



2026 Bay State Games ISI Figure Skating Competition

Presented by

The Massachusetts Amateur Sports Foundation

February 14 & 15, 2026

Williams College Lansing-Chapman Skating Rink – Williamstown, MA

The 2026 Bay State Games Figure Skating competition will be held in accordance with the rules and regulations of ISI Figure Skating as set forth in the current rulebook.

The safety of all Bay State Games participants, coaches, officials, and volunteers is our number one priority. Health protocols may be implemented at the 2026 figure skating competition based on federal, state, and national governing body regulations in place at the time of the competition. Any specific requirements will be posted on the Bay State Games website and communicated to all participants prior to the competition.





DATE

Saturday, February 14 & Sunday, February 15, 2026

LOCATION

Williams College, Lansing Chapman Skating Rink 76 Latham St. Williamstown, MA 01267

ELIGIBILITY

An athlete must meet at least **ONE** of the following guidelines:

A full-time resident of Massachusetts by February 14, 2026

A full-time student at an academic institution in Massachusetts.

A registered member of a figure skating club in Massachusetts. The club must be the athlete's exclusive "contact" in the sport.

Any athlete that meets any of the above criteria will be classified in the competition as a participant from MASSACHUSETTS for the purpose of distribution of invitations for the State Games of America.

Any athlete that does not meet any of the above criteria can also participate in the Bay State Games if: They are a resident of Maine, New Hampshire, Rhode Island, or Vermont which do not have their own State Games organization or host a State Games Figure Skating competition. Any athlete that participates under eligibility rule four would be classified in the competition as a participant from their state of residence for the purpose of distribution of invitations for the State Games of America

ENDORSEMENT & ISI MEMBERSHIP VALIDATION

The endorsement number is **38502965**

All ISI skaters' current ISI memberships and test levels WILL BE CONFIRMED with the ISI national office and skaters cannot compete until their ISI membership is verified. The competition is governed by rules from the most recent ISI Handbook.

AGE RESTRICTIONS & REQUIREMENTS

All competitors must be a minimum of age **5 (Five)** by February 14, 2026 to be eligible.

TEST LEVELS

Competition level is the highest test passed as of the entry deadline in the discipline the skater is entering. Athletes can only compete in one level per event.

REGISTRATION

Registration for all ISI events will be through the Entryeeze platform by credit card only. For athletes also competing in USFS events, registration for those events is through the USFS EMS registration platform.

Registration opens: **Friday, December 5, 2025**

Registration closes: **when all ice time is filled OR no later than Friday, January 9, 2026 WHICHEVER COMES FIRST.**
Late entries will not be accepted.



UPDATING TEST LEVELS

Bay State Games can change the level of a registered participant until January 9, 2026. Bay State Games cannot add additional entrants once the competition is full. Athletes should register now at their current level. Once an athlete is registered, if they pass a test and move up a level, the athlete must contact the Bay State Games office at 781-932-6555 or via email at info@baystategames.org so we can update their registration and place them in the appropriate level. All levels will be determined as of January 9, 2026

FREESTYLE, OPEN FREESTYLE & ARTISTIC SOLO EVENTS

- All events are SINGLES ONLY. No pairs or team events.
- Elements and time requirements will follow the current ISI Rulebook
- Athletes can enter up to **three** events
 - Freestyle (Level 1-9 and Adult)
 - Artistic Solo (Level 1-9 and Adult. Traditional & Open levels will be combined))
 - Open Freestyle (Bronze, Silver, Gold, and Platinum)

ENTRY FEES FOR FREESTYLE, OPEN FREESTYLE & ARTISTIC SOLO EVENTS

\$140 for the first event if you register at www.baystategames.org on or before December 19, 2025

\$150 for the first event if you mail in your entry form or register on-line after December 19, 2025

\$85 for second event

\$75 for third event

All registrations will be charged a **\$6** processing fee

****** We will use the EMS system for US events and EntryEze for IS events. For athletes who wish to enter both IS and US, they must register on two separate platforms and pay the full IS and US prices listed.

OPEN FREESTYLE REQUIREMENTS

There are no required maneuvers for the Open Freestyle events, but all skaters and coaches should carefully check the maneuver limitations for the Bronze, Silver, Gold and Platinum levels. The program should be well balanced including jumps, spins, connecting moves, gliding maneuvers, etc.

Skaters who have passed the traditional ISI Freestyle Level 1-10 tests are not required to take any additional test to compete at the equivalent level of Open Freestyle events.

Skaters who have passed tests from other skating organizations are only required to take the equivalent level test to compete in that level. In some cases, skaters will have to also test to move up to a higher Open Freestyle level-based on their current program content.

Open Freestyle event judging criteria includes Correctness of Jumps, Correctness of Spins, Correctness of Turns & Edges, Variety of Moves, Music Interpretation, Posture, Choreography & Pattern, Presentation, Duration and General Overall (by all three judges).

If skater has passed IS Free Test	If skater has passed US Free Test	Must compete IS Open Free no lower than
Freestyle 1-3	Pre-Pre, Adult Pre-Bronze Adult Bronze	Open Free Bronze
Freestyle 4-5	Preliminary, Pre-Juvenile Adult Silver	Open Free Silver
Freestyle 6-7	Juvenile, Intermediate Adult Gold	Open Free Gold
Freestyle 8-10	Novice, Junior, Senior	Open Free Platinum



ISI SOLO COMPULSORY & PROGRAMS, PRE-ALPHA – DELTA EVENTS

- All events are SINGLES ONLY. No pairs or team events.
- Elements and time requirements will follow the current ISI Rulebook
- Athletes can enter up to two events
- Solo Compulsory and Solo Program events will be offered
- Levels will be offered for Pre-Alpha through Delta
- Skaters cannot participate in both Delta and FS1/Bronze level events. If a skater has passed the FS1 or Bronze test, they can no longer compete in any Delta levels.

ENTRY FEES FOR SOLO COMPULSORY & PROGRAMS, PRE-ALPHA - DELTA

\$80 for the first event if you register at www.baystategames.org on or before December 19, 2025

\$90 for the first event if you mail in your entry form or register on-line after December 19, 2025.

\$35 for the second event. \$25 for the third event.

SOLO COMPULSORY

The following are the chosen maneuvers for the Solo Compulsory event. Maneuvers may be performed in any order in a “mini-program” without music. Additional maneuvers such as jumps, spins or gliding maneuvers from a test level or any un-captured moves, are not allowed. Half ice will be used for all levels. Judging will stop after 1 minute.

Required elements for each level are as follows:

Pre-Alpha Right One Foot Glide / Forward Swizzles / Backward Swizzles

Alpha Forward Stroking / Left Over Right Forward Crossovers / 1-Foot Snowplow Stop

Beta Backward Stroking / Left T-Stop / Right T-Stop

Gamma RFO Three Turn / LFO Three Turn / Hockey Stop

Delta Lunge / RFI Three Turn / Bunny Hop

SOLO PROGRAM

Pre-Alpha – Delta

Skater performs a one-minute program routine to music that emphasizes the required test level Maneuvers from Pre-Alpha through Delta. Depending on each test level requirement per most current ISI Rulebook.

Skating skills must be performed. All skaters must pass the Pre-Alpha through Delta test to compete in this event. Skaters must include one maneuver from Freestyle 1 in their program.

REFUNDS

Entry fees will not be refunded after January 9, 2026 unless the event is cancelled. On-line processing fees are non-refundable at any time. There will be no refunds for medical withdrawals after January 9, 2026.

SCHEDULE

Competitors may be scheduled at any time during the announced dates of the competition. The competition and practice ice schedules will be available no earlier than 3 to 2 weeks prior to the competition. All participants will be notified by email when the schedule is posted on the Bay State Games Figure Skating website.



MUSIC UPLOADS

Music for ISI events will only be accepted using the EntryEeze music upload system **THE DEADLINE FOR MUSIC IS FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 6, 2026**. After the deadline, music will not be accepted. Skaters will not be able to turn in music on the day of the competition. Skaters that fail to turn in their music through EntryEeze by February 6, 2026 will NOT be able to compete and will forfeit their registration fees.

MUSIC REQUIREMENTS

Music must be in MP3 Format. Silence before the start of the actual music may not exceed 2 seconds. Competitors must bring a digital copy of their competition music as a backup in case there is an issue with their music. Additional information regarding music requirements will be sent to all registered participants after the registration deadline.

COACHES NAME & EMAIL ADDRESS ON APPLICATION

Athletes must list their coaches name and email address on their application. **YOU MUST LIST THE COACHES NAME AS HE OR SHE IS REGISTERED WITH ISI or USFSA.** Please check for maiden or married names and verify the correct name with your coach before submitting your application.

PRACTICE ICE

Practice ice will be available for separate purchase through the EntryEeze (ISI) registration systems. There will be three practice sessions on Saturday, February 14. at 6:30am, 6:50am and 7:10am. There will be two practice sessions on Sunday, February 15 at 6:30am and 6:50am. On Sunday, February 15 at 7:10am there will be an additional practice session reserved only for Snowplow Sam, Basic 1-6 and Freestyle 1-2 skaters. Skaters in these divisions cannot practice in any other session other than February 15 at 7:10am. There will not be any practice ice available on Friday evening due to a Williams College Women's Ice Hockey game.

Each session will be 20 minutes. The cost per skater, per session is \$25. Each session will be limited to 22 skaters. No music will be played at practice ice.

Skaters can purchase practice ice credits when they register for their events until the January 9 registration deadline. Skaters who pre-purchase practice ice credits will have a three-day window from January 27 - 29 until 12pm to select their specific times before remaining sessions go on sale to all other skaters on January 29 after 12pm. Practice Ice details will be included in the final packet.

Practice Ice Timeline

Pre-Purchase Begins: 12/5/2025 10:00 AM ET

Pre-Purchase Deadline: 1/9/2026 11:59 PM ET

Pre Purchased Selection Begins: 1/27/2026 10:00 AM ET

Pre Purchased Selection Ends: 1/29/2026 11:59 AM ET

Open Sales Begin: 1/29/2026 12:00 PM ET

Open Sales Deadline: 02/12/2026 05:00 PM ET



PHOTO, VIDEO, LIVE STREAM

[Cinematic Images](#) will be the official photo & video provider for this year's event. There are options to purchase photo, video, or BOTH.

SAVE \$40.00 by pre-ordering your photos and video by 5pm on 2/12/26

*Must Order by 5pm Thursday 2/12/26 to receive this offer.

Photos & Video* 1 Event = \$100 + tax \$106.35

Photo & Video* 2 Events = \$200 + tax \$212.70

Photos OR Video* 1 Event = \$59 + tax \$62.75

Photos OR Video* 2 events = \$118 + tax \$125.49

[To PRE-ORDER click here](#)

Order after 5pm 2/12/26

Photos only \$69.00 (plus tax one event \$73.38

Video* only \$69.00 (plus tax) one event \$73.38

Photos & Video* \$138.00 one event \$146.76

Photos & Video* \$276 two events \$293.53

Family members/coaches can take videos of their own skater. Photographing and/or recording of any participant other than their own skater is prohibited.

COMPETITION CHECK IN

Registration will be open one hour before the first event of the day and will remain open until 30 minutes prior to the last scheduled event. Competitors are asked to arrive at the competition venue 45 minutes before their scheduled event.

OFFICIAL NOTICES

Updated information on the competition, schedule change and additional details will be posted on the Bay State Games figure skating website and social media channels.

IMPORTANT NOTICE FOR COACHES

Coaches must meet the ISI compliance requirements in order to be issued a coaching credential which will allow them access to the athlete area where they can put their skaters on the ice for competition. ISI will conduct an audit of all coaches prior to the competition that will verify the compliance of each coach. Each participant will be allowed ONE coach.

LOCKER ROOMS

Locker rooms and changing areas are available for use by athletes only. An exception can be made for athletes 11 years old and younger that will allow for one parent of the same sex to assist their child immediately prior to and after their skating event(s). Please review the Locker Room and Changing Area Policy and the SafeSport Handbook.



AWARDS

Gold, Silver and Bronze medals will be awarded to the top three athletes in each division and event/flight, regardless of the state in which the athlete resides. Any athlete that wins a gold, silver or bronze medal will receive a Bay State Games award gift. Athletes that win more than one medal will receive only one gift.

2026 STATE GAMES OF AMERICA – STATE COLLEGE, PA (Penn State University)

Athletes who win a gold, silver or bronze medal in each division/event/flight will receive an invitation to compete in 2026 State Games of America to be held in State College, Pennsylvania at Penn State University on July 28-August 2, 2026. Athletes will receive an information card on the 2026 SGA when they qualify. For athletes that have already qualified at a previous Bay State Games figure skating event, registration is now open at StateGames.org

ATHLETE PIZZA PARTY

All registered athletes will receive complimentary admission to an athlete pizza party on Saturday, February 14. Pizza, drinks and cookies will be included for all competitors. The party will also include the skating club banner contest, a raffle and other surprises.

FIGURE SKATING SHOW

The Bay State Skate Figure Skating Show will be held Saturday evening, February 14 at 7:30pm. All registered athletes will receive complimentary admission to the skating show with their athlete credential. Gold medal winning skaters in select divisions from the US and IS competition will be invited to skate in the show. Additional details on the show will be included in the finalist packet.

BANNER CONTEST

With the 2026 Bay State Winter Games taking place during the 2026 Winter Olympics in Italy, the theme for this year's banner contest will be "[Celebrating the Winter Olympics](#)".

Each skating club is encouraged to bring a banner to the competition. Banners will be on display throughout the duration of Saturday's competition and will be judged during the evening. The clubs with the top-three banners will receive awards during the Skating Show. All banners must be limited to no more than 3 ft. high by 10 ft. wide.

CONTACT INFORMATION

For questions, please contact the Bay State Games at info@baystategames.org or call 781-932-6555. Additional details can be found at www.baystategames.org.