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WHAT: Figure skating exhibition for charity
WHEN: Feb. 8, 2014, 7:00
WHERE: Lakeshore Sports Centre, 4470 Airline Rd., Muskegon

Muskegon Lakeshore Figure Skating Club Helps Make Wishes Come True

A group of young Muskegon area figure skaters are presenting “Make a Wish on Ice,” a figure skating exhibition celebrating the Olympic spirit in all of us. The event, scheduled for Saturday, February 8, at 7:00, will help raise funds for Make-A-Wish Michigan, an organization that grants the wishes of children with life-threatening medical conditions.

The skating club’s “Make A Wish on Ice” event is part of US Figure Skating’s 12th annual National Skating Month, which promotes the sport to new skaters by increasing awareness of the US Figure Skating Basic Skills Program. Muskegon Lakeshore Figure Skating Club offers the Basic Skills program at Lakeshore Sports Centre in Muskegon.

The figure skating exhibition is also a part of the 7th annual West Michigan Youth Wintersportsfest, which takes place Feb. 6-9. The festival showcases local athletes in a series of sports events and exhibitions open to the public, including luge, ice racing, hockey, figure skating, cross-country skiing, and a biathlon.

Capturing the excitement and the spirit of the Olympic season, “Make a Wish on Ice” performers will entertain the public with their athleticism and artistry, while raising money for other children through Make-A-Wish Michigan.

The exhibition will be held at Lakeshore Sports Centre, 4470 Airline Road in Muskegon. Admission is $3.00 for adults and $2.00 for children, with all proceeds going to Make-A-Wish Michigan.

Public Skating will follow the event. Admission for Public Skating is $5.00, plus $2.00 for skate rental.