



2019 LAKE PLACID **ICE DANCE INTERNATIONAL**

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OVERVIEW

After over 80 years of summer ice dance competition at all levels in Lake Placid, we are pleased to announce the fourth annual Lake Placid Ice Dance International to be held July 31-August 2, 2019. This will be an ISU Minimum Technical Score event featuring advanced novice, junior and senior ice dance. In addition to the international portion, Lake Placid will continue to host all of the standard ice dance events open to anyone in all levels of ice dance including solo dance.

GENERAL

The 2019 Lake Placid Ice Dance International will be conducted in accordance with the ISU Constitution and General Regulations 2018, the Special Regulations for Ice Dance 2018 and the Technical Rules for Ice Dance 2018 as well as all pertinent ISU Communications. Participation in the competition is open to all competitors who belong to an ISU Member, Rule 109, paragraph 1, and qualify with regard to eligibility, according to Rule 102, provided their ages fall within the limits specified in Rule 108 paragraph 3. b) and they meet the participation, citizenship and residency requirements in Rule 109, paragraphs 1 through 5 and ISU Communication **2030**. Passports of the skaters, as well as the ISU Clearance Certificate, if applicable, must be presented at the accreditation.

COMPETITION VENUE

All practice and competition will take place at the Olympic Center in Lake Placid, N.Y. The complex served as the site of figure skating and ice hockey at the 1980 Olympic Winter Games. This complex features three indoor ice rinks, temperature controlled with two (2) ice surfaces 60m x 30m and one (1) ice surface 60m x 25m. All competitive events will take place on the 1980 Rink, which is a 60m x 30m surface.

Olympic Center
2634 Main Street
Lake Placid, N.Y. 12946
T: 518 523-1655

TECHNICAL INFORMATION

Junior Ice Dance

Age Requirements In accordance with ISU Constitution and General Regulations 2018, Rule 108, paragraph 3.b)

Rhythm Dance In accordance with ISU Technical Rules Ice Dance 2018, Rule 709.

Rhythms, required elements and guidelines are those listed in ISU Communication 2239 and subsequent updates.

Duration: 2 min., 50 sec., +/- 10 sec

Free Dance In accordance with ISU Technical Rules Ice Dance 2018, Rule 710.
The required elements to be skated are those listed in ISU Communication 2239 and subsequent updates.

Duration: 3 min., 30 sec., +/- 10 sec

Senior Ice Dance

Age Requirements In accordance with ISU Constitution and General Regulations 2018, Rule 108, paragraph 3.a)

Rhythm Dance In accordance with ISU Technical Rules Ice Dance 2018, Rule 709.

Rhythms, required elements and guidelines are those listed in ISU Communication 2239 and subsequent updates.

Duration: 2 min., 50 sec., +/- 10 sec

Free Dance In accordance with ISU Technical Rules Ice Dance 2018, Rule 710.
The required elements to be skated are those listed in ISU Communication 2239 and subsequent updates.

Duration: 4 min., +/- 10 sec

EVENT STRUCTURE

The competition will include one 30 minute official practice on the day of each segment. The competition will feature the following events:

- Junior Ice Dance
- Senior Ice Dance

ENTRY FEE

The entry fee for all entries is \$340.00USD per team

Entry fees are required at time of entry. The New York State Olympic Regional Development Authority (ORDA) will use an online payment for all registrations. If requested in advance, member federations will be allowed to wire registration funds directly.

ENTRIES

The Organizer reserves the right to accept a limited number of entries from junior and senior ice dance teams. However, should a team not be accepted into the international events, they may still compete in the standard events of the Lake Placid Ice Dance Championships. Skaters will be notified of their acceptance by **July 1, 2019**.

All entries must be submitted online by **Friday, June 28, 2019** through the US Figure Skating Event Management System.

Please see Appendix A for registration instructions.

The Announcement and the application form link will be available on the ISU website and the official event website: www.lakeplacidskating.com/ice-dance-international

PANELS OF JUDGES

Each participating ISU Member may nominate one (1) international judge or ISU judge educated in the ISU judging system. The organizer decides on the composition of the panel of judges. In case of too many nominated judges the organizer reserves the right to reduce the number of judges. The Members concerned will then be notified of the result. The organizer will cover accommodation for accepted judges and invited officials. Meals for accepted judges and invited officials will be provided at the arena during the days of competition.

Please use the online form on the [event website](#) for nominations. Deadline: **July 1, 2019**

ACCOMMODATIONS

The official hotel for the Lake Placid Ice Dance International for officials is:

High Peaks Resort
2384 Saranac Avenue
Lake Placid, N.Y. 12946
T: 1-518-523-4411

Competitors and coaches should book rooms on their own. Lake Placid has a variety of hotels, motels, bed and breakfasts and vacation rentals at a variety of price points. Please visit www.lakeplacid.com for a comprehensive list of available properties as well as www.airbnb.com and www.vrbo.com for additional vacation rental properties. Additionally, you may call the Lake Placid Visitor's Bureau for assistance at 1-518-523-2445. Please note that Lake Placid is a summer resort town, so it is advised that you book as early as possible.

JUDGES, REFEREES AND TECHNICAL PANEL

The Organizer will provide ground transportation, accommodation and meals for all invited judges, referees and technical panel officials at the above mentioned hotel beginning with dinner on **Wednesday, July 31, 2019** through breakfast on **Saturday, August 3, 2019**. The Organizer will additionally cover economy roundtrip airfare for invited Technical Panel officials (Referee, TC, TS, ATS, Data/Video)

REGISTRATION

Accreditation will take place at the Olympic Center. The accreditation desk will be open starting Tuesday, July 30, 2019. All persons to be accredited are kindly asked to accredit upon arrival. Accreditation will be given to Officials and ISU Office Holders. Accreditation as a team member will be given to all drawn judges, competitors, one coach per competitor, and one chaperone per competitor.

DRAW AND JUDGES' MEETINGS

The draw for the starting orders will take place in the evening on Wednesday, July 30, 2019 at the Olympic Center. The initial judges' meeting will be held on Wednesday, July 30, 2019 in the evening at the Olympic Center. The Round Table Discussions will take place on Saturday, August 2, 2019.

ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE

The competitors, coaches and additional federation officials are responsible for their own arrangements concerning ground transportation to and from the official hotel to the airport.

RESULTS AND ISU MINIMUM SCORE

The marking system (ISU Judging System) as described in ISU Technical Rule Ice Dance 2018, Rule 352 and 353 (Determination and publication of results) will be used.

This will be an ISU Minimum Technical Score event.

LIABILITY

In accordance with Rule 119, it is the sole responsibility of each Member participating in the 2019 Lake Placid Ice Dance International to provide medical and accident insurance for their athletes, officials and all other members of the Member's team. Such insurance must be assure full medical attendance and also the return to home country by air transport or by other expeditious means of the ill or injured person.

The Organizer assumes no responsibility for or liability with respect to bodily or personal injury or property damage incurred in connection by Competitors and Officials.

PRELIMINARY SCHEDULE (subject to change)

The final schedule of all events, with practice sessions and groups, will be given upon arrival as well as posted on the event website.

Tuesday, July 30, 2019

Unofficial Practice Ice (available for purchase)

Wednesday, July 31, 2019

Unofficial Practice Ice (available for purchase)

Initial Judges' Meeting

Official Draw

Thursday, August 1, 2019

Official Practices

Unofficial Practice Ice (available for purchase)

Junior Short Dance

Senior Short Dance

Friday, August 2, 2019

Official Practices

Unofficial Practice Ice (available for purchase)

Junior Free Dance

Senior Free Dance

Round Table Discussions

Saturday, August 3, 2019

Departures



Appendix A: How to Register Online

2019 LAKE PLACID ICE DANCE INTERNATIONAL EMS REGISTRATION HOW TO (“International”)

Note: all teams registering for Junior and Senior International Dance are subject to approval by the LOC Chair and Chief Referee

STEP ONE

Log in to www.usfsaonline.org

Foreign skaters must create non-member accounts to access registration, [click here](#) for instruction

STEP TWO

Click blue EMS button followed by COMPETITION REGISTRATION
Select “2019 Lake Placid Ice Dance Championships”

STEP THREE

Begin competition registration – note: do not include partner information (screen shot below), this will be confirmed by the U.S. Figure Skating Headquarters’ team

A screenshot of the "Partner Events" registration page. The page has a title "Partner Events" and a sub-header "Indicate if you intend to register for any of the event types listed below as these events require naming a partner. If no partner is named, these events will not be available on the Event Selection page." Below this is a red box with text: "Partners of foreign skaters must be U.S. Figure Skating members or account holders. To create additional accounts (coach, partners) access the main login page ('Non-Member - Create Account')." Underneath, it says "Please check all that apply:" followed by three radio button options: "Dance", "Open Dance", and "Shadow Dance". A large red overlay with white text says "SKIP THIS STEP! Click 'Continue Registration'". At the bottom left is a "Back" button and at the bottom right is a "Continue Registration" button.

STEP FOUR

Select “Junior International Dance” or “Senior International Dance” and proceed to check out

If you need assistance with EMS at any time, email productsupport@usfigureskating.org.