

**The Western Australian Ice-Skating Association
2024 Les Latham Memorial Artistic Competition
Announcement**



EVENT STATUS:
Artistic Pre-Adult &
Preparatory
(WAISA Prep) Trial

Event Date	Sunday 24 th March 2024
Date Close of Entries	23rd March 2024
Place of Initial Draw	<p>Date: Monday 18th March 2024 Time: 9am Closed Draw</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Draw to be undertaken <u>no more than 7 days</u> prior to competition ○ 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
Event Website	www.waisa.org
Event Venue	Cockburn Ice Arena
Ice Dimensions	Cockburn Ice Arena 60m x 30m
Event Officials	Judges are by invitation.
Technical Requirements	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ As per current ISU and ISA Technical requirements refer: ○ ISU Special Regulations and Technical Rules ○ ISU Communications ○ ISA Regulations and Communications ○ Artistic- Refer ISA By-Laws Section 9

Results	<p>The IJS (ISU Judging System) will be used for all Divisions closed Marking</p> <p>Results displayed or announced will remain provisional until the results are certified by the segment Referee and Technical Controller on the official result form.</p>
Membership Requirements	<p>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).</p> <p>The membership must be valid during the full competition period.</p>
Insurance/Liability	<p>All members of State Associations are covered under the ISA National Insurance Policy while participating in the event. This policy includes Sport Accident cover.</p> <p>ISA & WAISA assume no responsibility for other persons in connection with this event.</p>
Eligibility to Compete	<p>Athletes must have passed the relevant ISA test level at the close of entries.</p> <p>Preparatory no test level required</p> <p>Eligibility to compete in Pre-Adult you must be 13 years as of 1st July 2023. Maximin age 17 years.</p> <p>Adult Divisions detailed in the ISA Rule Book, Section 5.</p>
Practice Sessions	<p>No official practice sessions have been designated for this competition.</p>
COMPETITION ENTRY DETAILS	
Entry Process and Eligibility to Compete	<p>Online entry submitted via the WAISA website.</p>
Payment Process	<p>Specified payment option:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Online Payment at the time of entry submission.

Entry Conditions	<p>Entries will not be considered complete unless accompanied by:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Full Payment paid and all Music on entry through the WAISA website before the close of entry. <p>*LATE ENTRIES WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.</p>
Withdrawals	<p>Refund only with a medical certificate provided <u>before the draw</u>. No refund is available after the draw.</p> <p>Please refer to WAISA Policy 00/2012 for refund details.</p>
Music Provision and File Naming	<p>Provided at Registration: USB Drive All competitors must be able to provide a back-up copy of their music on USB at the event.</p> <p>* Please refer to document: <u>ISA Music Provision Protocol</u></p> <hr/> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ All competitors will submit a copy of their music electronically via the competition registration platform according to the WAISA Music Submission Policy. ○ If not received by close of entries, the entry will be considered incomplete. ○ All files must be submitted in the following format: MP3/Wav • Please refer to document: ISA Music Provision Protocol Standard File Naming: Art_Division_Segment_Name_RunTime e.g. Art_ElementaryMen_FS_David Smith_2m3s

Other Music file notes	<p>All competitors must have on hand at the event, a backup copy of their competition music on USB Drive, as specified.</p> <p>Music (ISU Rule 343 Singles, Pairs & Dance and ISU Rule 823 SYS): Please note paragraphs 1a), 1b), 1c), 2, 3, 4, re: Music Reproduction.</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>
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.

ENTRY FEES AND DIVISIONS

DIVISION		ENTRY FEE
Singles	Pre-Adult Copper, Bronze, Silver, Gold, Masters, Masters/Elite Preparatory (Prep)	\$100.00 each

EVENT REGISTRATION and VENUE ENTRY

Competitors must register **60mins** prior to their scheduled event.

OFFICIAL EVENT PHOTOGRAPHY / VIDEOGRAPHY

<p>PHOTOGRAPHY</p> <p>Private photographers, please note that no flash photography is permitted in practice, warm-ups, or events, as it may be dangerous to the skaters.</p> <p>All private photographers are required to register at the Information/Registrations desk on the day of the event.</p>	<p>VIDEOGRAPHY</p> <p>Video Recording: Individuals using video cameras will be required to register at the Information / Registration desk on the day of the event.</p> <p>Camera lights are prohibited.</p> <p>VIDEOING OF PRACTICE SESSIONS AND OFFICIAL WARMUPS IS STRICTLY PROHIBITED.</p>
---	--

NOTES

All correspondence regarding this competition should be addressed waisacompconvenor@outlook.com

Please note that WAISA is a volunteer organization, and this competition is being run entirely by volunteers, but we will endeavor 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.