



SNAP SHOT OF THE EVENT

❖ Union of two amazing events for the fourth time

- National Short Track Championships
 - Age Group Divisions – ages 9 to 70+; 10 divisions
- U.S. Short Track Champions
 - Elite skaters from across the country

❖ Named this weekend:

- 10 National Age Group Champions
- 2007 U.S. Champion for Men and Ladies
- 2007 World Team of 5 Men and 5 Ladies
 - *World ST Championships in Milan, Italy-March 9-11, 2007*
- Junior and Senior Category 1 skaters (approx. 11 ladies & 11 men)

❖ **MASTER DIVISIONS**

- Divisions from 30 years old up to 70+
- Compete on Thursday and Friday
- Point system for points up to eighth place in the Final
- Overall Champions, based on cumulative points, named on Friday

❖ **AGE GROUP DIVISIONS**

- Divisions from age 9 up to age 29
- Compete on Friday, Saturday and Sunday
- Qualifying rounds during the day, Finals at night and as part of the matinee
- Point system for points up to eighth place in the Final
- Overall Champions, based on cumulative points, named on Sunday

❖ **SENIOR ELITE DIVISION**

- Qualifying time to enter (1:38 Men, 1:46 Ladies in 1000 meters)
- Must be at least 12 years old
- 1000 meter Time Trial (two skaters at one time, against the clock) skated on Thursday, along with the 4 lap time trial
- Skaters with the top 16 1000 meter times move on to skate the rest of the weekend in Senior Elite division, skaters finishing 17th and higher move into their age appropriate division for the rest of the weekend, i.e. Juvenile, Junior or Intermediate
- Compete on Thursday through Sunday
- Races at night on Friday & Saturday and as part of the matinee on Sunday
- Point system for points up to eighth place in the Final
- A and B Finals skated in the Senior Elite division
- Overall Champions, based on cumulative points from all events, named on Sunday
- World Team, based on overall points from all the races, named on Sunday
- Top 3 men and 2 ladies qualify to skate individual races at the Worlds, next 2 men and 3 ladies qualify to skate in the relay if the U.S. qualifies a relay for the Worlds



PROGRAM OF EVENTS

Thursday, February 22, 2007

8:45 - 11:00 AM

Master Races

Noon - 6:00 PM

Senior (Elite) - 9 lap & 4 lap Time Trials

Friday, February 23, 2007

Session 1

10:00 AM - 5:00 PM

Master Races

Age Group Races & Relay Heats

Friday Evening Race Card: Olympians of Today & Tomorrow

7:00 - 9:00 PM

Seniors (Elite) - 1500 meters

Age Group Finals

Saturday, February 24, 2007

Session 1

Noon - 5:00 PM

Age Group Races & Relay Finals

Saturday Evening Race Card: Speed Reigns Supreme

7:00 - 9:00 PM

Senior (Elite) - 500 meters

Age Group Finals

Sunday, February 25, 2007

Sunday Matinee: Crowning of Champions

8:45 AM - 4:00 PM

Age Group Races

Senior (Elite) - 1000 & 3000 meters, Relay

PLEASE NOTE: On Friday, February 23rd and Saturday, February 24th, between Session 1 and the Evening Race Card, all spectators will be asked to leave the arena area so the staff can prepare for the evening's event. Please take your possessions with you! Thank you!