2021 Otago Southland Championships Announcement

Dates: Friday 23rd July

Saturday 24th July Sunday 25th July

Venue: Dunedin Ice Stadium, Victoria Road, St Kilda, Dunedin

Closing date of entries: Friday 9th July
Electronic Draw: Wednesday 21st July

Please note: Skaters must be members in good standing of a club affiliated to the NZIFSA or their country's governing body. Skaters competing in Pre Elementary and above must be TC registered with the NZIFSA

All single grades (except for Senior and Adult) shall be divided into three categories according to the skater's age as at the 1st July immediately preceding the championship: Under 12, Ladies (12 & Over) and Men (12 & Over). That is, Ladies and Men shall be judged separately except when aged under 12. (As per Rule 224.1 and 226.1 and 226.3)

All skaters (excluding non-resident guests and KiwiSkate Singles competitors) entering a New Zealand National or Regional Sub-Association Championship shall hold a current NZIFSA Test and Competition (TC) registration. Skaters entering grades at other competitions, where the competition requirements specify an NZIFSA test attainment, shall hold a current NZIFSA Test and Competition registration. (As per Rule 202.3)

Entry Fees

| Singles | \$70 | Interpretative Grades |
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| | \$70 | Kiwi Skate |
| | \$80 | Pre-Elementary, Elementary, Juvenile, Basic Novice, Intermediate |
| | | Novice, Adult and Special Skate |
| | \$110 | Advanced Novice, Junior and Senior |
| Pairs | \$45 | Elementary, Juvenile, Pre Novice, Basic Novice, Adult (per skater) |
| | \$70 | Advanced Novice, Junior, Senior (per skater) |
| Dance | \$45 | Pre-Elementary, Elementary, Adult (per skater) |
| | \$70 | Juvenile, Basic Novice, Intermediate Novice, Advanced Novice, |
| | | Junior, Senior (per skater) |
| | \$90 | Solo Dance (all grades) |
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| Synchronised | \$35 | Per skater – Elementary, Basic Novice, Mixed Age, Advanced |
| | | Novice & Adult |
| | \$45 | Per skater – Junior, Senior |

Interpretative Grades: Please see associated document alongside this announcement.

Entries: must be made using the correct official online entry form:

https://www.cognitoforms.com/DunedinIceSkatingClub1/OtagoSouthlandChampionshipsEntryForm2021

An additional synchronised entry form is to be completed per synchronised team:

https://www.cognitoforms.com/DunedinIceSkatingClub1/OtagoSouthlandChampionships2021SynchronisedTeamForm2

Entry fees should be made by direct credit to the OSISSA bank account Westpac - 03-0915-0331406-000 at the time of submitting entry form by closing date. Please state Otago Southlands and skater's full name as a reference.

Planned Program Content Sheets: Current PPC's are required to validate your entry.

Please ensure your PPC is updated on NZIFSA website by close of entries.

Kiwiskate grades must email a paper copy of their PPC to otagosouthlands@gmail.com before close of entry.

Late entries: will not be accepted

Refunds: Refund of entry fee(s) will be given until Thursday 22nd July, 2021 (inclusive), subject to the provision of a medical certificate.

Trophies (where applicable): Will be awarded to the highest placed Otago Southland skater.

Technical Requirements & Eligibility: All disciplines and grades as per current NZIFSA Rules & Regulations for 2021. These are posted on the NZIFSA website www.nzifsa.org.nz Rules & Regulations, Competitions (200 and 600 sections).

Music: Must be submitted to otagosouthlands@gmail.com prior to close of entry. Music files must be named according to the following format:

FIRST-LAST-CATEGORY-SEGMENT PROGRAMME LENGTH.mp3

For example: Sara-Honda-Advanced Novice-Ladies-FreeSkate 3-13.mp3

For dance please include both skater's names and the dance name

For example: Jayne-Torvill & Christopher-Dean-Juvenile-Pattern Dance-Riverside Rhumba 2-17.mp3

All competitors must have a backup music USB at the event.

Photography: No flash photography will be permitted as it may impact on the skater's performance.

Video Recording: Individuals using recording devices will be required to request the permission of the competition organisers prior to filming. Video permits will be available on competition days. Only people who have been granted a video permit may record only their own skater. If you wish to record other skaters then written permission must be obtained from the skater(s) concerned, if these skaters are minors, their parents or guardians must give written consent.

Seating: DISC encourages parents and spectators to show their support and encouragement from the stands and keep the marshalling area clear for skaters, volunteers and officials.

Volunteers: The success of the competition relies heavily on the availability of volunteers. DISC requests that parents/guardians of all DISC Member entrants assist with the success of this competition by indicating their availability for at least some of the time. Any offer of assistance is encouraged and welcome.

This competition is sanctioned by the NZIFSA.

The IJS (ISU Judging System) will be used for all grades.