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**ARTISTIC WORLD CUP FINALS
2026**

CESENA, ITALIA

1-7 JUNE 2026

Tots - Minis - Espoir - Cadet - Youth - Junior - Senior

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ARTISTIC WORLD CUP 2026

Dear National Federation,

We are glad to announce the upcoming event: Artistic World Cup 2026.
The final stage will take place in Cesena, Italy.

LOCATION

The event will take place at **Pala BCC Romagnolo** (ex Carisport)
Click [HERE](#) for the exact position.

Via G. Ambrosini, 99, 47522 Cesena FC

PROVISIONAL SCHEDULE

By clicking on the following [link](#) you can find the provisional schedule of the event.
Please note that it may be subject to change once the registration has closed.

OPEN COMPETITION – LAST FINALIST CHOICE

Prior to the final, in the same venue, a 'Last Chance' event will take place, offering skaters one final opportunity to qualify for the final.

In this event, skaters will perform only the long program or free dance, and the winner will earn a spot in the final.

All skaters can participate except those already selected for the final.

Registration Fee is the same as for the other Series events and the Final.

The skater winning "The Last Chance" will not pay a registration fee to participate in the final.

CATEGORIES

Free Skating, Couple Dance, Solo Dance, Pairs.

- Tots (Men/Ladies)
- Mini (Men/Ladies)
- Espoir (Men/Ladies)
- Cadet (Men/Ladies).
- Youth (Men/Ladies)
- Junior (Men/Ladies)
- Senior (Men/Ladies)

REGISTRATION DATES & MODALITY

LAST CHANCE

1. The Last Chance event will be open to all skaters/couples in the categories of Cadet, Youth, Junior and Senior.
2. Coaches who will participate only in the Last Chance and not in the Final must always be registered through the LOC.
3. Whenever possible, an equal number of skaters from each country will be permitted.
4. Skaters will compete only with Long Program or Free Dance.
5. The winner will be able to advance to the final if they meet all the necessary requirements.
6. This competition will not give ranking points to the skaters.
7. The information about the registration process and the registration dates for the Last Chance Event will be published in the next Bulletin.
In the meantime, for any further information, you may contact the LOC at the following email address: registration@awcfinal.org

The skating order for Junior and Senior skaters will be in reverse order of their placement in the World Skate Ranking as of the competition date.

Should an athlete win the Last Chance competition, a complete Infinity profile including a valid passport, a current anti-doping certificate and a passport-style profile picture is required to advance to the final.

If the required documentation is not provided by the end of the competition, the athlete will not be permitted to participate in the final and the second-place finisher will take their place.

FINAL - PREQUALIFIED ATHLETES

Skaters who have participated in previous stages of the International Series and qualified for the final will be registered by World Skate in the Infinity platform.

Athletes will be registered using the competition files submitted for the last World Cup event in which they participated.

To update or change these documents, the federation have to follow this short guide:

1. Login the Infinity platform
2. Click on “Events” and select “Artistic World Cup Finals 2026”
3. Click on “Artistic” and “Register Athletes”

4. Find the athlete between the categories and click on the “Pencil” that is the button to modify all the documents, once is done, click on “Save”
5. Please note that you can change the document until May 22nd.

Each National Federation must confirm (or decline) the participation of its Pre-qualified Athletes (“Pre-seeded” athletes in the system) within the World Skate Infinity Platform (browser version only) by the registration deadline.

They can do that from the same page used to register athletes to the event by clicking on “confirm” or “decline” below the name of each athlete.

The national federation has to register the National Team Officials (official coaches and extra officials) after confirming the participation of the pre-qualified athletes. The deadline for the registration is **May 22nd, 2026**.

WILD CARDS

If a Continent (Europe, Africa, America, Asia, Oceania) does not have at least one representative in the top eight (8) places for any Cadet, Youth, Junior or Senior event, a Wildcard entry to the final will be granted to one top ranked skater in that event. Wildcards will be offered by World Skate ATC in consultation with the continent involved.

Once the Wild card has been approved by the Artistic Skating Technical Commission, the relevant National Federation will receive an e-mail by platform@worldskate.org with further information about the competition files to be provided. The registration will then be processed by World Skate. Once the registration will be completed, the payment option will be made available on the platform.

Tots, Minis and Espoir

For the Tots, Mini, and Espoir categories, all information regarding the registration process and the relevant registration deadlines will be published in the next Bulletin.

In the meantime, for any further information, you may contact the LOC at the following email address: registration@awcfinal.org

SHOW AND PRECISION

During the week competitions of Precision Junior and Senior, Quartet Junior and Senior, Small and Large Show and Junior Group will take place.

The registration process will be carried out through the World Skate Infinity platform.

Max 1 coaches per team.

This competition will not give ranking points to the skaters.

World Skate Infinity is available both on [desktop](#) (browser) and App Version on [Play Store \(Android\)](#) and [App Store \(iOS\)](#).

All single users (Athletes, National Team Members) must individually sign up on the platform—either through the app or desktop—and create a personal profile (if not already done). The profile must include all required personal information and the upload of the following mandatory documents:

- Copy of a valid passport
- A recent headshot/profile picture (passport-style with white background)
- Anti-Doping Training Course Certificate

Once the profile has been successfully created, they become eligible to be registered for the event by their respective National Federation.

Registration dates (Show and Precision only):

April 27th - May 22nd, 2026

If you require any additional information or assistance about Infinity or the registration process, please reach out to us at platform@worldskate.org.

Application for Neutral Athletes:

Russian and Belarusian athletes and their support personnel (when applicable) can participate only with a "Neutral status" following the "[Eligibility Criteria for the participation of Russian and Belarusian Athletes](#)".

Application for Neutral Athletes deadline: **May 12th , 2026.**

Entry fee:

- **95.00 USD** per athlete, per discipline
- **50,00 USD** per skater per discipline - Show and Precision

- **60.00 USD** per Official Coach
- **100.00 USD** Extra official

Registration fees must be paid through Infinity, and can be completed via credit/debit card or bank transfer.

Please note: if paying by bank transfer, you must upload the proof of payment in Infinity. Without this, the payment cannot be confirmed.

Entry Fee payment deadline: **May 27th 2026**.

THE FINAL

Up to 8 ladies and 8 men from the Cadet, Youth, Junior, and Senior categories (excluding Wild Cards and Last Chance Finalists) will qualify for the final.

The highest-ranked skater from each nation based on their highest overall score from the qualifying rounds, will be selected first. If spots remain after this initial selection, the next highest-ranked skaters from each nation will be considered, starting with the highest-ranked skater overall, until all 8 spots are filled.

If a continent has no representation in the final, a Wild Card will be awarded to the highest-ranked skater from that continent.

AWARDS

Senior Podiums will be awarded with Prize Money from World Skate:

1st	3000 USD
2nd	2000 USD
3rd	1000 USD

TRAININGS

All the information about the un-official training will be published in the next bulletin.

ANTI-DOPING

The doping controls, the sample collection processes and the laboratory analysis will be conducted in accordance with the World Skate Anti-doping Rules, the WADA Code, the International Standards for Testing and Investigation (ISTI), incorporating the requirements of the Technical Document for Sport Specific Analysis (TDSSA), and following the instruction of the World Skate Anti-doping Manager/Delegate. During the sign-up procedure to the Sports Registration System (World Skate Infinity, please see above), all athletes and staff members must upload

a valid Anti-Doping Training Course Certificate. Those issued by WADA (through the Adel platform), ITA (International Testing Agency), National Anti-Doping Agencies and/or World Skate during 2024, 2025 and 2026 are accepted. Should you need a new Anti-Doping Training Course Certificate, please visit the WADA ADEL platform and complete the relevant Course, according to your role. We remind you that the WADA ADEL platform is not run by World Skate; therefore, should you have any issue in this regard, you will need to contact WADA's support directly.

ACCOMMODATION

The list of the official hotels will be published in the next bulletin. In the meantime, for any further information, you may contact the following email address:

hospitality@awcfinal.org

VISA REQUIREMENTS

Athletes who require a letter of invitation for Visa purposes can write to:
info@awcfinal.org

Please note that invitation letters will be issued only after completing the registration process on the World Infinity Platform. No exceptions will be made.

For any other information, please contact sportsdepartment@worldskate.org

Looking forward to seeing you all in Italy!



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