



LAKE PLACID FIGURE SKATING CHAMPIONSHIPS

2022 Lake Placid Figure Skating Championships

June 23-26, 2022

Sanctioned by the SC of Lake Placid

Hosted by the NYS Olympic Regional Development Authority

Olympic Center

2634 Main Street, Lake Placid, NY 12946

<https://lakeplacidlegacysites.com/event/lake-placid-figure-skating-championships/>

The Lake Placid Figure Skating Championships will be conducted in accordance with the rules and regulations of U.S. Figure Skating, as set forth in the [current rulebook](#), as well as any pertinent updates that have been posted on the U.S. Figure Skating [website](#).

This competition is open to all eligible, restricted, reinstated or readmitted persons as defined by the Eligibility Rules, and who are currently registered member of a U.S. Figure Skating member club, a collegiate club or who is an individual member in accordance with the current rulebook. Please refer to the current rulebook for non-U.S. citizens.

ELIGIBILITY/TEST LEVEL:

Test Level: Competition level is the highest test passed as of the entry deadline in the discipline the skater is entering. Note, athletes may “skate up” in level, but may not skate down in any event.

Age restrictions/requirements: Singles free skate events (well-balanced program) have the following requirements:

Juvenile: Girls – 12 years or younger; Boys – 13 years or younger

Open Juvenile: Girls – 13 years or older; Boys – 14 years or older

Intermediate must be under the age of 18

Skaters entering pre-juvenile and lower events will be divided as closely as possible by age should the number of entries warrant more than one group.

EMS REGISTRATION:

Entries will be accepted via [EMS](#) with credit card only.
Each transaction includes a 3% credit card fee.

Registration Deadline: Monday, May 23, 2022 at 11:59 PM ET

Late Registration Deadline: Thursday, May 26, 2022 at 11:59 PM ET + \$50 Late Fee

1. Go to <https://m.usfigureskating.org>
2. Enter your U.S. Figure Skating or if Compete USA events are offered, your Learn to Skate USA member number and password
 - a. If you need assistance with your member number and password, contact Member Services at memberservices@usfigureskating.org.
3. Click EMS then "Competition Registration"
4. Choose "COMPETITION NAME" from the list of nonqualifying competitions.
 - a. If you need assistance completing your registration, contact productsupport@usfigureskating.org.

FOREIGN SKATERS:

Non-U.S. skaters intending to register for this competition must set up a non-member account prior to registering for the competition ([click here for HOW TO](#)). This can be done by choosing the "Create Account (Non-Member)" option on the [Members Only](#) login page.

PARTNERED EVENTS:

Only one partner will complete registration for the team. During the registration process, you will be asked to identify your partner and verify their test information. **The registered partner will be responsible for managing all aspects of the competition for the team including music/PPC upload, practice ice sales, etc.**

Mandatory Athletes:

Athletes age 18+ as of the competition start date who will be competing on a team (i.e. synchro, dance, pairs, shadow dance, theatre, etc.) with at least one minor athlete must complete SafeSport training. *

Minor Athletes who turn 18 mid-season are encouraged to seek parental consent to take the online SafeSport training early to avoid any disruptions in their ability to participate as the training is required upon turning 18. The athlete will not be SafeSport compliant until they have completed the training and their Members Only portal reflects completion. Please email safesport@usfigureskating.org for instructions or questions regarding parental consent.

REFUND POLICY: Entry fees will not be refunded after entry deadline unless no competition exists or the event is canceled. There will be no refunds for medical withdrawals.

SCHEDULE: Competitors may be scheduled on any day or time during the announced dates of the competition. The competition and practice ice schedule will be available after the close of entries. All participants will be notified via email once available.

FACILITIES:

The competition will be held at:

Olympic Center

2634 Main Street

Lake Placid, NY 12946

1980 Rink – 85' x 200'

1932 Rink – 100' x 200'

USA Rink – 85' x 200'

Competition events may be held in the 1980 Rink or the 1932 Rink. Practice ice may be held in the 1980 Rink, 1932 Rink or USA Rink.

EMS MUSIC UPLOAD:

DEADLINE: MONDAY, JUNE 15, 2022 at 11:59 PM ET – \$25 LATE FEE

Competitors participating in events with music are required to upload their music to [EMS](#) no later than **MONDAY, JUNE 15, 2022 AT 11:59 PM ET**. After this date, skaters will be locked out of this feature and subject to a **\$25 late fee**. The late fee will automatically be added to each skater's cart who doesn't meet this requirement by the deadline. Late fees will not be removed under any circumstances and must be paid prior to receiving the skater credential onsite.

EMS SKATER MUSIC UPLOAD HOW TO: [CLICK HERE](#)

If you need assistance, email productsupport@usfigureskating.org

All music must meet the following criteria. If you have questions about what format you have, please contact your coach and get a new version of your music that meets the criteria listed below.

MUSIC CRITERIA:

- File Format: MP3
- Bit Rate: 192 kbps or higher and Sample Rate: 44,100 kHz
 - This will be verified by the music chair and they may request you upload a corrected file.
- Leaders and trailers (the silence or "dead space" before and after the actual start and end of the program music) may not exceed two (2) seconds. We prefer that there be NO leaders or trailers at all. Excessive leaders and trailers may disrupt the playing of the music during competition.

Competitors must also bring a copy of their competition music on CD or digital copy (if you are accepting digital back up such as on a phone or memory stick) as a backup in case of technical difficulties and must be available rink side during the competition. Only CDs (standard CD-R format only) will be accepted for backups and must be clearly marked with the competitor's name, event, and running time.

EMS PLANNED PROGRAM CONTENT (PPC) – IF IJS:

DEADLINE: MONDAY, JUNE 15, 2022 at 11:59 PM ET – \$25 LATE FEE

Competitors participating in IJS events are required to submit PPC in [EMS](#) no later than **MONDAY, JUNE 15, 2022 AT 11:59 PM ET**. After this date, skaters will be locked out of this feature in EMS and subject to a **\$25 late fee**. The late fee will automatically be added to each skater's cart who doesn't meet this requirement by the deadline. Late fees will not be removed under any circumstances and must be paid prior to receiving the skater credential onsite.

EMS PPC UPLOAD HOW TO: [CLICK HERE](#)

If you need assistance, email productsupport@usfigureskating.org

LIABILITY: U.S. Figure Skating, the Skating Club of Lake Placid and the New York State Olympic Regional Development Authority accept no responsibility for injury or damage sustained by any participant in this competition. This is in accordance with Rule 1600 of the official U.S. Figure Skating Rulebook.

ONSITE CHECK-IN:

Check-in will open on Wednesday, June 22, 2022 and will be located in the 1932 Rink hallway. Onsite check-in hours will be communicated to all athletes and coaches after the competition schedule is released.

LOCKER ROOMS

Locker rooms and changing areas will not be available this competition. All athletes are expected to arrive to the arena ready (costumes, hair, make-up etc.). Athletes will be provided with an area to put skaters on but will not be permitted to change in public restrooms.

PRACTICE ICE:

The practice ice schedule will be available shortly after the publication of the official competition schedule. Skaters will be able to purchase practice ice at that time through EMS.

PHOTO/VIDEO:

Professional action photography will be offered through Miracle Moments Photography. Please contact Ona Kwiatkowski at onak@orda.org with any questions.

A videographer will be available.

Note, per U.S. Figure Skating policy, photographing and/or recording of anyone other than your own skater is strictly prohibited.

AWARDS:

Medals will be awarded for placements 1st through 3rd. Details on awards ceremonies/pick-up will be available at check-in.

OFFICIAL NOTICES: An official bulletin board will be maintained at the information desk in the 1932 Rink Hallway. It is the responsibility of each competitor, parent and coach to check the bulletin board frequently for any schedule changes and/or additional information. Skaters are requested to arrive 45 minutes prior to the scheduled time of their event. A tentative schedule of events will be posted prior to the competition.

Results will be posted online.

TEST CREDIT:

Test credit will be available at this event. Please contact marye@orda.org to register.

IMPORTANT NOTICE FOR ALL COACHES:

To be a credentialed coach at a sanctioned nonqualifying competition, coaches must meet the compliance requirements listed below and verified by the U.S. Figure Skating.

With EMS, a coach must be included within a skater's registration or updated through their EMS Skater Portal via "[My Coaches](#)." All coaches declared at the time of registration will be included on the skater's registration confirmation email. Note, there is no registration approval process within EMS as the data (membership and test level) is tied to the U.S. Figure Skating database. Non-compliant coaches will receive automated email reminders through the start of the competition.

EMS Coach Resources (*include links in your announcement):

- [My Competitions](#)
- [My Skaters](#)
- [Coach Schedule](#)

Coach/Choreographer (domestic/non-foreign):

- ✓ Must be a current full member of U.S. Figure Skating either through a member club or as an individual member.
- ✓ If 18 years or older, must submit information for, proper payment of \$30 and successfully pass a background check. *
 - The background check will be valid for two seasons, the one in which it was completed plus one additional.
- ✓ If 18 years or older, must complete annual SafeSport Training. *
 - The training will be valid for 365 days from date of completion and there is no cost for the training/certification.
- ✓ Must complete the Professional Coach/Choreographer Coaching Education Requirement (CER) through the [Professional Skaters Association \(PSA\)](#).
- ✓ Must submit proof of general liability insurance with limits of \$1 million per occurrence/ \$5 million aggregate.
- ✓ Must agree to the U.S. Figure Skating Code of Ethics. *
- ✓ Must complete three waivers: 1) Assumption of Risk, Waiver and Release and Indemnification Agreement, 2) Medical Consent and 3) Name and Likeness Release and Consent Agreement. *
- ✓ If attending a qualifying competition or traveling as a part of Team USA and/or International Selection Pool (ISP), must be a full member of the [Professional Skaters Association \(PSA\)](#).

Learn to Skate USA Coach:

- ✓ Must be a current full member of U.S. Figure Skating either through a member club or as an individual member OR Learn to Skate USA instructor membership
- ✓ If 18 years or older, must submit information for, proper payment of \$30 and successfully pass a background check. *
 - The background check will be valid for two seasons, the one in which it was completed plus one additional.
- ✓ If 18 years or older, must complete annual SafeSport Training. *
 - The training will be valid for 365 days from date of completion and there is no cost for the training/certification.
- ✓ Learn to Skate USA Instructor Certification completed OR U.S. Figure Skating compliance coach (details above)

* Accessible via U.S. Figure Skating Members Only Website:

www.usfsaonline.org → Person Icon  or Account → Member Profile → Compliance

Foreign Coach/Choreographer:

- ✓ Required to present the LOC with a letter from their federation verifying they are a member in good standing.

For more information regarding Coach Compliance, please visit the [Coach Compliance](#) page.

VOLUNTEER INFO:

To volunteer for this event, please contact Christie Sausa at c.sausa0526@gmail.com

CONTACT INFO:

If you have questions, please contact:

Mary-Elizabeth Wightman, marye@orda.org

Kathaleen Cutone, cutone@msn.com

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

There is no official hotel for this event. Lake Placid offers a wide variety of hotels, motels, bed & breakfasts and vacation rentals. Summer is a very popular time, however, so we suggest that you book as soon as possible. For information regarding area hotels, please visit www.lakeplacid.com.

On-ice seminars will be available to competitors in juvenile-senior well-balanced events. Times will be posted on the official schedule.

TENTATIVE SCHEDULE:

****SUBJECT TO CHANGE****

Thursday, June 23rd

Juvenile Girls Free Skate
Intermediate, Novice & Junior Women Short Program
Men Short Program – all levels

Friday, June 24th

Juvenile Girls Free Skate – FINAL ROUND
Intermediate, Novice & Junior Women Free Skate
Senior Women Short Program
Men Free Skate – all levels
Pairs Short Program – all levels

Saturday, June 25th

No Test – Pre-Juvenile Well Balanced Free Skate
Open Juvenile Women Free Skate
Intermediate & Novice Women Short Program – FINAL ROUND
Intermediate & Novice Women Free Skate – FINAL ROUND
Senior Women Free Skate
Pairs Free Skate – all levels
Compulsory Moves – all levels
Excel Free Skate – all levels

Sunday, June 26th

Excel Free Skate – all levels (if needed)

SECTION 2: Events Offered and Entry Fees:

SEE CURRENT [RULEBOOK](#) OR [U.S. FIGURE SKATING WEBSITE](#) FOR RULES/REQUIREMENTS.

U.S. FIGURE SKATING EVENTS				
SINGLES	IJS/6.0	1st EVENT	2nd EVENT	3rd + EVENT
Excel Free Skate (Beginner – Preliminary Plus)	6.0	\$140	\$95	\$70
Excel Free Skate (Pre-Juvenile – Senior)	IJS	\$185	\$110	\$90
Well Balanced Short Program (Intermediate – Senior)	IJS	\$185	\$110	\$90
Well Balanced Free Skate (No Test – Preliminary)	6.0	\$140	\$95	\$70
Well Balanced Free Skate (Pre-Juvenile – Senior)	IJS	\$185	\$110	\$90
PAIRS	JUDGING	1st EVENT	2nd EVENT	3rd + EVENT
Short Program (Novice – Senior)	IJS	\$185	\$110	\$90
Free Skate (Juvenile – Senior)	IJS	\$185	\$110	\$90
SPECIALTY	JUDGING	1st EVENT	2nd EVENT	3rd + EVENT
Compulsory Moves (No Test–Juvenile)	6.0	\$140	\$95	\$70
Excel Compulsory Moves (Excel Beg.–Excel Prelim.)	6.0	\$140	\$95	\$70