

# ART NEWS FLASH 19 JUNE 2019

## New Trophy and Important Dates

It's that busy time of year again! Included in this News Flash is information about important meetings and events at NZ Champs and closing dates for nominations and reports. Please make sure that all of these dates are in your calendar so that you don't miss out on anything.

All Clubs should have received a copy of the Order of Events for NZ Champs from Leanne at SkateNZ. I have also sent a copy with this news flash. Once the full programme is available it will be circulated by SkateNZ and will be available on their website and on the artistic website.

### **Announcing the DC Sportsmanship Trophy**

The true meaning of sportsmanship is behaving ethically towards others, being fair and reasonable to opponents and humble when competing. This new award is to celebrate a skater who has shown these qualities in the sport of artistic roller skating. The emphasis is not placed on the skaters personal skating ability but instead the sportsmanship shown towards their own skating, other skaters and officials.

Nomination Forms are attached to this newsflash and must be completed by coaches, officials or other skaters (non-relatives). They should include a brief description on how the skater has demonstrated these qualities over the past year. Nominations should be sent to the Artistic Committee Secretary at: [artistic.secretary@gmail.com](mailto:artistic.secretary@gmail.com) by 5pm on Wednesday the 10<sup>th</sup> of July.

The award will be presented at the closing ceremony of the New Zealand Artistic Skating Championships.

### **Content Sheets and Style Dance Certificates**

A reminder that RollArt Content Sheets for ALL skaters in RollArt Freeskating and Freedance grades at NZ Champs need to be completed on the correct forms and sent to the Artistic Committee Secretary at: [artistic.secretary@gmail.com](mailto:artistic.secretary@gmail.com) by 5pm on Monday the 1<sup>st</sup> of July.

The forms can be found on the artistic website at:  
<http://www.nzartisticrollersports.co.nz/resources/> under "RollArt Forms".

### **Joe Bright Memorial Trophy, Committee Nominations and Club Delegates**

Nominations for the Joe Bright Memorial Trophy, Nominations for the election of one (1) Artistic Committee Member and notification of each Club's Delegate for the artistic AGM all need to be sent to the Artistic Committee Secretary by 5pm on Friday 5<sup>th</sup> of July in preparation for the Artistic Committee AGM. These nomination forms were sent with the last News Flash.

Club reports can be sent to the Artistic Committee Secretary via email at any time before the Artistic Committee AGM, but the sooner the better!

### **NZ Champs Meetings**

Please ensure that you make note of the following meetings and seminars that will take place at the TSB Stadium during NZ Champs:

- TEAM MANAGERS MEETING – Monday 15<sup>th</sup> July, 4.30pm
- NZ ARTISTIC COMMITTEE AGM – Monday 15<sup>th</sup> July, 6pm
- ROLLART OFFICIALS GET-TOGETHER (Briefings and training) – During training time, Monday 15<sup>th</sup> July
- MEDAL TEST PRESENTATION – Friday 19<sup>th</sup> July, 5.00pm

Please circulate this News Flash to all your club members.

Yours In Skating,

**Janine Price**

**NZFRS Artistic Roller Sports Committee Secretary**