



Ice Skating Australia

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2010 Annual General Meeting

The 2010 Annual General Meeting of Ice Skating Australia was held on Sunday, April 25, 2010. The Board of Management remains unchanged with three current Board Members re-elected until 2012.

President: Cathy Taylor
Honorary Secretary: Suzanne Shelley *
Honorary Treasurer: Peter Lynch
Board Members: Carole Ashworth
Carmel Morrison
Don Nicholls *
Karen Thompson *

* Board Members re-elected for two year term.

All current Operational Directors were also re-elected for the coming year.

High Performance: Melina Simjanovic
Judging & Officials: Susan Lynch
Junior Development: Sue Cobden
Sport Development : Kirsten Smyth
Synchronized Skating: Angelique Clyde-Smith
Technical Regulations: Lisa Jelinek

Michelle Flekser will continue in her role as Marketing Director under contract.

The Council made no changes to the annual subscription payable by each Member and this remains at \$1200 for full Members and \$400 for limited Members.

ISA is very pleased to announce that the 2010 Australian Figure Skating Championships (AFSC) will be held in Melbourne at the Icehouse. Synchronized Events will be held on Thursday, November 25 and Friday, November 26 with practice ice available to all teams on Wednesday, November 24. Intermediate Events will take place over the weekend of November 27 & 28. Primary, Novice, Junior and Senior Events will take place from Monday November 29 – Thursday, December 2 with practice ice available from Saturday, November 27.

An ISU Judges Seminar for Singles & Pairs will be held in conjunction with the Championships. Proposed Seminar dates are Saturday, November 27, Sunday, November 28 and Wednesday, December 1st.

Further information will be published on the ISA web site www.isa.org.au and the ISV web site www.iceskatingvictoria.org as it becomes available.

The Board reported that the new Aussie Skate™ Program has been adopted nationwide, with all rinks reporting an increase in learn-to-skate participants. ISA have registered over 2,000 new Aussie Skaters since the beginning of 2010 and with several more rinks starting the new Program during the coming months, numbers are expected to increase significantly.

ISA expects all States and Clubs to transition to the new Aussie Skate™ Curriculum for Competitions by June 30, 2010. Curriculum Conversion and Competition Elements have been published on the ISA web site.

As usual there were a number of proposed rule changes presented at the AGM. A summary of all Rule Changes have been published by the Operational Director of Technical Regulations and these are currently being drafted into the ISU Rules.

The ISA Council approved a number of new Sport Development initiatives including Theatre On Ice, Adult Pairs and Dance (ISU requirements) and development of new Moves In the Field Tests. The Council also agreed to conduct Adult divisions as demonstration events in conjunction with the 2010 National Championships.

ISA Board of Management
May 5, 2010