

NATIONALS INFORMATION

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Hello everyone,

The New Zealand Ice Figure Skating Championships (Nationals) are being held at Paradice Botany in Auckland this year. Here is some initial information from the North Island Ice Skating Sub Association (NIISSA) to assist you with your planning.

DATES

Tuesday 18 October – Friday 21 October, 2022

PROPOSED SCHEDULE

This schedule is accurate at the time of publication. Though the dates and scheduled days for each event are likely to remain the same, the order of events may change. Notification of unofficial practice ice that is not shown here will be made available closer to the time of the event.

Monday 17 October	Unofficial practices	
Tuesday 18 October	Basic Novice Under 12, Ladies & Men FS Intermediate Novice Under 12, Ladies & Men FS Pairs SP (all grades) Synchro up to and including Advanced Novice FS (includes Adults)	
Wednesday 19 October	Juvenile Under 12, Ladies & Men FS Advanced Novice Under12, Ladies & Men SP Adult Interpretive (all grades) Waltzing Trophy Norman Wright Dancing Trophy	
Thursday 20 October	Advanced Novice Under12, Ladies & Men FS Junior Under12, Ladies & Men SP Senior Ladies & Men SP Adult Bronze FS Pairs FS (all grades) Ice Dance RD and PD (all grades) Junior & Senior Synchro SP	
Friday 21 October	Junior Under12, Ladies & Men FS Senior Ladies & Men FS Adult Silver, Gold & Elite FS Ice Dance FD (all grades) Junior & Senior Synchro FS	

Official practices are expected to be held each morning with competition in the afternoon/evening as per the draft outline below. Ice time will be made available for unofficial practices. The times outlined

below are indicative only.

Days/Dates	Unofficial Practice	Official Practice	Competition
Monday 17 October	11.30am - 3.30pm		
Tuesday 18 October	10.00am -11.30am	6.00am - 10.00am	11.30am - 3.30pm
Wednesday 19 October	6.00am 7.30am	7.30am - 12.30pm	12.30pm - 3.30pm 5.15pm - 6.45pm
Thursday 20 October		6.00am - 12.00noon	12noon - 5.15pm
Friday 21 October		6.00am - 10.00am	10.00am - 1.15pm

BANQUET

The banquet will be held on the evening of Friday 21 October. We have a great theme planned, which will be revealed along with the ticket prices and booking information as we get closer to Nationals. Given Covid-19 restrictions and the fact Nationals is not being held during school holidays, plus it is leading into a long weekend (Labour Weekend), we would appreciate an indication of numbers planning to attend the banquet so we can locate a suitable venue. Can you please complete the Cognito form below by Friday 22nd July.

https://www.cognitoforms.com/NorthIslandIceSkatingSubAssociation/NationalsBanquet2022

FACEBOOK PAGE

If you're on Facebook, you can like the NIISSA page and/or follow the NZ Nationals event that has been created there for updates and more information as it becomes available.



Stay tuned for more information about the banquet, merchandise, and other exciting subjects!

NIISSA Committee