



**The Western Australian Ice-Skating Association  
2026 Autumn Gala Announcement**

**EVENT STATUS:**  
Trial  
WAISA Pre-  
Adult/WAISA  
Preparatory

<b>Event Date</b>	Saturday 16 <sup>th</sup> May & Sunday 17 <sup>th</sup> May 2026
<b>Date Close of Entries</b>	<b>20<sup>th</sup> April 2026</b> <b>Please note. Due to limited ice times, entries may close early once at capacity</b>
<b>Place of Initial Draw</b>	Date: Saturday 9 <sup>th</sup> May 2026    FSM calculated draw <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ Draw to be undertaken <u>no more than 7 days</u> prior to competition</li><li>○ Draw for interstate events will be undertaken by a Referee or Judge and Club/Association Official</li><li>○ Where Referee/Judge is unavailable, <u>draw for local/club events</u> may be undertaken publicly by 2x club/state/LOC Officials and as advised to the community.</li><li>○ 2 Programs event-FS skated in reverse order</li></ul>
<b>Competition Convener Contact Information</b>	<a href="mailto:waisacomconvenor@outlook.com">waisacomconvenor@outlook.com</a> Katrina Harburn
<b>Event Website</b>	www.waisa.org
<b>Event Venue</b>	Cockburn Ice Arena
<b>Ice Dimensions</b>	Cockburn Ice Arena 60m x 30m
<b>Event Officials</b>	Judges are by invitation.

<b>Results</b>	The IJS (ISU Judging System) will be used for all Divisions closed Marking Results displayed or announced will remain provisional until the results are certified by the segment Referee and Technical Controller on the official result form.
<b>Membership Requirements</b>	At close of entries, all Australian competitors must be a full financial member of their relevant State Association (Inclusive of ISA Insurance Registration either directly or via their State Association).  The membership must be valid during the full competition period.
<b>Insurance/Liability</b>	All members of State Associations are covered under the ISA National Insurance Policy while participating in the event. This policy includes Sport Accident cover.  ISA & WAISA assume no responsibility for other persons in connection with this event. ISA recommends that any person traveling to an interstate event consider personal travel insurance. Coaches are expected to be insured via APSA and accredited.
<b>Eligibility to Compete</b>	Athletes must have passed the relevant ISA test level at the close of entries. Preparatory no test level required Eligibility to compete in Pre-Adult you must be 13 years as of 1 <sup>st</sup> July 2025. Maximin age 17 years. Adult Divisions detailed in the ISA Rule Book, Section 5.
<b>Practice Sessions</b>	No official practice sessions have been designated for this competition.
<b>COMPETITION ENTRY DETAILS</b>	
<b>Entry Process and Eligibility to Compete</b>	<b>Online entry submitted via the WAISA website.</b>
<b>Payment Process</b>	Specified payment option: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Online Payment at the time of entry submission.</li></ul>

<p><b>Entry Conditions</b></p>	<p>Entries will not be considered complete unless accompanied by:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Full Payment paid and all PPC and Music on entry through the WAISA website before the close of entry.</li> </ul> <p>* No Late entries will be permitted for this event.</p> <p>All interstate competitors must notify their relevant state associations of their entry submission prior to entry.</p>
<p><b>Divisions</b></p>	<p><b>Pre-Adult Singles:</b> Pre-Copper, Pre-Bronze, Pre-Silver, Pre-Gold, Pre-Masters, Pre-Masters/Elite  <b>Singles:</b> Preparatory</p>
<p><b>Withdrawals</b></p>	<p>Refund only with a medical certificate provided <b><u>before the draw.</u></b>  <b>No refund is available after the draw.</b></p> <p>Please refer to WAISA Policy 006 for refund details.</p>
<p><b>Music Provision and File Naming</b></p>	<p><b>Provided at Registration: CD or USB Drive</b>  All competitors must be able to provide a back-up copy of their music on USB at the event.</p> <p><b>* Please refer to document:  ISA Music Provision Protocol</b></p> <hr/> <p><b>Standard File Naming: Division_Segment_Name_RunTime</b></p> <p><b>IJS Technical</b>  e.g. ElementaryMen_FS_David Smith_2m3s  e.g. AdvNovDance_FD_Jane Smith_John Davis_3m10s  e.g. JuniorLadies_SP_Jane Smith_2m45s  e.g. AdultSynchro_FS_Team Melody_3m30s</p> <p><b>Aussie Skate Technical</b>  [AS_Division] e.g. AS_FS2_Donna Smith_1m30s</p>

<p><b>Other Music file notes</b></p>	<p>All competitors must have on hand at the event, a backup copy of their competition music on CD or USB Drive, as specified.</p> <p><b>Music (ISU Rule 343 Singles, Pairs &amp; Dance and ISU Rule 823 SYS): Please note paragraphs 1a), 1b), 1c), 2, 3, 4, re: Music Reproduction.</b></p> <p>Each program (short program, free skating, short dance, free dance) must be recorded on a separate file and labelled with competitor division, name and running time of the music.</p> <p>Two (2) files may be submitted on USB drive as specified by the LOC.</p> <p>The electronic playlist will be deleted at the end of the event. All music remains the property of the skater and will not be shared or re-used.</p>
<p><b>PPC</b></p>	<p>All Planned Program Content (PPC) sheets are to be submitted online via the competition web page on or before the specified closing date.</p> <p>Each element is to be specified in its abbreviated form according to the ISU Judging System. A link to a list of abbreviations is included on the PPC Submission Form.</p>
<p><b>Schedule</b></p>	<p>A schedule of events will be provided following the closing of entries and published on the LOC website <a href="http://www.waisa.org">www.waisa.org</a></p>
<p><b>Awards/Trophies</b></p>	<p>Trophies or Medals will be awarded to the first three placegetters of each division.</p>

<p style="text-align: center;"><b>ENTRY FEES AND DIVISIONS</b></p>		
<p><b>DIVISION</b></p>		<p><b>ENTRY FEE</b></p>
Singles-	All Pre-Adult Divisions	\$200.00
Singles	Preparatory	\$200.00

**EVENT REGISTRATION and VENUE ENTRY**

**OFFICIAL EVENT PHOTOGRAPHY / VIDEOGRAPHY**

**PHOTOGRAPHY**

Private photographers, please note that **no flash photography** is permitted in practice, warm-ups, or events, as it may be dangerous to the skaters. All private photographers are required to register at the Information/Registrations desk on the day of the event.

**VIDEOGRAPHY**

Video Recording: Individuals using video cameras will be required to register at the Information / Registration desk on the day of the event. Camera lights are prohibited.

VIDEOING OF PRACTICE SESSIONS AND OFFICIAL WARMUPS IS **STRICTLY PROHIBITED.**

**NOTES**

**All correspondence regarding this competition should be addressed to [waisacomconvenor@outlook.com](mailto:waisacomconvenor@outlook.com)**

**Please note that WAISA is a volunteer organization. WAISA Gala competition is being run entirely by volunteers, but we will do our best to try to answer all enquiries in a timely manner. Please check with your Coach that they are not able to answer your query in the first instance.**