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2017 Queensland Figure Skating Championships and 2017 Queensland Competition Announcement ISA Benchmark Event

Event Date	Wednesday 18 th – Saturday 21 st October 2017
Date Close of Entries	5.00 pm Close of Business - Friday 29 th September 2017
Initial Draw	Date: Friday 13 th October 2017 Time: from 5.30pm Venue: Iceworld Boondall
Competition Convenor Contact Information	Enquiries in the first instance should be directed to ISQ Administration (Ms Jennifer Houlahan), by email to administrator@isq.org.au
Event Website	http://www.isq.org.au/qld-championships.php
Event Venue	Events & Official Practices - Iceworld™ Olympic Ice Rink 2304 Sandgate Road, Boondall Qld 4034
Ice Dimensions	All championship events, competition events, and all official practices will take place at Iceworld™ Boondall, which is an indoor ice rink with an ice surface of 60 metres x 30 metres.
Technical Requirements	<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ As per current ISU and ISA Technical requirements refer:○ ISU Special Regulations and Technical Rules○ ISU Communications○ ISA Regulations and Communications
Results	The IJS (ISU Judging System) will be used for all Divisions, Preliminary and above. Open Marking Results displayed or announced will remain provisional until the results are certified by the segment Referee and Technical Controller on the official result form.


Membership Requirements	<p>At close of entries, all Australian competitors must be a full financial member of their State Association and an affiliated club.</p> <p>Overseas entrants must be financial members of an ISU member skating organisation and/or its affiliates, as required by their national organization; the membership must be valid during the full competition period.</p>
Insurance/Liability	<p>All members of State Associations are covered under the ISA National Insurance Policy while participating in the event. This policy includes Sport Accident cover.</p> <p>Ice Skating Australia & Ice Skating Queensland Inc. assume no responsibility for other persons in connection with this event.</p>
Eligibility to Compete	<p>Skaters must have passed the relevant ISA test level at the close of entries.</p>
COMPETITION ENTRY DETAILS	
Entry Process	<p>Entries for the Queensland Championships and Queensland Competition must be submitted on the official entry form, and received at the ISQ Administration Office by the closing date with the appropriate entry fees. Entries should be sent as follows:</p> <p>By Email: administrator@isq.org.au</p> <p>Entries may also be lodged in person at the ISQ Administration Office at IceWorld™ Acacia Ridge.</p>
Payment Process	<p>Singles Pairs & Dance: Online Payment only: http://www.isq.org.au/qld-championships.php</p> <p><u>Synchronized Divisions – Please contact ISQ Administration for payment details.</u></p>
Entry Conditions	<p>Entries will not be considered complete unless accompanied by:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Completed Entry Form ○ Full Payment paid on entry ○ Planned Program Content Sheet <p>* Late entries will be accepted on double the Entry Fee, but will not be accepted after the Draw.</p>
Coach Accreditation	<p>Only coaches accredited with the Australian Coaching Council may obtain championship accreditation. In the case of an international coach who has not had the opportunity to pursue ACC accreditation, the coach may make written application to APSA seeking APSA endorsement for the provision of championship accreditation upon review of evidence of qualifications submitted in English.</p>

<p>Divisions</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Singles: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ QFSC – Basic Novice A to Senior Level, Adult Silver, Adult Gold, Adult Masters, Adult Elite ○ Qld Competition: Preliminary, Elementary, Adult Copper, Adult Bronze • Pairs: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ QFSC – Pre-Primary to Senior Level • Ice Dance: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ QFSC – Basic Novice to Senior Levels ○ Qld Competition - Solo Ice Dance (All Levels), Ice Dance Elementary, Ice Dance Adult Bronze • Synchronized Skating: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ QFSC – Adult, Basic Novice, Advanced Novice, Junior, Senior ○ Qld Competition – Basic Adult
<p>Refunds</p>	<p>Refund only with a medical certificate provided <u>before the draw</u>. No refund permitted after the draw.</p> <p>A 10% fee to cover administration costs will be deducted from the refund.</p>
<p>Music Provision and File Naming</p>	<p>All competitors shall provide music on Compact Disc (CD). The CD must contain only one track and must be marked as follows:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Competitor's name. • Event Section, e.g. Junior Ladies • Program identification, e.g. Short Program • Exact running time of the music (not skating time) <p>All competitors must have on hand at the event, a backup copy of their competition music on CD</p>
<p>PPC</p>	<p>The PPC Form must accompany the Entry Form.</p>
<p>Schedule</p>	<p>A schedule of events will be provided following the closing of entries and published on the LOC website www.isq.org.au</p>
<p>Awards/Trophies</p>	<p><u>Queensland Championships</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Single Skating, Pair Skating, Ice Dancing Gold, Silver and Bronze medals will be presented to the champion, second & third placed competitors respectively. • Synchronized Skating Teams Gold, Silver and Bronze medals will be presented to each member of the first, second and third placed teams respectively. <p><u>Queensland Competition</u> Trophies will be awarded to first, second and third place competitors respectively in all sections.</p>
<p>Program Timing</p>	<p>Program timing starts from the moment the skater or Synchronized Skating team begins to move or to skate until arriving at a complete stop at the end of the program.</p>

Event Warm Up	<p><u>Single Skating</u> (ladies and men): 6 minutes per warm up group. <u>Pair Skating</u>: 6 minutes per warm up group. Maximum 4 pairs per warm up group. <u>Pattern Dances</u>: 1 minute without music and 3 minutes with music per group. Maximum 5 couples per group.</p> <p><u>Short Dance / Free Dance</u>: 5 Minutes per warm up group.</p> <p><u>Synchronized Skating</u>: 1 minute without music per team</p>
Results	<p>The ISU Judging System will be used for all events except Solo Ice Dance which will use the 6.0 System</p>
Doping	<p>Doping tests may be conducted in accordance with the ISA Doping Policy, ISU Rule 139 and/or subsequent ISU Communications.</p>
Championship Presentation Function	<p>Competitors and their families are invited to attend the Championship Function at Iceworld™ Boondall on Saturday 21st October 2017. Dinner Tickets are not included in the Entry Fee. Details are as per the Function Notice.</p>
Perpetual Trophies	<p><u>The Frank Family Trophy - QFSC</u> Established by the Frank Family in 1983 for Artistic Presentation in Free Skating, this Trophy will be awarded to the competitor(s) in the Championships who provides the most artistic presentation of a skating program. Skaters in all divisions will be considered and voted on by the Championship Judges to determine the winner. The trophy will be retained by ISQ and will be engraved with the winner's name.</p> <p><u>The Morgan Innes Perpetual Trophy - QFSC</u> A Perpetual Trophy of Excellence was established in 2007 in memory of Morgan Innes, a young ISQ skater who tragically died in a boating accident in Sydney. The Morgan Innes Trophy of Excellence will be awarded annually to the first placed skater participating in either the Single Ladies or Single Men's divisions at the Queensland Figure Skating Championships (Pre-Primary – Senior) with the highest overall total points score margin between first and second place. In the event that two skaters have the same winning margin, then the skater with the highest margin in the free skating event shall be awarded the trophy. If this margin is the same then the skaters will share the trophy. The trophy will be retained by ISQ and will be engraved with the winner's name.</p> <p><u>The Queensland Achievement Award - QFSC</u> This Trophy is an encouragement award donated by Ann Short - Shorbrite Australia. The Trophy will be awarded for the highest points achieved overall at the Queensland Figure Skating Championships in the Basic Novice A, Basic Novice B & Intermediate Divisions in Singles & Pairs. The trophy will be retained by ISQ and will be engraved with the winner's name.</p>

ENTRY FEES		
DIVISION		ENTRY FEE
Singles	Preliminary, Elementary, Basic Novice A, Basic Novice B, Intermediate, Adult	\$70
Singles	Advanced Novice, Junior, Senior	\$110.00
Ice Dance	Advanced Novice, Junior, Senior	\$150
Ice Dance	Elementary, Basic Novice	\$150
Pairs	Pre-Primary, Basic Novice	\$120
Pairs	Advanced Novice, Junior, Senior	\$150
Synchronized	Basic Adult, Basic Novice, Adult, Advanced Novice	\$40 per team member
Synchronized	Junior, Senior	\$50 per team member

EVENT REGISTRATION and VENUE ENTRY
Competitors must register at least 1 hour prior to their scheduled event
There is no charge for spectator entry to the event

OFFICIAL EVENT PHOTOGRAPHY / VIDEOGRAPHY	
<p>PHOTOGRAPHY</p> <p>An official photographer may be taking photos at the EVENT. Photos will be available for viewing and purchase. For private photographers, please note that no flash photography is permitted in practice, warm-ups or events, as it may be dangerous to the skaters. All private photographers are required to register at the Information/Registrations desk on the day of the event.</p>	<p>VIDEOGRAPHY</p> <p>Video Recording: Individuals using video cameras will be required to register at the Information / Registration desk on the day of the event. Camera lights are prohibited.</p> <p>Videoing can only be undertaken in the designated area.</p> <p>VIDEOING OF PRACTICE SESSIONS AND OFFICIAL WARMUPS IS STRICTLY PROHIBITED.</p>
 <p>Ice Skating Queensland is financially assisted by the Queensland Government to get more Queenslanders active through sport and recreation</p>	