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9th RANKING OPEN NATIONAL ROAD SPEED SKATING CHAMPIONSHIPS – 2025

19th To 23rd JUNE 2025 at Kolkata, West Bengal

Hosted by- Bengal Skating Association under the aegis Roller Skating Federation of India

Age Groups 6-8, 8-10, 10-12, 12-15, 15-18, Above 18 years (Boys / Men / Girls / Women)

All AGE GROUP – Teams have to report on 18th June 2025 before 1.00p.m.

The 9th Ranking Open National Road Speed Skating Championship 2025 is scheduled to be held from 19th to 23rd June 2025 hosted by Bengal Skating Association under the aegis of Roller Skating Federation of India.

Venue: Southern Ave, Dhakura, Rabindra Sarobar, Kolkata, West Bengal-700029

Road course – Tarmac/Bitumen

The Championship will be held as per RSFI rules and will be conducted by Technical Officials of RSFI. Technical Rules: As per practice, International Rules corresponding with Federation's RSFI 11 RR & latest adopted rules by RSFI will be followed.

ROLLER SKATING FEDERATION OF INDIA (INDIA SKATE)										
SPEED SKATING DISTANCES (in meters) –RACES and AGE GROUP for 9 th Ranking										
AGE GROUP	QUAD ROAD RACES				INLINE ROAD RACES					
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
	ROAD I	ROAD II	ROAD III	ROAD IV	ROAD V	ROAD VI	ROAD VII	ROAD VIII	POINTS	ELEM.
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06 to 08	100m*	1 Lap	500m	750m	100m	1 Lap	500m	750m	--	--
08 to 10	100m*	1 Lap	500m	1000m	100m	1 Lap	500m	1000m	--	--
10 to 12	100m*	1 Lap	500m	1000m	100m	1 Lap	500m	1000m	--	--
Sub Junior										
12 to 15	100m	1 Lap	1000m	1500m	100m	1 Lap	3000m	--	--	5000m
Junior										
15 to 18	100m	1 Lap	1000m	3000m	100m	1 Lap	--	--	10000m Points	15000m Ele
Seniors										
Above 18	100m	1 Lap	1000m	3000m	100m	1 Lap	--	--	10000m Points	15000m Ele

Note:
1. Any Number of Skaters can participate in each Age Group from each State/U.T. in both Boys and Girls/Men & Women. The Competition is open only to India Skate (RSFI) Registered Skaters.
2. Quad and Inline skaters of all groups Boys/Men & Girls/Women can take part in 3 out of 4 races
3. Inline skaters are not allowed to take part in Quads races similarly Quad skaters are not allowed to take part in Inline Races.
4. General Regulations and Updated World Skate/RSFI Speed Skating rules Shall be followed.
5. For other details please refer to General Rules for Speed Skating.
6. 100m* race for the age groups 6 to 8, 8 to 10 & 10 to 12 years Boys & Girls is a mass race (with not more than 6 skaters racing together).
7. 500m & 1000m races for all the age groups Boys/Men & Girls/Women are mass races with not more than 6 skaters racing together.

1. Entry: The 9th Ranking Open National Road Speed Skating Championships Entry to be done Online. Please go to the website www.indiaskate.com.

Please note, the online entries of teams/skaters will be accepted & approved only if the 2025-26 Annual Skaters Application number of the skaters is entered in the online Entry Form.

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 bodies/ Institutions shall register themselves ONLINE with RSFI for 2025-26.

Fill up entry carefully. After completing & uploading all the Entries online, take a printout of the entries. One hard copy of the entry form must be submitted to the Championship Committee office as part of the registration process. Registration will open on 23 05 2025 & Registration Close on 15 06 2025.

2. Entry Fees: ₹750/-

3. Age Eligibility: A Skater should be at least 6 Years of age as on 31st December 2025 to be eligible for participation in their respective age group. Participation in higher age group is not permitted.

4. Practice Availability: The road will be available for practice, free for all participants, **two days** prior to the championship. The Organisers to be contacted in advance.

5. Claim: as per RSFI rules, the Fee of Rs.5,000/- shall be enclosed along with the claim made to the

Chief Referee. The claim must be made by the Skater/Team Manager within 15 minutes before the start of the race or after the announcement of the result of the race. Depending on availability of time the Technical Committee/RSFI will decide the matter. In case the claim is upheld the fee will be returned. The decision of the Technical Committee shall be final & binding.

On appeal to the Jury, the verdict/decision of the Jury of Appeal, at any level, shall be final and binding on one and all.

6. Race: If there are fewer than three participants in any race, the event will not be conducted.

7. Liability: The Organising Committee, BSA, and RSFI shall not be responsible for any injuries or losses sustained by participants during the championship, whether on or off the skating/playing area. Participants are required to obtain adequate accident, medical, and life insurance coverage and must carry the necessary policies with them. They are to carry the necessary policies with themselves. Every team/skater must carry First Aid Kit.

8. General:

(i). Skaters/s / Officials who are under suspension or have disciplinary action pending against them, shall not be eligible to participate in/attend the Championships.

(ii). To uplift the standard of skating and face challenges of international competitions and to discourage substandard skaters, Judges and referees at the Championship may introduce Elimination round/ Qualifying Time for allowing participation in the Championship. Skaters found sub- standard will not be allowed participation.

(iii). The Team Managers/Skaters should be able to maintain a code of conduct during the Championship, as we have seen in past, inappropriate conduct towards judges, officials, Organizers and other participants Parents & coaches of the skaters. In case of unacceptable behaviour's, the concerned athlete will be liable of facing a penalty & disqualification.

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

(v) It has been decided by the competent authority that wherever a female athlete is part of the team or individual participant, a female support staff/ Companion to be part of the contingent/individual.

(vi) **Dope/Drug Test:** may be carried out at random on players to ensure that drug/ dope are not used by them to enhance performance. The players can be medically examined by the concerned agencies or any other agency advised by the government BSA/RSFI/WS/WSA at any point of time. The BSA/RSFI may ask for necessary medical certificate/s in this regard from any player at any point of time. 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. Expenses, if any in this regard are to be borne by the concerned Team/skater.

(vii) **Uniform/Equipment/Floor:** Skaters must wear the appropriate uniform and use proper equipment for speed events. Wearing helmet (headgear) is mandatory. Skaters are to bring wheels suitable for use on all kind of floors i.e. Road: Asphalt / Asphalt Coated, BMBC road surface.

9. Nearest Transportation Hubs:

- Kolkata International Airport , Railway Station – Howrah/ Shilda –

- **10. Lodging:** Teams/Skaters wishing to avail lodging, nearest to the venue may contact the Organisers for guidance.

11. Force Majure: 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.

IMPLIMENTATION OF NEW SELECTION POLICY: With the 2027 Asian Championship as our primary goal, the Federation is implementing a new selection policy to enhance and streamline the selection process for national and international competitions. All selections for the 2026 International Championship and onwards other major events will strictly follow this policy. Please refer to RSFI email Dt.30.01.2025 for more details.

Skaters eligible for participation in Speed Skating trials will be assessed based on the total **points** earned for participation in the respective races (which are similar to trial races) throughout the calendar year for Nationals/Championship/Games conducted by RSFI. Top four ranked skaters who have earned maximum **points** during the previous calendar year of the National/ Championships/ Games, only will be eligible to participate in the final selection trials for the race. A skater has to participate in a minimum of 3 championships conducted during the previous year by the RSFI.

We request you to circulate the above information to your District associations to ensure that skaters, coaches, and officials are well-informed. All selections for the 2026 International Championship and onwards other major events will strictly follow this policy.

In view of above, please note the 9th Ranking Open National Road Speed Skating Championship is the second Ranking Championship, and the **point** system are 1st Place: 8 Points, 2nd Place 7 Points, 3rd Place 6 Points, 4th Place 5 Points.

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