

OFFICIALS BRIEFINGS



2019 NZ ROLLER SPORTS ARTISTIC CHAMPIONSHIPS OFFICIALS BRIEFS & PRACTICES

The NZFRS Artistic Committee and RollArt NZ Steering Sub Committee are pleased to offer officials the following RollArt Officials Briefs, Technical Panel Practices and Mock Judging Panels at the 2019 Championships, 15 - 20 July 2019 at the TSB in New Plymouth.

We are fortunate to have Pam Peters, Karen Aronis, Jim Beard, Raewyn Hailes, Leigh Hudson, Di Gunson and Tony Alexander share their expertise to facilitate these valuable sessions. Please forward this information onto anyone that you know that is an official to ensure that all existing officials and training officials don't miss out on the opportunity to attend.

To assist in planning these sessions, please confirm your attendance for as many of the following options that apply to you by email, to rollartnz@gmail.com, no later than Sunday 14 July 2019. If there are insufficient numbers; the steering committee may either combine or cancel sessions.

JUDGES BRIEFING - MONDAY 15 JULY 2019 - 12.00 PM TO 2.00 PM

This is a closed session intended for all judges officiating at Nationals in RollArt events. Also welcome are trainee judges and commissioned judges not officiating but wishing to do some mock judging.

This brief will cover the following:

- The process to follow and how the average works
- Components assessment
- QOE's
- Q&A
- Tech Panel practices format and purpose

ANNOUNCERS AND MARSHALLS - MONDAY 15 JULY 2019 - 2.00 PM TO 2.30 PM

This is a closed session for all Announcers and Marshalls that are assisting at Nationals in RollArt events.

Also welcome are trainee Announcers and Marshalls not officiating but wishing to do some training.

This brief will cover the following:

- How events will flow
- Terminology for the various sections of events
- Warm ups
- Marshalls important role
- Handling difficult announcement calls

TECHNICAL PANEL BRIEFING - MONDAY 15 JULY 2019 - 2.30 PM TO 3.30 PM

This is a closed session for all technical specialists, controllers and assistants/scribes at Nationals officiating in RollArt events.

Also welcome are trainee specialists, judges interested in tech panel roles and those willing to train as scribes who are not officiating but wish to do some training.

This brief will cover the following:

- Footwork
- Reminders on operation of system; printing out results, draws
- Who is responsible for what
- How to fix specific problems
- What to do if the referee wants to change the order of skaters
- Key points for dance
- Q&A
- Tech Panel practices format and purpose

DATA ENTRY OPERATORS (EITHER INCLUDED ABOVE OR SEP.) 3.30 PM TO 4.30 PM

This is a closed session for all data entry operators officiating at Nationals in RollArt events. Also welcome are trainee data entry operators and those willing to train as data entry operators for future skating events.

This brief will cover the following:

- Reminders on the operation of the system; setting up events, printing out results, draws

- Who is responsible for what
- How to fix specific problems
- What to do if the referee wants to change the order of skaters
- Q&A
- Tech Panel practices format and purpose

PRACTICES - TECH PANEL TRAINING - TUES 16 JULY 9.30 AM TO 11.30 AM

PRACTICES - TECH PANEL TRAINING REPEATS - WED 17 JULY 9.30 AM TO 11.30 AM

PRACTICES - TECH PANEL TRAINING REPEATS - THURS 18 JULY 8.00 AM TO 9.20 AM

ABOVE PANELS REPEATED IF NECESSARY FRI 19 , SAT 20 JULY 8.15 AM TO 9.30 AM

These are practice sessions for all technical specialists, controllers and assistants/scribes on panels for Tuesday and Wednesday and then repeat sessions allocated if necessary for Thursday through to Saturday.

The majority of the skating will be without music and officials will be really busy, so it is not practical to expect full panels to be at every practice, but it is critical that all panel members attend these sessions at a minimum and as many additional practices as they can manage throughout the week.

The practice format will cover the following:

- Work together to watch skaters' perform elements and practice calling them
- Pick an individual skater' call every element for 2 mins and then pick another skater
- Discuss as required
- Break before competition starts

MOCK OFFICIALS PANELS

This opportunity is intended for all interested and registered trainee judges, data entry operators and trainee technical specialists, controllers and assistants/scribes that are interested in practicing mock officiating on the live skating without the pressure of the actual event.

A mock panel will be set up to one side of the venue away from the general public to provide small groups the chance to do some practice, increase familiarity and get up to speed. The mock panel will be provided with:

- A copy of the competition data file
- RollArt resources
- RollArt Expert supervisory support at selected events (details to follow)