



COMPETITION PRE-ANNOUNCEMENT
CHANGE OF DATE
PANDA CHALLENGE 2023
ISA CHAMP SERIES EVENT

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Event Date	8 th , 9 th & 10 th of April 2023
Date Close of Entries	TBA
Date Time Place of Initial Draw	<p>Date and Time - TBA</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The draw will determine the initial skating order • For 2 program events, the FS is skated in reverse order of placings from the SP • The draw will be undertaken by a Referee or Judge and a SBFSC Official
Organising Body	Silver Blades Figure Skating Club
Competition Convenor Contact Information	sbfscsa@gmail.com
Event Website	TBA
Event Venue	IceArena 23 James Congdon Drive Thebarton South Australia
Ice Dimensions	56m x 26m
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 • Synchronized Skating • Aussie Skate refer ISA Communication 101 • Except for ice dance as described in Communication 101
Practice Sessions	TBA
Results	<p>The IJS (ISU Judging System) will be used for all Divisions, Preliminary and above. Closed or Open 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>

Judges	Judging panel will be organised by the SA judging convenor in conjunction with ISA and will comply with Benchmark requirements.
Membership Requirements	<p>At close of entries, all Australian competitors must be a full financial member of their relevant State Association and an affiliated club. (Inclusive of ISA Insurance Registration either directly or via their state association).</p> <p>Membership must be valid during the full competition period.</p> <p>All Aussie Skate™ entrants must also be registered with ISA Aussie Skate™ and currently enrolled in Aussie Skate™</p> <p>Overseas entrants must be financial members of an ISU member skating organisation and/or its affiliates, as required by their national organization; 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 SAISA & SBFSC assume no responsibility for other persons in connection with this event.</p> <p>ISA recommends that any person travelling to an interstate event consider personal travel insurance.</p> <p>Coaches are expected to be insured via APSA and accredited</p>
Eligibility to Compete	<p>Skaters Preliminary and above must have passed the relevant ISA test level at the close of entries.</p> <p>Competitors in Aussie Skate™ divisions must compete at the highest test level passed by the competition closing date and cannot enter a level lower than that which they have previously competed.</p> <p>Skaters who have passed the ISA Preliminary Test at close of entries are not permitted to compete at Aussie Skate™ level.</p>
Schedule	TBA
Volunteering	<p>Volunteers are essential for the competition.</p> <p>Volunteers will be needed for: Judging system set-up and pack-up, Ice Marshal duties at the entrance to the ice, running Official Practice, competition music and announcing, presentations, and with the videoing and video replay for the judging system</p> <p>Registration/information desk</p>
Entry Process	<p>Entry registration forms, PPC and music will all be via an online form</p> <p>Further information to come</p>
Conditions for Online Entry	<p>All Interstate competitors must notify their relevant state association of their entry submission prior to entering.</p> <p>All state associations will be asked to confirm that entrants are full financial members in good standing, of both the state association and an affiliated club. (see details above)</p>

Payment Process	TBA
Entry Conditions	<p>Entries will not be considered complete unless accompanied by:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Entry form, Entry fee, PPC and music must be received by close of entries • Entries not meeting these requirements will be removed from the Draw • Late entries will not be accepted
Divisions	<p>Singles</p> <p>Synchronized Skating</p>
Withdrawals	<p>Refund only with a medical certificate provided before the draw. No refund permitted after the draw.</p> <p>25% of the fee will be deducted to cover costs</p>
Music file information	Details to follow
PPC	Online – more information to follow
Awards/Trophies	Trophies/Medals will be awarded to the first three place getters of each division
Entry Fees	TBA

OFFICIAL EVENT PHOTOGRAPHY / VIDEOGRAPHY

PHOTOGRAPHY

An official photographer will be taking photos at the event.
 Photos will be available for viewing and purchase. For 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 can only be undertaken in the designated area.

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

NOTES

Private photographers/videographers are not permitted to photograph or record children from outside of their family group unless they have written permission from that skaters' parents