

Oceania International Figure Skating Competition

2025 Announcement and Invitation

May 26 - 28, 2025

Melbourne, Australia

International Competition for

Basic Novice to Senior Singles

https://isa.org.au/oceania-2025/

Organised by

Ice Skating Australia Limited

in conjunction with

New Zealand Ice Figure Skating Association







1. ANNOUNCEMENT / INVITATION

Ice Skating Australia Limited and New Zealand Ice Figure Skating Association would like to invite you to participate in the Oceania International Figure Skating Competition 2025.

2. GENERAL REGULATIONS

The **Oceania International Figure Skating Competition 2025** will be conducted in accordance with the ISU Constitution and General Regulations 2024, the Special Regulations & Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating 2024, and the relevant ISU Communications.

Participation in the **Oceania International Figure Skating Competition 2025** is open to all Competitors who belong to an ISU Member and qualify with regard to eligibility according to Rule 102, provided their ages fall within the limits specified in Rule 108, paragraph 3 c) and they meet the participation, citizenship and residency requirements in Rule 109, paragraphs 1 through 5 and ISU Communication 2624 or any update of this Communication.

In accordance with Rule 109 of the ISU General Regulations and ISU Communication 2526 (or any update of this communication), all Competitors who do not have the nationality of the Member by which they have been entered or who, although having such nationality, have in the past represented another Member, must produce an ISU Clearance Certificate. Passports of all Competitors, as well as the ISU Clearance Certificate, if applicable, must be presented at the accreditation of the event for verification.

All competitors must be entered through their respective Member Federation.

3. TECHNICAL DATA

PLACE: Main Rink (MR): O'Brien Icehouse, Henke Rink

105 Pearl River Road, Docklands, Melbourne VIC 3008 Australia

(an indoor ice rink with twin ice surfaces of 60m x 30 m, air-conditioned and heated)

Practice arena (PR): same as main arena.

SENIOR MEN

Short Program: The required elements to be skated are those listed in ISU

Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating 2024, Rule 611, paragraphs

1 and 2.

Duration: 2.40 min +/- 10 sec

Free Skating: In accordance with ISU Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating

2024. Rule 612 and the respective ISU Communication. Special attention should be paid to the "well balanced program" and the

element value.

Duration: 4 min +/- 10 sec







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element value.

Duration: 4 min +/- 10 sec

JUNIOR MEN

Short Program: The required elements to be skated are those listed in ISU

Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating 2024, Rule 611, paragraphs

1 and 3.

Duration: 2 min 40 secs +/- 10 sec

Free Skating: In accordance with ISU Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating

2024. Rule 612 and the respective ISU Communication. Special attention should be paid to the "well balanced program" and the

element value.

Duration: 3 min 30 secs +/- 10 sec

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Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating 2024, Rule 611, paragraphs

1 and 3.

Duration: 2 min 40 secs +/- 10 sec

Free Skating: In accordance with ISU Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating

2024. Rule 612 and the respective ISU Communication. Special attention should be paid to the "well balanced program" and the

element value.

Duration: 3 min 30 secs +/- 10 sec

ADVANCED NOVICE GIRLS AND BOYS

Short Program: Required elements in accordance to ISU Communication No. 2624

Guidelines for International Novice Competitions Single Skating

Advanced Novice Girls and Boys

Duration: 2 min 20 secs +/- 10 sec

Free Program: Well balanced program in accordance to ISU Communication No.

2624 Guidelines for International Novice Competitions Single

Skating Girls and Boys

Duration: 3 min +/- 10 sec







INTERMEDIATE NOVICE GIRLS AND BOYS

Free Program: Well balanced program in accordance to ISU Communication No.

2624 Guidelines for International Novice Competitions Single

Skating Girls and Boys

Duration: 3 min +/- 10 sec

BASIC NOVICE GIRLS AND BOYS

Free Program: Well balanced program in accordance to ISU Communication No.

2624 Guidelines for International Novice Competitions Single

Skating Girls and Boys.

Duration: 2 min 30 secs +/- 10 sec

4. ENTRIES

Members of the International Skating Union and their respective Member Clubs are invited to participate in the competition. Competitors are to be entered by their respective Member Federation.

All entries to **Oceania International Figure Skating Competition 2025** must be done through the ISU Online Registration System (ORS) https://fsk-ors.isu.swisstiming.com by the entry deadline May 4, 20:00 (local time Melbourne, Australia).

4.1 Entries of competitors

Oceania International entries should be made by the Member via ORS.

The entries by name should reach the Organiser no later than May 4, 2025.

A list of all entries will be published on the website no later than May 6, 2025.

4.2 Entry fee

The entry fee is \$280AUD for Single Programs and \$330AUD per Advanced Novice to Senior.

The entry fee must be paid by May 4, 2025 to the following bank account:

Account Details:

Bank Name: Westpac Banking Corporation

Bank branch address: 94 Church Street, Brighton, Vic, 3186, Australia

Account Name: Ice Skating Australia Limited

Bank & branch number (BSB): 033-095
Account number: 679669
Bank Swift Code: WPACAU2S

Please email confirmation of payment to:

Administration@isa.org.au and Treasurer@isa.org.au and oceania2025@isa.org.au

Entry fees are not refunded in case of withdrawal after May 8, 2025.







4.3 Entries of officials

Each participating ISU Member is welcome to nominate one Judge and one reserve Judge with at least the qualification International Judge Singles. Please complete the Judges' details in ORS no later than **May 4, 2025.** The panels will be drawn immediately after the closing of entries. Members will be notified of the result.

5. MEALS, LODGING and TRAVEL EXPENSES

The Organiser will provide and cover the expenses for economy travel, accommodation room and meals for all accepted Officials participating, beginning with dinner on **May 25, 2025** until **breakfast on May 29, 2025**.

Should any Official arrive at the hotel before or stay longer than the period described above, their room costs and expenses will be the responsibility of the individual and must be paid upon arrival. Travel expenses for drawn judges must be covered by the respective member.

All extra expenses incurred by any Official will be the responsibility of that person and must be paid prior to departure. The expenses for rooms and meals for Team Leaders, competitors and other team officials will not be covered by the Organiser and are on the account of the team.

The Organiser will additionally cover economy round trip airfare for the Referee, Technical Controller, Technical Specialist, and Data/Replay Operators. The Organiser will arrange for transportation from the airport to the Official hotel for all accepted Officials.

6. PRACTICE

Unofficial practice for Competitors begins on **May 25**, **2025**. The detailed schedule will be issued at the time of registration. Bookings for unofficial practices can be made via the form on the https://isa.org.au/oceania-2025/

Rink freestyle sessions can be found at https://obrienicehouse.com.au/freestyle-sessions/ and these need to be pre-booked on line.

7. MUSIC / PLANNED PROGRAM CONTENT / PHOTOS

All Competitors shall furnish competition music of excellent quality in digital audio file to be uploaded into Jotform https://form.jotform.com/250647891245868 along with the music details by **May 4, 2025**.

Competitors must have a copy of their music on a USB with an MP3 file (separate USB's for each event - SP and FS). All USB's MUST be clearly labelled as above.

The "Program Component Sheet" must be submitted into the above jotform no later than **May 4, 2025**. The Program Component Form must be filled in precisely by each competitor in English using the Terminology for the elements listed in the respective ISU Communication.

All competitors are also asked to provide a portrait style photograph (head and shoulders) for inclusion in a Souvenir Program. This photo must be submitted in the jotform and submitted no later than May 4, 2025.

- Competitors need to provide 'passport' style images to ISA i.e. on a white background and headshots only
- Images to be supplied as jpeg or PNG files
- Images sizes to be 300dpi







- Images need to be portrait style rectangular and ideally a dimension size of 4cm x 7cm or any other 4:7 ratio
- All images to be supplied via a link in the jotform with the competitor's name, category and country they are representing

8. ARRIVAL OF PARTICIPANTS / TEAMS

Invited Officials, Referees, the Technical Panel (Technical Controller, Technical Specialists, Data & Replay Operators), Judges, Competitors, Team Leaders, Team Officials and Coaches taking part in the competition are requested to advise the Organising Committee as soon as possible but no later than **April 30, 2025**, their preferred departure time from XXX to arrive at MEL arrival time. The flights will be booked by ISA. The travel form on https://isa.org.au/oceania-2025/ should be used.

All Officials will have arranged transport from Melbourne Airport to the Official Hotel.

The nearest airport to Docklands in Melbourne, Victoria is Melbourne Airport (MEL). **Melbourne Airport is** a distance of **21.34kms** to Pearl River Road in Docklands, VIC. The average cost of a taxi from Melbourne Airport to Pearl River Road or the hotel is \$65.00 AUD.

9. OFFICIAL HOTEL

The Organiser will make the room arrangements for invited officials only.

Competitors, Coaches, Team Leaders and other team members are requested to make all accommodation bookings directly with the hotel. There are many hotels and serviced apartments available in the Docklands area that are walking distance from the O'Brien Icehouse.

Hotel for Event Officials, Judges

Vibe Hotel Melbourne Docklands 443 Docklands Drive Docklands, Melbourne VIC 3008

Phone +61 3 8578 0000 In Australia, call 1-800-074-545

Hotels for Competitors, Teams, Organising Committee

The Vibe Hotel Docklands

443 Docklands Drive, Docklands, VIC 3000

Quest NewQuay Apartments

26 Caravel Ln, Docklands VIC 3008

Nesuto Suite Apartments

80 Waterfront Way Docklands 3008

Marriott Hotel Docklands

15 Waterfront Way, Docklands VIC 3008

Click **here** for the link to access hotel booking information and discounts.

Note: These hotels are .5 km away from the O'Brien Icehouse (approximately a 5-10 minute walk).







10. ACCREDITATION

Accreditation will be available at the O'Brien Icehouse between 4-5pm on Sunday 25 May, and upon arrival from **May 26, 2025** from 6am. Access to the rink (after accreditation) will be with the Accreditation lanyard given.

Competitors **MUST** present Passports at registration.

11. DRAW

The Draw will be held on Sunday 25th May at 3pm in the St Moritz Bar (1st Floor, O'Brien Icehouse). For categories with short and free skating – the free skating will be skated in reverse order. The starting order will be made public on the official website.

12. PRESENTATION OF MEDALS

The top three competitors in each category will be announced and honoured with a unique Oceania Gold, Silver, or Bronze medal respectively at the presentation ceremony.

13. PROTOCOL / LIST OF RESULTS

Protocol / list of results in each category will be published on the competition's website: https://isa.org.au/oceania-2025/

14. INSURANCE / LIABILITY

In accordance with Rule 119, it is the sole obligation of each Member participating, to provide medical and accident insurance for their competitors, officials and all other members of the Member's team. Such insurance must assure full medical attendance and also the return of the ill or injured person to the home country by air transport or by other expeditions. The Organiser will provide emergency medical services for all invited Officials and Competitors during the competition.

15. INITIAL JUDGES MEETING/ROUND TABLE DISCUSSION

The initial Judges meeting and the Technical panel meeting will be held at the ice rink on the evening of **May 28**th. Round Table Discussions will be held on the evenings at the conclusion of each event or at the Referees direction.

16. INFORMATION

For information, please contact the Organising Committee:

Oceania International Organising Committee

O'Brien Icehouse, 105 Pearl River Road, Docklands Melbourne, VIC 3008

Email: oceania2025@isa.org.au







17. PRELIMINARY EVENT SCHEDULE

Sunday 25	All Day	Arrival of Teams	
Monday 26	7.00am – 10.45am	Official Practices (Basic Novice Boys and Girls FS, Intermediate Novice Girls & Boys FS)	
	11.00pm – 4.00pm	Competition (Basic Novice Boys and Girls FS, Intermediate Novice Girls & Boys FS)	
Roundtable Discussions – Basic and Intermediate Novice			
Tuesday 27	7.00am – 11.30am	Official Practices (Advanced Novice Boys and Girls SP, Junior Men & Women SP, Senior Men & Women SP)	
	11.45am – 4.00pm	Competition (Advanced Novice Boys and Girls SP, Junior Men & Women SP, Senior Men & Women SP)	
Wednesday 28	7.00am – 11.00am	Official Practices (Advanced Novice Boys and Girls FS, Junior Men & Women FS, Senior Men & Women FS)	
	11.15am – 4.00pm	Competition (Advanced Novice Boys and Girls FS, Junior Men & Women FS, Senior Men & Women FS)	

Roundtable Discussions – Advanced Novice, Junior, Senior FS

Please note! This schedule is subject to changes and will be updated in accordance with the final number of entries.







18. SUMMARY OF DEADLINES

	DEADLINE	Online Registration	Form
Composition of	04.05.2025	Х	
Delegation Competitor entry	04.05.2025	X	
Judges' entry	04.05.2025	X	
Travel Details (Officials only)	04.05.2025	X	
Planned Program Content	04.05.2025	X	
Competition Music Information	04.05.2025	X	
Bank Transfer	04.04.2025	EFT on Announcement	
Unofficial Practice Time	04.05.2025	Х	

Please note! Details are also available at https://isa.org.au/oceania-2025/

The booking forms are available on the website https://isa.org.au/oceania-2025/

We look forward to seeing you at the

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