



# New South Wales Ice Skating Assoc Inc

## NSWISA Membership Categories Policy

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<b>Related Policies/Procedures/Forms:</b>	<a href="https://www.nswisa.com">https://www.nswisa.com</a> NSWISA Membership List		

### 1. Purpose of the Policy

This Policy establishes the membership categories, fees and voting rights for NSWISA.

### 2. Application of the Policy

This Policy applies to all NSWISA Members and participants in NSWISA events other than Guests of other State Associations and ISU Members.

### 3. Membership

All Membership must be applied for online using the NSWISA Membership Application Form. The Membership will be valid from the date of purchase until 11:59pm on 31<sup>st</sup> December in that calendar year. Registrations for Membership for each calendar year will open at 12:00am on 1<sup>st</sup> January. A register of Members will be kept by NSWISA.

All Members must adhere to the NSWISA, ISA & ISU rules, regulations and policies, especially the Codes of Conduct, Conflict Of Interest, Behaviour and Eligibility Policies & associated documents at all times.

### 4. Membership Types

The available NSWISA Membership Types are:

Membership Type	Membership Description
Basic Introductory	For new Members in their 1st year of membership only. Members can participate in Aussie Skate/Skate School only. If Skating Synchro (IJS, not Aussie Skate level) or Theatre On Ice, select Synchronized or Theatre On Ice Membership. If skating Singles, Pairs or Ice Dance events under IJS select Junior or Senior Membership (whichever is appropriate based on age). Aussie Skate Members must also take out Aussie Skate Membership via ISA to ensure insurance cover.



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Basic	For Members in the 2nd year of membership and beyond who participate in Aussie Skate/Skate School only. If Skating Synchro (IJS, not Aussie Skate level) or Theatre On Ice, select Synchronized or Theatre On Ice Membership. If skating Singles, Pairs or Ice Dance events under IJS select Junior or Senior Membership (whichever is appropriate based on age). Aussie Skate Members must also take out Aussie Skate Membership via ISA to ensure insurance cover.
Synchronized	Minimum membership requirement if skating IJS Synchronized. Select Junior or Senior (whichever is appropriate) if competing or testing in Singles, Pairs or Ice Dance also.
Theatre On Ice	Minimum membership requirement if skating Theatre On Ice. Select Junior or Senior (whichever is appropriate) if competing or testing in Singles, Pairs or Ice Dance also.
Junior	Minimum membership requirement for Members who are under 16 years old competing or testing at IJS level in Singles, Pairs or Ice Dance.
Senior	Minimum membership requirement for Members who are 16 years & over competing or testing at IJS level in Singles, Pairs or Ice Dance.
Judges & Officials	Minimum membership requirement for Judges & Officials who do not compete or test as a skater. This includes Officials on NSWISA & Club Committees, Officials who serve on any judging or technical panels, Team Leaders, and Volunteers who hold decision making roles, etc.
Life Member	Life Membership is awarded to a Member who has rendered distinguished service to the Association or the Sport in New South Wales, where such service is deemed to have assisted the advancement of the ice skating in New South Wales.
Professional	Members of APSA who do not qualify for the Judges & Officials membership category or others who have a professional financial relationship with NSWISA, our Clubs &/or Members.
Recreational	Non competitive, non participating Members.
Club - Less than 10 Members	Club with less than 10 members.
Club - 10 to 100 Members	Club with 10 to 100 members.
Club - More than 100 Members	Club with more than 100 members.

## **5. Membership Voting Rights**

Membership categories afford the following voting rights at NSWISA General Meetings:



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<b>Membership Type</b>	<b>NSWISA Voting Rights</b>
Basic Introductory	No
Basic	No
Synchronized	No
Theatre On Ice	No
Junior	No
Senior	Yes
Judges & Officials	Yes
Life Member	Yes
Professional	No
Recreational	No
Club - Less than 10 Members	No
Club - 10 to 100 Members	Yes
Club - More than 100 Members	Yes

Apart from Clubs, those membership categories which are listed as “Yes” in the table above are referred to in the NSWISA Constitution as Individual Voting Members, apart from Life Members who are referred to separately in the NSWISA Constitution. Those membership categories which are listed as “No” in the table above are referred to in the NSWISA Constitution as Individual Non-Voting Members. Clubs with 10 or more Members are referred to as Clubs and are afforded the representation and voting rights stipulated in the NSWISA Constitution.

## **6. Membership Fees**

The annual fees for 2023 for the available NSWISA Membership Types are:

<b>Membership Type</b>	<b>Fee</b>	<b>Early Bird</b>
Basic Introductory	\$30	n/a
Basic	\$50	n/a
Synchronized	\$145	\$130
Theatre On Ice	\$145	\$130
Junior	\$175	\$160
Senior	\$215	\$195
Judges & Officials	\$30	n/a
Life Member	\$0	\$0
Professional	\$35	n/a
Recreational	\$0	\$0
Club - Less than 10 members	\$280	n/a
Club - 10 to 100 members	\$670	n/a
Club - More than 100	\$1,010	n/a



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Early Bird Membership Fees are available from 1<sup>st</sup> January – 31<sup>st</sup> January each year.

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