

**Board of Directors and Ice Rink Member representatives at the AGM held in Malaysia on August 6th 2016.**



ISIA Asia will hold their Annual General Meeting during the Skate Asia Competition every year. Each valid Administrative Member's Voting Representatives can attend the meeting, or appoint not more than two representatives to attend the meeting by proxy.

**ISIASIA COACH ACCREDITATION PROGRAM**

We are pleased to announce that ISIA Asia will introduce a new **ISIASIA COACH ACCREDITATION PROGRAM** for our Professional Members. The program will be launched this August during Skate Asia. As you can see from the leaflet, this program will be divided to five levels, from Basic Skills coach Level to Pro Rated Coach Level which need to be passed in order.

This program will only be available during Skate Asia each year. This year we will kick start the Level 1 and free of charge for those who submit application before the deadline of Skate Asia which is 7 June 2017. USD50 will be charged if application after the deadline. A certificate will be issued upon completion of the program.



***ISIASIA COACHING ACCREDITATION LEVELS***



LEVEL 5	-	PRO RATED COACH
LEVEL 4	-	ADVANCED COACH
LEVEL 3	-	FREESTYLE SKILLS COACH
LEVEL 2	-	COMPETITION COACH
LEVEL 1	-	BASIC SKILLS COACH

**LEVEL 1 - BASIC SKILLS COACH** *(5.5 hours – 4.5 hours On-ice training & 1 hour seminar)*

- Ideally suited to coaches working with new skaters.
- The course takes coaches through the technical aspect of coaching from Pre-Alpha to Delta Level.
- Understanding the ethics involved in coaching and developing of the sport in Asia
- Identifying the roles and responsibilities of a basic skills coach
- 1 hour seminar Off-ice with ISI US Referee & ISIA Asia Board of Directors
- 4 hours training On-ice with **professional guest coach Kori Ade**
  - ❖ 1<sup>st</sup> session – Turns and Edges & Moves in the field *(approx. 2 hours)*
  - ❖ 2<sup>nd</sup> session – Spin Technique & Jump Technique *(approx. 2 hours)*
- 30 minutes training On-ice with ISI US Coach & ISIA Asia Coach
  - ❖ Pre-Alpha to Delta Level
  - ❖ Judges expectation in Pre-Alpha to Delta Competition

# Competition Schedule 2017

Date	Event	Host Rink	Type of Competition
Jan 1-2	1st The Rink Children Skating Competition	The Rink, Hong Kong	Intra-Rink
Feb 3-4	ZPELL Ice Skating Championships 2017	The Rink Zpell@Future Park, Thailand	Invitational
Feb 3-5	2017 Indonesia Ice Skating Open @Bintaro Jaya	Bintaro Jaya Xchange Ice Skating Rink, Indonesia	Invitational
Feb 16-17	ISIA Asia Shenyang Figure Skating Open 2017	World Ice Arena Shenyang, China	Invitational
Mar 4	Skate Niigata 2017	Niigata City Ice Arena, Japan	Invitational
Mar 24-26	The 7th All Star - ISIA Asia Figure Skating Competition	All Star Skating Club Beijing Paradise Walk, China	Invitational
Apr 8-9	Skate Nanning 2017	World Ice Arena Nanning, China	Invitational
Apr 14-16	<i>Skate Beijing 2017*</i>	Le Cool Ice Rink Beijing, China	Invitational
Apr 21-23	2017 ISI Glacier Open & Basic Challenge	Festival Walk Glacier, Hong Kong	Invitational
Apr 28-29	Skate Emirates 2017	Emirates Skating Club, U.A.E	Invitational
Apr 29 - May 1	Asian All Star Figure Skating Invitational Tournament	All Star Skating Club Haikou Mova, China	Invitational
May 11-13	Bangkok Figure Skating Classic 2017	The Rink Ice Arena, Thailand	Invitational
May 13-14	ISIA Asia Skate Qingdao 2017	World Ice Arena Qingdao, China	Invitational
May 19-21	Skate Jakarta 2017	Sky Rink Jarkarta, Indonesia	Invitational
May 20-21	ISIA Asia Skate Hangzhou 2017	World Ice Arena Hangzhou, China	Invitational
May 28-29	ISIA Asia Skate Wuxi 2017	World Ice Arena Wuxi, China	Invitational
Jun 25	The 29th Annual Skate Japan 2017	Saitama Ice Arena, Japan	Invitational
Jun 29 - Jul 2	<i>Skate Malaysia 2017*</i>	Sunway Pyramid Ice, Malaysia	Invitational
Jul 8-9	Chiangmai Ice Skating Series 2017	Sub-Zero Ice Skate Club Chiangmai, Thailand	Invitational
Jul 29-30	iCool Figure Skating Challenge 2017	Beijing Ice Cool Sports Center, China	Invitational
Aug 6-13	<i>Skate Asia 2017*</i>	Bintaro Jaya Xchange Ice Skating Rink, Indonesia	International
Aug 26-27	ISIA Asia Skate Chengdu 2017	World Ice Arena Chengdu, China	Invitational
Sep 16	Ice Castle International ISIA Asia (SZ) Skating Open	Ice Castle International Ice Skating Rink, China	International
Sep 23	ISIA Asia Skate Ganzhou 2017	World Ice Arena Ganzhou, China	Invitational
Oct 7-8(Tbc)	Sub-Zero Star Search Challenge 2017	Sub-Zero Ice Skate Club Branch Ngamwongwan-Khaerai, Thailand	Intra-Rink
Nov 4-5 & 11-12 (Tbc)	<i>Skate Hong Kong 2017*</i>	Cityplaza Ice Palace & Festival Walk Glacier, Hong Kong	Invitational
Dec 2-3(Tbc)	ISIA Asia Skate Shenzhen 2017	World Ice Arena Shenzhen, China	Invitational
Dec 7-10(Tbc)	<i>Skate Bangkok 2017*</i>	Sub-Zero Ice Skate Club Branch Mega-Bangna, Thailand	Invitational
<i>*ISIA Asia Championship Series</i>			



**Skate  
Bei Jing  
2017**

**14 - 16 APR**



**29 JUN - 2 JUL**



**7 - 10 DEC**



**4 - 5 & 11 - 12 NOV**



**SKATE ASIA**  
INDONESIA 2017

**6 - 13 AUG**

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## 2017 ISIASIA CHAMPIONSHIP SERIES

In order to encourage skaters, coaches and ice rinks in Asia to participate in more competitions and events, Ice Skating Institute Asia has launched the Championship Series in 2016. This year we are excited to announce the five competitions of 2017 ISIA Asia Championship Series.

ISIA Asia Members including Skaters, Coaches and Ice Rinks are welcomed to join the five chosen events and earn points in 2017.

### THE SELECTED FIVE COMPETITIONS

Apr 14 ~16	Skate Beijing
Jun 29 ~ Jul 2	Skate Malaysia
Aug 6 ~ 13	Skate Asia (Indonesia)
Nov 4 ~ 5 & 11 ~ 12	Skate Hong Kong
Dec 7 ~ 10	Skate Bangkok

## AWARD

### SKATERS

Top 3	2-year ISIA Asia Individual Membership One ISIA Asia Jacket
4th to 10th placing	1-year ISIA Asia Individual Membership One ISIA Asia T-shirt

### COACHES

Top 3	1-year ISIA Asia Professional Membership One ISIA Asia Jacket
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### ICE RINK

Champion	Championship Series Trophy One ISI Handbook One weSkate Test Standard DVD Two ISIA Asia Jackets
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For further information, please email to: [info@isiasia.org](mailto:info@isiasia.org)

## **SKATERS**

Participating in Skate Asia	50 Points
Participating in each of the Championship Series Competition	20 Points
1st place in Individual Event for the selected competitions	5 Points
2nd place in Individual Event for the selected competitions	4 Points
3rd place in Individual Event for the selected competitions	3 Points
4th place in Individual Event for the selected competitions	2 Points
5th place in Individual Event for the selected competitions	1 Points
Participating in each Group Event in the selected competitions	5 Points

## **COACHES**

Participating in Skate Asia	50 Points
Participating in each of the Championship Series Competition	20 Points
Participating in any ISIA Asia Official Seminars	10 Points
Obtained Gold Judge Certification	30 Points
Obtained Silver Judge Certification	20 Points
Obtained Bronze Judge Certification	10 Points

## **ICE RINKS**

Sending Coaches / Skaters to join all 5 Championship Series competitions	100 Points
Sending Coaches / Skaters to join Skate Asia and 3 of the Championship Series competitions	75 Points
Sending Coaches / Skaters to join Skate Asia and 2 of the Championship Series competitions	50 Points



# Tips to remember when filling in the Competition Entry Forms:

**By Linda Huggins**

*We encourage skater and parents to read the ISIA Asia website ([www.isiasia.org](http://www.isiasia.org)) and the magazine publications to understand what to expect from the competition.*

*Taking part in multiple events is that they offer competitions in all disciplines of ice skating. Taking parts in multi events gives a skater the opportunity to try out various different aspects of skating, they will gain the valuable experience of becoming more relaxed when competing in front of the judges and will feel much more involved with the whole event.*

*Not every event will need a new program and expensive costume. When deciding which events to enter consider the skaters personality, and make sure they have a challenging balance of technical, creative and fun events.*

*Find a friend for Jump & Spin, Couples or Spotlight Couples, great fun for best friends on a trip.*

*We encourage coaches attending a competition to try to get their skaters organized into a team of some kind. For most kids the team event is the highlight of the competition, it builds team working skills (for parents too) and let's them fully experience the atmosphere of excitement at the rink. It may be a lot of work, but is really rewarding and Fun for the coach too! .*

*If you don't have enough students liaise with another coach to form a team surprise, synchro team, ensemble or small production.*

*Re-use or adapt existing programs, if a skater is daunted by learning lots of new choreography.*

*Start planning your training time, to allow for extra lessons and practice time before the competition, in order to attain that winning performance.*

*More events will earn more team points, and more chances of winning a medal with a blue ribbon.*

*For the Championship Series all events entered on the entry form give the skater, and coach who also attends the judges meeting, a chance to earn Championship Series Points.*



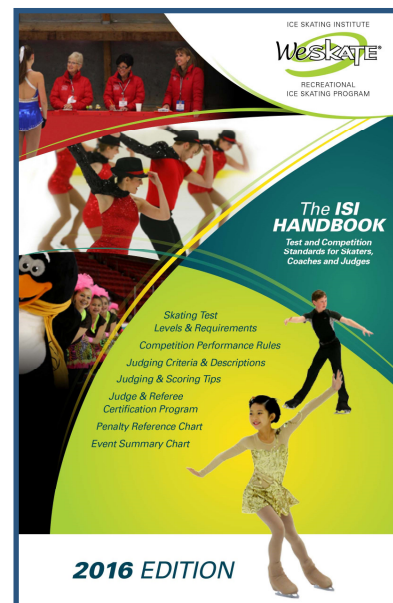
## The ISI Handbook

The ISI Handbook, 2016 Edition is the only comprehensive resource for:

- -ISI test level requirements
- weSKATE program information
- Competition events and performance rules
- Judging (including penalty reference chart and quick reference for duration)

The handbook includes the latest rule revisions and new competition events, and provides a wealth of information, standards and resources for learning, teaching and judging the ISI Recreational Skating Program. To purchase, email [members@isiasia.org](mailto:members@isiasia.org)

*\*The 2016 rule revisions become effective on September 1 and will be observed at all ISI national events after that date.*



Congratulations to the following ISI skaters who have recently passed high-level test:

### Freestyle 8

CHAN, Mei Ning

Festival Walk Glacier

NAPHAT, Luckanatinakorn

Sub-Zero Ice Skate Club Branch Mega-Bangna

PRATAMA, Calvin

Gardenice Rink

SRISATHAPORN, Supravee

Open Ice Skate Imperial

TAN, Hui Jeen Evelyn

Sunway Pyramid Ice

TAN, Zhi Ming Nicholas

Sunway Pyramid Ice

YANG, Shuai

World Ice Arena Shenzhen

### Freestyle 9

DAY, David

World Ice Arena Shenzhen

YANG, Shao Ning Amy

World Ice Arena Shenzhen





## ISIA Asia Championship Series

In 2016, five competitions from different countries held in different months have been chosen to join the **First Championship Series**, including **Skate Beijing**, **Skate Asia**, **Skate Bandung**, **Skate Hong Kong** and **Skate Bangkok**. Skaters, Coaches and Ice rinks gain points from joining these selected competitions. The top ten skaters, top three coaches and the Champion rinks will be awarded.

Your Championship Series Standing can be checked by going to the ISIA Asia website.

Click on Events—ISIA Asia Championship Series—Result (Admin / Coaches / Skaters).





## **TED WILSON TROPHY**

In 1999, Mr. Ted Wilson founded the Ice Skating Institute Asia (ISIAsia).

Mr. Wilson played a very important role in promoting the ISI Recreational Skating Program across Asia and in recognition of all his efforts, we have created the "Ted Wilson Trophy" in his memory.



The initial concept of the design of the Ted Wilson Trophy was suggested by Executive Committee (EC) after various discussions amongst the Board of Directors and the Executive Committee. Mr. Wilson had designed a striking emblem when hosting the first Skate Asia, using a silhouette of a Chinese dragon over a skate blade, so we wanted to recreate this dragon image for our memorial trophy. He had also presented a 'Laliq Trophy' for freestyle 10 competitors when skate Asia was hosted in Hong Kong in 2001, so it seemed fitting, when we finally found this beautiful Laliq dragon.

The 'skating dragon' was then skilfully mounted onto a freestyle blade and set on an oval crystal base to create this elegant trophy.

The Ted Wilson Trophy will be a travelling trophy for our Skate Asia Event.



The first Skate Asia event was started by Mr. Ted Wilson in 1989 and this year in Indonesia is the 17<sup>th</sup> Skate Asia. Thereafter, Ted Wilson Trophy will be travelling around the Asian Countries wherever the Skate Asia takes place.

# **2016 ISI TEST & COMPETITION RULE REVISIONS**

***These 2016 Test & Competition Revisions are mandatory for  
all testing and competition events beginning 9/1/16.***

## **1. TEST REVISIONS & CLARIFICATIONS**

- **Freestyle 2 – Remove ½ Toe Walley requirement.**
- **Freestyle 2 – Add new Jump Sequence: Waltz jump / Tap-toe jump / 3-turn or Mohawk turn / One-Half Flip jump.** Skater must perform these 3 jumps in sequence. No additional turns or steps are permitted.
- **Freestyle 2 – Ballet jump** – Both legs should remain straight in the air position.
- **Freestyle 5 – Dance step sequence** – RFI twizzle (*Step #6*) is now 1½ rotations.
- **Freestyle 6 – Spin Combination with 3 Positions and Change of Foot** – A combination spin must be performed with a minimum of any 3 spin positions from these options: Sit spin, Back Sit spin, Camel spin, Back Camel spin, Layback spin. Each spin position must meet the minimum passing test standard as previously described in the *ISI Handbook* and must be held for a minimum of three revolutions each. This spin must also include one change of foot. *Examples include: Camel / Sit / Back Sit or Camel / Back Camel / Back Sit or Layback / Sit / Back Sit.*
- **Spin Variations** – Skaters are allowed to add variations to any required spin position, but the variation will not count as part of the spin requirement to meet the test standard (for testing and competition events) in traditional Freestyle, Solo Compulsory, Jump and Spin, Couples, and Pairs.
- **Freestyle 9 – Opposite spin** – For testing and in competition events, a Sit spin, Camel spin, or Layback spin must be performed in both directions. The two spins must be in succession with a minimum number of steps between each spin.
- **Open Freestyle Platinum – Two different additional double jump combinations** with at least one double jump in each combination from Freestyle 8-10 levels.
- **Pair 5-7 Dance Step Sequences** – During the compulsory part of the test, all required turns must be performed separately in unison (as described in the equivalent Freestyle test reference).
- **Dance Step Patterns** – The Freestyle 5-8 patterns have been re-drawn to better illustrate correct edges and pattern placement.
- **Video Test Guidelines** – See the *ISI Handbook* for details as some video guidelines have changed.

## **2. COMPETITION EVENT REVISIONS & CLARIFICATIONS**

- **New Event Levels and Maneuver Limitation Charts**

### **Solo Spotlight, Theme Spotlight and Interpretive events**

<u>Test Level</u>	<u>Maneuver Limitations</u>	<u>Duration*</u>	*See the ISI Handbook for Interpretive event duration guideline.
Tots – Delta	FS 1 & below	1:00	
FS 1-3 / Bronze	FS 4 & below	1:30	
FS 4-5 / Silver	FS 6 & below	1:30	
FS 6-7 / Gold	FS 8 & below	2:00	
FS 8-10 / Platinum	Any maneuvers	2:00	

### **Artistic and Rhythmic events**

<u>Test Level</u>	<u>Maneuver Limitations</u>	<u>Duration</u>
FS 1-3 / Bronze	FS 4 & below	1:30
FS 4-5 / Silver	FS 6 & below	1:30
FS 6-7 / Gold	FS 8 & below	2:00
FS 8-10 / Platinum	Any maneuvers	2:00



### **Couples Spotlight events**

<u>Event</u>	<u>Test Level</u>	<u>Maneuver Limitations</u>	<u>Duration</u>
Low	Tots – Delta	FS 1 & below	1:00
Bronze	FS 1-3 / Bronze	FS 4 & below	1:30
Silver	FS 4-5 / Silver	FS 6 & below	1:30
Gold	FS 6-7 / Gold	FS 8 & below	2:00
Platinum	FS 8-10 / Platinum	Any maneuvers	2:00

### **Jump & Spin events**

<u>Event</u>	<u>Test Level</u>	<u>Required Jump</u>	<u>Required Spin</u>
Low	Tots – Delta	2-foot Hop <u>or</u> Bunny Hop	2-foot Spin
Bronze	FS 1-3 / Bronze	½ Flip <u>or</u> Toe Loop	2-foot <u>or</u> 1-foot Spin
Silver	FS 4-5 / Silver	½ Loop <u>or</u> Axel	Sit Spin <u>or</u> Back Spin
Gold	FS 6-7 / Gold	Dbl. Salchow <u>or</u> Dbl. Toe Loop	Layback <u>or</u> Flying Camel
Platinum	FS 8-10 / Platinum	Dbl. Loop <u>or</u> Dbl. Lutz	Flying Sit <u>or</u> Camel-Jump-Camel

- **Uncaptured Moves** – For many years, there have been uncaptured move limitations (based on the skater's test level) for most ISI events.

An uncaptured move is any gliding maneuver, jump, or spin that is not a required maneuver on any test level.

The uncaptured moves limitations for gliding maneuvers, jumps, and spins have been removed for the following events: Artistic, Couples, Couples Spotlight, Freestyle, Interpretive, Open Freestyle, Open Pair, Pair, Rhythmic, Solo Spotlight, Themed Spotlight, Freestyle Synchro, and Team Compulsories.

There are no uncaptured maneuvers allowed in Solo Compulsory and Jump & Spin events. Only the selected maneuvers can be performed along with 3-turns, mohawks, crossovers, and arm movements.

**CAUTION:** When adding any additional move to any program, carefully check to make sure that move is not a required maneuver on a higher test level.

- **Creative Figure / Free Figure events** – There is a maximum time limit of 1:30 minutes for all levels.
- **Team Compulsory maneuvers** – When choreographing a Team Compulsory routine, make sure each skater performing their required maneuver is highlighted (somewhat away from other team members) so the skater and that maneuver can be more easily seen by the judges.

### **3. Judging Revisions & Clarifications**

- a. **Solo Compulsory events judging criteria** – The current “General Overall” criteria will be changed to “Penalty” on the Judge 1 (*Referee*) sheet only. Any penalty score of 2.0 for attempting illegal maneuvers will only be assessed by Judge 1 (*Referee*). If no penalty is given, each skater will receive 7.0 for this criteria – or 8.0 if the skater is “against the book”.
- b. **Solo Compulsory events** – Only the first attempt at each maneuver will be scored. Any additional attempt will not be judged and there is no penalty given.  
  
All 3 judges will give a score of “0” if the required maneuver is not attempted or if the wrong maneuver is performed.
- c. **Dance and Synchronized Team events** – Judges can include current Associate Judges.

**FOR MORE INFORMATION AND COMPLETE DETAILS ABOUT ANY RULE REVISION OR CLARIFICATION, PLEASE REFER TO THE 2016 EDITION OF THE ISI HANDBOOK**