

Limelight

"Limelight"

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*I can see the glow of a distant sun
I can feel it inside
Maybe this day could be the one*

*I can hear the roar of a distant crowd
They are waiting for me
Calling my name
Shouting out loud*

1987 National
Artistic Championships
Lincoln, Nebraska
July 25 - August 1

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WORLD CLASS RESULTS

World Class Dance

1. Rob Ferendo and Lori Walsh
Stone Mountain, Georgia
2. Allen Desterhaft and Julie Hider
Akron, Ohio
3. William Moneypenny and Dana Capozzi
Newark, Delaware

World Class Men's Singles

1. Gregg Smith
Maumee, Ohio
2. Scott Cohen
Virginia Beach, Virginia
3. David DeMotte
Santa Ana, California

World Class Women's Singles

1. Patti Jefferson
Bellingham, Washington
2. April Rex
Whitehall, Pennsylvania
3. Tammy Jerue
Santa Ana, California

World Class Pairs

1. Ken Benson and Robyn Young
Hurst, Texas
2. Larry McGrew and Nicki Armstrong
Santa Ana, California
3. Mark Goohs and Amy Waters
Berea, Ohio

World Class Men's Figures

1. Skip Clinton
Davie, Florida
2. Kevin Carroll
Largo, Florida
3. Justin Bates
Utica, Michigan

World Class Women's Figures

1. Debbie Erdmann
Austin, Texas
2. Lynn Suwinski
Utica, Michigan
3. Renee Gerig
Davie, Florida

SINGLES

Junior Men's Singles

1. Stephen Sacramento
Taunton, Massachusetts
2. Paolo Castellano
Romeoville, Illinois
3. Shawn Coover
Whitehall, Pennsylvania

Junior Women's Singles

1. Stephanie Webb
Grand Prairie, Texas
2. Julie Rodgers
Downey, California
3. Michelle Hodge
Maumee, Ohio

Sophomore Men's Singles

1. Christian Troy
Jackson, New Jersey
2. Jason Corley
National City, California
3. Jeffrey Clement
Lowell, North Carolina

Sophomore Women's Singles

1. Kimberly Goodgame
Bakersfield, California
2. Cathryn Coryell
Redwood City, California
3. Lycia Grossglass
National City, California

Freshman Boys' Singles

1. Heath Medeiros
W. Bridgewater, Massachusetts
2. Troy Pannunzio
Brookpark, Ohio
3. Peter Calabro
W. Bridgewater, Massachusetts

Freshman Girls' Singles

1. Lisa Talias
Marietta, Georgia
2. Susan Heck
National City, California
3. Katie Ann Colley
Jackson, New Jersey

Elementary Boys' Singles

1. Eric Anderson
National City, California
2. David Nickles
Maumee, Ohio
3. Cory Miller
Roseville, California

Elementary Girls' Singles

1. April Dayney
Maumee, Ohio
2. Rechelle Hanson
Chino, California
3. Stephanie Brott
Bakersfield, California

Juvenile Boys' Singles

1. Ryan Ball
Cortland, Ohio
2. Courtney Collier
Santa Ana, California
3. Jesse Ortega
Glendale, California

Juvenile Girls' Singles

1. Jennifer Kern
Whitehall, Pennsylvania
2. Jennifer Rodriguez
Hollywood, Florida
3. Charity Ledrew
Fairhope, Alabama

Primary Boys' Singles

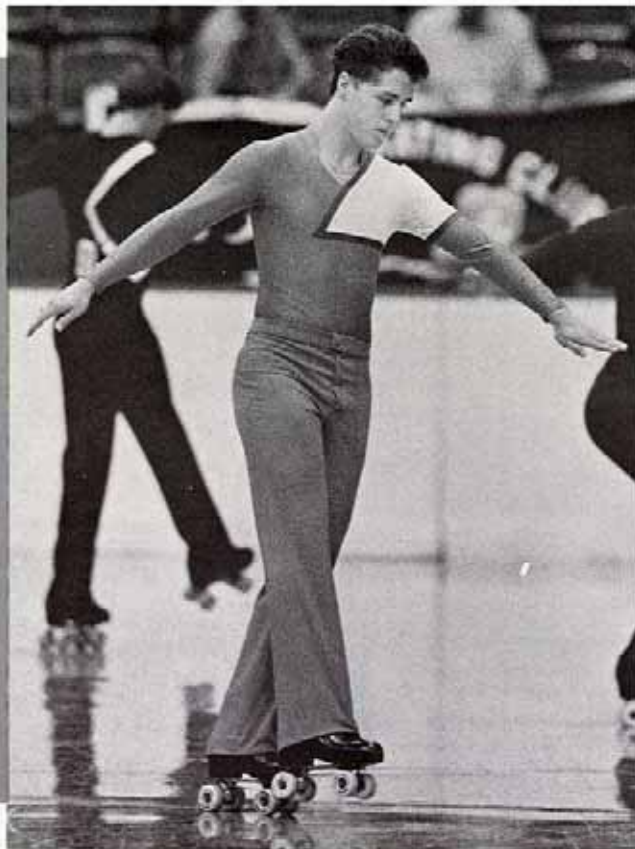
1. Jay Reinholz
Brookpark, Ohio
2. Ryan Randall
Roseville, California
3. Jared Wright
San Mateo, California

Primary Girls' Singles

1. Holly Johnson
Chino, California
2. Melissa Pudiwitr
Bakersfield, California
3. Sarah Buck
Jacksonville, Illinois



(At left) Julie Hider; (above) members of the U.S. Team for the 1987 World Championships ham it up during their presentation. Nearly half will be competing at Worlds for the first time.



*Holding on isn't always easy
 I ain't gonna change my mind*



(Above) Justin Bates; (right) a bit of "hands-on" coaching.

PAIRS

Junior Pairs

1. Terry McDonald and Jill Smith
Austintown, Ohio
2. Paolo Castellano and Nicole Castellano
Romeoville, Illinois
3. Tracy Black and Casey Upham
Monroe, Michigan

Sophomore Pairs

1. Ernest Montano and Cathryn Coryell
Redwood City, California
2. Mark Manchester and Shelly Freitas
Santa Ana, California
3. Dante Englebright and Danielle Pease
Enola, Pennsylvania

Freshman Pairs

1. Chad Bauman and April Dayney
Maumee, Ohio
2. Chad Gentile and Rechelle Hanson
Chino, California
3. Christopher Welch and Kirstin Tannas
Roseville, Wisconsin

Elementary Pairs

1. David Nickles and Jami Boehmer
Maumee, Ohio
2. Timothy Nieto and Shelly Nieto
Ann Arbor, Michigan
3. Christopher Vandeventer and Shannon
Wright - San Mateo, California

Juvenile Pairs

1. Courtney Collier and Erin Parquette
Santa Ana, California
2. Craig Hall and Laura Gates
Redwood City, California
3. Jesse Ortega and Amy York
Glendale, California

DANCE

World Class Junior Dance

1. Douglas Wait and DeAnna Monahan
San Jose, California
2. Jason Tebe and Jodee Viola
Taunton, Massachusetts
3. Steven Moore and Lisa Friday
Stone Mountain, Georgia

Senior Dance

1. Curt Craton and Theresa Tilson Santoscoy
Fountain Valley, California
2. Timothy Patten and RaeMarie Bonacci
Fountain Valley, California
3. Curtis Cherry and Donna Cherry
Bay Shore, New York

Senior Free Dance

1. Craig Chase and Deann Deluca
Kissimmee, Florida
2. Frank Beri and Cindi Spatzier
Hurffville, New Jersey
3. Robert Farnsworth and Dorothy White
Newark, Delaware

Junior Dance

1. Joe Gasparovich and Stephanie Cotton
Livonia, Michigan
2. Richard Saucedo and Kelley Aguilar
Hayward, California
3. Mark Thomas and Tara Graney
Norwood, Massachusetts

Junior Free Dance

1. Christopher Welch and Michele Meltzer
Roseville, Michigan
2. Eric Swinehart and Meredith Swinehart
Akron, Ohio
3. Richard Errett Jr. and Kathryn Watson
Kissimmee, Florida

Classic Dance

1. David Adamy II and Kathy Volpe
N. Lauderdale, Florida
2. Dennis Nendza and Mary Nendza
Wickliffe, Ohio
3. Raymond Stanton and Cynthia McDonald
Fountain Valley, California

Esquire Dance

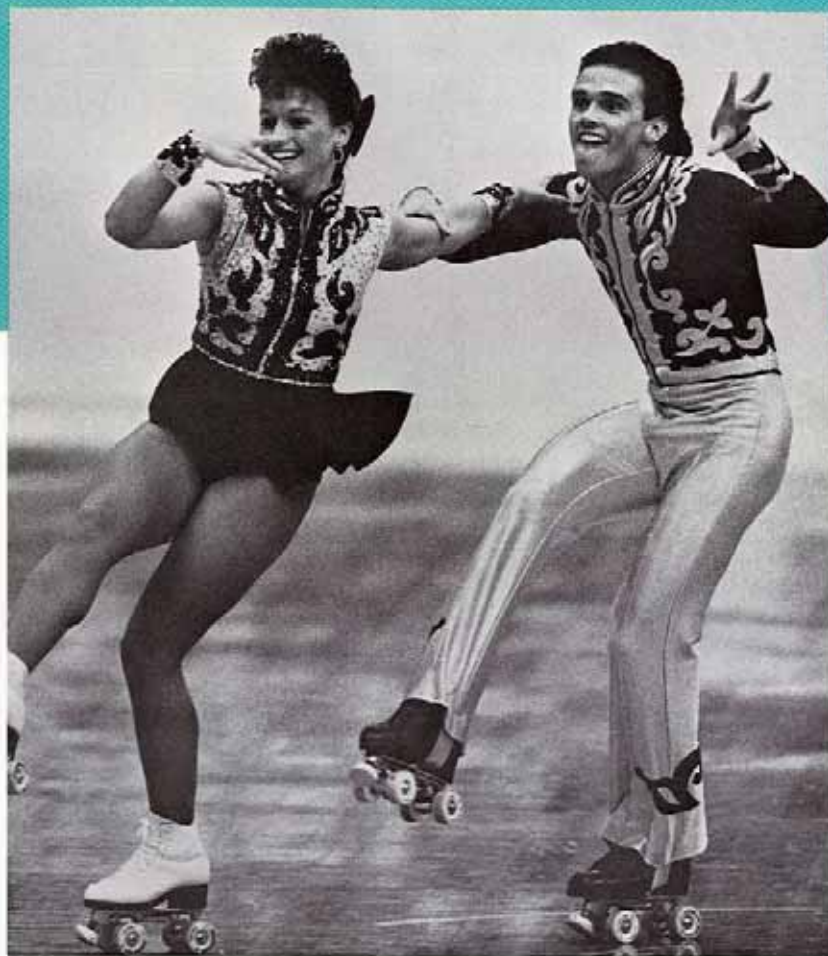
1. John Matuszewski and Carolyn Ferraro
Indianapolis, Indiana
2. Robert Phillips and Kathleen Bailey
Fountain Valley, California
3. Bruce Muench and Irene Johnson
Wickliffe, Ohio

Novice Dance

1. William Johnson and Sally Zitkovic
Wickliffe, Ohio
2. Jack Dozier and Pauline Hall
Wickliffe, Ohio
3. Edward Pentico and Claire Carillo
Santa Ana, California



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 Since it all began
 Limelight, shining on me
 Telling the world who I am
 Limelight, don't let me slip right through your fingers
 There's a long way to fall
 After all the years of waiting
 I'm gonna show them all*



(Above left) McGrew and Armstrong; (above) Capozzi and Moneypenny always have fun with free dance.

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Intermediate Dance

1. Edward Carpenter and Rebecca Senulis
Taunton, Massachusetts
2. Daniel Hild and Kary Frey
Brookpark, Ohio
3. Edgar Villegas and Julie Dorney
Hillsboro, Oregon

Masters Dance

1. Allen Johnsen and Peggy Clark
Newark, California
2. David Herlacher and Joyce Herlacher
Arvada, Colorado
3. Wendall Wilbar Jr. and Veronica Wilbar
Merrimack, New Jersey

Sophomore Dance

1. Stephen Sacramento and Heather Daggett
Taunton, Massachusetts
2. Brian Keil and Amy Cahenzli
Hyde Park, New York
3. Pete Hall and Heather Clemens
Akron, Ohio

Freshman Dance

1. Philip Beuck and Lisa Bondi
Euclid, Ohio
2. David Wakefield and Julie Davies
Unattached, California
3. Charles Davis and Aundrea Patterson
Wickliffe, Ohio

Elementary Dance

1. Vincent Quaranto and Laura Block
San Antonio, Texas
2. Shawn Jellse and Roxanne Jellse
Livonia, Michigan
3. Christopher Kuhrt and Shelley Gorczyca
Brookpark, Ohio

Juvenile Dance

1. Jeffrey Angiulli and Meg Plagens
Livonia, Michigan
2. Derek Phillips and Michelle Block
Houston, Texas
3. Christopher Haws and Jennifer Haws
Wickliffe, Ohio

FIGURES

Junior Men's Figures

1. Herbert Schley
Casselberry, Florida
2. Derek Hauser
Downey, California
3. Gregory Lambert
Mechanicsville, Virginia

Junior Women's Figures

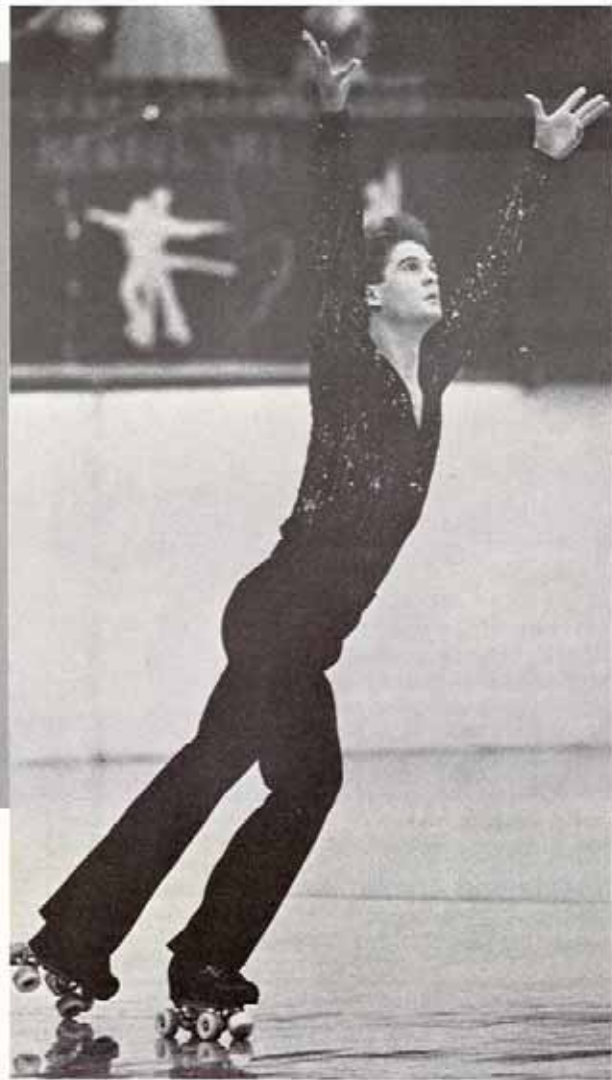
1. Stacy Dutch
Taunton, Massachusetts
2. Eve-Lynn Pergerson
Virginia Beach, Virginia
3. Mary Kieran Belluso
Decatur, Georgia

Classic Men's Figures

1. David Adamy II
N. Lauderdale, Florida
2. Bob Travarca
Wickliffe, Ohio
3. Gary Greene
Delanco, New Jersey

Classic Women's Figures

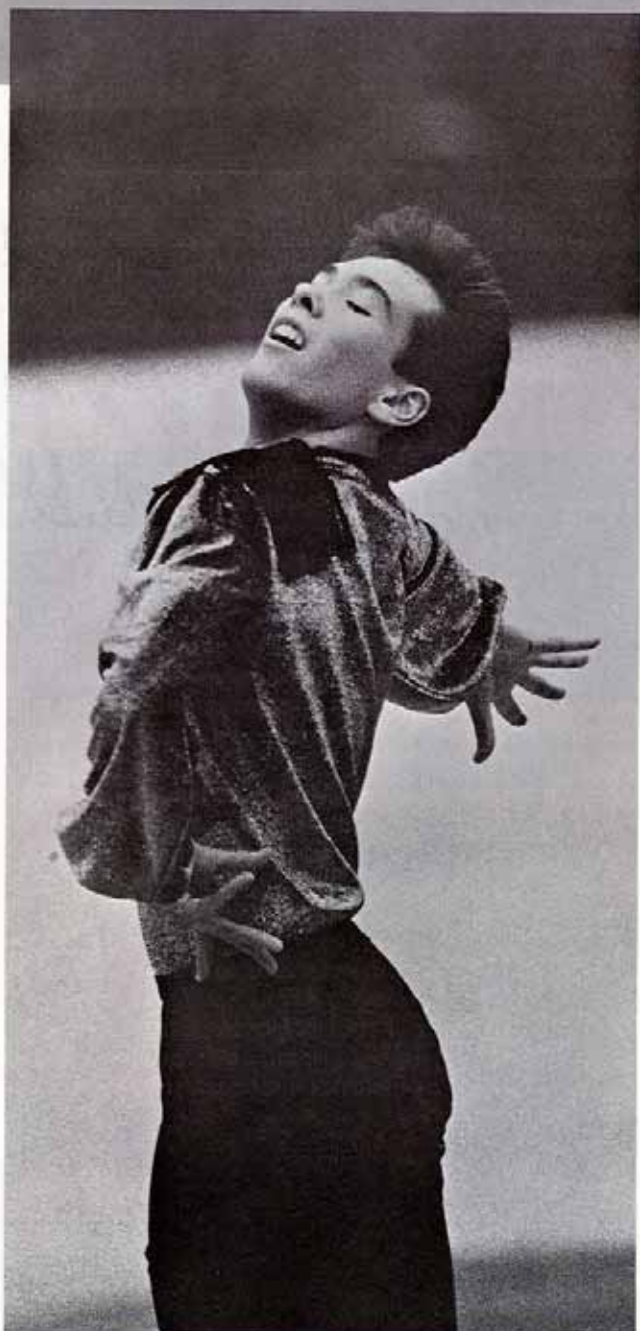
1. Kathy Volpe
N. Lauderdale, Florida
2. Monica Delvy
Milford, Connecticut
3. Kathy Frombach-Rager
Johnstown, Pennsylvania



*I can see the world in a different light
Now it's easy to say
Where I went wrong
What I did right*

*I can bear the beat of a different drum
Take it all in my stride
Hold my head high
Second to none*

(Above) Gregg Smith; (right) David DeMotte.



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Esquire Men's Figures

1. Joseph Danna
Bradenton, Florida
2. James Riggi Sr.
Newark, Delaware
3. Donald Minor
Elmhurst, Illinois

Esquire Women's Figures

1. Roseann Zeleji
Livonia, Michigan
2. Cary Hedrick
Summit, Illinois
3. Joan Kauer
Flint, Michigan

Novice Men's Figures

1. Richard Silva
Downey, California
2. Richard Wakeham
Romeoville, Illinois
3. Curtis Cherry
Bay Shore, New York

Novice Women's Figures

1. Debbie Peterson
Erie, Pennsylvania
2. Susan Colbert
Sarasota, Florida
3. Cynthia Mohler
Antioch, California

Sophomore Men's Figures

1. Erik Lourette
Merrimack, New Hampshire
2. Andrew Urrutia
Santa Rosa, California
3. Toby Hensley
Maumee, Ohio

Sophomore Women's Figures

1. Sherry Stauffer
Cortland, Ohio
2. Missy Cadwell
Hayward, California
3. Kinderlin Maatta
Santa Rosa, California

Freshman Boys' Figures

1. Richard Fonseca
Hayward, California
2. Linwood Perry
Manassas, Virginia
3. Alfredo Ledesma Jr.
Newark, California

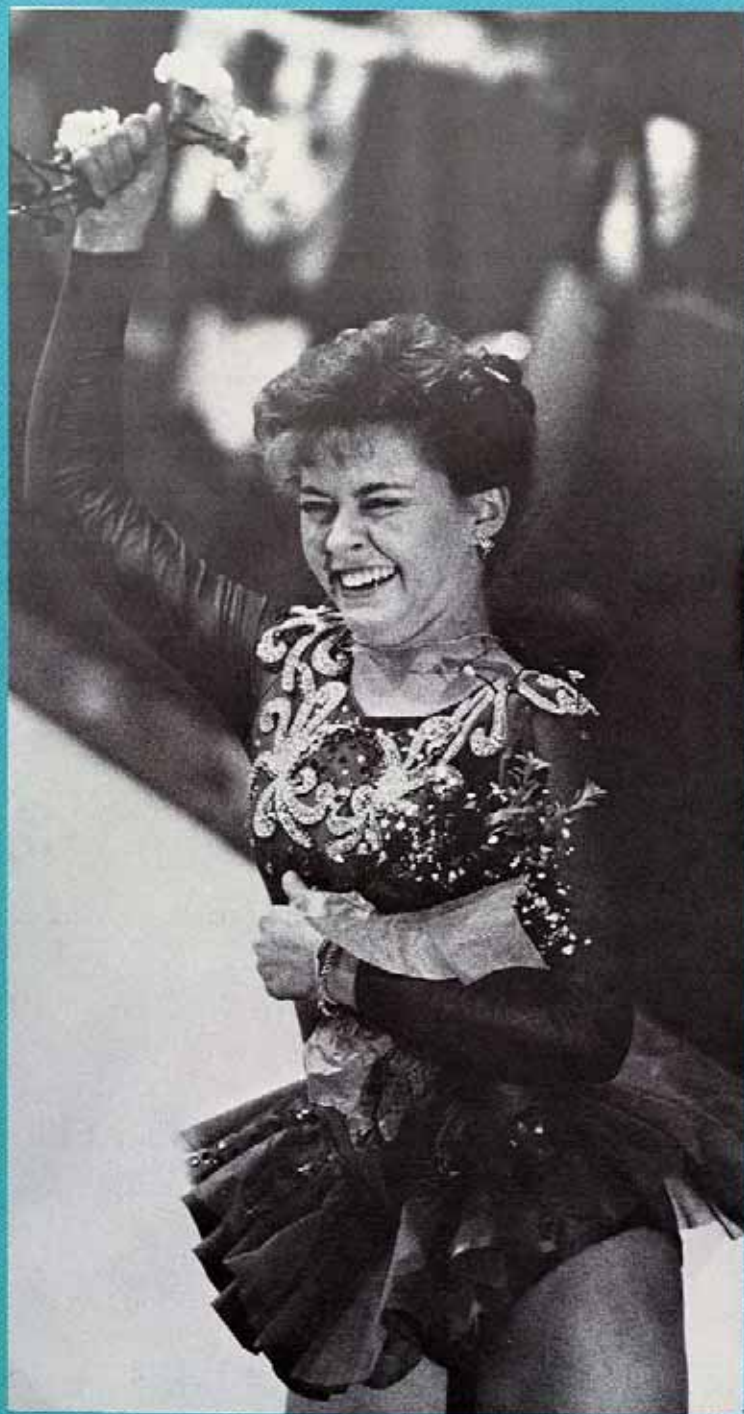
Freshman Girls' Figures

1. Nicole Sakich
Romeoville, Illinois
2. Betsy Nieto
Ann Arbor, Michigan
3. Amy Redman
Virginia Beach, Virginia

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(Above) Tiny dancers earn a hug; (right) April Rex reacts to the scores that gave her the silver—and a spot on the U.S. Team for the first time.



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Intermediate Men's Figures

1. Brian Rookard
Livonia, Michigan
2. Tim Eggert
Romeoville, Illinois
3. Timothy Gallagher
Milford, Massachusetts

Intermediate Women's Figures

1. Kimberly Wilson
Romeoville, Illinois
2. Jacquelyn Betz
N. Lauderdale, Florida
3. Vickie McLaughlin
National City, California

Masters Men's Figures

1. John Martin
Franklin, Indiana
2. S. Lane Park
Delanco, New Jersey
3. Henry Cerutti
Fresno, California

Masters Women's Figures

1. Yvonne Mathews
Houston, Texas
2. Nola Bowdridge
Burlington, Washington
3. Marylyn Westervelt
Manassas, Virginia

Elementary Boys' Figures

1. James Sitter
Jeffersonton, Kentucky
2. Timothy Nieto
Ann Arbor, Michigan
3. Brent Courtney
Delanco, New Jersey

Elementary Girls' Figures

1. April Dayney
Maumee, Ohio
2. Shelley Gorczyca
Brookpark, Ohio
3. Michelle Hollis
Hayward, California

Juvenile Boys' Figures

1. Jeffrey Angiulli
Livonia, Michigan
2. Gary Hogan
Burton, Michigan
3. Christopher Haws
Wickliffe, Ohio

Juvenile Girls' Figures

1. Jennifer Rodriguez
Hollywood, Florida
2. Shelley Nieto
Ann Arbor, Michigan
3. Shelli Crouse
Portsmouth, Virginia

Primary Boys' Figures

1. Ryan Randall
Roseville, California
2. James Welch
Woodbridge, Virginia
3. John Jacobson
Virginia Beach, Virginia

Primary Girls' Figures

1. Carla Koepf
Lorain, Ohio
2. Sara Buck
Jacksonville, Illinois
3. April Bowyer
Elyria, Ohio

Men's Open Loops

1. Ryan Hoilman
Virginia Beach, Virginia
2. Scott Deuster
Flint, Michigan
3. Troy Davis
Bradenton, Florida

Women's Open Loops

1. Lisa Talias
Marietta, Georgia
2. Kristy Novak
Nanticoke, Pennsylvania
3. Julie Weber
Vandalia, Ohio

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 Nothing can change my mind*

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 Limelight, shining on me, telling the world who I am
 Limelight, don't let it slip right through your fingers
 There's a long way to fall
 After all the years of waiting, I'm gonna show them all
 Maybe the role's not easy, maybe the prize is small
 After all the years of waiting, I'm gonna show them all*

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Artistic

Girls' Figures Level I, Division A

1. Samantha Grey, Hollywood, Fla.
2. Dormia Cutbreath, Elsmere, Del.
3. Courtney Glass, Stafford, Texas
4. Karen Bressler, Troy, Mich.

Boys' Figures Level I, Division A

1. Jornell Aveledo, Houston, Texas
2. Jeffery Roulan, National City, Calif.
3. Eli Jones, Ann Arbor, Mich.
4. Vicente Vasquez, Redland, Calif.

Girls' Figures Level I, Division B

1. Patricia Hernandez, Houston, Texas
2. Melissa Quinn, Kissimmee, Fla.
3. Codie Schon, San Bernardino, Calif.
4. Elizabeth White, Elyria, Calif.

Men's Figures Level I, Division B

1. Andrew Rathburn, Houston, Texas
2. Larry Miller, Burnsville, Minn.
3. Patrick Rodriguez, San Jose, Calif.
4. Mark Purcell, Pottstown, Pa.

Women's Figures Level I, Division C

1. Ginger Emory, Newark, Del.
2. Leslie Bryant, Burton, Mich.
3. Hallie Russell, Bay City, Mich.
4. Amber Jones, Victorville, Calif.

Men's Figures Level I, Division C

1. Quinn DeGeneste, Kendall Park, N.J.
2. Jon Traw, Glendale, Calif.
3. Lyle Gray, Marlton, N.J.
4. Bill Briley, Houston, Texas

Women's Figures Level I, Division D

1. Jennifer Biegert, San Antonio, Texas
2. Sarah Stezkowski, San Antonio, Texas
3. Shannon Bellenbaum, Salem, Ohio
4. Rence Marie Smith, Gainesville, Fla.

Women's Figures Level I, Division E

1. Dorothy Burlew, Santee, Calif.
2. Janet Endicott, Springfield, Mo.
3. Linda Haase, Oxnard, Calif.
4. Barbara Dowd, Dover, Del.

Men's Figures Level II

1. Kevin Lewis, Flint, Mich.
2. Richard Scavetta, New Port Richey, Fla.
3. Morris Costa, Redwood City, Calif.
4. Jeremy White, Bedland, Calif.

Women's Figures Level II, Division A

1. Stacey Vanderhoof, Bradentown, Fla.
2. Anetra Strickland, Hollywood, Fla.
3. Tammy Barrett, Coal City, Ill.
4. Heather Lumia, Dover, Del.

Women's Figures Level II, Division B

1. Nancy Himmelblau, South Amboy, N.J.
2. Krista Justin, West Dundee, Ill.
3. Lori Petersen, East Moline, Ill.
4. Amy Quinn, Kissimmee, Fla.

Boys' Singles Level I, Division A

1. Robert Wisner, Orlando, Fla.
2. Jornell Aveledo, Houston, Texas
3. Michael Parisi, Newark, Del.
4. Jacob Duckworth, Napa, Calif.

Girls' Singles Level I, Division B

1. Allison Quinn, Kissimmee, Fla.
2. Alisha Briley, Houston, Texas
3. Aileen Nagy, Morris, Ill.
4. Joan Cellum, Deptford, N.J.

Men's Singles Level I, Division B

1. Patrick Rodriguez, San Jose, Calif.
2. Jamie Belasco, San Antonio, Texas
3. Bao Troung, La Mesa, Calif.
4. Bryan Coombs, Gainesville, Fla.

Women's Singles Level I, Division C

1. Judi Charlesworth, Deptford, N.J.
2. Crystal Nelson, Gainesville, Fla.
3. Nancy Palm, Cherry Hill, N.J.
4. Tracy Davis, Waco, Texas

Advanced Women's Singles Level II

1. Crystal White, Austintown, Ohio
2. Anetra Strickland, Hollywood, Fla.
3. Aliyah DeGeneste, Kendall Park, N.J.
4. Amber Waters, Berea, Ohio

Advanced Men's Singles Level II

1. Nikki Cox, Lantana, Fla.
2. Robert Foster, Redlands, Calif.
3. Kevin Lewis, Flint, Mich.
4. Raymond Mulmix, Bethany, Mo.

Coed Solo Dance Level I, Division A

1. Eli Jones, Ann Arbor, Mich.
2. Kelly Richerson, Fountain Valley, Calif.
3. Heather Lumia, Dover, Del.
4. Christina Romik, Arvada, Colo.

Coed Solo Dance Level I, Division B

1. Don Whelan, San Jose, Calif.
2. Staccee Vanderhoff, Bradentown, Fla.
3. Andrew Rathburn, Houston, Texas
4. Shannon Landreth, Cucamonga, Calif.

Coed Solo Dance Level I, Division C

1. Tim Wantot, Largo, Fla.
2. Delta Bailey, Oaklawn, Ill.
3. Mary Neal, San Jose, Calif.
4. Sarah Stezokowski, San Antonio, Texas

Coed Solo Dance Level I, Division D

1. Kathleen Kelley, Bensalem, Pa.
2. Barney Morlock, La Mesa, Calif.
3. Lyle Gray, Marlton, N.J.
4. Dave Morgan, Ventura, Calif.

Advanced Solo Dance Level II

1. Kerry Nale, Newark, Calif.
2. Jayne Halley, Utica, Mich.
3. Michelle Heslop, Fountain Valley, Calif.
4. Beth Belanger, Waco, Texas

Team Dance Level I, Division A

1. Jornell Aveledo and Patricia Hernandez, Houston, Texas
2. Daniel Cornelius and Robyn Moore, Buena Park, Calif.
3. Michael Parisi and Brandy Chieff, Newark, Del.
4. Alex Hamilton and Greta Adkins, Buena Park, Calif.

Team Dance Level I, Division B

1. Patrick Rodriguez and Renee Taroli, San Jose, Calif.
2. Larry Miller and Ann Gibson, Burnsville, Minn.
3. Richard Kelly and Patricia Roberts, Bensalem, Pa.
4. Cliff Ryan and Jeanne Oronizio, Shillington, Pa.

Team Dance Level I, Division C

1. Mark Purcell and Kristen Samuelson, Pottstown, Pa.
2. Scott Barry and Carol Coon, Prescott, Ariz.

Team Dance Level I, Division D

1. Frank Owens and Loana Baxter, National City, Calif.
2. Frank Costanza and Donna Mathias, Marlton, N.J.
3. Robert Streng and June Streng, Ventura, Calif.
4. William Forestal and Dorothy Osborn, Austintown, Ohio

Advanced Team Dance Level II

1. Bill Alaimo and Jean Alaimo, Redwood City, Calif.
2. Paul Oyer and Jennifer Miller, Redlands, Calif.
3. John Gibson and Stacy McKenzie, Burnsville, Minn.