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FOR **SINGLE** SKATERS FROM BEGINNER TO LEVEL 10,
SOLO DANCE SERIES EVENTS FROM BEGINNER TO SENIOR,
COUPLES DANCE FROM BEGINNER TO SENIOR

**INCLUDING SOLO SHORT DANCE AT JUNIOR AND SENIOR LEVEL
AND SHORT AND FREE PROGRAMME FOR LEVELS 8 TO 10 SINGLES**

**3rd to 6th May 2019 (Singles)
7th & 8th May 2019 (Dance)**

AT

MURRAYFIELD ICE RINK
RIVERSDALE CRESCENT
EDINBURGH

www.murrayfield-isc.co.uk

REGULATIONS

Closing Date Monday 8th April 2019



Held under NISA Regulations and Permit



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1. The Competition will take place at Murrayfield Ice Rink, Edinburgh between 3rd and 8th May 2019. Murrayfield is a 60m x 30m ice pad.
2. All competitors are required to be eligible skaters as defined by British Ice Skating (BIS) and may only skate within the events for which they are qualified by age and standard. The Competition will be held in accordance with BIS under Permit, (applied for), and it is a requirement that **all competitors are a member of BIS**. Skaters who have not paid their BIS membership at the time of the draw will not be entered into the draw and therefore will be unable to participate in the competition. **All participants must quote their BIS membership number on the entry form or the entry cannot be accepted.**
3. **Coach Details**
Coaches entering skaters for the event must be licensed and have attended a Field Moves seminar (all events) and a discipline specific IJS seminar at the British Ice Skating (BIS) coaching conference within the last 3 years if entering skaters into an IJS event. **It is important the correct information is provided by the coach as entry forms submitted with incorrect information will be returned to the skater without being accepted for the competition.**
4. The competitions will be open to all BIS members and the number of entrants in each will be limited by ice time available. Competitions may be subdivided by age at the discretion of the organising committee and the Referee. **Standard is as at closing date – 8th April 2019.** Age for events from Basic Novice to Senior is at 1st July 2018. Age at Levels from Beginners to Level 3 is at closing date.
5. All events will be judged under the IJS.
6. **Entries to all competitions will be treated strictly on a first received basis.** In competitions with only one competitor, the referee may require that the skater should skate to standard. The competitor will be given the opportunity to withdraw or skate as preferred. Any competitor affected will be notified following the closing date.
7. A programme element sheet is required for all skaters. Please complete this (elements and timings) even if the elements and order are subject to change. **Entries will not be accepted for IJS events without this, resulting in the application form being returned to the skater without it being registered for the event.**
8. Standards in all events refer to BIS (NISA) National Tests and these **must be attained by the closing date.** The test standards will be strictly adhered to, and if this changes prior to the closing date, notification to the competition organiser is required **immediately**. Although the organisers will do their best to accommodate skaters, test passes do not automatically give the right for entry to be accepted to the new standard/level attained in particular if the event is already at the maximum number of competitors.
9. There will be no maximum level of Field Moves in any section.
10. A **copy of the Skate UK passport** must be supplied with entry for all Beginner competitions.
11. Music must be submitted on **music CD** and be clearly marked with the competitors name, competition and length of programme. There should only be one piece of music on the CD. The music on the CD's must be **music format** playable on a CD player. A back-up of the music is recommended and must be **with the Coach at ice level**. Please **do not use re-writable CD's**.
12. The use of video equipment or photography is not permitted at any time. The committee and rink management reserves the right to confiscate any offending equipment, returning it only at the end of the event. An official photographer and videographer may be present during the event. To comply with the BIS child protection policy, all competitors consent to being photographed and videoed, by entering the event there is automatic acceptance that the skater may be photographed/videoed and that any images may be used by MISC for appropriate reasons only. **Unauthorized photography/recording of any competitor is not permitted.** The club are copyright owners of the event and all rights are reserved. Flash Photography is strictly forbidden during the event. This is dangerous and distracts the skater. Any unauthorised broadcasting, public performance, copying or re-recording will constitute an infringement of copyright (irrespective of the source from which the material was obtained). Permission is granted for personal, private

use only

13. Entry Fees:

Entry Fees are as follows:

£52 per Singles skater per segment

£52 per Solo Dance skater per segment

£60 per Dance couple per segment

£10 Discount when entering short program & free program or short dance & free dance **at the same level**

The appropriate fee must accompany the entry form Cheques/P.O.s should be made payable to MISC and crossed. Please print the competitors name and event on the reverse of all cheques.

Bank transfers can be made to Bank of Scotland account - Murrayfield Ice Skating Club Transfer, **Sort code** 800218 **Account No** 10151864. Transfers must use the skater(s) name and competition number.

Entry fees are non-refundable after the closing date. Prior to the closing date there will be an administration fee of 20%. Please **do not send cash** in the post. Should a cheque be returned by the bank, the entry will not be accepted until the fee has been received by another means, including an administration fee of £15 to cover bank charges. Skaters cannot be accepted into the competition until the correct fee has been received.

Entry forms should be sent to:

Lorraine Smith
56 Stoneyflatts
South Queensferry
Edinburgh
Scotland
EH30 9XU

Program content sheets ONLY should be sent by e mail to **ProgramContents@murrayfield-isc.co.uk**

Queries should be sent by e mail to: opens@murrayfield-isc.co.uk

Please DO NOT send applications by a method that requires a signature. This includes tracker options as this method requires a signature. We cannot guarantee that there will be someone around to provide a signature and it will require to be collected at a later date. This could delay the receipt of the application and could result in the application being late or not accepted.

A stamped addressed envelope must be included if a postal acknowledgement is required.

Please ensure the correct postage is appropriate for the size of the envelope used to post the entry forms

14. **The closing date for entries is Monday 8th April 2019 at 5.30pm.** If confirmation of receipt of application is required by post, please include a SAE with the entry form. All entrants will be notified by email where possible - please ensure you supply the correct email address on the entry form. Postage must be correct; notification of a letter at the post office will not be collected and hence the skater not accepted into the competition.
15. Details of the draw will be provided along with confirmation of entry and timetable after the closing date and will also be posted on our website www.murrayfield-isc.co.uk
16. These competitions may be subject to doping control under BIS rules and by the ISU.
17. Presentations will take place at the end of skating each day, or at other such suitable points as time allows. Medals and trophies will only be presented at the medal ceremony when the recipient stands on the rostrum. Winners of an event are responsible for the safekeeping and return of the trophy and a declaration form signed accordingly. All trophies must be returned in good condition at least 1 month before the event or at the request of Murrayfield ISC.
18. Murrayfield Ice Skating Club does not accept any responsibility for any loss of personal property or personal injury during this event.
19. The organisers of the Competition:
- Retain the right to refuse entry without reason assigned
 - Retain the right of decision on all matters, their decision being final.
20. The personal details supplied by competitors on the application form will be held on computer files and used for the purposes of organising timetables, running the competitions, calculation of results from marks given by the judges, etc. However, data protection law and GDPR will be adhered to.