



The Western Australian Ice-Skating
Association 2026 State Championship and
Spring Challenge Competition
Announcement

EVENT STATUS:
State
WAISA MEMBERS ONLY

Event Date	Saturday 10 th & Sunday 11 th October 2026
Competition Timing	Saturday PM: 4:45pm-11pm (Nationals/States Singles, Ice Dance, Solo Ice Dance) Sunday AM: 8:00am-9:00am (States Singles) Sunday AM: 9:00am-10:00am (Synchronised Skating) Sunday PM: 4:00pm-8:30pm (Nationals/States Singles, Ice Dance, Solo Ice Dance)
Date Close of Entries	Friday 19 th September 11.55pm 2026 <i>Note: Entries may close earlier if all available ice time has been exhausted</i>
Place of Initial Draw	Date: 3 rd October Time: 11am CIA cafe ○ Draw to be undertaken <u>no more than 7 days</u> prior to competition and be held <u>in a public place</u> nominated on the entry form. ○ Draw for interstate events will be undertaken by a Referee or Judge and Club/Association Official ○ 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.
Competition Convener Contact Information	waisacompconvenor@outlook.com Katrina Harburn and Kerri Edwards
Event Website	www.waisa.org
Event Venue	Cockburn Ice Arena
Ice Dimensions	Cockburn Ice Arena 60m x 30m
Technical Requirements	○ As per current ISU and ISA Technical requirements refer: ○ ISU Special Regulations and Technical Rules ○ ISU Communications ○ ISA Regulations and Communications ○ The ISA Benchmark Event Bonus System will be used at this event as per ISA Communication 117
Results	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.

Membership Requirements	At close of entries, all competitors must be a full financial member of WAISA. (Inclusive of ISA Insurance Registration). The membership must be valid during the full competition period. Coaches must be current members of APSA and their relevant ISA Member (ISA-25).
Insurance/Liability	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. Coaches are expected to be insured and accredited.
Eligibility to Compete	Athletes must have passed the relevant ISA test level at the close of entries. National level Competitors must have competed or have an approved bye at Autumn Gala or Winter West to Skate WAISA State Championships. Waisa Policy 001-The Western Australian Championship Qualification Requirements. Teams must meet the ISA requirements for Team Composition.
COMPETITION ENTRY DETAILS	
Entry Process and Eligibility to Compete	Online entry submitted via the WAISA website. Online Payment at the time of entry submission.
Entry Conditions	Entries will not be considered complete unless accompanied by: 1. Full Payment plus all PPC and music on entry through the WAISA website before close of entry. 2. Late entries will be permitted for this event if time permits at double the entry fee.
Divisions	State Adult Singles: Pre-Adult Copper, Pre Adult Bronze, Pre-Adult Silver, Pre Adult Gold, Pre-Adult Masters/Elite, Adult Copper State Singles- Preparatory, Preliminary, Elementary and Synchronized-Juvenile National Adult Singles: Bronze, Silver, Gold, Masters, Masters/Elite National Singles: Basic Novice, Intermediate Novice, Intermediate, Advanced Novice, Junior, Senior National Synchronized: Basic Novice, Mixed Aged, Adult, Adult Advanced, Junior, Senior National Ice Dance National Solo Ice Dance
Withdrawals	Refund only with a medical certificate provided <u>before the draw.</u> No refunds are available after the draw. Please refer to WAISA Policy 006 for refund details.

Music Provision and File Naming	Online upload / Email direct to LOC: All competitors are to submit a copy of their music as a separate file electronically via the upload link on the competition web page. If not received by close of entries, the entry will be considered incomplete. All files must be submitted in the following format: mP3 and according to the file format shown below: Provided at Registration: CD or USB Drive All competitors must be able to provide a back-up copy of their music on USB at the event. * Please refer to document: ISA Music Provision Protocol Standard File Naming: Division_Segment_Name_RunTime IJS Technical 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 Aussie Skate Technical [AS Division] e.g. AS_FS2_Donna Smith_1m30s
Other Music file notes	All competitors must have on hand at the event, a backup copy of their competition music on a USB Drive, as specified. Music (ISU Rule 343 Singles, Pairs & Dance, and ISU Rule 823 SYS): Please note paragraphs 1a), 1b), 1c), 2, 3, 4, re: Music Reproduction. 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. Two (2) files may be submitted on USB drive as specified by the LOC. 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.
PPC	• All Planned Program Content (PPC) sheets are to be submitted online via the competition web page on or before the specified closing date. • 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. • Synchronised categories must email the PPC to the Competition Convenor by close of entries.
Schedule	A schedule of events will be provided following the closing of entries and published on the LOC website www.waisa.org
Awards/Trophies	Trophies or Medals will be awarded to the first three placegetters of each division.
Coach Accreditation and Membership	• Only level 1 coaches and higher are eligible to present skaters. • Coaches must be current members of APSA and their ISA Member and wear accreditation ID at the event.

Volunteering	Volunteers are essential to the successful running of the competition. Each registered skater/skater's family will be allocated a role on the family roster to complete on the night.
Working With Children Check	All coaches, officials and volunteers working with children must hold a current WWC Check.

ENTRY FEES AND DIVISIONS		
DIVISION		ENTRY FEE
National Singles	Basic Novice, Intermediate Novice, Intermediate, Adult Bronze, Adult Silver, Adult Gold, Adult Masters, Adult Masters/Elite	\$260.00
State Singles	Pre-Adult Copper, Pre Adult Bronze, Pre-Adult Silver, Pre Adult Gold, Pre-Adult Masters/Elite, Copper, Preparatory, Preliminary, Elementary	\$210.00
National Singles	Advanced Novice, Junior, Senior	\$320.00
National Synchronized	Basic Novice B, Mixed Age, Advanced Novice, Adult, Advanced Adult	\$180.00 Per team Member
Ice Dance	Pattern/Rhythm and Free Skate Novice-Senior	\$320.00 Per team Member
Solo Ice Dance	Pattern/Rhythm and Free Skate Novice-Senior	\$320 per team member
Entry fees include 1 State Banquet entry fee for use by the competitor only.		
IF COMPETITORS ARE IN MORE THAN ONE DIVISION IN THE SPRING CHALLENGE OR THE STATE CHAMPIONSHIPS, PLEASE PAY THE STATE BANQUET ENTRY FEE ON ONE COMPETITION ENTRY ONLY		
DEDUCT \$30.00 FROM ADDITIONAL COMPETITION ENTRY FEE/S. (\$30 is the WAISA subsidized Competitor's ticket price for the banquet).		

OFFICIAL EVENT PHOTOGRAPHY / VIDEOGRAPHY	
<i>Note: Not all events may be livestreamed</i>	
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 waisacompconvenor@outlook.com

Please note that WAISA is a volunteer organization, and this 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.

EVENT REGISTRATION and VENUE ENTRY

Coaches must notify the Referee of any late withdrawals as soon as reasonably practicable via email to the Competition Convenor.

Competitors must register **at least 1 hour** prior to their scheduled event

Spectator admission is free.