

Friends of Traverse City Figure Skating Club

The Traverse City Figure Skating Club (TCFSC) is a 501-c nonprofit organization, operating at Centre Ice, in Traverse City, MI. TCFSC provides ice skating instruction for all levels, from beginning to competitive skaters from around the northwestern Michigan area. The club has a dedicated staff of coaches with high levels of experience, and is run primarily by volunteer members. We take great pride in providing a safe environment for our community's area kids to learn the rewards of ice skating.

The operation of the club has many needs, including financial ones in order to continue to provide our services. Throughout the year, the events we host such as the annual ice show in March, a Christmas exhibition, test sessions, and free learn to skate clinics, as well as the classes we offer and the ice time required for all of these require a significant financial commitment on the club, and its members.

We are happy to announce the creation of The Friends of Traverse City Figure Skating Club membership. The funds raised from this membership will go to the following needs:

- Two scholarships available for members. The scholarships will be for up to \$300 each, based on available funds (once the cost of the scholarship funds have been raised, the remainder will go to the other needs of the club).
 - Financial needs scholarship, awarded on a financial need basis
 - Competitive scholarship, awarded based on competitive history and achievement.

Friends of TCFSC will receive mention in our annual ice show program in March, and our Cherry Classic competition program held every June. Donating members have the option of donating anonymously, or in honor of someone they choose. The donation levels are as follows:

- Bronze \$250
- Silver \$500
- Gold \$1000