

PACIFICS



by Nancy Aitken

One of the few times a major competition has been sponsored by an inter-club association in the history of skating took place in Seattle, Washington, January 7, 8 and 9 when the Puget Sound Inter-Club Association hosted the 1971 Pacific Coast Championships. The four member clubs worked efficiently together to produce a well-run competition, refereed by Ray Alperth, assisted by Edmund Bold.

The hospitalization of the chief referee, Bob McLeod, the day before the competition and the spiking of Joel Goodrich during the Junior Mens freestyle warm-up were the only unfortun-

ate incidents.

While Los Angeles skaters took home the team trophy, the Northwest competitors were the winners of four

singles championships.

In the Senior Ladies division, four-teen-year-old Juli Marie McKinstry, the 1970 U.S. Junior Ladies Champion, came from third in figures with a polished program to win. Figure leader Sheri Thrapp, even though she skated exceedingly well, dropped to second, as Julia Johnson put on the most dynamic performance of the evening to move into the third place spot. This year's Senior Ladies free skating was probably one of the strongest in the history of the event.

1970 Pacific Coast Junior Mens Champion, Jimmy Demogines, won the Senior Mens title. It was unfortunate that Robbie Bradshaw, Southwest Senior Mens titlist, was unable to skate due to an injury. Charlie Tickner skated a fast-moving program to nail down second place over Mark Rehfield.

In Junior Mens, Nate Alden skated a strong program to hold off the threat of Alex Rubio and win the title. Rubio presented a musically-oriented program to pull from fourth to second as figure leader Billy Schneider skated consistently but dropped to third.



CHRISTY ITO

A strong lead in figures enabled Donna Lee Albert to win Junior Ladies. Patty Shelley and Donna Arquilla skated strong and effective programs to take second and third places.

With no Senior Pair event, attention focused on the Junior Pairs, won by two experienced pair skaters, Cynthia Van Valkenburg and Jim Hulick, teamed together for the first time. Second place honors went to Richard Ewell and Michelle McCladdie

Crowd-pleasers Shareen and Curt Finley won over Karen Warloe and Richard Kolodziej in Silver Dance. Maureen Morrow and Glenn Parriott won the Bronze Dance division.

Wendy Mullender and Tom Huff

took the Novice Pair Championship with a well-coordinated program, followed closely by Roberta Loughland and Jan Prasniewski.

At the end of the Novice Ladies figures, Marcy Sulenes and Laurie Brandel were locked in a two-way battle for the title. Both girls skated polished, exciting programs with Marcy maintaining her first place lead. Patty Gyllenswan pulled from fourth to third.

Probably one of the most outstanding free style performances of any male competitor was that of Terry Kubicka, who moved from second in figures to win Novice Mens. Capable Johnny Carlow was the second place winner as crowd-pleaser David Kirby pulled from fifth to third.

Peppy Colleen Clark and smooth Perry Jewell both came from far behind in figures to win Intermediate titles.

At the end of the championships, the Los Angeles FSC had scored the most points. The combined total of the Los Angeles skaters was 70 points; for this they were awarded the Deane McMinn cup. Runner-up was the Arctic Blades FSC, with a total of 61 points.

PACIFIC COAST CHAMPIONSHIPS PUGET SOUND INTER-CLUB ASSOCIATION, SEATTLE, WASH. JANUARY 7-9

SENIOR MEN
JUDGES: A—John Rogers, San Francisco,
Calif.; B—Mrs. Roger Willis, Lafayette,
Calif.; C—Frank Holcombe, Denver, Colo.;
D—Mrs. Winston Coy, Lakebay, Wash.; E—
Sanford Lindstrom, Mercer Island, Wash.
REFEREE: Edmund Bold, Seattle, Wash.
COMPULSORY FIGURES: Group I—23b,
35a, 20b, 36a, 31b, 41a.

A B C D E M

1. (1) James Demogines, Los Angeles FSC 1 1 1 2 4/1 2. (3) Charles Tickner, Village of Olympic Valley, Calif.

2 2 3 3 1 3/2
3. (2) Mark Rehfield, South Bay FSC
3 3 2 2 3 5/3
4. (4) Michael Tokar, ISC of Fresno
4 4 4 4 4 5/4



## JULIA JOHNSON

SENIOR LADIES
JUDGES: A—John Rogers, San Francisco,
Calif.; B—Mrs. Roger Willis, Lafayette,
Calif.; C—Mrs. Eleanor Curtis, Granada Hills,
Calif.; D—Mrs. Patricia Staunton, Pasadena,
Calif.; E—Mrs. Winston Coy, Lakebay, Wash.
REFEREE: Raymond Alperth, San Francisco, Calif. COMPULSORY FIGURES:
Group IV—23a, 34b, 20a, 36b, 39a, 40b.
A B C D E M

1. (3) Juli McKinstry, Village of Olympic Valley, Calif.

3 1 2 1 3/1 2. (1) Sheri Thrapp, Los Angeles FSC 1 2 1 3 5 3/2

3. (5) Julia Johnson, Arctic Blades FSC 5 3 2 2 4/3

4. (2) Peggy Aitken, Overlake SC

2 4 4 5 4 4/4

5. (4) Christy Ito, Portland ISC 4 5 5 4 3

6. (6) Scootie Paulsen, Arctic Blades FSC 6 8 6 7 3/6 7. (7) Babs Vasser, City of Salt Lake, Utah

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7. (7) Babs Vasser, City of Salt Lake, Utah
7 6 7 7 6 5/7
8. (8) Lynne Anne Gibson, ISC of Fresno

8 7 8 8 5/8
JUNIOR MEN
JUDGES: A—Mrs. Roger Willis, Lafayette, Calif.; B—Mrs. Eleanor Curtis, Granada
Hills, Calif.; C—Margaret Hosford, Lynwood,
Calif.; D—Patrick Donnelly, Seattle, Wash.;
E—Sanford Lindstrom, Mercer Island, Wash.
REFEREE: Raymond Alperth, San Fran-



DONNA ALBERT

cisco, Calif. COMPULSORY FIGURES: Group I—16, 23b, 29a, 20b, 33a.

A B C D E M
1. (2) Nathan Alden, Jr., Overlake SC
1 2 1 4 1 3/1
2. (4) Alex Rubio, Los Angeles FSC

2 3 3 1 3 5/3 3. (1) Bill Schneider, Los Angeles FSC 4 1 4 3 2 3/3

4. (7) Joe Thola, City of Seattle, Wash.
3 4 2 6 4 4/4
5. (6) Forrest Craig, Village of Olympic

Valley, Calif.
6 6 5 2 5 3/5

6. (5) Paul Guzman, Los Angeles FSC 5 5 6 5 6 3/5 TOM 15

7. (3) Joel Goodrich, St. Moritz ISC (did not free skate)

JUNIOR LADIES
JUDGES: A—John Rogers, San Francisco,
Calif.; B—Mrs. Patricia Staunton, Pasadena,
Calif.; C—Margaret Hosford, Lynwood,
Calif.; D—Mrs. Winston Coy, Lakebay,
Wash.; E—Mrs. Alex Babbit, Tacoma, Wash.
REFEREE: Raymond Alperth, San Francisco, Calif. COMPULSORY FIGURES: Group

I-22a, 30b, 35a, 21b, 32a. A B C D E M 1. (1) Donna Albert, Lakewood WC 2 3 1 1 1 3/1 2. (3) Patricia Shelley, Arctic Blades FSC

3 1 2 2 3 3/2 3. (4) Donna Arquilla, St. Moritz ISC 1 2 3 4 7 3/3

4. (2) Dorian Shields, City of Culver City, Calif.

4 6 4 3 2 4/4 5. (5) Gayle Hahn, Village of Olympic

Valley, Calif. 5 4 8 10 6 3/6 TOM 15



MICHELLE McCLADDIE & RICHARD EWELL

6. (8) Wendy Burge, Los Angeles FSC 5 10 3/6 6 TOM 16 7. (7) Dawn Wieburg, Lakewood WC 6 4/7 8. (6) Leslie Cronin, Diablo FSC 9 9 5 3/7 9.(10) Susan Driano, Overlake SC 10 8 10 8 3/8 10. (9) Julie Herzog, Portland ISC 8 10 9 JUNIOR PAIRS JUDGES: A-Raymond Alperth, San Francisco, Calif.; B-Mrs. Roger Willis, Lafayette, Calif.; C-Frank Holcombe, Denver, Colo.; D-Mrs. Alex Babbit, Tacoma, Wash.; E-Sanford Lindstrom, Mercer Island, Wash. REFEREE: Edmund Bold, Seattle, Wash. B C D E Cynthia Van Valkenburg, City of

1. Cynthia Van Valkenburg, City of Paramount, Calif., & James Hulick, Arctic Blades FSC

2. Michelle McCladdie & Richard Ewell, All Year FSC 2 4 3 2 3 4/3

TOM 10
3. Georgia Truffini & Bill McPike, St.
Moritz ISC

3 3 4 3 2 4/3 TOM 11 4. Lisa IIIsley & Daniel Henry, Santa

Rosa FSC
6 2 2 6 4 3/4
5. Jill Richardson, Yakima ISC, & Joe Thola, City of Seattle, Wash.

4 5 5 4 6 4/5 6. Jodie Martin & Robert Berry, South Bay FSC 5 6 6 5 5 3/5



## SHAREEN & CURT FINLEY

SILVER DANCE
JUDGES: A—Mrs. Ida Tateoka, Riverton,
Utah; B—Mrs. Roger Willis, Lafayette
Calif.; C—Mrs. Frank Holcombe, Denver,
Colo.; D—Margaret Hosford, Lynwood,
Calif.; E—Mrs. Joseph Jensen, Seattle, Wash.
REFEREE: Mrs. Winston Coy, Lakebay,
Wash. COMPULSORY DANCES: Initial
round—American Waltz, Rocker Foxtrot,
Tango, Fourteenstep. Final round—European Waltz, Foxtrot, Tango, Fourteenstep.
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1. (1) Shareen & Curt Finley, Glacier

Falls FSC 2 2½ 4 1 3/2 TOM 4

2. (2) Karen Warloe, Pacific FSC, & Richard Kolodziej, Los Angeles FSC 3 3 1 2 2 3/2 TOM 5

3. (3) Sara Hill & Roger Fortin, Glacier Falls FSC

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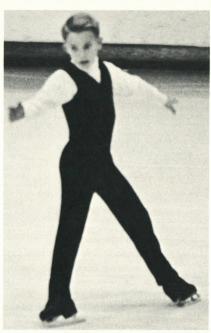
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5. Laurie Cole, City of Seattle, Wash., & Pat Holland, Lilac City FSC

Christene & Corey Mjaatvedt, City of Salt Lake, Utah

7. Ginger Snyder & Richard Walter, St. Moritz ISC

8. Elinor McNally & Robert Houk, Burien SC



JOHNNY CARLOW, JR.

NOVICE MEN
JUDGES: A—Margaret Hosford, Lynwood,
Calif.; B—Mrs. Ida Tateoka, Riverton, Utah;
C—Frank Holcombe, Denver, Colo.; D—
Mrs. Joyce Butchart, Seattle, Wash.; E—Mrs.
Vivian Howland, Seattle, Wash. REFEREE:
Edmund Bold, Seattle, Wash. COMPULSORY FIGURES: Group II—13, 16, 18b,
29a.

A B C D E M

1. (2) Terry Kubicka, City of Paramount,
Calif.

1 2 1 1 2 3/1 2. (1) Johnny Carlow, Jr., Arctic Blades FSC

2 1 2 2 1 5/2 3. (5) David Kirby, City of Paramount, Calif.

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4 (3) Sam Sharar Great Falls FSC

4. (3) Sam Sharar, Great Falls FSC 3 3 4 4 5 4/4 5. (6) Terry Weiner, City of Berkeley,

Calif.
6 5 5 5 4 4/5

6. (4) Michael Chapin, Portland ISC 5 7 6 6 6 4

7. (7)	Tom Ba	ailor, Si	ookane	FSC	
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	City, Ca	alif.			
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5. (6)	Kim Mo			Bay FSC	
6 (8)	5 Julio Er	5	7 S+ M	T L	4/5
0. (0)	Julie Fr 6	6	8	8	
7 (7)	Jenny G	_			3/6
8	8	7	6	5	3/7
_	Carol C	•		-	3//
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9. (9)	Myra S			SC	0,0
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JUDGES: A—Mrs. Ida Tateoka, Riverton, Utah; B—Mrs. Eleanor Curtis, Granada Hills,					
Calif.;	C-Marga	aret Ho	sford,	Lynwoo	od.
Calif.;	C—Marga D—Patrio	ck Don	nelly, S	Seattle,	Wash.;
E-Mrs	. Vivian	Howlar	nd, Sea	ttle, Wa	sh.
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5.	Lisa & F	-		Village	
	Olympi				
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6.	Stacy M	leister &	& Nath	an Alde	n, Jr.,
	Overlak				
6	6	8	6	7	3/6
7.	Julie Pu	gh & R	on Fra	nce, Ya	kima
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8.	Debbie	ingalls	& Chris	Colvin	, Silver
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JUDGES: A-Mrs. Winston Cov. Lakebay.					
Wash.:	B-Mrs.	Frank I	Holcom	be, Der	nver,
Wash.; B-Mrs. Frank Holcombe, Denver, Colo.; C-Mrs. Eleanor Curtis, Granada Hills,					
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Calif.; D-Mrs. Alex Babbit, Tacoma,

round-Fiesta Tango, Willow Waltz.

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Wash.; E-Mrs. Joyce Butchart, Seattle,

Creek, Calif. COMPULSORY DANCES:

Wash. REFEREE: Howard Taylor, Walnut

Initial round-Ten-Fox, Willow Waltz. Final

1. (2) Maureen Morrow & Glenn Parriott,

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2. (1) Hermina Vreenegoor & William deGroot, Glacier Falls FSC 3. (3) Nancy Mann & William Epperson, Utah FSC 3 21/2 3 4 4. (4) Fiona Masters & Jack Davis, Seattle SC 4 5/4 Eliminated after initial round 5. Heidi Broback & Philip Carman, Lakewood WC 6. Linda Beard & Nolan Snow, SC of Phoenix 7. Toni Bonner & John Miscovich, St. Moritz ISC 8. Robin Levi & Patrick Page, Portland ISC INTERMEDIATE MEN JUDGES: A-John Rogers, San Francisco, Calif.; B- Mrs. Roger Willis, Lafayette, Calif.; C—Mrs. Frank Holcombe, Denver, Colo.; D—Mrs. Joyce Butchart, Seattle, Wash.; E—Patrick Donnelly, Seattle, Wash. REFEREE: Edmund Bold, Seattle, Wash. COMPULSORY FIGURES: Group I-6a, 15, 28b. B C D 1. (5) Perry Jewell, Los Angeles FSC 5 3/1 1 1 2. (1) Jan Prasniewski, Arctic Blades FSC 1 4/2 3. (3) Patrick Page, Portland ISC 3 3 3 5/3 4. (2) Russell Sessions, Utah FSC 2 4 4 4/4 5. (4) Paul Tassone, Wasatch FSC 9 6 2 5 6. (7) Randy Gardner, All Year FSC 6 3/6 8 6 7. (6) Richard Perez, Crystal Springs ISC 9 9 7 5 7 8. (9) Jean-Rene Basle, Seattle SC 8 8 9 4/8 TOM 27 9. (9) David Yourston, Seattle SC 7 9 6 8 4/8 TOM 29 INTERMEDIATE LADIES JUDGES: A-Mrs. Ida Tateoka, Riverton, Utah; B-Frank Holcombe, Denver, Colo.; C-Mrs. Eleanor Curtis, Granada Hills, Calif.; D-Mrs. Vivian Howland, Seattle, Wash.; E—Sanford Lindstrom, Mercer Island, Wash. REFEREE: Raymond Alperth, San Francisco, Calif. COMPULSORY FIGURES: Group IV—6a, 15, 26b. A B C 1. (4) Colleen Clark, Lakewood WC 1 1 1 2. (2) Sandra Starbuck, City of Paramount, Calif. 3 3 2 3. (1) Roberta Loughland, Arctic Blades **FSC** 4. (3) Judi Blumberg, Los Angeles FSC 4 4 4/4 3 5. (6) Terri Karis, Seattle SC 5 3/5 6. (7) Lauri Duffy, City of Santa Rosa, Calif. TOM 13 7. (5) Linda Bevier, Crystal Springs ISC 3/6 6 8 TOM 17 8. (8) Tammy Gambill, Capital City FSC 8 8 7 5/8 6 8 9. (9) Cheryl Draper, Great Falls FSC

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