



WELCOME TO PERTH

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WESTERN AUSTRALIA FIGURE SKATING CLUB

SWAN TROPHY 2024

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About Perth:

- Western Australia, Australia's largest state is 2,525,500 sq km, about the same size as Western Europe.
- The population is around 2 million.
- Perth enjoys a true Mediterranean climate with long hot summers, December - February and mild cool winters, June - August.
- Perth has incredibly blue skies and more hours of sunshine than any other Australian capital city - around 8 hours a day.
- Be sun smart - the Western Australian sun is very strong. To avoid sunburn, wear a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen, especially between 10am and 3pm.

Getting Around:

- Perth Airport is 20 km east of the city. Taxi's are available from both the domestic and international terminals and it is a 20-30 minute journey.
- Perth and Fremantle are serviced by an efficient public transport system as well as a free shuttle bus, the Central Area Transit - CAT. Fremantle is 20 km from Perth city or 20 minutes by car.
- Perth's beaches are some of the best in Australia and are just 15-20 minutes by car from the city.

Points of Interest:

- Kings Park
- Rottnest Island
- Fremantle Prison and History Tours
- Cottesloe Beach
- Swan Valley Wine Region
- Perth Zoo
- Perth Bell Tower and Elizabeth Quay Foreshores



Venue

Cockburn Ice Arena - 401 Progress Drive, Bibra Lake WA 6163

The original rink was completed in 1995 to foster the sports of ice skating, with a key focus on athlete development. Since the move to Progress Drive in October 2015 we have expanded to 2 x ice surfaces, which has allowed us to increase the ice time dedicated to the sports we support those being Figure Skating, Synchronized Skating Ice Hockey, and Curling.

With the expansion we also added party rooms, a larger Proshop, a dance studio upstairs, and a licensed restaurant Cabin 401 Bar and Grill which is located adjacent to the Sports Arena, Rink 2. By supporting the rink, you are indirectly supporting the athletes who make Cockburn Ice their home rink.

Transport

Cockburn Ice Arena is located approximately 29km (30 - 35 mins drive) away from Perth Airport, 13km (20 mins drive) away from Fremantle, and 20km (20 mins drive) from Perth City.

Transport options include, car hire, ride share services such as Uber and Taxi services. A public bus service is available from the airport to the city.

From the airport, the new train line has commence operation. For more information visit the Transport website: <https://www.transperth.wa.gov.au/JourneyPlanner/Airport-Line>

Hotel

The LOC will not be organising any hotel booking for skaters, coaches and chaperones. We have listed some hotels and apartments close to the venue:

Courtyard by Marriott - Murdoch ★★★★★

12 Fiona Wood Rd, Murdoch WA 6150

Tel: +61 8 6170 2400

<https://www.marriott.com/en-us/hotels/permc-courtyard-perth-murdoch/overview/>

Quest Fremantle ★★★★★

8 Pakenham Street, Fremantle WA 6160 Australia

Tel: +61 8 9433 9400

<http://www.questapartments.com.au/properties/wa/fremantle/quest-fremantle/overview>

Gallery Hotel (Bibra Lake) ★★★

10 Port Kembla Dr, Bibra Lake WA 6163
Tel: (08) 9494 2002
<http://www.galleryhotel.com.au>

Hougoumont Hotel Fremantle ★★★★★

15 Bannister St, Fremantle WA 6160
Tel: (08) 6160 6800
<http://www.hougoumonthotel.com>

Esplanade Hotel Fremantle ★★★★★

46-54 Marine Terrace &, Essex St, Fremantle WA 6160
Tel: (08) 9432 4000
<https://www.rydges.com/accommodation/perth-wa/esplanade-hotel-fremantle-by-rydges/>

