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58th NATIONAL ROLLER SKATE CHAMPIONSHIPS 2020-21: Date-Venue-Disciplines-Rules & Regulations for the Championships

58th NATIONAL ROLLER SKATE CHAMPIONSHIP20-21 31March to 11 April 2021(Chandigarh-Mohali) We are happy to inform that the **58**th **N**ational **R**oller **S**kate **C**hampionships is scheduled to be held from 31st March to 11th April 2021 at (Chandigarh, Mohali) which is jointly organized as follows by Punjab Roller Skating Association & Chandigarh Roller Skating Association under the aegis of Roller Skating Federation of India (INDIA SKATE): **C**adet Age Groups schedule is as follows:

Speed, **H**ockey & **A**rtistic disciplines-**R**eporting on 31st March, events will be held from **1**st to **3**rd **A**pril & departure on 4th April 2021.

Inline Freestyle & Skateboarding disciplines-Reporting on 7th April, events will be held from **8**th to **10**th **A**pril & departure on 11th April 2021.

Sub **J**unior-**J**unior-**S**enior-**M**asters Schedule is as follows:

Disciplines	Date	Venue	Reporting on	
Speed Skating	1-10 April.	URS Dhelpur Mohali	31 March	
Artistic Skating	1-08 April.	Skating Rink Chandigarh/Mohali	31 March	
Roller Hockey	1-10 April.	Skating Rink Chandigarh/Mohali	31 st March	
Inline Hockey	1-10 April.	Skating Rink Chandigarh/Mohali	31 st March	
Inline Freestyle Skating	8-10 April	Skating Rink Chandigarh/Mohali	7 th April	
Skateboarding	8-10 April	URS Dhelpur Mohali	7th April	
Roller Freestyle Skating	8-10 April	URS Dhelpur Mohali	7th April	
Inline Downhill	8-10 April	Almorini Hills	7th April	
Inline Alpine	8-10 April	Almorini Hills	7th April	
Roller Derby	8-10 April	Skating Rink Chandigarh/Mohali	7th April	
Roller Scooter	8-10 April	URS Dhelpur Mohali	7th April	
Demo* Event:Skate Cross	8-10 April	URS Dhelpur Mohali	7th April	

^{*} This New discipline will be a demo event. # other venue

THE CHAMPIONSHIP WILL BE CONDUCTED AS PER THE GOVT. REGULATIONS AND NORMS PREVALENT AT THE TIME OF THE EVENTS.

PARTICIPATION ELIGIBILITY: Only RSFI recognized Units/Individuals invited are allowed to participate. RSFI may accept direct entries in disputed cases and also in cases where RSFI has no State/U.T Unit. Skaters are to participate only from State/U.T where they are :

- (i).In case a student studying in School/College/ any institution recognized by the State/Central Government shall deemed to be an ordinarily resident of that State/U.T where the School/College/Institution is situated
- (ii).In case of an employee working only in Public Sector Institutions or Government Office/ Department shall deemed to be any ordinarily resident of that State/UT where his/her Office is situated.

(iii).In case others not falling under (i) & (ii) as above can represent only from the State/UT where he is domiciled.

Note:(1).Masters Age Group: (a).He/She should be a Above 30 years as on 31st December 2020. (b).He/She should be a National participant. (c). Skaters participating in Masters Age group cannot revert to Senior category in any future championships. (d).Skaters participating in Masters Age group are eligible to participate in Senior age group for the selection trials for International events as per the clause 10.11 of 11RR. (e).Skaters Above 30 years may participate in seniors category, but once participated in Masters he/she has to participate in Masters for ever.

(iv) (a). Medical Fitness Certificate With Covid 19 Test done, to be submitted by all participating skaters/players and team officials, Date after 27^{th} March for events starting from 1^{st} April and Date after 3^{rd} April for events starting from 8^{th} April.

All the participating skaters, team officials have to give the Covid 19 test negative certificate i.e.the sample did not react for the presence of SARS-Co V-2(Covid 19). This indicate that at the time of sampling, the person is unlikely to have an active SARS-Co V-2(Covid 19) infection.

If the participant is not going to stay in the official accommodation but going to stay with his/her accompanying member(Guardian/Parent) then the said Guardian/Parent also has to submit the Covid 19 test certificate.

It should be noted that the result provide a momentary view and that an individual's health status may have changed since the sample specimen was taken. Keeping in view of this, all eligible participants have to restrict their movements only to and fro from the place of stay and venue. RSFI/Local Health Department officials will have the right to check & restrict movement of the Participants/ Team Officials/ Guardians/ Parents and will take action against those who violate the Covid 19 protocol in vogue.

- (b). Only One Parent Allowed With a Skater.
- (c). Skater/s Must Carry Sanitizer
- (d). Skater & Accompanying Parent shall Compulsory Wear Mask Regularly/Always.
- (e). Skaters Shall Maintain Physical Distance At The Rink, practice social distancing of 6 feet whenever possible.
- (f). Skaters to Carry Their Personal Water Bottles
- (g). Skaters Are Requested To Reach The Sports Arena at Their Allotted Time Only
- (h). After The Event Skater/Parent should quickly exit the Sports Arena. Not allowed to socialize at the venue
- (i). Ensure less body contact with railings & maintain personal Hygiene
- (j). Wash with soap and water frequently for at least 20 seconds or, when hand washing is not available, use hand sanitizer.
- (k). Skaters shall not share towels or other equipment's with others.
- (I).Parent/Team Official accompanying the skater/team should monitor the health of their Children/Adult participants and not send them to participate in an event, if they exhibit any symptom of COVID-19.
- (m).During Traveling/Championship: Skaters/Team officials/Parents should stay in the place of accommodation under isolation when they are showing signs of COVID-19,

have a temperature, or have had close contact with a person with COVID-19.

- (n). Technical Officials, Team Officials, Skaters, Volunters should continue social distancing during the team check in process for competitions.
- (o). Skaters/Officials should maintain the distance if possible during warm ups & should only have close contact during actual competition.
- (p). Skaters should be allowed to wear face coverings in competition should they choose to do so as long as they don't compromise their safety.
- (q).Parents/Team Officials/Spectators have to wear face coverings(Mask), whenever they are inside/outside the venue.
- (r). Skaters equipment should be kept in a bag. If the Mask is removed prior to an event, then the mask should be kept in the bag only.
- (s). Strict no contact rule should be observed for team game, such as pre-game coaches' handshakes, umpire-coach-player introductions, and post-game handshakes between members of opposing teams. Instead, officials, players, and coaches should use verbal greetings, without handshakes.
- (t).Respiratory etiquettes to be strictly followed by athletes and team officials/companions. This involves strict practice of covering one's mouth and nose while coughing/ sneezing with a tissue/ handkerchief/ flexed elbow and disposing off used tissues properly.
- (u).Participants/officials/guardians must dispose of used face covers, masks; used towels in separate covered bins placed in common areas.
- (v). Spitting shall be strictly prohibited in field of play, warm up area, assembly area, during travel & in residential area.

Age eligibility: A Skater should be at least **5** Years of age as on 31st December 2020 to be eligible for participation in their respective age group. Age Group Jumping is not permitted.

Skaters Annual Registration: Skaters participating in events/activities organized by RSFI or its State Units or States' District Units or Districts' Club Units or RSFI/State's recognized Boards/ Institutions shall register themselves ONLINE with RSFI for 2020-21. The Federation had introduced online(http://indiaskate.com) Annual Skaters Registration from last year and will continue this is year also i.e.2020-21. The registration is valid from 1st April to 31st March of every year and it is to be renewed annually.

Birth Certificate: Photo copy of Date of Birth Certificates* of all skaters (including for those above 17 years) to be submitted to the RSFI Championship Committees along with Entry Form (Original certificate must be produced immediately for verification as and when required by the said committee).

*Note-I:Certificate given by their School/College where they are presently studying should be submitted & those who have completed studies are to submit their age proof which can be photocopy of Passport/Pan Card/Election Commission Card/ Aadhaar /Driving License or Date of birth certificate issued by the Institution where they last studied.

<u>Technical Rules</u>: As per practice, International Rules corresponding with Federation's 11 RR Dt.7th April 2019 and or latest adopted rules by RSFI will be followed in the 58th Nationals.

Events & Age Groups - Boys/Men and Girls/Women : Cadet - Sub Junior-

Junior-Senior-Masters:

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
Age Groups	S peed	Artistic	Inline Freestyle	Roller Freestyle	Roller Hockey	Inline Hockey	S kate boarding	D own hill	Inline Alpine	Roller Derby	Roller Scooter
Cadet											
5 to 7	Yes	Yes	Xx	XX	Xx	Xx	Xx	Xx	xx	XX	xx
7 to 9	Yes	Yes	Xx	XX	Yes	Yes	Xx	Xx	xx	XX	xx
9 to 11	Yes	Yes	Yes	xx			Yes	Xx	xx	xx	XX
Sub Junior											
11 to 14	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	XX	XX
Junior											
14 to 17	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	XX	XX
Senior											
Above 17	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	XX	xx
Masters											
	Yes	Yes	Xx	XX	Yes	Yes	Yes	Xx	xx	XX	xx

^{*} Roller Derby-Above 11 Years **G**irls(Only one Age Group)

Skaters have to participate(a).in one discipline only i.e. in Speed Skating or Artistic Skating or Roller Hockey or Inline Hockey or Inline Freestyle Skating,(b).in their own age group, Upper Age Group jumping is not permitted. However skaters are allowed to additionally take part in one Other Games event i.e. Skateboarding/ Inline Downhill / Inline Alpine / Roller Freestyle Skating /Roller Derby/Roller Scooter. 9 to 11 years Cadet & Masters age group skaters are allowed to additionally take part in Skateboarding event only.

Entry: The 58th National Roller Skate Championship Entry to be done online. Please go to the website **www.indiaskate.com** and login with the password given to your Unit. Please note, the online entries of teams will be accepted & approved only if the 2020-21 Annual Skaters Application number of the skaters is entered in the online Entry Form. Fill up each entry carefully, scan the Photo & Date of Birth certificate and upload it. After completing & uploading all the Entries online, take a printout of the entries. One copy of the hard copy of Entry to be signed & Sealed and One photo copy of the Date of Birth Certificate is to be send through the team manager for submission to the Championship Committee office at the National venue. The original Date of Birth Certificate to be produced by the Team Manager for verification, at the time of submission of the documents, one day before the National Championship. The Annual State/U.T Affiliation Fee & Skaters Entry Fee to be paid by Demand Draft, drawn favouring "Roller Skating Federation of India" payable at New Delhi.

Note-L Skaters' names are to be given in Entry Forms as mentioned in their School/College Certificate/Passport/Pan card/Election Commission Card ID/ Aadhaar/Driving License being submitted by them as mentioned here under: Those who have completed studies are to submit their age proof which can be photocopy of Passport/Pan Card/Election Commission Card/ Aadhaar /Driving License or Date of birth certificate issued by the Institution where they last studied.

^{*} Roller Scooter-Above 11 Years **B**oys/**G**irls(Only one Age Group)

Note-II. The Manager of State/U.T teams may be permitted to make corrections changes in the name of skater/s in the entry, at Managers' meeting, held before starting of National Championship, subject to his carrying the authorization letter on letter head of the State/UT Unit, signed by its President/ Secretary affixing unit's rubber stamp. Such skaters should have participated either in the last held State/UT Championship or the Federation's conducted last State/UT selection trials.

Note-III. Photos: As the Entry is done online, the photo scanned and uploaded will appear on Certificate & I.D.Card.

Payments of Fees: The State-UT Units' affiliation fees & skaters/team entry fee(as per RSFI 11RR Dt.7th April 2019) are to be given at the time of reporting. The mode of Payments is Demand Draft , the drafts are to be drawn favoring "Roller Skating Federation of India" payable at "NEW DELHI". or the payment can be made online vide Bank_ AXIS BANK Br. SHASTRI NAGAR AC. NO. 916010021051828 IFS CODE_UTIB0001810 NAME_Roller Skating Federation of India and details to be sent to RSFI email. At back of the said demand drafts, name of the State/UT and purpose for which payment is being made is to be mentioned. Payment made by ordinary cheque/cash will not be accepted.

Note the following regarding the skating events:

Speed Skating: For Distances and Type of Races please follow distances and rules of RSFI Format as part of 11RR Annexure-A w.e.f.21.02.2020

OUAD RACES:

5 to 7 years- Can take part in Max.2 Races out of 3 Races.

7 to 9, 9 to 11, 11 to 14, 14 to 17 & Above 17 years - Can take part in Max. 3 Races out of 4 Races.

INLINE RACES:

5 to 7 years - Can take part in Max. 2 Races out of 3 Races.

7 to 9 & 9 to 11 years - Can take part in Max.3 races out of 4 Races.

11 to 14 years - Can take part in Max. 3 races out of 6 Race

14 to 17 & Above 17 years – Can take part in 4 races out of 8 Races

Masters - Can take part in all 3 races

Note: Only a Skater taking part in a regular race is entitled to take part in Relay and Marathon Races; however Juniors and Seniors skaters will race together in Marathon race for one gold, one silver and one bronze medal.

<u>Artistic Skating</u>: For latest technical details etc, please refer to RSFI 11RR Annexure-B. 5 to 7 years – Can take part in Max.4 events out of 5 events.

7 to 9 & 9 to 11, 11 to 14, 14 to 17 & Above 17 Years-Can take part in 4 events out of 6. Masters - Can take part in all 3 events

Note: Cadet(7 to 9 & 9 to 11 Years), Sub Junior, Junior, Senior & Masters age group skaters can additionally take part in the Team events i.e. Quartet, Precision, Show Group.

<u>Inline Freestyle Skating & Other Games</u>: for latest technical details etc. please refer to RSFI 11RR Annexure- D & E.

Roller Hockey & Inline Hockey: for latest technical details etc. please refer to RSFI 11RR Annexure- C.

Note-I: Roller Hockey: Signature of every Participant at the Referees Table is mandatory at the beginning of all their matches.

Note-II: Roller Hockey: As per the latest WS Guidelines a Roller Hockey Team can now be formed of 12 players i.e. 9 Players and 3 Goalkeepers; though only 8 Players and 2 Goalkeepers totaling 10 will form the playing team for every match. (This rule will enable a team to have 2 extra players to pick from for every match). However there must be minimum 2 Goalkeepers and 4 Players in a team to be eligible for it to play a match. A player must play at-least 1 match to be eligible to receive a Certificate and or a Medal in Inline and or Roller Hockey.

Roller Derby: In Roller Derby there will be only one age group & one category (Girls).

Roller Scooter: In Roller Scooter there will be only on age group-Above 11 Years(Boys/Girls).

GENERAL:

- (i). Skaters/s who are not selected or are under suspension or have disciplinary action pending against them, shall not be eligible to participate in the Nationals.
- (ii). Skaters are to bring wheels suitable for use on all kind of floors including Asphalt/ Asphalt Coated, Cement - Kota - Cudappa Stone - Tandur Stone - Mosaic - Tarmac - Wooden surfaces etc.
- (iii).To uplift the standard of skating and face challenges of international competitions and to discourage substandard skaters, Judges and referees at the Nationals may introduce Elimination round/ Qualifying Time/ Points /Marks/ Conduct Skating tests for allowing participation in the Nationals. Skaters found sub- standard will not be allowed participation. e.g. All Hockey players must perform skating and basic hockey skill at the start of Hockey match before National referee/s. If the skater is found substandard then he/she will not be eligible to participate.
- (iv).It is suggested that the U.T/State Associations appoint a Lady official for the Girls team and also a Physio or any medical attendant for the state team players.

The Team Manager appointed for the U.T/State team should be able to maintain a code of conduct during the national Championship, as we have seen in past, inappropriate conduct towards judges, officials, Organisres and other participants Parents & coaches of the skaters.

In case of unacceptable behaviours, the concerned athlete will be liable of facing a penalty & disqualification.

(v). Disrespectful (e.g. sexual, violent, insulting) movements or gestures, especially towards the judges or during Opening/Closing/Medal ceremony, are not appropriate and the skater can be penalised or disqualified.

Dope/Drug Test: may be carried out at random on players to ensure drug/ dope are not used by them to enhance performance. Anti Doping Rules of NADA is applicable to all participants. Please see RSFI website in this regard. **All Skaters shall be ready any time for Dope Test.**

Managers/Coaches Meeting: will be held between 5 to 7 p.m. on the day of reporting to discuss arrangements made for The Championships/ Clarification of Rules/

Announcement of program/ and the Championship Schedule etc. Respective RSFI Technical Committees proposes to conduct clinics for participating team coaches/managers.

Accident/Medical/Life/Insurance Policies: Please note that for any injuries/losses caused to Participants/Officials /accompanying members during Championships/ on or off the playing area, RSFI and or Organisors/ Host Association and or its officials shall not be responsible and or liable to meet any expenses/ damages whatsoever. All the participating skaters, officials and accompanying members must take adequate accidental, medical and life insurance policies. They are to carry the necessary policies with themselves. Every team must carry First Aid Kit.

Lodging and Boarding: Hosts have arranged subsidized lodging and boarding. Teams wishing to avail lodging must confirm by remitting an advance of Rs.200/- per person on or before 5st February 2021 to the host. Teams wishing to take Boarding facility are to additionally pay an advance of Rs.200/ per person on or before 5th February 2021. In case of cancellation the advance amount will be forfeited.

Formalities: On the date of reporting: Team Managers on arrival are to report to championship committee and complete the formalities such as:-

- a) Confirm the Online Entry made and pay the State/U.T annual affiliation fee/ skaters' entry fees/ security deposit for boarding and lodging.
- b) Submit photocopy of proof of Date of Birth Certificate of all Skaters.
- c) Submit signed & sealed copy of online 2020-21 Annual Skaters' Registration Form of all skaters.
- d) Collect the Race Numbers/ Chest Numbers.
- e) Submit details of team's return journey date, time and mode of transport being used.
- f) Hand over Team Flag (2 numbers) for the March past/ hosting (Size approximately 4 X 3 feet).
- g).Hand over the Team Over all Rolling Cups/Trophies received during the 57th Nationals.
- h) Submit Medical Fitness Certificate With Covid 19 Test done.

Note: Managers shall ensure that all participating Skaters and team officials maintain **exemplary discipline** and also participate in the **March past rehearsal and Inauguration** as advised by the Organisers of the Championship.

Minimum participation rules for holding the competition: Only for disciplines which are medal events in Nationals for less than 5 years the event can be conducted even there is only 1 participant or 2 team. For the events which are in Nationals for more than 5 years the minimum criteria for conducting the events is minimum 3 participants in case of Individual events and three teams in case of team events. Ranking will be given on the basis of criteria decided by the respective committees.

Minimum Qualifying timing/points/marks for Nationals:

- >**S**peed Skating, there is a minimum timing criteria as under.200mts rink timing in Seconds Minimum qualifying time for National **Q**uads: 5-7 (38), 7-9 (35), 9-11 (33), 11-14(30), 14 17 (28) & Above 17 (26) (Seconds).
- **I**nline: 5 to 7 (37), 7-9 (34) 9-11 (32) 11-14 (29), 14 -17 (27) & Above 17 (24) (Seconds).
- >Artistic Skating Skater must Perform All four basic edges one leg turns, two leg turns, recognized jumps and basic spins, also skaters should have proper attire.

>Roller & Inline Hockey, please send only deserving skaters in the team. Do not add below standard skaters to fill up the empty places in the team.

Skaters need to have basic skills of Roller & Inline Hockey & they must clear the Basic framework of the skills which include Forward & Backward Skating, Braking, Dodging, Shooting and Ball/puck control. Also both Roller & Inline Hockey skaters should have proper kit & safety equipment to participate.

>Inline Freestyle Skating: For Classic Slalom, skater must perform all four basic edges one leg turns and Perform a variety of slalom tricks that include sitting, spinning, wheeling and other tricks, etc.

For Speed Slalom event there is a minimum timing criteria as under for 20 cones Minimum qualifying time for National: 9-11 (7.0), 11-14 (6.5), 14-17 (6.0) & Above 17(5.5) (Seconds)

In case any player/team fails to clear the technical round conducted by technical committee, can be disqualified at any given point of time.

Protest Fee: Protest Fee of Rs.3000/- per protest, for Speed/Artistic/Inline Freestyle Skating/ Roller/Inline Hockey/Other Games, shall be enclosed along with every written protest made to the concerned Technical Committee Chief Referee. The protest must be made by the Team Manager/Lady Manager within 15 minutes before the start of the event or within 15 minutes after announcement of results. Without disturbing the schedule and depending on the availability of time and concerned records the Technical Committee/ RSFI shall decide the matter. In case the protest is upheld the fee will be returned.

<u>Force Maiure</u>: In case of any unforeseen circumstances if daily schedule is changed and or events remain incomplete, decision taken by the Federation's Technical Committee shall be final and binding on all the teams.

Reporting of Teams: The State/U.T teams shall inform the organizers well in advance regarding the arrival/departure details. The teams may plan their arrival and departure dates as per respective discipline schedule.

For Technical Assistance & Guidance:

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