

Coaching Private Lessons at Bird Arena

Eligibility:

All coaches must provide a copy of their U.S. Figure Skating Compliance Card to Bird Arena staff at the front desk showing proof of current coach compliance, a copy of their proof of insurance, a copy of their student ID (if an OU student), along with sign an Ohio University Campus Recreation liability waiver before coaching during any Freestyle session. The USFSA coach compliance card verifies that the instructor has the following:

- **Valid USFSA membership**
- **Completed SafeSport Online Training**
- **Completed an NCSI Background Check and been given "green light" status**
- **Signed the USFSA Code of Ethics**
- **Completed the Coach Education Requirement (Professional Coach/Choreographer CER) through the Professional Skaters Association**
- **Liability Insurance through American Specialty Insurance**

***To obtain a digital copy of your U.S. Figure Skating Compliance Card sign in to your "Members Only" portal on the USFSA website and go to your profile. Then, click on the icon next to your member number.**

***To obtain a digital copy of your proof of insurance through American Specialty sign in to your "Members Only" portal on the USFSA website and go to the "compliance" tab on your profile. Then, click on the link "Purchase insurance through American Specialty here" at the bottom of the page. Then, request a certificate using the confirmation number sent to you at the time of purchase or retrieve your confirmation number using the link titled, "Already Purchased Insurance? Lost Confirmation Number?"**

***To submit a digital copy of your Compliance Card and or proof of insurance send it as a .pdf document to skating@ohio.edu.**

Once a coach has provided Bird Arena staff with these pieces of information, copies will be kept on file by the rink for the remainder of the skating season. Once this has been completed, and the liability waiver has been signed, the coach will be added to a roster of coaches eligible to coach during Freestyle.

Coaching Fee:

All instructors coaching on Freestyle ice are required to pay a coaching fee to the rink. The coaching fee will cover a full session of Freestyle and will be priced depending on session length.

- **45 minute sessions - \$18**
- **60 minute sessions - \$24**
- **90 minute sessions - \$36**

Check-in Process:

Before each time you get on the ice to coach, please stop by the front desk to pay and sign in with a staff member.



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