

## **LETTER:**

Dear friends any family,

It is recognizable that the University of Delaware Synchronized Skating team has made an enormous impact on the lives of many student athletes. Formed in 1979 by Elaine Ahern, the team has evolved over the years to become the competitive organization it is today. Today, we are a group of 25 young, talented and intelligent women whose passion and love for the sport has brought us together from all over the country. We have had to overcome many adversities and obstacles in order to achieve 17- time Eastern Sectional Champions and several national titles. Taking time to accept one another and work together is how we become a cohesive unit. Our genuine, caring and friendly attitudes have created a sisterhood and a home away from home.

However, as a club sport at the University, most of the costs of the team are held responsible by the skaters. Between tuition, books and skating, the costs can be daunting and disable some girls from continuing to pursue their passion.

By donating to UDSST, you can help give back to the team that was your home away from home. Your gift will help provide our club assistance with operating costs. Please consider donating through the following instructions.

We genuinely appreciate your generosity to support UDSST.

Sincerely,

The University of Delaware Synchronized Skating Team

## **DIRECTIONS:**

- **How to donate by check:**
  1. Complete the printable giving form found on <http://www.udel.edu/giving/check.html>
  2. Make check payable to "University of Delaware"
  3. Include in the memo field "Synchronized Ice Skating Club"
  4. Mail to
    - Development and Alumni Relations
    - Gifts Receiving and Processing Office
    - 83 East Main Street, 3rd Floor
    - Newark, DE 19716
  5. Complete "Thank You" receipt sent by the University for tax purposes

- **How to donate online:**
  1. Use UD link <https://udapps.nss.udel.edu/makeagift/main.action>
  2. Select “other” under “Give to” and specify “Synchronized Ice Skating Club”
  3. Donate through check or credit card
  4. Complete “Thank You” receipt sent by the University for tax purposes
  
- **Additional Questions?**

Please contact the University Gifts Manager’s Office (Office of Development and Alumni Relations) at 302-831-6801

Thank you for your support! All donors will be recognized on our website.