

Ice Show Featured Skater Requirements for 2024-25

Skaters must meet **all** of the fixed requirements, **and** earn 4 or more points from the variable requirements from the lists below, to be a soloist, step out, or featured group skater in the 2025 Spring Ice Show.

In addition to meeting the fixed requirements, and earning 4 or more points from the variable requirements, featured skaters must also have a coach at SQSA Parade, be in good standing (including volunteer responsibilities) and also participate in the ice show group number for their assigned level.

Note: The High Test group is reserved for skaters who have passed one of the following: ISI FS 8, 9 or 10; ISI Platinum *and* USFS Silver Singles; or Senior in high school passed Gold Skating Skills.

Fixed Requirements:

- Skater must be a Full Regular Member of SQSA Parade and represent SQSA Parade at ISI Competitions
- Skater must contract for a minimum of 16 contract package throughout the 4 contract periods from October 2024 – April 2025.** Sessions must be evenly distributed across the contracts, unless there is a school requirement that causes a special need for a different distribution of the required 16 contracts. Director approval must be granted for these circumstances.
- Skater must compete in at least 3 individual or partner events at our 2025 Bold Ice Skating Challenge Event.
- Skater must compete in at least 1 additional ISI competition during the period of May 2024 – April 2025 as a solo competitor, representing SQSA Parade
- Skater must have passed or be: -*ISI Freestyle 8, or ISI Platinum *and* USFS Silver Singles for a Solo -OR-
- *ISI Freestyle 7 for a Feature (Short Solo) - OR -
- *ISI Freestyle 5 or 6 for a featured group (duet, trio, quartet) – OR -
- High School Senior that has passed *ISI FS 4 & / or USFS Pre Juvenile Singles and have been an SQSA Parade member for 2 or more years for solo
- USFS Competitors / testers ONLY – Skaters must represent Starlight Ice Dance Club at USFS competitions.

Variable Points:

- Additional ISI or USFS competitions as a solo competitor (1 point / competition)***
- Additional Freestyle or Class contracts from 10/2/24 – 04/27/25 (1 point / contract)
- High School Senior
- Regular SQSA Parade Member for 5+ years

**ISI Tests must be passed at SQSA Parade or District 10 test sessions by the ice show registration deadline*

***Attendance of 50% or more of contracted sessions mandatory for the requirement to be met, or the variable point to be achieved*

****Competition requirements / variable points must be fulfilled from May 2024 – April 2025*

Exemptions to the Bold Ice requirement may be granted in situations where the skater is a registered Bold Ice competitor, but cannot skate because of medically verified injury or illness, conflict with a mandatory national or international skating competition representing SQSA Parade or Starlight Ice Dance Club, or a family emergency. In very rare circumstances, the Show Director will consider an exemption if submitted in writing and 3+ events are registered and paid for. This is the only fixed requirement for which exemptions may be granted, because it is the only requirement that must be fulfilled on a specific date. The Show Director may require fulfillment of an additional alternative requirement as a condition of the exemption or waiver. Receiving an exemption or waiver one year is no guarantee of an exemption or waiver in subsequent years.