



SOUTH AUSTRALIAN ICE-SKATING ASSOCIATION Inc.
COMPETITION ANNOUNCEMENT
STATE CHAMPIONSHIPS 2021 (Online Event and Benchmark Event)

EVENT STATUS: State Championships (On-Line Event with Benchmark event)

Event Date	9 & 10 October 2021 (Saturday & Sunday)
Event Times	4:00pm – 7:15pm each day
Official Practice	Official Practices will not be available
Filming	Skaters' programs will be filmed, labelled and sent to ISA for approved panels to judge the event
Entries Open	Formal entries open 21 September 2021
Entries Close	2 October 2021 9:00am
Date of Draw	Saturday 2 October at 9.30am at the IceArena. For 2 program events the order of skating in the Free Skate segment will be the reverse order of the Short Program result
Organising Body	South Australian Ice Skating Association Incorporated
Contact Information	admin@saisa.org.au mobile: 0413 746 569
Event Website	saisa.org.au
Event Venue	IceArena, 23 James Congdon Drive, Thebarton, SA
Ice Dimensions	56m x 26m
Divisions	<p>State Championships Technical programs only: Singles: Basic Novice to Senior Synchronized: All ISA levels Adult: Silver to Master Pairs: Basic Novice</p> <p>Please note: SAISA regrets that Spring Cup cannot now be held at the same time as State Championships as the ice booked for this was needed by the rink to re-schedule events affected by the recent Covid restrictions</p>
Technical Requirements	As per current ISU Special Regulations and Technical Rules, ISU Communications, ISA Regulations and Communications
Other Requirements	Eligibility for State Championships Skaters will have competed in SA Skate 2021 or received a bye for this event. Coaches will have sent in their skater lists for States in August.
COVID-Safety Requirements	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> SAISA COVID-19 Sport-Specific Guidelines must be followed. See SAISA Policies COVID-19 safety measures are in place at the IceArena. Hand sanitizer stations are available and COVID-Safe check-in is required. Traffic flow signs and distancing requirements must be observed. Change rooms are only to be used for the time it takes to change in or out of costumes/sports gear. Maximum numbers allowed in the change rooms are posted on the room entry door.

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Competitors should arrive dressed in performance clothes, if possible Competitors are advised to warm-up at home or away from the rink as much as possible. Availability of warm-up areas inside the rink may be severely limited due to renovations and other rink activities.
Results	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The IJS (ISU Judging System) will be used for all ISA Divisions. Judging will occur separately from the filming event and results will be published at a later date
Judges	Judging panel will be organised by the SA judging convenor in conjunction with ISA and will comply with Benchmark requirements
Membership Requirements	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> At close of entries, all competitors must be full financial members of SAISA and the membership must be valid during the full competition period
Insurance	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ISA level Skaters are insured as part of their SAISA Membership Coaches are expected to be insured via APSA and accredited Coaches presenting skaters at National Championship levels are expected to be members of a State Association
Eligibility to Compete	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Skaters will have gained eligibility by competing in SA Skate 2021 or receiving a Bye for that event Guests: Due to COVID-19 restrictions and shortage of ice time, Interstate or Overseas guests not already training in South Australia are politely notified that entry into this year's event is not possible
Practice Sessions	Official Practice is not available at this time

COMPETITION ENTRY DETAILS	
Entry Process	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Entry registration forms, PPC forms and music forms are SAISA online forms. The links are on the SAISA website > Forms page You upload your music with the SAISA music form (further information below). Note that skaters must also have a backup copy of their music such as on a USB drive or on their or their coach's rink music tag
Payment Process	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Pay into SAISA Account BSB 105-105 Account 389743040 (Bank SA) Synchro Team entry fees must be received in total as a team payment
Entry Conditions	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Entry form, PPC and music must be received by close of entries Fees must be received in the SAISA account prior to the Draw. Entries not meeting these requirements will be removed from the Draw Late entries will not be accepted
Withdrawals	Refund only with a medical certificate provided before the draw. No refund permitted after the draw
Music	<p>There are 3 aspects to submitting your music:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> The name The name of your music is needed for your Entry form Backup: Skaters must have a backup copy of their music, e.g. on a USB drive or on their or their coach's rink music tag Online submission of your music By close of entries skaters must submit their music electronically <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The Upload link: See SAISA website > Forms page for the link

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The format: MP3 • Free Skate and Short Program: these are separate MP3 uploads. Only Advanced Novice, Junior and Senior have Short Programs • Naming: File naming examples are below for ISA levels and Aussie Skate and consist of: the accepted name of the division (and segment if applicable), your name, and the actual length of your music: e.g.: JuniorLadies_SP_JaneSmith_2m40s AS_FS2_DonnaSmith_1m30s
Awards and Trophies	Medals will be awarded to first, second & third place-getters and participants.
Schedule	A draft schedule based on the expressions of interest supplied by coaches is below. A detailed schedule of events will be provided following the closing of entries and published on the SAISA website.
	<p>Saturday Afternoon 4:00pm Pairs Basic, Intermediate & Intermediate Novice Advanced Novice, Junior & Senior Short Programs Synchro Teams</p> <p>Sunday Afternoon 4:00pm Adult Silver, Gold & Master Advanced Novice, Junior & Senior Free Skating Synchro Teams</p>

ENTRY FEES AND DIVISIONS		
DIVISION		ENTRY FEE \$ per skater
Advance Novice, Junior, Senior	Singles with 2 programs	100
Basic Novice, Intermediate (ISA), Intermediate Novice,	Singles with one program	60
Adult Singles	Singles with one program	60
Pairs		60
Synchronized Teams		40
Discounts	Second skater in family or second event Third event or skater in family	Less 25 Less 35
Spectators		
Spectator entry is free of charge. Spectators must follow all COVID-19 safety guidelines		
Videoring and Photography		
No videos may be posted online until after the results are posted. Posting a video may compromise the judging.		