

PRELIMINARY ANNOUNCEMENT

GLASGOW 2019

INCLUSIVE SKATING INTERNATIONAL AND BRITISH CHAMPIONSHIPS

Figure Skating, Ice Dance, Synchro and Pair Skating

Intu Braehead Curling Ice Rink, April 1st to 7th 2019 Closing Date for Entries 1st February 2019 Official Website: www.inclusiveskating.org



Inclusive Skating International - Glasgow 2019

Inclusive Skating ("IS") is holding the 12th Inclusive Skating International and 5th British Inclusive Skating Championships in Glasgow, Scotland, UK, from 1st to 7th April 2019 in accordance with:

- 1. This Preliminary Announcement,
- 2. The Classification Handbook (4th Edition).
- 3. The Technical Handbook (3rd Ed.)
- 4. The Entry Announcement.
- 5. The Final Announcement (with Entry Forms).

All information and updates are available on the Official Website <u>Glasgow 2019</u> page: http://www.inclusiveskating.org/glasgow-2019

If you or a family member has a challenge that requires a supportive competitive environment you are eligible to compete in Inclusive Skating events.

More information is available on Classification is available on the <u>link</u> http://www.inclusiveskating.org/technical/classification-code-for-impaired-skaters.

Select the events that you are training for from the Technical Handbook (3rd Edition). All events are available at Glasgow 2019, except for speed. Speed events will be held at a different time and location. A separate Announcement will be issued for the Speed events. Youtube videos of previous performances give examples and are available through this <u>link</u>. Your coach will help you decide what events are right for you.

You must undertake a relevant and supervised training program for your event. Your coach must be insured, safeguarding checked, trained in first aid and have the necessary skill and knowledge to coach you.

Skaters, coaches and your carers are invited to pre-register with us. Online support by e-mail and by information webinars will be available to those who have pre-registered or entered.

The Entry Announcement 2019 contains specific event information for those participating in the event. Skaters who wish to participate but cannot attend may participate through online video entry. Online video entry is particularly suitable for those who live in distant locations, have difficulties travelling or have public performance anxiety issues.

The Final Announcement will be issued in Autumn 2018.

This will provide information on the online entry form and event registration system. When you want to enter: fill out the online entry form, pay the fee and submit your entry form.

The Final Closing Date will be February 1st 2019.

Further guidance and information on the Inclusive Skating format is also available on the website www.inclusiveskating.org

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION and PRE-REGISTRATION OF INTEREST PLEASE CONTACT:

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