike Passarella, Rich Wurster, John Wurster, Roger Capan, Tom Gray, William Lanigan, Bill Cox, Daniel Carroll, Jeanne Ashworth, Dianne Holum, Mary Meyer, Jenny Fish, Toy Dorgan, Jeanne Omelenchuk, Sally Blatchford: Manager—George Howie: Coach—Ken Henry

1972—Sapporo, Japan

Neil Blatchford, Daniel Carroll, Peter Eberling, Charles Gilmore, Gary Jonland, Clark King, William Lanigan, Gregory Lyman, John Wurster, Jack Walters, Connie Carpenter, Anne Henning, Dianne Holum, Kay Lunda, Jeanne Omelenchuk, Leah Poulos, Sheila Young: Manager—Jim Hawkins: Coaches—Edward Rudolph, John Werket

1976—Innsbruck, Austria

James Chapin, Daniel Carroll, Eric Heiden, Dan Immerfall, Peter Mueller, Michael Woods, Charles Gilmore, Beth Heiden, Lori Monk, Leah Poulos, Cindy Seikkula, Nancy Swider, Sheila Young, Peggy Crowe, Kim Kostron: Manager—Eugene Sandvig: Coaches—Dianne Holum, Peter Schotting

1980—Lake Placid, NY, United States

James Chapin, Eric Heiden, Dan Immerfall, Erik Henriksen, Craig Kressler, Peter Mueller, Michael Plant, Thomas Plant, Kent Thometz, Michael Woods, Beth Heiden, Mary Docter, Sarah Docter, Kim Kostron, Leah Poulos-Mueller, Connie Paraskevin, Nancy Swider: Manager—Bill Cushman: Coaches—Dianne Holum, Peter Schotting

1984—Sarajevo, Yugoslavia

Dan Jansen, Nick Thometz, Kent Thometz, Michael Woods, Mark Mitchell, Dan Immerfall, Dave Silk, Mark Huck, James Chapin, Erik Henriksen, Mary Docter, Nancy Swider, Bonnie Blair, Dorie Boyce, Jan Goldman, Katie Class, Connie Paraskevin, Lydia Stephans: Manager—Bill Cushman: Coaches—Dianne Holum, Mike Crowe

1988—Calgary, Alberta, Canada
 LONG TRACK: John Baskfield, David Cruikshank, Tom Cushman, Eric Flaim, Mark Greenwald, Erik Henriksen, Dan Jansen, Jeff Klaiber, Marty Pierce, David Silk, Nick Thometz, Brian Wanek
 Leslie Bader, Bonnie Blair, Peggy Clasen, Katie Class, Mary Docter, Jan Goldman, Nancy Swider-Peltz, Kristen Talbot: Manager—Jack M. Byrne: Coach—Mike Crowe
 SHORT TRACK (Exhibition): Brian Arseneau, David Besteman, Andy Gabel, Pat Moore, Dave Pavlacic (Alt), Tara Laszlo, Becky Mane Sanfillipo, Amy Peterson, Tricia Stennes, Moira D'Andrea (Alt): Team Leader—Paul Mueller: Coach—Pat Maxwell

1992—Albertville, France
 LONG TRACK: David Besteman, David Cruikshank, Eric Flaim, Mark Greenwald, Dan Jansen, Jeff Klaiber, Tony Meibock, Nathaniel Mills, Marty Pierce, Chris Shelley, Nick Thometz, Brian Wanek
 Bonnie Blair, Peggy Clasen, Mary Docter, Moira D'Andrea, Michelle Kline, Tara Laszlo, Kristen Talbot, Angela Zuckerman
 SHORT TRACK: Andy Gabel, Charles King
 Darcie Dohnal, Carrie Johnson, Amy Peterson, Tricia Stennes, Cathy Turner, Nikki Ziegelmeier

1994—Lillehammer, Norway
 LONG TRACK: Dan Jansen, David Cruikshank, Brendan Eppert, Nathaniel Mills, Dave Tamburrino, Brian Wanek, Dave Besteman, KC Boutiette, Bonnie Blair, Chantal Bailey, Peggy Clasen, Michelle Kline, Christine Scheels, Kristin Talbot, Christine Witt, Angela Zuckerman: Coaches—Peter Mueller and Nick Thometz: Team Leader—Dan Immerfall
 SHORT TRACK: Randy Bartz, John Coyle, Eric Flaim, Andy Gabel, Tony Goskowicz, Amy Peterson, Cathy Turner, Karen Cashman, Nikki Ziegelmeier, Shana Sundstrom: Coach—Jeroen Otter: Assistant Coach—Pat Maxwell: Team Leader—Jack Mortell

OLYMPIC MEDALS WON BY U.S.A. SKATERS

Date	Place	Name	Finish	Distance
1924	Chamonix	Charles Jewtraw	1st	500 meters
1928	St. Moritz	John Farrell	3rd	500 meters
1932	Lake Placid	John Shea	1st	500 meters
		John Shea	1st	1,500 meters
		Irving Jaffee	1st	5,000 meters
		Irving Jaffee	1st	10,000 meters
		Edward Murphy	2nd	5,000 meters
1936	Garmisch-Partenkirch	Leo Freisinger	3rd	500 meters
1940 & 1944	No Contests Due to World War II			
1948	St. Moritz	Ken Bartholomew	2nd (tie)	500 meters
		Robert Fitzgerald	2nd (tie)	500 meters
1952	Oslo	Ken Henry	1st	500 meters
		Don McDermott	2nd	500 meters
1956	Cortina	None		
	d'Ampezzo			
1960	Squaw Valley	Bill Disney	2nd	500 meters
		Jeanne Ashworth	3rd	500 meters
1964	Innsbruck	Terry McDermott	1st	500 meters
1968	Grenoble	Terry McDermott	2nd	500 meters

		Jennie Fish	2nd (tie)	500 meters
		Dianne Holum	2nd (tie)	500 meters
		Mary Meyer	2nd (tie)	500 meters
		Dianne Holum	3rd	1,000 meters
1972	Sapporo	Anne Henning	1st	500 meters
		Dianne Holum	1st	1,500 meters
		Dianne Holum	2nd	3,000 meters
		Anne Henning	3rd	1,000 meters
1976	Innsbruck	Peter Mueller	1st	1,000 meters
		Sheila Young	1st	500 meters
		Sheila Young	2nd	1,500 meters
		Sheila Young	3rd	1,000 meters
		Leah Poulos	2nd	1,000 meters
		Dan Immerfall	3rd	500 meters
1980	Lake Placid	Eric Heiden	1st	500 meters
		Eric Heiden	1st	1,000 meters
		Eric Heiden	1st	1,500 meters
		Eric Heiden	1st	5,000 meters
		Eric Heiden	1st	10,000 meters
		Leah Poulos Mueller	2nd	500 meters
		Leah Poulos Mueller	2nd	1,000 meters
		Beth Heiden	3rd	3,000 meters
1984	Sarajevo	None		
1988	Calgary	Bonnie Blair	1st	500 meters
		Eric Flaim	2nd	1,500 meters
		Bonnie Blair	3rd	1,000 meters
1992	Albertville			
	LONG TRACK	Bonnie Blair	1st	500 meters
		Bonnie Blair	1st	1000 meters
	SHORT TRACK	Cathy Turner	1st	500 meters
		Cathy Turner	2nd	3000 meters
		Amy Peterson		Relay Team
		Darcie Dohnal		
		Nikki Ziegelmeier		
1994	Lillehammer			
	LONG TRACK	Bonnie Blair	1st	500 meters
		Bonnie Blair	1st	1000 meters
		Dan Jansen	1st	1000 meters
	SHORT TRACK	Cathy Turner	1st	500 meters
		Amy Peterson	3rd	500 meters
		Cathy Turner	3rd	3000 meters
		Amy Peterson		Relay Team
		Nikki Ziegelmeier		
		Karen Cashman		
		Randy Bartz	2nd	5000 meters
		John Coyle		Relay Team
		Eric Flaim		
		Andy Gabel		

OLYMPIC RECORDS

MEN					
500M	0:36.33	Aleksandr Golubev	Russia	Hamar	1994
1000M	1:12.43	Dan Jansen	USA	Hamar	1994
1500M	1:51.29	Johann Olav Koss	Norway	Hamar	1994
5000M	6:34.96	Johann Olav Koss	Norway	Hamar	1994
10000M	13:30.55	Johann Olav Koss	Norway	Hamar	1994
WOMEN					
500M	0:39.10	Bonnie Blair	USA	Calgary	1988
1000M	1:17.65	C. Rothenburger	E. Germany	Calgary	1988
1500M	2:00.68	Yvonne Van Gennip	Netherlands	Calgary	1988
3000M	4:11.94	Yvonne Van Gennip	Netherlands	Calgary	1988
5000M	7:14.13	Yvonne Van Gennip	Netherlands	Calgary	1988

FASTEST TIMES BY AMERICAN SKATERS IN OLYMPIC COMPETITION

MEN					
500M	0:36.68	Dan Jansen	Hamar	1994	8th Place
1000M	1:12.43	Dan Jansen	Hamar	1994	1st Place
1500M	1:52.12	Eric Flaim	Calgary	1988	2nd Place
5000M	6:47.09	Eric Flaim	Calgary	1988	4th Place
10000M	14:05.57	Eric Flaim	Calgary	1988	4th Place
WOMEN					
500M	0:39.10	Bonnie Blair	Calgary	1988	1st Place
1000M	1:18.31	Bonnie Blair	Calgary	1988	3rd Place
1500M	2:03.44	Bonnie Blair	Hamar	1994	4th Place
3000M	4:25.26	Janet Goldman	Calgary	1988	11th Place
5000M	7:36.98	Janet Goldman	Calgary	1988	10th Place

RECORD GOLD MEDAL WINNERS

1936	Ivar Ballangrud	Norway	Garmisch
1952	Hjalmar Anderson	Norway	Oslo
1964	Lydia Skoblikova	Russia	Innsbruck
1972	Ard Schenk	Holland	Sapporo
1980	Eric Heiden	USA	Lake Placid
1988	Yvonne Van Gennip	Netherlands	Calgary
1994	Johann Olav Koss	Norway	Hamar

OLYMPIC LONG TRACK CHAMPIONS

MEN—500 METERS

1924—Charles Jewtraw, USA	0:44.0
1928—Clas Thunberg, Finland & Bernt Evensen, Norway	0:43.4
1932—John A. Shea, USA	0:43.4
1936—Ivar Ballangrud, Norway	0:43.4
1948—Finn Helgesen, Norway	0:43.1
1952—Ken Henry, USA	0:43.2
1956—Evgeni Grishin, Russia	0:40.2
1960—Evgeni Grishin, Russia	0:40.2
1964—Terry McDermott, USA	0:40.1
1968—Erhard Keller, W. Germany	0:40.3
1972—Erhard Keller, W. Germany	0:39.44
1976—Evgeni Kulikov, Russia	0:39.17
1980—Eric Heiden, USA	0:38.03
1984—Sergei Fokichev, Russia	0:38.19
1988—Uwe-Jens Mey, E. Germany	0:36.45
1992—Uwe-Jens Mey, Germany	0:37.14
1994—Aleksandr Golubev, Russia	0:36.33

MEN—1000 METERS

1976—Peter Mueller, USA	1:19.32
1980—Eric Heiden, USA	1:15.18
1984—Gaetan Boucher, Canada	1:15.80
1988—Nikolai Guliaev, Russia	1:13.03
1992—Olaf Zinke, Germany	1:14.85
1994—Dan Jansen, USA	1:12.43

MEN—1,500 METERS

1924—Clas Thunberg, Finland	2:20.8
1928—Clas Thunberg, Finland	2:21.1
1932—John A. Shea, USA	2:57.5
1936—Charles Mathisen, Norway	2:19.2
1948—Sverre Farstad, Norway	2:17.6
1952—Hjalmar Anderson, Norway	2:20.4
1956—Evgeni Grishin, Russia & Yuri Mikhailov, Russia	2:08.6
1960—Roald Aas, Norway & Evgeni Grishin, Russia	2:10.4
1964—Ants Antson, Russia	2:10.3
1968—Kees Verkerk, Netherlands	2:03.4
1972—Ard Schenk, Holland	2:02.96
1976—Jan Egil Storholt, Norway	1:59.38
1980—Eric Heiden, USA	1:55.44
1984—Gaetan Boucher, Canada	1:58.36
1988—Andre Hoffmann, E. Germany	1:52.06
1992—Johann Olav Koss, Norway	1:54.81
1994—Johann Olav Koss, Norway	1:51.29

WOMEN—500 METERS

1932—J. Wilson, Canada (unofficial)	0:58.0
1960—Helga Haase, Germany	0:45.9
1964—Lydia Skoblikova, Russia	0:45.0
1968—Liudmila Titova, Russia	0:46.1
1972—Anne Henning, USA	0:43.33
1976—Sheila Young, USA	0:42.76
1980—Karin Enke, E. Germany	0:41.78
1984—Christa Rothenburger, E. Germany	0:41.02
1988—Bonnie Blair, USA	0:39.10
1992—Bonnie Blair, USA	0:40.33
1994—Bonnie Blair, USA	0:39.25

WOMEN—1,500 METERS

1932—Kit Klein, USA (unofficial)	3:06.0
1960—Lydia Skoblikova, Russia	2:52.2
1964—Lydia Skoblikova, Russia	2:22.6
1968—Kajja Mustonen, Finland	2:22.4
1972—Dianne Holum, USA	2:20.85
1976—Galina Stepanovskaya, Russia	2:16.58
1980—Annie Borckink, Holland	2:10.95
1984—Karin Enke, E. Germany	2:03.42
1988—Yvonne VanGennip, Netherlands	2:00.68
1992—Jacqueline Boermer, Ger.	2:05.87
1994—Emese Hunyady, Aut.	2:02.19

MEN—5000 METERS

1924—Clas Thunberg, Finland	8:39.9
1928—Ivar Ballangrud, Norway	8:50.5
1932—Irving Jaffee, USA	9:40.8
1936—Ivar Ballangrud, Norway	8:19.6
1948—Reidar Liaklev, Norway	8:29.4
1952—Hjalmar Andersen, Norway	8:10.6
1956—Boris Shilkov, Russia	7:48.7
1960—Viktor Kosichkin, Russia	7:51.3
1964—Knut Johannesen, Norway	7:38.4
1968—Fred Anton Maier, Norway	7:22.4
1972—Ard Schenk, Holland	7:23.61
1976—Sten Stensen, Norway	7:24.48
1980—Eric Heiden, USA	7:02.29
1984—Tomas Gustafson, Sweden	7:12.28
1988—Tomas Gustafson, Sweden	6:44.63
1992—Geir Karlstad, Norway	6:59.97
1994—Johann Olav Koss, Norway	6:34.96

MEN—10,000 METERS

1924—Julius Skutnabb, Finland	18:04.8
1928—No decision, thawing of ice (Irving Jaffee USA had best time)	8:36.51
1936—Ivar Ballangrud, Norway	17:24.3
1948—Ake Seyffarth, Sweden	17:26.3
1952—Hjalmar Andersen, Norway	16:45.8
1956—Sigvard Ericson, Sweden	16:35.9
1960—Knut Johannesen, Norway	15:46.6
1964—Jonny Nilsson, Norway	15:50.1
1968—Johnny Hoeglin, Sweden	15:23.6
1972—Ard Schenk, Holland	15:01.35
1976—Piet Kleine, Holland	14:50.59
1980—Eric Heiden, USA	14:28.13
1984—Igor Malkov, Russia	14:39.90
1988—Tomas Gustafson, Sweden	13:48.20
1992—Bart Veldkamp, Holland	14:12.12
1994—Johann Olav Koss, Norway	13:30.55

WOMEN—1000 METERS

1932—E. DuBois USA.....	2:04.0
(unofficial)	
1960—Klara Guseva, Russia.....	1:34.1
1964—Lidia Skoblikova, Russia	1:33.2
1968—Carry Geijssen, Netherlands	1:32.6
1972—Monika Pflug, Germany.....	1:31.40
1976—Tatiana Averina, Russia	1:28.43
1980—Natalia Petrusseva, Russia	1:24.10
1984—Karin Enke, E. Germany.....	1:21.61
1988—Christa Rothenburger, E Germany.....	1:17.65
1992—Bonnie Blair, USA.....	1:21.90
1994—Bonnie Blair, USA.....	1:18.74

WOMEN—3,000 METERS

1960—Lidia Skoblikova, Russia	5:14.3
1964—Lidia Skoblikova, Russia	5:14.9
1968—Ans Schut, Netherlands	4:56.2
1972—Stien Bass-Kaiser, Holland	4:52.14
1976—Tatiana Averina, Russia	4:45.19
1980—Bjerg Eva Jensen, Norway.....	4:32.13
1984—Andrea Schone, E. Germany	4:24.79
1988—Yvonne VanGennip, Netherlands ..	4:11.94
1992—Gunda Niemann, Germany	4:19.90
1994—Svetlana Bazhanova, Russia.....	4:17.43

WOMEN—5000 METERS

1988—Y. Van Gennip, Holland	7:14.13
1992—Gunda Niemann, Germany.....	7:31.57
1994—Claudia Pechstein, Germany	7:14.37

OLYMPIC SHORT TRACK CHAMPIONS

MEN—1000 METERS

1992—Kim Ki-Hoon, Republic of Korea
1994—Kim Ki-Hoon, Republic of Korea

MEN—5000 METER RELAY

1992—Republic of Korea
1994—Italy

MEN—500 METERS

1994—Ji-Hoon Chae, Republic of Korea

WOMEN—500 METERS

1992—Cathy Turner, USA
1994—Cathy Turner, USA

WOMEN—3000 METER RELAY

1992—Canada
1994—Republic of Korea

WOMEN—1000 METERS

1994—Lee Kyung Chun, Republic of Korea
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U.S. MEDALS WON AT WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS MEN

Year	Competitor	Medal	Distance	Time	Place
1889	Jos. F. Donoghue	Silver	1 mile	3.00,2	Amsterdam
1889	Jos. F. Donoghue	Gold	2 mile	WR 6.24,0	Amsterdam
1891	Jos. F. Donoghue	Gold	1/2 mile	1,25,4	Amsterdam
1891	Jos. F. Donoghue	Gold	2 mile	WR 6.10,8	Amsterdam
1891	Jos. F. Donoghue	Gold	1 mile	3.00,4	Amsterdam
1891	Jos. F. Donoghue	Gold	5 mile	16.02,2	Amsterdam
	Jos. F. Donoghue	WORLD CHAMPION			
1932	Allan Potts	Bronze	500M	44.8T	Lake Placid
1932	Eddie Schroeder	Silver	5000M	8.41,9	Lake Placid
1932	Bert Taylor	Bronze	1500M	2.26,4	Lake Placid
1932	Bert Taylor	Silver	1000M	18.05,4T	Lake Placid
1933	Eddie Schroeder	Bronze	5000M	8.46,3	Trondheim
1933	Eddie Schroeder	Gold	10000M	17.43,6	Trondheim
1936	Del Lamb	Gold	500M	42.6	Davos
1936	Eddie Schroeder	Silver	5000M	8,42,0	Davos
1936	Eddie Schroeder	3rd Overall 198.41 points			Davos
1938	Leo Freisinger	Silver	500M	41.9	Davos
1948	John Werket	Silver	500M	44.3	Helsinki
1948	John Werket	Gold	1500M	2.22,3	Helsinki
1948	John Werket	2nd Overall 199.81 points			Helsinki
1949	Ken Henry	Gold	500M	46.3	Oslo
1949	John Werket	Silver	500M	47.1	Oslo
1949	John Werket	Gold	1500M	2.30,8	Oslo
1949	Ken Henry	Bronze	1500M	2.32,2	Oslo
1950	John Werket	Gold	500M	47.3	Eskilstuna
1950	Del Lamb	Silver	500M	47.4	Eskilstuna
1950	Ken Henry	Bronze	500M	47.5	Eskilstuna
1950	John Werket	Gold	1500M	2.32.1	Eskilstuna
1950	Ken Henry	Bronze	1500M	2.36,4T	Eskilstuna
1950	John Werket	3rd Overall 212.19 points			
1952	Ken Henry	Gold	500M	43.4	Hamar
1952	John Werket	Silver	500M	43.8	Hamar
1952	John Werket	Silver	1500M	2.21,8	Hamar
1955	Don McDermott	Bronze	500M	43.2	Moscow
1963	Eddie Rudolph	Silver	500M	40.2	Karuizawa
1966	Tom Gray	Gold	500M	40.9	Goteborg
1967	Tom Gray	Silver	500M	41.4	Oslo
1968	Neil Blatchford	Silver	500M	40.6	Goteborg
1969	Neil Blatchford	Silver	500M	40.3	Deventer
1973	Bill Lanigan	Gold	500M	42.00	Deventer
1974	Peter Mueller	Bronze	500M	40.75	Inzell
1975	Dan Carroll	Silver	1500M	2.05.53	Oslo
1976	Eric Heiden	Gold	500M	39.11	Heerenveen
1977	Eric Heiden	Gold	500M	38.80	Heerenveen
	Eric Heiden	Bronze	1500M	2.01.66	
	Eric Heiden	Bronze	10,000M	14.59.02	
	Eric Heiden	World Champion 167.831 points			
1978	Eric Heiden	Gold	500M	39.01	Goteborg
	Eric Heiden	Gold	1500M	2.00.22	
	Eric Heiden	Gold	5000M	7.20.80	
	Eric Heiden	World Champion 169.016 points			
1979	Eric Heiden	Gold	500M	38.22	Oslo
	Eric Heiden	Gold	1500M	1.56.05	
	Eric Heiden	Gold	5000M	6.59.15	

	Eric Heiden	Gold	10,000M	14.43.11	
	Mike Woods	Silver	5000M	7.10.93	
	Eric Heiden	World Champion	162.973 points	WR	
1980	Eric Heiden	Gold	500M	39.82	Heerenveen
	Tom PLant	Silver	500M	39.95	
	Eric Heiden	Silver	1500M	2.03.87	
	Mike Woods	Gold	10,000M	15.02.39	
	Eric Heiden	2nd Overall	171.880 points		
1982	Nick Thometz	Silver	500M	38.77	Assen
1984	Mike Woods	Silver	10,000M	15.11.02	Goteborg
1985	Dave Silk	Silver	10,000M	15.00.56	Hamar
1986	No Medals				Inzell
1987	No Medals				Holland
1988	Eric Flaim	Silver	500M	37.14	Medeo
	David Silk	Gold	1500M	1:53.66	
	Eric Flaim	Silver	1500M	1:53.92	
	Eric Flaim	World Champion	162.849 points		
	David Silk	3rd Overall	163.926 points		
1989	Eric Flaim	Silver	500M	38.36	Oslo
1990	Eric Flaim	Bronze	500M	38.16	Innsbruck
1991	Nat Mills	Silver	500M	37.87	Heerenveen
1992-94	No Medals				

U.S. MEDALS WON AT WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS WOMEN

Year	Competitor	Medal	Distance	Time	Place
1936	1st year of World Competition				
	Kit Klein	Gold	500M	53.3	Stockholm
	Kit Klein	Bronze	1000M	1.52.2	
	Kit Klein	Gold	3000M	6.12.0 WR	
	Kit Klein	Silver	5000M	10.18.0	
	Kit Klein	World Champion	234.70 points		
1938	Maddy Horn	Silver	500M	51.2	Oslo
	Maddy Horn	Silver	1000M	1.40.3	
No competition from 1940 through 1946					
1964	Marie Lawler	Bronze	500M	46.4	Kristinehamn
1967	Mary Meyers	Gold	500M	46.0	Deventer
	Dianne Holum	Silver	500M	46.1 T	
	Dianne Holum	Bronze	1000M	1.37.5	
	Dianne Holum	3rd Overall	199.60 points		
1968	Dianne Holum	Silver	500M	46.2	Helsinki
1970	Leah Poulos	Silver	500M	45.73	West Allis
1971	Anne Henning	Gold	500M	44.6	Helsinki
	Dianne Holum	Gold	1000M	1.33.0	
	Dianne Holum	Bronze	1500M	2.25.6	
1972	Dianne Holum	Gold	500M	43.59	Heerenveen
	Leah Poulos	Silver	500M	43.79	
	Dianne Holum	Bronze	1500M	2.18.51	
	Dianne Holum	Bronze	1000M	1.31.73	
	Dianne Holum	3rd Overall	186.252 points		
1973	Sheila Young	Gold	500M	43.56	Stromsund
1974	Sheila Young	Gold	500M	44.44	Heerenveen
	Sheila Young	Bronze	1500M	2.21.52	
	Sheila Young	3rd Overall	186.984 points		
1975	Sheila Young	Gold	500M	42.30	Assen
	Sheila Young	Gold	1000M	1.30.87	
1976	Sheila Young	Gold	500M	42.26	Gjovik
	Leah Poulos	Silver	500M	43.08	

	Sheila Young	Gold	1000M	1.28.69	
	Sheila Young	3rd Overall	185.49 points		
1977	Beth Heiden	Bronze	500M	42.5	Keystone
	Beth Heiden	Silver	3000M	4.48.43	
1979	Beth Heiden	Gold	500M	44.49	Hague
	Beth Heiden	Gold	1500M	2.13.79	
	Beth Heiden	Gold	1000M	1.26.14	
	Beth Heiden	Gold	3000M	4.41.24	
	Mike Woods	Silver	5000M	7.10.93	
	Beth Heiden	World Champion	179.030 points		
1980	Beth Heiden	Bronze	1000M	1.27.46	Hamar
	Sarah Docter	Bronze	3000M	4:40.92	Hamar
	Beth Heiden	Silver	3000M	4:38.34	Hamar
	Beth Heiden	2nd Overall	180.163 points		
1981	Sarah Docter	Bronze	1000M	1.28.57	Quebec City
	Sarah Docter	Bronze	3000M	4.46.60	
	Sarah Docter	3rd Overall	182.441 points		
1982	Sarah Docter	Bronze	3000M	4.28.05	Inzell
1984	Mary Docter	Bronze	3000M	4.32.44	Deventer
1985	Bonnie Blair	Bronze	500M		Sarajevo
1986	No Medals				Holland
1987	Katie Class	Bronze	500M	41.97	Milwaukee
1988-94	No Medals				
1995	Maira d'Andrea	Bronze	500M	41.70	Savalen
1996	Becky Sundstrom	Gold	500M	41.31	Inzell

MEDALS WON AT WORLD SPRINT CHAMPIONSHIPS.

Year	Competitor	Medal	Distance	Time	Place
1970	1st World Sprint Competition-No medals won				West Allis
1971	Anne Henning	Gold	500M	WR 42.91	Inzell
	Anne Henning	Gold	500M	WR 42.75	
	Dianne Holum	Bronze	1000M	1.29.2	
	Dan Carroll	Bronze	1000M		1.20.07
	Anne Henning	2nd Overall	176.61 points		
	Dianne Holum	3rd Overall	179.02 points		
1972	Sheila Young	Gold	500M	44.20	Eskilstuna
	Leah Poulos	Silver	500M	44.64	
	Sheila Young	Gold	500M	44.76	
	Leah Poulos	Bronze	500M	44.93	
	Dianne Holum	Gold	1000M	1.31.88	
	Dianne Holum	Gold	1000M	1.32.65	
	Dianne Holum	2nd Overall			
1973	Sheila Young	Gold	500M	43.34	Oslo
	Sheila Young	Gold	500M	43.37	
	Sheila Young	Gold	1000M	1.30.45	
	Sheila Young	Silver	1000M	1.31.16	
	Sheila Young	World Sprint Champion	177.515 points		
	Dan Immerfall	Gold	500M	39.70	
1974	Sheila Young	Gold	500M	43.18	Innsbruck
	Leah Poulos	Silver	500M	43.75	
	Leah Poulos	Silver	500M	43.20	
	Sheila Young	Gold	1000M	1.27.35	
	Sheila Young	Silver	1000M	1.34.20	
	Leah Poulos	Silver	1000M	1.28.19	
	Leah Poulos	World Sprint Champion	180.415 points		
	Dan Immerfall	Silver	500M	39.30	
1975	Sheila Young	Gold	500M	43.92	Goteborg
	Sheila Young	Gold	1000M	1.29.94	

	Sheila Young	Gold	1000M	1.29.63	
	Sheila Young	World Sprint Champion		178.045 points	
	Peter Mueller	Bronze	500M	40.67	
	Dan Carroll	Bronze	1000M	1.23.40	
1976	Sheila Young	Gold	500M	42.87	
	Leah Poulos	Silver	500M	43.22	
	Sheila Young	Gold	1000M	1.28.56	
	Leah Poulos	Silver	1000M	1.29.30	
	Sheila Young	Gold	500M	42.60	
	Leah Poulos	Silver	500M	43.17	
	Sheila Young	Gold	1000M	1.28.40	West Berlin
	Leah Poulos	Bronze	1000M	1.29.72	
	Sheila Young	World Sprint Champion		173.950 points	
	Leah Poulos	2nd Overall		175.900 points	
	Dan Immerfall	Gold	500M	39.73	
	Peter Mueller	Silver	500M	40.25	
	Dan Immerfall	Gold	500M	39.69	
	Dan Immerfall	2nd Overall		161.200 points	
	Peter Mueller	3rd Overall		161.235	
1977	Kim Kostron	Gold	500M	44.67	Akimaar
	Leah Poulos	Silver	500M	44.75	
	Leah Poulos	Bronze	500M	43.94	
	Leah Poulos	Bronze	1000M	1.29.71	
	Leah Poulos	2nd Overall		179.545 points	
	Peter Mueller	Gold	500M	39.64	
	Eric Heiden	Silver	500M	39.68	
	Eric Heiden	Gold	1000M	1.19.34	
	Eric Heiden	Gold	1000M	1.17.59	
	Peter Mueller	Silver	1000M	1.18.32	
	Eric Heiden	World Sprint Champion		157.455 points	
	Peter Mueller	2nd Overall		157.925 points	
1978	Beth Heiden	Gold	500M	42.97	Lake Placid
	Connie Paraskevin	Bronze	500M	43.36	
	Kim Kostron	Gold	1000M	1.28.77	
	Beth Heiden	Silver	1000M	1.29.16	
	Beth Heiden	Silver	500M	42.89	
	Connie Paraskevin	Bronze	500M	43.35	
	Beth Heiden	Silver	1000M	1.28.82	
	Beth Heiden	2nd Overall		174.850 points	
	Eric Heiden	Gold	500M	38.22	
	Eric Heiden	Gold	1000M	1.17.47	
	Eric Heiden	Silver	500M	38.69	
	Eric Heiden	Gold	1000M	1.16.52	
	Eric Heiden	World Sprint Champion		153.905 points	
1979	Leah Mueller	2nd Overall		157.925 points	
	Beth Heiden	Gold	500M	42.97	Lake Placid
	Connie Paraskevin	Bronze	500M	43.36	
	Kim Kostron	Gold	1000M	1.28.77	
	Beth Heiden	Silver	1000M	1.29.16	
	Beth Heiden	Silver	500M	42.89	
	Connie Paraskevin	Bronze	500M	43.35	
	Beth Heiden	Silver	1000M	1.28.82	
	Beth Heiden	2nd Overall		174.850 points	
	Eric Heiden	Gold	500M	38.22	
	Eric Heiden	Gold	1000M	1.17.47	
	Eric Heiden	Silver	500M	38.69	
	Eric Heiden	Gold	1000M	1.16.52	
	Eric Heiden	World Sprint Champion		153.905 points	
1979	Leah Mueller	2nd Overall		157.925 points	
	Beth Heiden	Gold	500M	42.21	Inzell
	Beth Heiden	Gold	1000M	1.26.09	
	Leah Mueller	Gold	500M	42.10	
	Beth Heiden	Gold	1000M	1.25.61	
	Leah Mueller	World Sprint Champion		171.020 points	
	Beth Heiden	2nd Overall		179.910 points	
	Eric Heiden	Gold	500M	38.17	
	Eric Heiden	Gold	1000M	1.14.99	
	Eric Heiden	Gold	500M	38.23	
	Eric Heiden	Gold	1000M	1.15.07	
	Peter Mueller	Silver	1000M	1.16.95	
	Eric Heiden	World Sprint Champion		151.430 points	
1980	Leah Mueller	2nd Overall		179.910 points	
	Sara Docter	Silver	500M	42.47	Milwaukee
	Beth Heiden	Silver	1000M	1.27.07	
	Leah Mueller	Bronze	1000M	1.27.17	
	Leah Mueller	Gold	500M	42.25	

	Beth Heiden	Silver	1000M	1.29.11	
	Leah Mueller	2nd Overall		174.585 points	
	Beth Heiden	3rd Overall		175.130 points	
	Tom Plant	Gold	500M	38.66	
	Eric Heiden	Silver	500M	38.69 Tie	
	Peter Mueller	Silver	500M	39.69 Tie	
	Eric Heiden	Gold	1000M	1.17.23	
	Eric Heiden	Gold	500M	38.61	
	Dan Immerfall	Silver	500M	39.07	
	Eric Heiden	Gold	1000M	1.17.98	
	Tom Plant	Bronze	1000M	1.19.87	
	Eric Heiden	World Sprint Champion		154.905 points	
	Tom Plant	3rd Overall		158.960 points	
1981	Connie Pareskevin	Bronze	500M	43.36	Grenoble
	Kim Kostron	Gold	1000M	1:28.77	
	Beth Heiden	Silver	1000M	1:29.16	
	Beth Heiden	Silver	500M	42.89	
	Connie Pareskevin	Bronze	500M	43.35	
	Beth Heiden	Silver	1000M	1:28.82	
	Eric Heiden	Gold	500M	38.22	
	Eric Heiden	Gold	1000M	1:17.47	
	Eric Heiden	Silver	500M	38.69	
	Eric Heiden	Gold	1000M	1:16.52	
	Eric Heiden	World Sprint Champion		153.905 points	
1982	Nick Thometz	Bronze	1000M	1.17.97	Alkmaar
1983					Helsinki
1984					Trondheim
1985	Dan Jansen	Silver	500M	37.94	Heerenveen
	Erik Henriksen	Bronze	500M	38.06	
	Erik Henriksen	Bronze	1000M	1.15.93	
	Dan Jansen	3rd Overall		153.335 points	
1986	Dan Jansen	Bronze	500M	37.38	Japan
	Dan Jansen	Silver	1000M	1.15.68	
	Dan Jansen	Gold	500M	36.84	
	Nick Thometz	Silver	1000M	1.14.72	
	Dan Jansen	Bronze	1000M	1.15.07	
	Dan Jansen	3rd Overall		149.595 points	
	Bonnie Blair	Bronze	500M	40.73	
	Bonnie Blair tie	Silver	500M	40.08	
	Bonnie Blair	3rd Overall		163.635 points	
1987	Nick Thometz	Bronze	500M	38.53	Japan
	Nick Thometz	Gold	1000M	1:19.58	
	Nick Thometz	2nd Overall		155.160 points	
	Bonnie Blair	Silver	500M	41.63	
	Bonnie Blair	Bronze	1000M	1:26.84	
	Bonnie Blair	Gold	500M	40.50	
	Bonnie Blair	2nd Overall		167.810 points	
1988	Bonnie Blair	Silver	500M	41.60	Milwaukee
	Bonnie Blair	Gold	500M	41.03	
	Bonnie Blair	3rd Overall		167.495 points	
	Dan Jansen	Gold	500M	38.88	
	Dan Jansen	Gold	1000M	1.20.24	
	Dan Jansen	Gold	500M	38.15	
	Eric Flaim	Gold	1000M	1:17.30	
	Dan Jansen	World Sprint Champion		155.975 points	
	Eric Flaim	3rd Overall		157.065 points	
1989	Bonnie Blair	Gold	500M	39.47	Heerenveen
	Bonnie Blair	Gold	500M	39.54	
	Bonnie Blair	Bronze	1000M	1:20.48	
	Bonnie Blair	Silver	1000M	1:20.37	

Year	Competitor	Medal	Distance	Time	Place	Date
1990	Bonnie Blair	World Sprint Champion	159.435 points	(World Record)		
	Dan Jansen	Silver	500M	36.55		
	Dan Jansen	Bronze	500M	36.87		
	Eric Flaim	Bronze	1000M	1:13.75		
	Bonnie Blair	Silver	500M	41.65	Tromso	
	Bonnie Blair	Silver	500M	41.69		
	Bonnie Blair	Gold	1000M	1:24.90		
	Bonnie Blair	2nd Overall	169.95 points			
	Dan Jansen	Bronze	(tie) 500M	38.15		
	Bonnie Blair	Bronze	500M	0:40.38	Inzell	
1991	Dan Jansen	Bronze	500M	0:37.23	Inzell	
	Bonnie Blair	Gold	500M	40.74		
	Bonnie Blair	Gold	500M	41.08		
1992	Bonnie Blair	2nd Overall	168.790 points			
	Dan Jansen	Silver	500M	37.92		
	Dan Jansen	Silver	500M	37.92		
1993	Dan Jansen	2nd Overall	154.250 points			
	Bonnie Blair	Silver	500M	0:40.94	Japan	
	Bonnie Blair	Bronze	500M	0:40.88		
1994	Bonnie Blair	2nd Overall	166.475 points			
	Dan Jansen	Bronze	500M	0:37.17		
	Bonnie Blair	Gold	500M	0:39.12	Calgary	
	Bonnie Blair	Gold	500M	0:39.39		
	Bonnie Blair	Gold	1000M	1:18.88		
	Bonnie Blair	Gold	1000M	1:19.11		
	Bonnie Blair	World Sprint Champion	157.405 points	(World Record)		
	Dan Jansen	Gold	500M	0:35.76		
	Dan Jansen	Gold	500M	0:35.96		
	1995	Dan Jansen	World Sprint Champion	144.815 points	(World Record)	
Bonnie Blair		Gold	500M	0:39.13	Milwaukee	
Bonnie Blair		Gold	1000M	1:19.43	Milwaukee	
Bonnie Blair		Gold	500M	0:39.54	Milwaukee	
Bonnie Blair		Gold	1000M	1:19.52	Milwaukee	
1996	Bonnie Blair	World Sprint Champion	158.145 points			
	Chris Witty	Silver	1000M	1:20.75	Milwaukee	
	Chris Witty	Bronze	500M	0:40.44	Heerenveen	
	Chris Witty	Gold	1000M	1:20.63	Heerenveen	
	Chris Witty	Gold	1000M	1:19.97	Heerenveen	
	Chris Witty	World Sprint Champion	161.170 points			

MEDALS WON AT WORLD SINGLE DISTANCE CHAMPIONSHIPS

Year	Competitor	Medal	Distance	Time	Place	Date
1996	Chris Witty	Silver	1000M	1:21.53	Hamar	3/15/96

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Distance	Time	Name	Country	Place	Date
MEN					
500M	0:35.76	Dan Jansen	U.S.A.	Calgary	1/30/94
1000M	1:12.37	Yasunori Miyabe	Japan	Calgary	3/26/94
1500M	1:51.29	Johann Olav Koss	Norway	Hamar	2/16/94
5000M	6:34.96	Johann Olav Koss	Norway	Hamar	2/13/94

10,000M	13:30.55	Johann Olav Koss	Norway	Hamar	2/20/94
500/1000/500/1000M	0:35.86, 1:12.62, 0:36.09, 1:12.37	Yasunori Miyabe	Japan	Calgary	3/25-26/94
500/5000/1500/10,000M	0:37.30, 6:39.46, 1:51.60, 13:55.11	Rintje Ritsma	Netherlands	Hamar	1/7-9/94
				144.445 points	
				156.201 points	

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500M	0:38.69	Bonnie Blair	U.S.A.	Calgary	2/12/95
1000M	1:17.65	Christa Rothenburger	Germany	Calgary	2/26/88
1500M	1:59.30	Karin Kania	Germany	Medeo	3/22/86
3000M	4:09.32	Gunda Niemann	Germany	Calgary	3/25/94
5000M	7:03.26	Gunda Niemann	Germany	Calgary	3/26/94
500/1000/500/1000M	0:39.18, 1:18.74, 0:38.69, 1:18.39	Bonnie Blair	U.S.A.	Calgary	2/11-12/95
500/1500/1000/3000M	0:40.22, 2:01.33, 1:20.42, 4:22.71	Emese Hunyady	Austria	Calgary	3/26-27/94
500/3000/1500/5000M	0:40.99, 2:02.45, 4:12.25, 7:14.35	Gunda Niemann	Germany	Hamar	1/7-9/94
				156.435 points	
				164.658 points	
				167.282 points	

MEDALS WON IN JUNIOR WORLD LONG TRACK CHAMPIONSHIPS

1973	Kay Lunda	Silver	500m	45.73	Assen
	Connie Carpenter	Bronze	500M	47.04	
	Kay Lunda	Silver	1000M	1.38.07	
1975	Connie Carpenter	Bronze	1 000M	1.39.21	
	Eric Heiden	Bronze	500M	41.89	
	Eric Heiden	Bronze	500M	44.51	Madonna
1976	Kim Kostron	Gold	1000M	1.29.28	
	Beth Heiden	Gold	1500M	2.18.87	
	Dan Immerfall	Gold	500M	39.35	
	Eric Heiden	Gold	1500M	2.02.75	
	Eric Heiden	Silver	3000M	4.22.42	
	Eric Heiden	Silver	5000M	7.35.17	
	Kim Kostron	Gold	500M	43.87	Inzell
	Beth Heiden	Gold	1500M	2.20.60	
	Kim Kostron	Bronze	1500M	2.21.75	
	Kim Kostron	Gold	1000M	1.26.74	
	Beth Heiden	Silver	1000M	1.29.12	
	Beth Heiden	Gold	3000M	4.58.69	
	Kim Kostron	Silver	3000M	5.00.20	
	Kim Kostron	Jr. World Champion	184.523 points		
	Beth Heiden	2nd Overall	185.807 points		
1978	Eric Heiden	Gold	500	39.87	
	Eric Heiden	Bronze	3000M	4.24.02	
	Eric Heiden	Gold	1500M	1.59.46	
	Eric Heiden	Gold	5000M	7.30.23	
	Eric Heiden	Jr. World Champion	168.76 points		
	Beth Heiden	Gold	500M	45.18	Montreal
	Beth Heiden	Gold	1500M	2.21.6	
	Beth Heiden	Gold	1000M	1.29.74	
	Beth Heiden	Gold	3000M	4.47.27	
	Beth Heiden	Jr. World Champion	185.128 points		
	Eric Heiden	Gold	500M	39.48	

	Eric Heiden	Gold	3000M	4.16.2		
	Eric Heiden	Gold	1500M	2.00.15		
	Eric Heiden	Gold	5000M	7.23.54		
	Eric Heiden	Jr. World Champion 166.584 points				
1979	Beth Heiden	Gold	500M		Grenoble	
	Beth Heiden	Gold	1000M			
	Beth Heiden	Gold	1500M			
	Beth Heiden	Gold	3000M			
	Beth Heiden	Jr. World Champion				
	Craig Kressler	Gold	500M			
	Craig Kressler	Gold	3000M			
	Craig Kressler	2nd Overall				
1980	Sarah Docter	Bronze	1500M	2.16.66	Assen	
	Sarah Docter	Silver	3000M	4.42.05		
	Sarah Docter	2nd Overall 181.856 points				
1981	Sara Docter	Jr. World Champion 179.525 points				Norway
	Angela Zuckerman	Bronze	1500M	2.16.68	Innsbruck	
	Nick Thometz	Gold	500M	38.59		
	Nick Thometz	Silver	1500M	2.01.35		
1983	Dan Jansen	Gold	500M	38.83	Sarajevo	
1985-86	No Medals Won					
1987	David Cruikshank	Gold	500M	39.04	Stromsund	
1988	No Medals Won					
1990	Tara Laszlo	Bronze	3000M	4.46.16	Obihiro	
1990	Kristen Talbot	Silver	500M	0:42.98	Obihiro	
1991	No Medals					
1992	Dave Tamburrino	Silver	3000M		Poland	
1993	Brian Smith	Gold	1500M	1:57.19	Italy	
	Brian Smith	Silver	3000M	4:04.60	Italy	
	Brian Smith	Jr. World Champion 162.617 points				
1994	Chris Witty	Gold	500M	0:41.97	Berlin	
	Chris Witty	Silver	1000M	1:23.64	Berlin	
	Becky Sundstrom	Bronze	500M	0:42.68	Berlin	
1995	Becky Sundstrom	Gold	500M	0:42.45	Seinajoki	
		Gold	1000M	1:25.59	Seinajoki	
		Bronze	1500M	2:13.42	Seinajoki	
		Bronze	3000M	4:43.19	Seinajoki	
	Becky Sundstrom	Jr. World Champion 176.916 points				
	Christine Scheels	Bronze	1500M	1:27.31	Seinajoki	
	Christine Scheels	Silver	3000M	4:42.83	Seinajoki	
	Christine Scheels	2nd Overall 180.256 points				
	Cory Carpenter	Gold	500M	0:38.97	Seinajoki	

500/1000/500/1000M Jeremy Wotherspoon Canada Calgary 3/17-18/95
0:37.13, 1:14.11, 0:37.10, 1:14.13 148.350 points

JUNIOR WOMEN

	500M	0:40.13	Kyoko Shimazaki	Japan	Matsumoto	12/9/90
	1000M	1:20.77	Christine Witty	USA	Calgary	3/25/94
	1500M	2:05.00	Becky Sundstrom	USA	Calgary	3/18/95
	3000M	4:18.88	Nami Nemoto	Japan	Calgary	3/25/94
	500/1000/500/1000M	Christine Witty	USA	Calgary	3/25-26/94	
		0:40.71, 1:20.77, 0:40.85, 1:21.75		162.820 points		
	500/1500/1000/3000M	Becky Sundstrom	USA	Calgary	3/18-19/95	
		0:40.68, 2:05.00, 1:21.05, 4:29.69		167.819 points		

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Distance	Time	Name	Country	Place	Date
JUNIOR MEN					
500M	0:36.68	Vadim Sahakshakbaev	USSR	Medeo	3/19/91
1000M	1:14.11	Jeremy Wotherspoon	Canada	Calgary	3/17/95
1500M	1:53.26	Falko Zandstra	NED	Calgary	3/2/91
3000M	3:57.64	Falko Zandstra	NED	Calgary	3/1/91
5000M	6:47.10	Falko Zandstra	NED	Calgary	3/3/91

SAFETY SECTION

The Board of Control at the 1988 Convention directed that any item pertaining to safety be duplicated in a separate section.

RACING RULES ARTICLE III POWERS AND DUTIES OF OFFICIALS

Paragraph 11. Medical procedures at National and North American Championships shall be as follows:

- a. The medical team will consist of a minimum of two (2) people with the following minimum qualifications:
 - (1) State Certified Paramedic OR
 - (2) State Certified EMT (Emergency Medical Technician)
- b. A full fracture board and a bag with a stiff collar, sand bags, two inch tape and bandage scissors are to be provided at the rink so any injured skater with a severe injury, a fracture or suspected fracture may be immobilized and removed from the ice using the fracture board and carried to a first aid room where the medical team can give a more extensive examination.
- c. City or private ambulance service must be available to respond to emergencies at the ice rink. If no such service is provided the host association must provide a standby ambulance.
- d. One member of the medical team shall observe the races at all times.

Any deviation from the above safety measures must be approved by the Commissioner of Officials.

Paragraph 13. During a Short Track meet, there shall be a short warm-up period after the lunch break. It is recommended that all timers, boxes, bells and other paraphernalia be banned from the rink during warmup periods when skaters are on the ice.

RACING RULES ARTICLE IV CONDUCT OF RACES

Paragraph 2.o. Wear equipment when competing in any Short Track meet consisting of a safety type helmet, (which shall have a complete hard shell), gloves, or mittens, shin guards, long-sleeved jersey and neck protector of the bib type covering the neck and all soft parts of the upper chest area. The neck protector shall be made of ballistic nylon as the main material.

Paragraph 2.p. It is recommended that the front and rear tips of skate blades be rounded off to an $\frac{1}{8}$ inch radius.

RACING RULES ARTICLE XV. TRACK LAYOUT AND MEASUREMENTS

- Paragraph 1.f. All marks in the ice shall be laid into the ice under the skating surface.
- Paragraph 1.g. For Short Track meets, the blocks shall be placed as indicated on the drawings with the outside edge on the marks on the ice. The blocks shall consists of unweighted rubber toilet plungers with a hole drilled in them to prevent sticking.

RACING RULES ARTICLE XVI. SHORT TRACK SAFETY PADDING

1. The padding shall be at least as high as the standard hockey board.
2. The pads must be covered with a suitable material so as not to allow any padding particle or materials to come in contact with the ice.
3. The padding must have adequate tabs so they can be firmly tied down so as not to fall onto the skating track when hit by a fallen skater.
4. Enough padding must be provided to cover the walls around the entire end of the rink to a point 15 feet behind the center red line on a standard hockey rink. It shall not be padded any closer than 15 feet unless the rink is 93 feet or wider. The walls shall have a double layer of padding from the end red line to a point no more than 30 feet behind the center red line.

RACING RULES ARTICLE II. OFFICIALS REQUIRED

Paragraph 2.a. All Long Track and Short Track Referees, Assistant Referees, Block Chasers, and Skater Stewards working on the ice shall be on skates and it is recommended that safety helmets be worn.

ARTICLE XVI. RECOMMENDATIONS

7. The ASU recommends that no one smokes any tobacco product or uses any aerosol spray lubricant in any building, ice rink or warming hut during speedskating competition.

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