

2017 Otago Southland Ice Skating Sub Association (Inc)
Requirements & Eligibility

Refer to NZIFSA 2017 Rules & Regulations

<u>SINGLES</u> Kiwiskate, Pre Elementary & Elementary Grades	<p>As per NZIFSA Rule 226.3</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Free skate Programme only
Kiwiskate Grade: Free Skate Programme up to 1 minute 40 seconds	<p><i>Skaters may not hold any NZIFSA Free skating or stroking tests. TC registration is not required for skaters in this grade.</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Optional jump (may be a combination of two single jumps) Salchow Toe loop Upright spin (min 3 revs) A Simple step sequence (at least one half the length of the rink).
Pre Elementary Grade: Free Skate Programme up to 2 minutes 15 seconds	<p><i>Skaters may not hold any NZIFSA Free skating tests and must hold a minimum of Elementary Stroking but no higher than Preliminary Stroking test.</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Optional jump (selected from Loop, Flip or Lutz) Salchow Toe loop Upright spin (min 3 revs) A Simple step sequence (at least one half the length of the rink).
Elementary Grade: Free Skate Programme up to 2 minutes 15 seconds	<p><i>Skaters must hold a minimum of Elementary Free skating but no higher Free skating test and a minimum of Preliminary Stroking but no higher than Inter-Bronze Stroking test.</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Loop jump Flip or Lutz Spin in one position with no change of foot – choice of upright/sit/camel (min 4 revs) Step sequence (fully utilises the ice surface). Optional element 1, jump different from those above Optional element 2, jump different from those above (may be a jump combination consisting of only two jumps) Optional Element 3, spin different from those above (can be a combination spin without a change of foot (min 4 revs)

<u>SINGLES</u>	Eligibility for all following grades as per NZIFSA Rule 224.1
Juvenile	Free Skate Programme of 2 minutes 15 seconds (+/- 10seconds) as per NZIFSA requirements
Basic Novice A, Basic Novice B & Intermediate	Free Skate Programme only - As per current ISU requirements
Advanced Novice, Junior & Senior	Short & Free Skate Programmes - As per current ISU requirements

<u>PAIRS</u>	As per NZIFSA Rule 227.3
Elementary Grade: Free Skate Programme up to 2 minutes	<i>Skaters may not hold any NZIFSA pair skating tests and must hold a minimum of Elementary Stroking test.</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • One solo jump or jump combination/sequence • One pivot figure • One solo spin or solo spin combination (min 4 rev) • One choreographic sequence

<u>PAIRS</u>	Eligibility for all following grades - as per NZIFSA Rule 224.3
Juvenile & Pre Novice	Free Skate Programme only - As per NZIFSA requirements
Basic Novice	Free Skate Programme only - As per current ISU requirements
Advanced Novice, Junior & Senior	Short & Free Skate Programmes - As per current ISU requirements

<u>ICE DANCE</u>	<i>(2017 - Group 3 Pattern Dances)</i>
Pre-Elementary	<i>NZIFSA Ice Dance tests must not be held by either skater (Rule 228.3)</i> Canasta Tango Rhythm Blues

Elementary	<p><i>At least 1 skater must have passed Test 0 (Elementary) Pattern dance at the closing of entries and either or both skaters may hold higher (Rule 228.3)</i></p> <p>Baby Blues Swing Dance</p>
Juvenile to Senior Grades	<p>Eligibility as per NZIFSA Rule 224.5</p> <p>Pattern Dances or Short Dance and Free Dance As per NZIFSA Requirements Rule 228</p>
<u>SOLO ICE DANCE</u>	<p>As per NZIFSA (Rules 228.5 & 228.6) (Group 3)</p>
Pre-Elementary	<p><i>Medal tests must not be held</i></p> <p>Canasta Tango Rhythm Blues</p>
Elementary	<p><i>Must have passed minimum of Elementary Pattern Dance.</i></p> <p>Baby Blues Swing Dance</p>
	<p>Eligibility for all following grades as per NZIFSA Rule 224.7</p>
Juvenile	<p>Golden Skaters Waltz Baby Blues</p>
Pre - Primary	<p>Hickory Hoedown Fourteenstep</p>
Primary	<p>Foxtrot Tango</p>
Open	<p>Kilian Westminster Waltz</p>
<u>SOUTH ISLAND DANCING TROPHY</u>	<p>Willow Waltz (3 Seq)</p> <p>Entry is open to ice dance couples of any level; solo dancers may not compete for this trophy. Each couple consists of a man and a lady. The man must skate the man's steps and the lady must skate the lady's steps.</p>

SPECIAL SKATE

As per NZIFSA rules & regulations Rule 229

ADULT EVENTS:

Adult Singles	All Grades - as per NZIFSA requirements (Rule 226.4) Free Skate Programme
Adult Interpretive	All Grades - as per NZIFSA requirements (Rule 226.5) Interpretive Programme
Adult Pairs	All Grades - as per NZIFSA requirements (rule 227.4) Free Skate Programme

ADULT ICE DANCING

- All Grades as per NZIFSA Requirements (Rule 228.4)
Each couple consists of a man and a lady. The man must skate the man's steps and the lady must skate the lady's steps.

	Adult Ice Dance consists of the following separate events: <ul style="list-style-type: none">· Pattern Dance event (all grade levels)· Short Dance (open grade)· Free Dance event (All grade levels)	
Pattern Dance Event	Bronze: Fourteen Step Silver: European Waltz Gold: Starlight Waltz Elite: Starlight Waltz	American Waltz Tango Paso Doble Midnight Blues
Short Dance Event	As per NZIFSA Regulations (Rule 228.4)	
Free Dance Event	As per NZIFSA Regulations (Rule 228.4)	

ADULT SOLO ICE DANCE

All Grades as per NZIFSA Requirements (Rule 228.7)

Pattern Dance Event Group 3

Bronze: Golden Skaters Waltz
Silver: American Waltz
Gold & Elite: Starlight Waltz

Ten Fox
Tango
Quickstep

SYNCHRONISED SKATING

All Grades as per NZIFSA Requirements (Section 600). Eligibility is per 224.9 & 224.10.

Elementary	Free skate only 2 minutes +/- 10 sec <i>Minimum of 8 skaters, maximum 16 skaters, may hold Preliminary stroking or Preliminary Pattern Dance but no higher stroking or pattern dance test may be held at closing date. All must be TC Registered.</i> Maximum of 5 Elements chosen from: 1 Block, 1 Circle, 1 Line, 1 Wheel, 1 Intersection
Basic Novice	Free Skate Programme As per current ISU requirements
Mixed Age	Free Skate Programme As per NZIFSA requirements
Advanced Novice	Free Skate Programme As per current ISU requirements
Junior	Short Programme & Free Skate Programme As per current ISU requirements
Senior	Short Programme & Free Skate Programme As per current ISU requirements
Adult	Free Skate Programme As per NZIFSA requirements