

VOLUNTEERING

DFSC cannot operate without the support of VOLUNTEERS. The club has mandatory volunteer requirements as outlined below. Below is the club year (July 1-June 30) required volunteer hours.

Home Club Gold – Minimum 21 Hours Annually

- Minimum 20 hours – Northland Competition
- 1 hour – Ice Show

Home Club Gold Family – Minimum 28 Hours Annually

- Minimum 26 hours – Northland Competition
- 2 hours – Ice Show

Home Club Gold New Membership – 8 Hours Annually

- 8 hours - Northland Competition

Penalty for not reaching required hours - for each hour a family is short on volunteering, they will be billed \$75. For example - if a gold member is 5 hours short of the required 20 or 26 hours annually, they will be billed \$375 on March 1st due by March 31st. Failure to submit payment will result in ineligibility to contract until invoice is paid in full or a payment plan has been arranged. Lapse in payment will result in forfeiture of club membership and deem membership ineligible for renewal until invoice is paid in full. Penalty will be capped at \$750 for incomplete hours.

Volunteer opportunities:

It is strongly encouraged to participate and volunteer at Duluth FSC events throughout the year! Additional opportunities include: Ice Show, acting as a board member, helping with social and/or fundraising activities and Learn-to-Skate.

Why Northland is SO Important:

Northland is a key revenue producing event for the club and supplements our freestyle ice costs.

Who can volunteer:

Family members/friends are also allowed to volunteer on your behalf. Skaters ages 13+ are eligible to volunteer towards the required number of hours (this is not required).

How we track: Our website will have an online volunteer link that DFSC will be using to manage volunteer hours and tasks for Northland and the Ice Show. If you use this method of recording, you do not need to report your hours.

BUYOUT @\$750.00 PER YEAR PER SKATER

DFSC reserves for families who need to access this option. Please contact the board to discuss if this is an option for you. All buyouts need board approval.