

April 2026 Ozark FSC Board Meeting

4/15/2026

I. Call meeting to order: 7:09pm by Johrdan Dobbs

- Roll Call:
 - ☒ President: Johrdan Dobbs
 - ☒ Vice-President: Jennifer Cuchia
 - ☐ Secretary: VACANT
 - ☒ Treasurer: Christey Foster
 - ☒ Communications: Swapna Upadhyay
 - ☒ Events Director: Lindsey Barnes
 - ☒ Membership Director: Dustin Smith
 - ☐ Hospitality Chair: Breeanne Ghozali
 - ☐ Fundraising Chair: Lauren Peck
 - ☐ Adult Skater Liaison: Zabdiel Sostre
- Review confidential feedback and conflicts

II. Voting topics for April Meeting:

- Banquet Budget
- Scholarships
- Membership registration fees

III. Open Meeting up to members 7:11 pm

IV. Approve [March](#) meeting minutes

- Motion to approve minutes: Johrdan
- Second: Jennifer
- Aye: unanimous

V. Reports

Presidents Report

- Officer election will take place at May Board meeting
 - Nominations for Club Officers for May Election - Email nominations to ozarkfigureskatingclub@gmail.com
- Johrdan would like to help create an onboarding document for all roles to streamline handover process and help with cross-training board members
- Johrdan posted on Spond to ask for feedback for yearly planning
 - Brian Schultz left a lot of feedback to consider
 - Communication is key - we will look at streamlining communication with the Jones Center and finish onboarding the Communications Director so that there is more consistent and clear communication; this will help with: recognition of achievements and last minute changes or notice of camps or day off events.
 - Do not reinvent the wheel if something works - we are all in agreement here; we plan to take all of the events that worked well from this year into next year

- Help communicate the ice etiquette all the time as there are many close calls and help coaches keep lessons in designated areas for each skill the skater is working on - we can help send reminders about etiquette and rules, but we need to work with the Jones Center for enforcement
- Yearly Planning meeting, first weekend in May
 - This year: Saturday, May 2
 - Jennifer is looking to secure room at her community pool for Saturday
 - Emailed POA, waiting for response; will ask how late we can have the room; 11AM start time
 - This is a working meeting to create a calendar and budget to bring to May's Board Meeting for a vote; intentions are to refine and improve what we did this year rather than a complete overhaul
 - See about potential additional Competition and/or additional camp

Treasurer Report

- Starting: \$30,496.15
- Income: \$3,188.26 - Competition & Test income and Membership Dues
- Expenses: \$1,505.76 - Pigtail Expenses, Congratulations and Condolences to Members, Membership, and admin expenses
- Ending Balance: \$32,178.65

Membership Report

- New Members registered since last meeting: 11
- Skating Members: 120
- Non-Skating Members: 67
- Voting Members: 102
- Total Members: 187
- Pending Applications– payment due: Robin A. Coach Membership (5 total)

Communications Report

- Onboarding has started; Swapna has received information about MailChimp and been added as a Spond admin
- Needs information about social media accounts
- Upcoming April Newsletter:
 - Pigtail Classic Competition Info - will send email to Swapna with info/graphics
 - Pigtail Games registration open until 5/14:
<https://www.ozarkfsc.org/event-details-registration/pigtail-games-2026>
 - Graphic for May Board Meeting
 - Information about Officer Election at May Board Meeting
 - Keep Wizard of Oz on Ice information from last month if sent before 4/25
 - Banquet Save the Date graphic w/ date & time, free raffle, etc

Events Report

- Spring Exhibition Recap: Attendance for exhibition was great and skaters seemed

to have a great time watching and making posters; many families did not opt to stay late for the 7pm meeting

- Annual Banquet is the next event besides competition (see [new business](#) for discussion/plan)

Hospitality Report: None

Fundraising Report

- Lauren has reached out to Chick Fil A and Slim Chickens about restaurant night
 - Chick Fil A - necessary paperwork done, waiting to hear back
 - Slim Chickens - waiting for response from regional manager

SkateSafe Report

Name	Background Check	SafeSport
Lindsey Barnes	Done	Done
Jennifer Cuchia	Done	Done
Johrdan Dobbs	Done	Done
Christey Foster	Done	Done
Breeanne Ghozali	Done	Done
Lauren Peck	Done	Done
Dustin Smith - Other LTS waivers due	Done	Done
Zabdiel Sostre	Done	Done
Kelly Trotter	Done	Done
Swapna Upadhyay	Done	Done

VI. Active committee Reports

- Pigtail Classic 2026 - May 15-17, 2026
 - Webpage: <https://www.ozarkfsc.org/pigtail-classic-2026>
 - 107 total skaters; 7 clubs represented
 - Fundraising/Sales
 - Donated baskets for silent auction
 - Stuffies & limited merch for sale at event
 - Swapna proposed selling flowers - cannot be thrown on ice but will look into selling for event congratulations

- Johrdan heard back from Photographer
 - No up front cost and 25% of sale back to club
 - Committee will proceed with booking

VII. New Business

- Membership Fees - recalculated for the upcoming year
 - Vote need to lower Processing fees cost for 26/27 member year
 - Basic + Coach Memberships: Lower from \$7.50 to \$6
 - Full Membership: Lower from \$13.75 to \$9
- Banquet on Ice plan
 - Saturday, June 20, 7:45-10:45am
 - Christey will email Brooke to see if we can shift to 1hr later due to recent ice schedule change
 - Timeline - 45min Set up time, 15 minute arrival window before starting exhibition - approx 45min; brunch and presentation; open skating
 - Membership pins with new logo design for all attending skaters, 200 total for best price since we will use them as new member pins for subsequent banquets
 - Presentation - Screen for photo slideshow/presentation
 - Kululu photo slideshow - skaters can add their own photos throughout the event
 - Testing, Axel Club, graduates, new members, scholarship recognition, Volunteer of the Year, Calendar for 26/27 year & Christmas Show Theme reveal; Superlatives for attending skaters
 - Graduate and Coaches Gifts
 - Raffle Giveaways
 - In past giveaways we have done skate sharpenings and % off membership
 - Budget: approx. \$2500
 - Estimates: \$225 - Decor, Certificates Paper, Cards, Slideshow Rental, etc - \$250 \$650 for Coach and Senior Gifts - \$50/ea for 13 coaches/seniors \$200 for giveaway raffle Items \$322 for 200 lapel pins for member gifts \$1,100 for Brunch
- Scholarships
 - Academic
 - 1 Available; Applicants: 1
 - Membership
 - 1 Available; Applicants: 3
 - Discussed awarding Scholarship to Lila Johnston based on extensive membership and involvement; proposed partial

scholarships for two families that applied with multiple skaters
(see vote below)

VIII. Voting

- Voting took place via SPOND after the meeting as the limited time for a Google Meet was ending. (see digital voting)

Next Board Meeting: May 20, 2026 at 7pm

Upcoming Dates:

- Pigtail Games: May 15, 5:30pm
- Pigtail Classic: May 15-May 17, 2026
- Annual Member Meeting, Banquet on Ice: Saturday, June 20

Additional attendees: None

Meeting adjourned 8:02pm by Johrdan Dobbs

Digital Voting:

- Membership Scholarship: Motion to award Lila Johnston with the membership scholarship as well as partial scholarships to Rodriguez-Ramirez Family and Schultz Family. For partial scholarships, family will pay 100% of cost for first skater's membership, the second skater's membership will be 100% covered
 - Motion: Christey
 - Aye: unanimous
- Academic Scholarship: Motion to award Summer Andrews with the Academic Scholarship with the stipulation that the missing additional application items are received by the club.
 - Motion: Christey
 - Aye: unanimous
- Motion to budget \$2,500 for the upcoming 2026 Banquet/annual meeting.
 - Motion: Christey
 - Aye: unanimous
- Motion to lower processing fees during membership registration for the 2026/2027 member year as follows:
 - Basic + Coach Memberships: Lower from \$7.50 to \$6
 - Full Membership: Lower from \$13.75 to \$9
 - Motion: Christey
 - Aye: unanimous