**DUNDEE OPEN 2022**

 **ANNOUNCEMENT**

**Singles: Beginner, Level 1, 2, and 3, Basic Novice, Intermediate Novice, Advanced Novice, Junior, Senior**

**Pairs: Advanced Novice, Junior, Senior**

**Solo Dance: Beginner, Juvenile, Basic Novice, Intermediate Novice, Advanced Novice, Junior, Senior**

**Date: 21st and 22nd May 2022**

**CLOSING DATE: End of day Friday 15th April 2022**

**Event being held at:**

**Dundee Ice Arena**

**7 Dayton Drive**

**Dundee, UK**

**DD2 3SQ**

**(60m x 30m, air-conditioned and heated)**

1. **Events**

**Singles and Pairs**

**Please note: Short Programs and Free Programs for Senior, Junior and Advanced Novice are considered separate events.**

**SENIOR MEN Short Program**

**In accordance with the current ISU Rules and Regulations including the ISU Communications which are valid for the season 2021/2022.**

**SENIOR MEN Free Skating**

**In accordance with the current ISU Rules and Regulations including the ISU Communications which are valid for the season 2021/2022.**

**SENIOR WOMEN Short Program**

**In accordance with the current ISU Rules and Regulations including the ISU Communications which are valid for the season 2021/2022.**

**SENIOR WOMEN Free Skating**

**In accordance with the current ISU Rules and Regulations including the ISU Communications which are valid for the season 2021/2022.**

**SENIOR PAIRS Short Program**

**In accordance with the current ISU Rules and Regulations including the ISU Communications which are valid for the season 2021/2022.**

**SENIOR PAIRS Free Skating**

**In accordance with the current ISU Rules and Regulations including the ISU Communications which are valid for the season 2021/2022.**

**JUNIOR MEN Short Program**

**In accordance with the current ISU Rules and Regulations including the ISU Communications which are valid for the season 2021/2022.**

**JUNIOR MEN Free Skating**

**In accordance with the current ISU Rules and Regulations including the ISU Communications which are valid for the season 2021/2022.**

**JUNIOR WOMEN Short Program**

**In accordance with the current ISU Rules and Regulations including the ISU Communications which are valid for the season 2021/2022.**

**JUNIOR WOMEN Free Skating**

**In accordance with the current ISU Rules and Regulations including the ISU Communications which are valid for the season 2021/2022.**

**JUNIOR PAIRS Short Program**

**In accordance with the current ISU Rules and Regulations including the ISU Communications which are valid for the season 2021/2022.**

**JUNIOR PAIRS Free Skating**

**In accordance with the current ISU Rules and Regulations including the ISU Communications which are valid for the season 2021/2022.**

**ADVANCED NOVICE MEN Short Program**

**In accordance with the most up to date ISU Communication**

**UNDER 15 YEARS**

**ADVANCED NOVICE MEN Free Skate**

**In accordance with the most up to date ISU Communication**

**UNDER 15 YEARS**

**ADVANCED NOVICE GIRLS Short Program**

**In accordance with the most up to date ISU Communication**

**UNDER 15 YEARS**

**ADVANCED NOVICE GIRLS Free Skate**

**In accordance with the most up to date ISU Communication**

**UNDER 15 YEARS**

**ADVANCED NOVICE MEN Short Program**

**In accordance with the most up to date ISU Communication**

**15 YEARS AND OVER**

**ADVANCED NOVICE MEN Free Skate**

**In accordance with the most up to date ISU Communication**

**15 YEARS AND OVER**

**ADVANCED NOVICE GIRLS Short Program**

**In accordance with the most up to date ISU Communication**

**15 YEARS AND OVER**

**ADVANCED NOVICE GIRLS Free Skate**

**In accordance with the most up to date ISU Communication**

**15 YEARS AND OVER**

**ADVANCED NOVICE PAIRS Short Program**

**In accordance with the most up to date ISU Communication**

**ADVANCED NOVICE PAIRS Free Skate**

**In accordance with the most up to date ISU Communication**

**INTERMEDIATE NOVICE MEN Free Skate**

**In accordance with the most up to date ISU Communication**

**UNDER 15 YEARS**

**INTERMEDIATE NOVICE GIRLS Free Skate**

**In accordance with the most up to date ISU Communication**

**UNDER 15 YEARS**

**INTERMEDIATE NOVICE MEN Free Skate**

**In accordance with the most up to date ISU Communication**

**15 YEARS & OVER**

**INTERMEDIATE NOVICE GIRLS Free Skate**

**In accordance with the most up to date ISU Communication**

**15 YEARS & OVER**

**BASIC NOVICE MEN Free Skate**

**In accordance with the most up to date ISU Communication**

**UNDER 13 YEARS**

**BASIC NOVICE GIRLS Free Skate**

**In accordance with the most up to date ISU Communication**

**UNDER 13 YEARS**

**BASIC NOVICE MEN Free Skate**

**In accordance with the most up to date ISU Communication**

**13 YEARS AND OVER**

**BASIC NOVICE GIRLS Free Skate**

**In accordance with the most up to date ISU Communication**

**13 YEARS AND OVER**

**LEVEL 3 GIRLS Free Skate**

**In accordance with the most up to date version of BISGeneric Criteria 2021/2022**

**LEVEL 3 MEN Free Skate**

**In accordance with the most up to date version of BIS Generic Criteria 2021/2022**

**LEVEL 2 GIRLS Free Skate**

**In accordance with the most up to date version of BIS Generic Criteria 2021/2022**

**LEVEL 2 MEN Free Skate**

**In accordance with the most up to date version of BIS Generic Criteria 2021/2022**

**LEVEL 1 GIRLS Free Skate**

**In accordance with the most up to date version of BIS Generic Criteria 2021/2022**

**LEVEL 1 MEN Free Skate**

**In accordance with the most up to date version of BIS Generic Criteria 2021/2022**

**BEGINNER GIRLS Free Skate**

**In accordance with the most up to date version of BISGeneric Criteria 2021/2022**

**BEGINNER MEN Free Skate**

**In accordance with the most up to date version of BIS Generic Criteria 2021/2022**

**A PHOTOCOPY OF THE SKATE UK PASSPORT MUST BE EMAILED TO:**  dundeeopen2022@gmail.com**(UNLESS L1 Field moves held)**

**All competition criteria are as per ISU Special Regulations & Technical Rules 2021 relating to the discipline for the season 2021 / 2022 and ISU Communications including (but not limited to) 1998, 2000, 2033, 2024, 2019 and all pertinent subsequent updates.**

**Please also see BIS Generic Criteria for season 2021 / 2022**

**All information regarding the programme can be found within the current ISU Rules and Regulations including the ISU Communications which are valid for the season 2021/2022. Also in the British Ice Skating Generic Criteria 2021/2022 and any other British Ice Skating published documents.**

**All competitions will be run in accordance with ISU criteria for the 2021 /2022 season. Skaters and their coaches are strongly advised to read all the relevant communications when available on the ISU website** [**www.isu.org**](http://www.isu.org)

**Solo Dance**

**Beginner**

**Pattern Dance: Rhythm Blues (3 seq)**

**Free Dance: 1 min 30 sec +/- 5 secs**

**Juvenile**

**Pattern Dance: Dutch Waltz (2 seq)**

**Free Dance: 1 min 30 sec +/- 5 secs**

**Basic Novice**

**Pattern Dance: Foxtrot (4 seq)**

**Free Dance: 1 min 30 sec +/- 5 secs**

**Intermediate Novice**

**Pattern Dance: Starlight Waltz (2 seq)**

**Free Dance: 2 min +/- 10 secs**

**Advanced Novice**

**Pattern Dance: Blues (3 seq)**

**Free Dance: 2 mins 30 secs +/- 10 secs**

**Junior Rhythm Dance**

**Rhythm Dance: Blues 2 min 50 sec +/- 10 secs**

**Free Dance: 3 min +/- 10 secs**

**Senior Rhythm Dance**

**Pattern Dance: Midnight Blues 2 min 50 sec +/- 10 secs**

**Free Dance: 3 min 30 sec +/- 10 sec**

**For this event, there are no mandatory age restrictions or test requirements in any category**

**Ladies and Men will be combined for all levels, there will not be separate events for each category**

**All rules and requirements as per Solo Dance Communication 2021/22 published on the BIS website**

**2. Judging**

**This competition will be judged using the international judging system.**

**3. Entries**

**We are only accepting online entries. Entries can be made via the website www.dundeeiceskatingclub.org. The official online entry forms must be used. This entry will only be accepted when the bank transfer has been received.**

**3.1**

**The entries should reach the organiser no later than End of day Friday 15th April 2022. Please ensure entry is sent in good time to avoid disappointment.**

**3.2**

**Skaters you must be an eligible member of British Ice Skating.**

**3.3**

**Entries for individual events will be accepted in order of receipt of application forms and entry fee, and places may be limited due to available ice time.**

**3.4**

**All Competitors must be ready to skate at least half an hour before the time stated on the timetable. The timetable is provisional and will be subject to change.**

**3.5**

**If any of the categories are over subscribed, they may be divided by age. For Singles and Pairs, Beginners to Level 3, the age is calculated as at the closing date. For the ISU categories, age is calculated as at the previous 1st of July.**

**3.6**

**The Dundee Open Committee reserves the right to refuse entry without reason.**

**3.7**

**Withdrawals after the closing date will not be refunded, the Dundee Open Committee decision is final.**

**3.8**

**If the test requirements for the category entered are incorrect at the closing date, the entry will be considered invalid and will be withdrawn and therefore should have no refund.**

**3.9**

**The cost for entering 1 Singles or Pairs Segment is £75. If entering both the Short and Free program of the Advanced Novice, Junior or Senior events, the cost will be £110.**

**The Cost for each segment of Solo Dance(Pattern/Rhythm Dance or Free) is £50 per segment.**

**For any queries about entry fees: dundeeopen2022@gmail.com**

**Entry Fees**

**Payment can be made via the link available on the Entry Form and must be done in order for the entry to be accepted.**

**Refunds for unsuccessful entries will not include any processing fees charged via stripe**

**Refunds for any withdrawals before deadline will be minus a £10 processing fee**

**Withdrawals after the deadline will not be refunded**

**4. Practice Ice**

**Practice ice may be available during the event. Information regarding practices will be made available on the event website** [**www.dundeeiceksatingclub.org**](http://www.dundeeiceksatingclub.org) **shortly after the closing date.**

**5. Music**

**All required music shall be submitted via the online entry form at time of completion. Uploads should be submitted as an “mp3” only. Please name file as “COMPETITION LEVEL\_SKATERS NAME” for example “SENIORMENSHORT\_JOEBLOGGS”. Please ensure you have a spare CD or USB.**

**6. Planned Programme Content**

**The Planned Programme Content Sheet will be able to be entered online along with the entry form and MUST be completed. It is mandatory that the Planned Programme Content Sheet be filled in precisely by each skater in English using the terminology for the elements listed in respective ISU Communication.**

**7. Accreditation**

**The official accreditation will be available at the ice rink upon arrival.**

**8. Presentation of Medals**

**The first three best-placed competitors in each event will be announced and honoured.**

**9. Insurance/Liability**

**In accordance with ISU Rule 119, it is the sole responsibility of each Member participating in the Dundee Opens, to provide medical and accident insurance for their athletes, officials and all other members of the member’s team. Such insurance must assure full medical attendance and also the return to the home country by air transport or by other expeditious means of the ill or injured person.**

**The Organiser assumes no responsibility for or liability with respect to bodily or personal injury or property damage incurred in connection incurred by Competitors or Officials, Limited to the extent permitted by the Unfair Contract Terms Act 1977**

**10. List of competitors and Timetable/Draws**

**A provisional timetable will be made available on our website shortly after the closing date. Please do not contact us with regards to this.**

**The draws for all categories will be done electronically/automatically, randomized by the ISU Judging system-computer. The starting orders will be published the day before the event takes place.**

**11. Hotels**

**Official Hotels & Restaurants**

**This rink is located close to the following restaurant “The Weavers Mill”, which serves breakfast, Lunch and Dinner, as well as a Nandos Restaurant, McDonalds, KFC and Cinema all within very close walking distance from the hotel entrance.**

**www.premierinn.com**

**Suggested hotels nearby:**

**Premier Inn - Dundee West**

**This hotel is located 3.1 miles from the Venue, approx 8minutes by car/taxi. The hotel is served by the restaurant “The Gourdie Croft” which serves Breakfast, Lunch, and Dinner.**

**www.premierinn.com**

**Double Tree by Hilton Hotel**

**This hotel is located 2.8 miles from the venue, approx 7minutes by car/taxi. The hotel is served by two if its own restaurants which serve Breakfast, Lunch, and Dinner.**

**doubletree3.hilton.com**

**Malmaison Dundee**

**This hotel is located 3.4 miles from the Venue, approx 10/15minutes from the venue by car/taxi. The hotel is served by its own restaurant which serves Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner. The hotel is also located within short walking distance to the City Centre of Dundee with a large selection of restaurants and shopping.**

**www.malmaison.com**

**Premier Inn - Dundee Centre**

**This hotel is located 4.1 miles from the Venue, approx 10/15minutes from the venue by car/taxi. The hotel is served by the restaurant “Beefeater Dundee” which serves Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner. The hotel is also located within short walking distance to the City Centre of Dundee with a large selection of restaurants and shopping.**

**www.premierinn.com**

**Dundee is easily navigatable and any Hotel should be 10-20 mins drive from the rink even at peak traffic.**

**12. Meals, Lodging, and travel expenses**

**The Organising Committee will cover on-site board and accommodation for and travel judges and officials. The organiser will not provide and cover the expenses for travel, rooms and meals for accepted competitors, or their coaches.**

**13. General information**

**13.1**

**The Dundee Open Committee reserves the right to cancel, combine or add events to the final competition list subject to entries. Full refunds will be made to all competitors not offered entry.**

**13.2**

**Competitors and coaches are requested to read the Technical Requirements for the events carefully. These have been set according to published ISU 2021/2022 regulations for competitions and championships, also the most up to date BIS Generic Criteria 2021/2022, and up to date Solo-Dance Communications.**

**13.3**

**Any photography or videography is NOT permitted on or off the ice during competitions. No Face Time or similar Video of the competition under any circumstances. Anyone breaking this regulation will be asked to leave the rink complex and will not be permitted to return.**

**13.4**

**All skaters will be filmed for IJS.**

**13.5**

**Test passes will only be considered after the event when all checks by BIS have been made.**

**13.6**

**Entry is conditional upon acceptance of these general rules and regulations.**

**13.7**

**Competitors, Parents and Coaches are reminded that the organisers, judges and officials are all volunteers, without whom this competition would not be possible. Please treat them with the respect and politeness they deserve.**

**13.8**

**The Dundee Open committee cannot be held responsible for events outside of their control, e.g. ice or power failure ect.**

**If anything happens out of our control we will not be held responsible for expenses incurred by competitors.**

**13.9**

**Enquiries by email to: dundeeopen2022@gmail.com**

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**Any necessary Covid-19 related guidelines will be issued on the Dundee Ice Skating Club website closer to the event.**