

**Texas Gulf Coast FSC  
Executive Board Meeting  
January 7, 2024  
1:30 p.m. via Zoom  
MINUTES**

Members present – Janelle, Melissa, David, Ying, Stacey

Welcome

1. Current Membership Numbers : 291

2. Confirm Virtual Test Fee Restructure

Voted on January 4, 2024

New Virtual Test Fees:

\$50/Test (Skating Skills, Singles and Free Dance)

\$35/Test (Pattern Dance - Partnered and Solo)

\$25 Out of Club Fee (only for non-members)

\$25 Late Fee (video/affidavit late submissions)

3% Convenience Fee

3. 2023 Skate Houston Wrap Up

Final Finance Report: Total Income: \$110,508.75

Total Expenses: \$75,086.23

Net Profit: \$35,422.52

4. 2024 Sugar Skate

Wendy/Anne/Janelle starting announcement

5. Future NQS Events?

Put our name in for 2025 or 2026?

Going to apply

6. Excel Nationals?

Thoughts on pursuing a bid?

Very possible Skate Houston would be a Compete USA only event then

When it opens we will explore possibilities

7. Dance Clinic was a success

Feedback: too cold in rink, in person test session, more time to learn dances, some did not realize test was separate from clinic

Adult dance camp next?

Pre-bronze clinic

8. Future Clinics Ideas

Kim Ryan (Spinergy), anything else? Ralph/Keegan?

9. January Test Session: 5:30am - 10am

Had many on the waitlist and Stephanie was able to accommodate all.

She has also communicated with coaches letting them know when we have openings and a few have taken advantage.

10. Future Events:

Spring Exhibition: March 17, 2:30pm

Spring Critique: Either last weekend of Feb or first weekend of March: currently asking judges/tech - IJS excel skaters first, then NQS skaters

Senior Exhibition: April (TBD)

End of Year Gala: June 3 or 5 or end of July

2024 is TGCFSC's 50th Anniversary Year - anything special we want to do? Banner?

Change logo? New Jacket? Club Show?

Jr Board Selection

TGCFSC Elections

David and Melissa - terms ending - both plan on ending term (if possible)

Two Executive Board positions will be open

For Treasurer - getting a bookkeeper to help with daily transactions?

11. New Business

Google form - newsletter next week "Ask A Coach Anything" - No question is off the board, questions will be given to Lisa, and see who answers it - anonymously

12. Next Meeting?

Feb - Executive Board

Future board meeting with all board members via zoom

13. Adjourn