

# SCVFS • Path to 440

ISI Worlds Team Championship 2026 • Pittsburgh, PA • July 28th- Aug 1st • 18 Skaters (17 in solos)

**Test & Entry Deadline: Tuesday, May 19** • **Bar to Beat: 436** (2025 Presidents Award champion)

*This is a planning roadmap, not a directive. Every skater should consult their coach to build the program slate they want and feel ready to perform.*

## THE STORY THE NUMBERS TELL

In 2024 we scored 442.5 and won the Presidents Award. In 2025 we entered nearly the same volume (96 vs. 95 events) but scored 377 — finishing 3rd, 59 points behind the 436-point champion. The 2026 plan reverses the gap through four conservative levers, accommodating a smaller solo pool (17 skaters) and no Ensembles or Kaleidoskate this year:

- **Restore solo/couple quality:** Per-event average fell from 4.02 (2024) to 3.33 (2025); restoring 3.95 across 44 traditional entries delivers ~174 pts.
- **Lean on a high-value team slate:** Medium + Small + ★ Themed Productions (NEW) + 2 Team Compulsories — 5 entries each capped at 30 pts, targeted modestly at 25 = 125 pts.
- **Layer in low-burden solo programs:** All 17 solo skaters can do a Compulsory Solo (no music, 3 published elements) = 59.5 pts. ≥15 of those skaters also do an Interpretive Solo = 52.5 pts. Combined: 112 pts from 32 entries — drops the average traditional load.
- **No Kaleidoskate, no Ensembles in 2026:** Group size and choreography aren't ready for either; the 4 high-value team entries plus solo programs more than offset the prior contributions.

## THREE-YEAR ARCHIVE & 2026 PLAN

Event Category	2023	2024 ★	2025	2026 Plan
Production (Medium + Small)	1 evt / 30 pts	2 evts / 55 pts	1 evt / 25 pts	2 / 50 pts
★ Themed Production NEW	—	—	—	1 / 25 pts
Team Compulsories ◆ NEW	—	—	—	2 / 50 pts
Family Numbers	1 / 4	3 / 17	3 / 14	3 / 15 pts
Team Surprise	4 / 14	4 / 18	3 / 14.5	4 / 16 pts
Kaleidoskate	0 / 0	0 / 0	1 / 30 pts	Not entered
Ensembles	3 / 8	4 / 23	2 / 7	Not entered
<b>Team Subtotal</b>	<b>9 / 56</b>	<b>13 / 113</b>	<b>10 / 90.5</b>	<b>12 / 156</b>
Solo / Couple Events (traditional)	? / 280.5	82 / 329.5	86 / 286.5	44 / ~174 pts
Compulsory Solos ◆ NEW LINE	(not tracked)	(not tracked)	(not tracked)	17 / 59.5 pts
Interpretive Solos ◆ NEW LINE	(not tracked)	(not tracked)	(not tracked)	15 / 52.5 pts
Avg pts / Traditional Solo Event	—	4.02	3.33	3.95 (target)
<b>RINK TOTAL</b>	<b>336.5</b>	<b>442.5</b>	<b>377</b>	<b>~442 (goal: 440)</b>

## PER-SKATER MATH (17 SOLO SKATERS / 18 TEAM ROSTER)

Calculation	Volume	Avg Points	Subtotal
Traditional Solo/Couple — 10 by 2 skaters (planned)	10 events	3.95 pts	39.5 pts
Traditional Solo/Couple — 34 to fill by 15 skaters	34 events	3.95 pts	~134 pts
Compulsory Solos (17 skaters × 1 each)	17 events	3.50 pts	59.5 pts
Interpretive Solos (≥15 skaters × 1 each)	15 events	3.50 pts	52.5 pts
3 Productions + 2 Team Compulsories @ 25 ea.	5 events	25.0 pts	125 pts
3 Family Numbers + 4 Team Surprise	7 events	~4.4 pts	31 pts
<b>PROJECTED RINK TOTAL</b>	<b>88 events</b>	<b>—</b>	<b>~442 pts</b>

## FOCUS AREAS BEFORE THE 5/19 DEADLINE

- **Lock the 12 team entries:** 1 Medium Production, 1 Small Production, ★ 1 Themed Production (NEW), 2 Team Compulsories, 3 Family Numbers, 4 Team Surprise — every skater (all 18) cast in ≥3 team events.
- **Schedule the 32 low-burden solo entries:** All 17 skaters can do a Compulsory Solo + recruit ≥15 for an Interpretive Solo. Combined 112 pts at 3.5 avg each. No music or choreography needed — these are locked-in points if executed.
- **Fill 34 more traditional entries from 15 skaters** = ~2.3 work-units each. Solo = 1, duet = ½ (2 share). So 2.3 ≈ 2 solos / 1 solo + 2 duets / 4 duets. 1st = 6 pts. Confirm test levels 5/19.