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What is the Club Doing? Sharing the Experience of the Eastern Great Lakes Regional Figure Skating Championships

Our skaters did a fantastic job representing ISCI last month in Traverse City, Michigan.

Alisha Wang, skating at the Novice Level, made it into the final round and also won special achievement awards for her Axel, Double-Axel, and her sit spin.



ISCI's Regional Sendoff: From Left to Right - Stephanie Rice, Alisha Wang, Sofia Alexandra Colon, Louise MacKay, Vivian Luo, Stephanie Moga, Mae Mae Han, and Claire Qu (Tianxin Li - competed but not pictured)

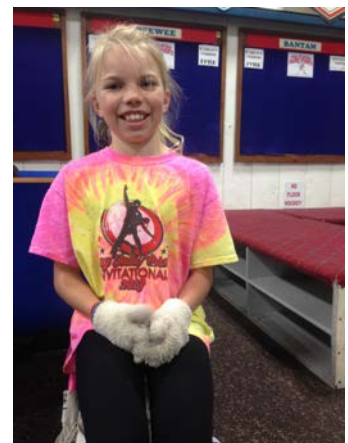
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Skater Focus: Morgan Lawson

In addition to the two new members and two associate members we highlighted last issue, we also added associate member, Morgan Lawson, to the club! See below to find out more about her!

Morgan is a 10 year old who attends Riverside Intermediate School. Her home club is the Fishers Figure Skating Club. She has been skating since she was 5 years old. She is also very active off the ice taking ballet and running for her school's cross country team this fall.

Morgan's favorite skating move is the back lunge. **Welcome Morgan!**



Upcoming Events

November 14th-16th - Indiana Figure Skating Championships (Hosted by ISCI!)

December 3rd - Test Session

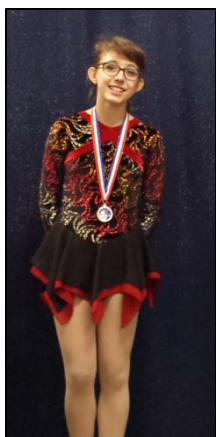
December 3rd - Delivery of Poinsettias

December 8th - Skate with Santa!

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In the non-qualifying portion of the competition, Sofia Alexandra Colon earned a gold medal in her Pre-Juvenile Test Track event, Stephanie Moga earned silver in her Pre-Juvenile Test Track event and Claire Qu also earned a silver medal in her Pre-Preliminary Limited Free Skate event. Pewter medals went to Mae Mae Han for Juvenile Test Track and Louise MacKay for Pre-Preliminary Free Skate.

Congratulations to all who competed for ISCI and inspiring all of us with your hard work!!!



Stephanie Moga (left) and Mae Mae Han (right) sporting their Regionals medals



"Super-Girl" Alisha Wang skating her Novice Freestyle at Regionals

November Birthdays!

November 10 - Leighton Christian
November 21 - Coach Trevor
November 25 - Olivia Luo
November 25 - Coach Barb



Coach Corner: Welcome Coach Jennie

ISCI welcomed two new coaches this year - JJ Beck and Jennie Pitman. JJ is busy managing the Learn to Skate Program at the Arctic Zone but we were able to corner Jennie to learn more about her and her history as a skater with ISCI.

She started skating at 4 ½ years old and knew she wanted to coach before she entered jr high school. As a skater, she passed three gold tests (figures, free skating, and ice dance). She passed her dance test after surgery for Crohn's Disease when she was 29 yrs old! Additionally, she placed 2nd in the National Collegiate Championships in Senior Figures in the 1990s. Skating gave her the opportunity to travel the globe and meet many people.

As a coach, she is very proud of all her students and former students! Over the years, she is proud of the incredibly important life lessons that she learned from skating and her coaches. These lessons have fueled her life-long love of the sport.

When she is not on the ice, she volunteers for the Indiana Organ Procurement Organization, The American Liver Foundation, and is a US & World Transplant Games participant.

