**Dundee Open 2022 Regulations**

Dundee Ice Skating Club is pleased to announce the Dundee Open 2022

The Event will cover;

Beginner to Senior Level Singles

Advanced Novice, Junior and Senior Pairs

Beginner to Senior Level Solo Dance

Event: 21st and 22nd May 2022

CLOSING DATE FOR ENTRIES: End of day Friday 15th April 2022

(APPLICATIONS RECEIVED AFTER THIS DATE WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED, ENTRIES MAY CLOSE EARLY IF FULL)

EVENT RULES & REGULATIONS

Entries via the online form [www.dundeeiceskatingclub.org](http://www.dundeeiceskatingclub.org/)

Event being held at: Dundee Ice Arena

**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)

1. The competition is open to all fully paid up eligible skaters as defined by British Ice Skating and will be held under British Ice Skating regulations and permit (applied for). All levels will be judged under the International Judging System (IJS). Please check the British Ice Skating website for any amendments to Generic Criteria.

2. All technical requirements are National tests with the exception of Competitive tests where appropriate and are exactly as per British Ice Skating generic programme requirements.

3. All entries will be treated on a first-received basis, subject to completed application form and payment of correct entry fee, Reserve lists will operate until the draw for entries.

4. As per the British Ice Skating Generic Criteria, where eligible, if entries have been submitted for Two events the skater will be entered into the ranking event if the club can only accommodate skaters in One event due to time restrictions.

5. All Competitors must be ready to skate at least 30 minutes before the time stated on the timetable. The timetable on the web-site will be provisional and may be subject to change.

6. Skaters in all levels must complete the online programme content sheet included with the entry form, using the correct element codes displayed in the drop-down boxes, with the timings of each element filled in. Incomplete forms will be returned and the whole entry form will be rejected without the skater being registered for the event.

7. Entry forms must include all Coach details including Field Moves Seminar Venue and Dates and include the date the discipline specific IJS seminar was attended. Entry forms without this information will NOT be accepted. Coaches not named on the entry form will NOT be issued with an accreditation and as such will be unable to put skaters on the ice.

8. Test Passes in all events must be attained by the closing date of the competition. The national standards will be strictly adhered to. If the standard of a skater should change before the closing date, notification to the competition organiser is required immediately via email to: dundeeopen2022@gmail.com

9. Competitive Test passes for all skaters will only be considered before the closing date and after all relevant checks have been verified by British Ice Skating.

10. A photocopy of the Skate UK Passport must be supplied with the online entry form for all Beginner competitors who have not achieved NISA Level 1 Field Moves. Please email to dundeeopen2022@gmail.com

11. The closing date is end of day Friday 15th April 2022. A list of successful applicants will be published on our website after the closing date. Unsuccessful applicants will be notified by email and their names will be placed on the reserve list for their event until the draw takes place. It is the skater’s responsibility to keep a check on the website as individual notices will not be issued.

12. Personal details included in the application form will he held on computer files and used for the purpose of organising timetables, running the competition and for the calculation of results.

13. Dundee Ice Skating Club reserves the right: • To refuse entries without a reason assigned • To cancel, combine or split competitions into subsections • To retain the right of decision on all matters, their decision being final

14. Events with only one competitor may be required to skate to standard and will be at the discretion of the Referee. Skaters in this situation will be informed and given the opportunity to withdraw.

15. Entries cancelled/withdrawn prior to the closing date will incur an administration fee of £15. Entry fees are non-refundable after the closing date.

16. Unsuccessful applicants will be entitled to a full refund after the closing date.

17. Applications received after the closing date/time will NOT be accepted.

18. An electronic draw will take place after the closing date and details will be posted on www.dundeeiceskatingclub.org. The timetable will be verified after the closing date following consultation with the Referee and published on the club website as soon as it becomes available.

19. Timetable/date enquiries will NOT be answered as this information will be published as soon as possible after the closing date.

20. All skaters will be filmed for IJS purposes.

21. The competition may be subject to doping control under British Ice Skating rules and by the ISU.

22. 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.

23. Presentations will take place at lunch-time and the end of each day. Trophies will be presented at the presentation ceremony only when the recipient stands on the podium. Winners of an event are responsible for the safekeeping and return of the trophy and a declaration form signed accordingly by parent/guardian/coach. First place Trophies must be returned to Dundee Ice Skating Club no later than one calendar month or on request before the next Open in good condition. Damaged trophies or any trophy not returned will incur a charge for the cost of replacement including all engravings.

24. Still photography/videography is NOT permitted at this event. You will be able to purchase an official recording of your child’s performance from the Registration table. By submitting your entry, you agree to official photography/videography to be used for publicity both by BIS and DISC within the rink, online, on social media and in the press.

25. The throwing of teddies/soft toys/artificial flowers will be permitted in certain areas. Persons throwing sweets/food will be asked to leave the building immediately.

26. Anyone booking hotel accommodation and making travel arrangements do so at their own risk and it is advised you take out insurance

27. Dundee Ice Skating Club will not provide or cover expenses for travel, rooms and meals for any competitors or their coaches. We will not be held responsible for expenses incurred for any events out of our control (i.e. ice failure or power cuts etc). Dundee Ice Skating Club cannot accept any responsibility for any personal injury or damages to/loss of personal property.

28. Guest Skaters will be considered only if time permits and if the category is not oversubscribed at the closing date.

29. By entering the competition, you agree to abide by all the rules and regulations laid out in this document.

30. 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, which they deserve.

31. Entries of competitors must complete an on-line application Dundee Ice Skating Club reserves the right to limit the number of competitors in every

32. General enquiries should be sent to dundeeopen2022@gmail.com

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