



Ice Skating Australia Incorporated

Affiliated to the International Skating Union

Policy Document : HPP-0917-V1

Winter Games NZ Nomination Criteria 2009-2010

Overview

This Policy establishes the criteria for nomination to the Winter Games NZ to be held in Dunedin, New Zealand 27-30 August 2009.

The number of athletes nominated shall be as determined by the Winter Games NZ Organising Committee. Currently Australia had been allocated up to two entries in each of the Ladies' and Men's Divisions in Novice, Junior and Senior events.

Competition expenses (travel, accommodation and meals) are not covered by the Organising Committee. Nominated athletes will receive a travel subsidy from ISA, as well as assistance with accommodation and transportation.

Related Documents

1. Procedure HPP-0902-V1 Medical Notification & Clearance Procedure
2. Form HPF-0903-V1 International Competition Application Form
3. Procedure HPP-0904-V1 Applying for Nominations to International Competitions

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Novice Division

Nominations for the 2009 Winter Games NZ will be determined by the results at the 2009 Hollins Trophy in Sydney from 5-8 June 2009.

For Ladies and Mens events, the athletes with the highest Total Points Scores obtained at the 2009 Hollins Trophy in that event will be nominated for the 2009 Winter Games NZ.

Subsequently ranked athletes shall be nominated as substitutes.

Junior Division

Nominations for the 2009 Winter Games NZ will be allocated to junior age eligible athletes based on their National Ranking as of 9 June 2009, following the ISA Selection Event, Hollins Trophy.

The athletes will be ranked by the highest score achieved according to:

1. Total Points Score at ISU World Junior Championships or Junior International Competitions in the 2008-2009 season
2. Total Equalized Points Score in ISU Senior Grand Prix, Senior International or ISU Championship Events in the 2008-2009 season
3. Total Points Score achieved in the Junior Division of the 2009 Hollins Trophy to be held in Sydney from 5 – 8 June 2009
4. Total Equalized Points Score achieved in the Senior Division of the 2009 Hollins Trophy to be held in Sydney from 5– 8 June 2009

Subsequently ranked athletes shall be nominated as substitutes.

Senior Division

Nominations for the 2009 Winter Games NZ will be allocated to senior age eligible athletes based on their National Ranking as of the 9 June 2009 following the ISA Selection Event, Hollins Trophy.

The athletes will be ranked by the highest score achieved according to:

1. Total Point Score at ISU Senior Championship Events, Senior Grand Prix or Senior International events in the 2008-2009 season
2. Total Points score in the Senior Division of the 2009 Hollins Trophy to be held in Sydney from 5– 8 June 2009

Subsequently ranked athletes shall be nominated as substitutes.

Interpretation

In this Nomination Criteria the following words have the following meanings:

“AFSC” means Australian Figure Skating Championships.

“Total Points Score” means the sum of the Total Segment Scores in the Short and Free Skating Programs.

“Total Equalized Points Score” means the Total Points Score less the value of Spiral Sequence (Ladies) and lowest value Step Sequence (Men) in the Senior Free Skating.

“National Ranking” means the ranking based on Total Point Scores and Total Equalized Scores achieved at international events, AFSC and ISA Selection Events (e.g. Hollins Trophy) as published on the ISA website (www.isa.org.au) from time to time.

Guidelines for all Divisions

Athletes wishing to be considered for nomination to the Winter Games NZ must return their international application forms to the High Performance Operational Director **by Friday 12 June 2009**.

Athletes nominated for the Winter Games NZ will have until **Friday 26 June 2009** to notify the High Performance Operational Director and accept their nomination.

All nominated athletes are required to skate at the 2009 AFSC. Should injury or illness prevent any athlete from competing at the 2009 AFSC they may apply for exceptional circumstances according to the ISA Medical Notification & Clearance Procedure.

Decisions of Ice Skating Australia

All decisions of Ice Skating Australia relating to nomination to the Winter Games NZ are final.

Authorized by: ISA Board of Management

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