



Ice Skating Australia

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2010 Development Camps

Ice Skating Australia (ISA) is pleased to provide further details on a range of development initiatives being offered in 2010 as part of ISA's Strategic Plan for High Performance and Junior Development. These Development Camps are a unique opportunity for skaters to 'come and try' a specific discipline and develop skills. The camps also provide a forum for skaters and coaches to collaborate and share ideas.

Camp announcements and relevant registration and consent forms can be found on the ISA website, www.isa.org.au. Registration forms should be returned to the ISA Office administration@isa.org.au by the due dates to confirm camp attendance.

Details of the associated costs are included in each camp announcement. The camp costs include a full on-ice and off-ice program and a range of coaching expertise in the relevant disciplines. Skaters are responsible for their own travel and accommodation costs. Billet accommodation may be able to be arranged if required.

Any development funding assistance that States or Clubs are able to provide to their skaters to attend these Camps will be a worthwhile investment in the future of Australian Figure Skating.

Enquiries regarding the 2010 ISA Development Camps should be directed to the ISA Office administration@isa.org.au.

Pairs Development Camp

The Pairs Development Camp is designed to encourage skaters to consider Pair Skating. The 2010 Camp will take place on 19th & 20th April at Liverpool Catholic Club Ice Rink, NSW.

The aim of the Pairs Development Camp is to bring together those skaters who are interested in trying Pair Skating, regardless of their current level of experience in pairs. Skaters who attend the camp can expect to "have a go" at basic pair moves and develop their pair skills with numerous partners under instruction from coaches with proven international pairs experience. ISA is looking to foster Pair Skating in Australia and achieve international representation in the next two years with an aim towards representation at the 2014 and 2018 Olympic Winter Games.

This camp is open to any current Pair Teams and any single skaters interested in pairs. A minimum of Elementary 2 test is required to attend this camp.

Ice Dance Development Camp

The Ice Dance Development Camp is designed to encourage skaters to consider Ice Dancing. The camp has been rescheduled to the 17th & 18th May due to a clash with National School Testing and will take place at Liverpool Catholic Club Ice Rink, NSW.

The aim of the Ice Dance Development Camp is to bring together those skaters who are interested in developing Ice Dancing skills and to increase the number of ice dance couples at all levels across Australia. The camp is an opportunity for skaters looking to find an appropriate partner as well as for established Dance Couples. This camp is open to any current dance couple, solo dance skater or individual skater interested in Ice Dancing. A minimum of Preliminary test is required to attend this camp.

Synchronized Skating Development Camp

The Synchronized Development Camp will take place on July 19th to 21st at Iceworld, Boondall, Queensland. The camp is open to all interested skaters who are currently in a team or individuals who wish to try Synchronized Skating. A minimum of Preliminary test is required to attend this camp.

The camp will focus on developing individual synchronized skating skills such as elements for levels, edge quality for step sequence levels, pivoting (blocks/lines) and harmonizing as a team. The camp will also include information regarding the changes for the 2010-2011 season following the ISU Frankfurt Seminar and ISU Congress.

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