

We can't wait to welcome everyone to the M&T Bank Arena for the CT Synchro Skating Classic! Below is some information that will be helpful to your families and friends who are attending, as well as some information for your team. We look forward to seeing you soon!

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Our website is updated with links and all the details pertaining to the competition <https://www.ctsynchroclassic.com/competitionlinks>

M&T Bank Arena:

M&T Bank Arena is 305 Sherman Ave, Hamden CT

PARKING

Parking is plentiful in front of the arena and is free of charge. There is also a parking garage and that is also free of charge.

BUSES

Buses should park behind the arena or at the furthest point away from the arena. Public Safety can direct you to a proper location. If you need to drop off skaters closer to the rink, we ask that you pull up to the circle next to the arena, drop off your team, then exit back out to the main road and obtain your parking

CREDENTIALS

Credentials for the teams, team service personnel, coaches and officials can be picked up at the Registration desk in the lobby. Please be prepared to present an ID if requested by the LOC volunteer. Teams should send ONE representative (team manager or coach) to registration to pick up the team bag. The team will enter the building through the main lobby entrance. We will direct the teams to the lower level once they all have credentials.

The registration desk will be open for credential pickup from one hour before the first practice ice of the day until the last team practicing or competing that evening has picked up their credentials.

- Saturday @ 7:30 pm
- Sunday @ 6:00 am

TICKETS

Spectators are encouraged to purchase tickets in advance. Tickets may be pre-purchased online:

- [Click to purchase tickets](#)

Entry to the venue requires a ticket on Sunday

TEAM BANNERS

We ask that you do not hang your banners on your own. Teams can drop their banners off at registration, and we will hang them for you using zip ties around the railings (NO TAPE will be used to hang banners). The banner must have a loop or ring so the zip tie can be attached. You may take them down prior to your departure. Banners will not be mailed.

COMPETITION APPAREL

Fine Designs will have a table on the concourse for you to purchase competition apparel. They will be open during all competition times.

LIVE STREAMING

Live streaming will be available for this event. Please note: There won't be a video-on-demand component or replay available.

[Purchase Live stream here](#)

ONLINE RESULTS

Results will all be [posted online here.](#)

AWARDS

We will be doing the team awards immediately following each division. (15 mins or so for IJS, and 30 mins or so for 6.0) The awards will be located in the lobby. Please send one team representative to pick up the awards. Pictures may be taken in the gym

SCHEDULES

We are going paperless as much as possible. Schedules are available online. [Schedule](#)

BAG STORAGE

Skate bags are not allowed on the concourse or in the stands of the arena. Bag storage is located at the bottom of the stairwell on either side of the arena at ice level.

TEAM ENTRANCE

The team will enter the building through the main lobby entrance. We will direct the teams to the lower level once they all have credentials.

TEAM LOCKER ROOM POLICY:

The team coach, team manager, one additional team service personnel and athletes competing at the skating event are allowed in the Locker Rooms/Changing Areas.

- The coach, manager, and team personnel should remove themselves from the Locker Room while any minor athlete(s) are actively changing or undressing.
- All Locker Rooms/Changing Areas will be monitored. If any concerns arise, immediately contact the Locker Room/Changing Area monitor.
- If there are concerns regarding this policy, an athlete should change prior to arriving at the competition.
- The use of any recording and photographic devices inside a Locker Room/Changing Area is strictly prohibited.
- Any violation of this policy is punishable under the U.S. Figure Skating SkateSafe policy and U.S. Figure Skating Rulebook.

M&T Bank Arena POLICIES

M&T is a tobacco, smoke, and nicotine free campus. The use of all tobacco, smoke and nicotine products, including electronic cigarette and electronic aerosol delivery devices, everywhere within the boundaries of all M&T properties, both indoors and outdoors, as well as in any vehicle is prohibited.

M&T bank Arena **PROHIBITS** guests from bringing any of the follow items into the facility:

- Weapons of any kind-including pocket knives
- Duffel bags
- Backpacks
- Food or beverages
- Tobacco products
- Security reserves the right to search bags and failure to comply with any of these policies may result in the loss of entry privileges and removal from the arena.