

THE NEW SOUTH WALES ICE SKATING ASSOCIATION INCORPORATED

**ENTRY TO AUSTRALIAN FIGURE SKATING
CHAMPIONSHIPS AND AUSTRALIAN
ADULT FIGURE SKATING CHAMPIONSHIPS
POLICY**



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ENTRY TO AUSTRALIAN FIGURE SKATING CHAMPIONSHIPS AND AUSTRALIAN ADULT FIGURE SKATING CHAMPIONSHIPS POLICY of THE NEW SOUTH WALES ICE SKATING ASSOCIATION INCORPORATED

1. Purpose of the Policy

This Policy establishes the criteria for entry to the annual Australian Figure Skating Championships (AFSC) and the Australian Adult figure Skating Championships (AAFSC). The Policy outlines the eligibility of all skaters intending to represent NSWISA in the Championships.

2. Application of the Policy

This Policy applies to all eligible NSWISA Members. This Policy applies to all divisions forming part of both the AFSC and the AAFSC.

3. Eligibility

- (a) To be eligible to enter the AFSC, competitors must meet the following criteria as at close of entries for the Championships:

SINGLES, PAIRS & ICE DANCE:

- Each skater must be a financial Member of NSWISA and a home Club.☒
- Title holders may defend their titles without being counted in a state's quota in any event where defense of title is permitted.
- Place in the first four (4) placings (excluding Guests & Title Holders defending their Titles) in the
- NSWISA State Championships in the same season as the AFSC.
- The first eight (8) reserves are also eligible to apply to represent NSWISA in the AFSC and entries will be accepted in accordance with the ISA Communication and at ISA discretion.
- Have achieved the ISA AFSC minimum TES for the division in accordance with the ISA Communication for the year.
- Hold the relevant ISA test level to compete as per the relevant ISA By-Laws.

SYNCHRONIZED SKATING:

- Team Members must be financial Members of NSWISA and a home Club.
- Title holders may defend their titles without being counted in a state's quota in any event where defense of title is permitted.
- Place in the first four (4) placings (excluding Guests & Title Holders defending their Titles) in the
- NSWISA State Championships in the same season as the AFSC.

- The first six(6) reserves are also eligible to apply to represent NSWISA in the AFSC and entries will be accepted in accordance with the ISA Communication and at ISA discretion.
 - Have achieved the ISA AFSC minimum TES for the division in accordance with the ISA Communication for the year.
 - Teams must meet the ISA requirements for Team Composition as per ISA By-Laws Section 10.
- (b) To be eligible to enter the AAFSC, competitors must meet the following criteria as at close of entries for the Championships:

ADULT SINGLES, PAIRS & ICE DANCE:

- Each skater must be a financial Member of NSWISA and a home Club²
- Have achieved the ISA AAFSC minimum TES for the division in accordance with the ISA Communication for the year.
- Hold the relevant ISA test level to compete as per the relevant ISA By-Laws.
- Competed in one (1) competition in the twelve (12) months prior to the date of the Championship.

4. Byes:

- In cases of exceptional circumstances where skaters are not able to meet the above criteria, applications may be made to the NSWISA Board for review. Supporting documentation must be submitted with the application.
- For skaters who did not intend to compete in the NSWISA State Championships who would like to apply to represent NSWISA at the AFSC, byes must be applied for prior to the closing date of entries for the NSWISA State Championships.
- For skaters who entered to compete in the NSWISA State Championships who had to withdraw from the event but would like to apply to represent NSWISA at the AFSC, byes must be applied for within one week of the conclusion of the NSWISA State Championships.
- All competitors who are successfully awarded a Bye to represent NSWISA in the AFSC will then be listed following the names of all skaters who competed in the NSWISA State Championships in that division. Skaters competing in an ISU international competition on the same dates as the NSWISA State Championships may be given special consideration.
- In the case of multiple Byes being awarded in the one division, skaters will be ranked in order of the highest TES achieved in the current season and will be listed after all skaters who competed in the NSWISA State Championships.

5. Entries

Entries to both the AFSC and the AAFSC must be made using the NSWISA online registration system available at www.nswisa.com. PPC(s), music & payment must all be submitted at the time of entry for the entry to be accepted.

6. Document Control

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