



Celebrating Our 12<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Online

# australian SKATES

PURE SKATING DOWN UNDER

With Winter Olympian  
**Cheltzie Lee**

4 - Time World Team Members  
**O'Brien & Merriman**

2012 Champions

# Calendar

Featuring Australian Stars Present & Past

SPRING  
2011

3 - Time World Team Member  
**Mark Webster**

and many more

To mark our 12th anniversary online, **aussieSKATES** celebrates with the 2012 Champions Calendar, featuring Australian stars past & present.

Thanks to stunning photography by Susan D. Russell (courtesy of International Figure Skating

magazine) Jay Adeff Photography, and Robin Ritoss, each month showcases junior and senior members from Team Australia, all of whom have represented the sport on both the international and championship circuits.

Please enjoy each athlete's or team's fun facts biography listed below, courtesy of the International Skating Union.

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**Cheltzie Lee**

|                            |                                                 |
|----------------------------|-------------------------------------------------|
| Date of birth:             | April 21 <sup>st</sup> , 1993                   |
| Home town:                 | St. Andrews, NSW                                |
| Profession:                | Student                                         |
| Hobbies:                   | surfing, reading, running                       |
| Coaches:                   | Kylie Fennell, Gloria Pracey, Melina Sinjanovic |
| Started Skating:           | 1999                                            |
| Club:                      | Sydney FSC                                      |
| Choreographers:            | Robin Cousins                                   |
| Personal Best Total Score: | 2010 Olympic Games Short Program                |
| 138.16                     | 2010 Olympic Games Free Skate                   |
| 52.16                      | 2010 Olympic Games Free Skate                   |
| 86.42                      | 2010 Worlds                                     |



**Robert McNamara**

|                  |                                    |
|------------------|------------------------------------|
| Date of birth:   | August 18 <sup>th</sup> , 1987     |
| Home town:       | Willow Vale, QLD                   |
| Profession:      | Student                            |
| Hobbies:         | music                              |
| Coaches:         | Ekaterina Borodatova               |
| Started Skating: | 1993                               |
| Club:            | Iceworld FSC                       |
| Choreographers:  | Ekaterina Borodatova               |
| 116.47           | 2009 Four Continents Short Program |
| 41.59            | 2009 Four Continents Free Skate    |
| 74.88            | 2009 Four Continents               |



**Brooklee Han**

|                  |                                            |
|------------------|--------------------------------------------|
| Date of birth:   | July 6 <sup>th</sup> , 1995                |
| Home town:       | Redding, USA                               |
| Profession:      | Student                                    |
| Hobbies:         | horseback riding, violin, reading          |
| Coaches:         | Serhii Vaypan                              |
| Started Skating: | 2000                                       |
| Club:            | Icehouse ISC                               |
| Choreographers:  | Serhii Vaypan                              |
| 107.20           | 2010 JGP John Curry Memorial Short Program |
| 40.42            | 2010 JGP John Curry Memorial Free Skate    |
| 68.70            | 2011 Junior Worlds                         |



**Sean Carlow**

|                  |                                    |
|------------------|------------------------------------|
| Date of birth:   | March 13 <sup>th</sup> , 1985      |
| Home town:       | Sydney, NSW                        |
| Profession:      | Full - time skater, Coach          |
| Hobbies:         | music, skiing, family              |
| Coaches:         | Liz Cain, Brian Orser              |
| Started Skating: | 1987                               |
| Club:            | Macquarie ISC                      |
| Choreographers:  | Liz Cain, David Wilson             |
| 136.68           | 2006 Four Continents Short Program |
| 49.73            | 2007 Worlds Free Skate             |
| 87.98            | 2006 Four Continents               |



**Maria & Evgeni Borounov**

|                           |                                                            |
|---------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------|
| Dates of birth:           | May 14 <sup>th</sup> , 1982 / June 10 <sup>th</sup> , 1979 |
| Home town:                | Perth, WA                                                  |
| Professions:              | Athletes, Coaches                                          |
| Hobbies:                  | reading, pets / music, computers                           |
| Coaches / Choreographers: | Maria and Evgeni Borounov                                  |
| Started Skating:          | 1993 / 1984                                                |
| Club:                     | Cockburn Ice Arena                                         |
| 72.23                     | 2011 Four Continents Short Dance                           |
| 28.52                     | 2011 Four Continents Free Dance                            |
| 43.71                     | 2011 Four Continents                                       |



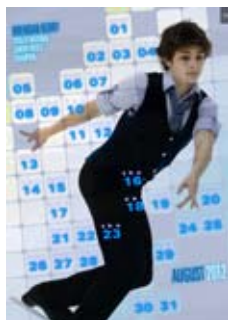
**Phoebe Di Tommaso**

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| Date of birth:   | July 26 <sup>th</sup> , 1990         |
| Home town:       | Brisbane, QLD                        |
| Profession:      | Receptionist                         |
| Hobbies:         | cooking, running, reading            |
| Coaches:         | Andrei & Galina Pachin               |
| Started Skating: | 1995                                 |
| Club:            | Sydney FSC                           |
| Choreographers:  | David Wilson, Andrei & Galina Pachin |
| 92.92            | 2007 Four Continents Short Program   |
| 35.13            | 2008 JGP Skate Safari Free Skate     |
| 58.87            | 2007 Four Continents                 |



**Jessica Kurawski**

|                            |                                    |
|----------------------------|------------------------------------|
| Date of birth:             | August 7 <sup>th</sup> , 1990      |
| Home town:                 | Liverpool, NSW                     |
| Profession:                | Student                            |
| Hobbies:                   | skating, the beach, snorkelling    |
| Coaches:                   | George Galanis, Andrei Pachin      |
| Started Skating:           | 1999                               |
| Club:                      | Liverpool FSC                      |
| Choreographers:            |                                    |
| Personal Best Total Score: | 2008 JGP Golden Lynx Short Program |
| 86.19                      | 2008 JGP Golden Lynx Free Skate    |
| 33.69                      | 2008 JGP Golden Lynx Free Skate    |
| 52.50                      | 2008 JGP Golden Lynx               |



**Brendan Kerry**

|                  |                                                             |
|------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------|
| Date of birth:   | November 18 <sup>th</sup> , 1994                            |
| Home town:       | Sydney, NSW                                                 |
| Profession:      | Student                                                     |
| Hobbies:         |                                                             |
| Coaches:         | Monica MacDonald, Ken Congemi, Kylie Fennell, Galina Pachin |
| Started Skating: | 2004                                                        |
| Club:            | Macquarie SC                                                |
| Choreographers:  | Monica MacDonald                                            |
| 125.64           | 2011 Four Continents Short Program                          |
| 45.45            | 2011 Four Continents Free Skate                             |
| 80.19            | 2011 Four Continents                                        |



**Nicholas Fernandez**

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|------------------|------------------------------------|
| Date of birth:   | May 8 <sup>th</sup> , 1990         |
| Home town:       | Sydney, NSW                        |
| Profession:      | Self employed                      |
| Hobbies:         | gym, computers, dance              |
| Coaches:         | Sharryn Hollins                    |
| Started Skating: | 1998                               |
| Club:            | PVSCF Sydney                       |
| Choreographers:  | Slav Boboshyn                      |
| 107.52           | 2008 Four Continents Short Program |
| 18.18            | 2006 Four Continents Free Skate    |
| 68.63            | 2008 Four Continents               |



**Tina Wang**

|                  |                                    |
|------------------|------------------------------------|
| Date of birth:   | December 13 <sup>th</sup> , 1991   |
| Home town:       | Brisbane, QLD                      |
| Profession:      | Coach                              |
| Hobbies:         | reading, friends, travel           |
| Coaches:         | Chang Yuan Wang, Hui Ma            |
| Started Skating: | 1998                               |
| Club:            | IceWorld FSC Brisbane              |
| Choreographers:  | Slav Boboshyn                      |
| 108.02           | 2009 Four Continents Short Program |
| 37.64            | 2009 Four Continents Free Skate    |
| 70.38            | 2009 Four Continents               |



**Danielle O'Brien & Greg Merriman**

|                           |                                                                  |
|---------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Dates of birth:           | February 7 <sup>th</sup> , 1990 / October 3 <sup>rd</sup> , 1988 |
| Home town:                | Sydney, NSW                                                      |
| Professions:              | Student / Retail                                                 |
| Hobbies:                  | travelling, music / sport                                        |
| Coaches / Choreographers: | Monica MacDonald, Pasquale Camerlengo, Angelika Krylova          |
| Started Skating:          | 1997 / 1992                                                      |
| Club:                     | Sydney FSC                                                       |
| 104.69                    | 2011 Four Continents Short Dance                                 |
| 42.67                     | 2011 Four Continents Free Dance                                  |
| 63.57                     | 2011 Worlds                                                      |



**Mark Webster**

|                  |                                          |
|------------------|------------------------------------------|
| Date of birth:   | February 21 <sup>st</sup> , 1990         |
| Home town:       | Penrith, NSW                             |
| Profession:      | Student                                  |
| Hobbies:         | computer games, friends                  |
| Coaches:         | Shawn Renshaw, Robert Tebby, Lee Barkell |
| Started Skating: | 1998                                     |
| Club:            | Penrith Valley FSC                       |
| Choreographers:  | Cameron Medhurst                         |
| 143.54           | 2011 Four Continents Short Program       |
| 51.05            | 2010 Four Continents Free Skate          |
| 95.84            | 2011 Worlds                              |

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CHELTZIE LEE  
2009/10 NATIONAL  
SENIOR LADIES'  
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JANUARY 2012

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**SEAN CARLOW**  
3-TIME NATIONAL  
SENIOR MEN'S  
CHAMPION

# MARIA & EVGENI BOROUNOV

2010/11 NATIONAL SENIOR DANCE  
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**PHOEBE DI TOMMASO**  
2010/11 NATIONAL  
SENIOR LADIES'  
CHAMPION

# JESSICA KURZAWSKI

2010/11 NATIONAL  
SENIOR LADIES'  
THIRD PLACE



JULY 2012

# BRENDAN KERRY

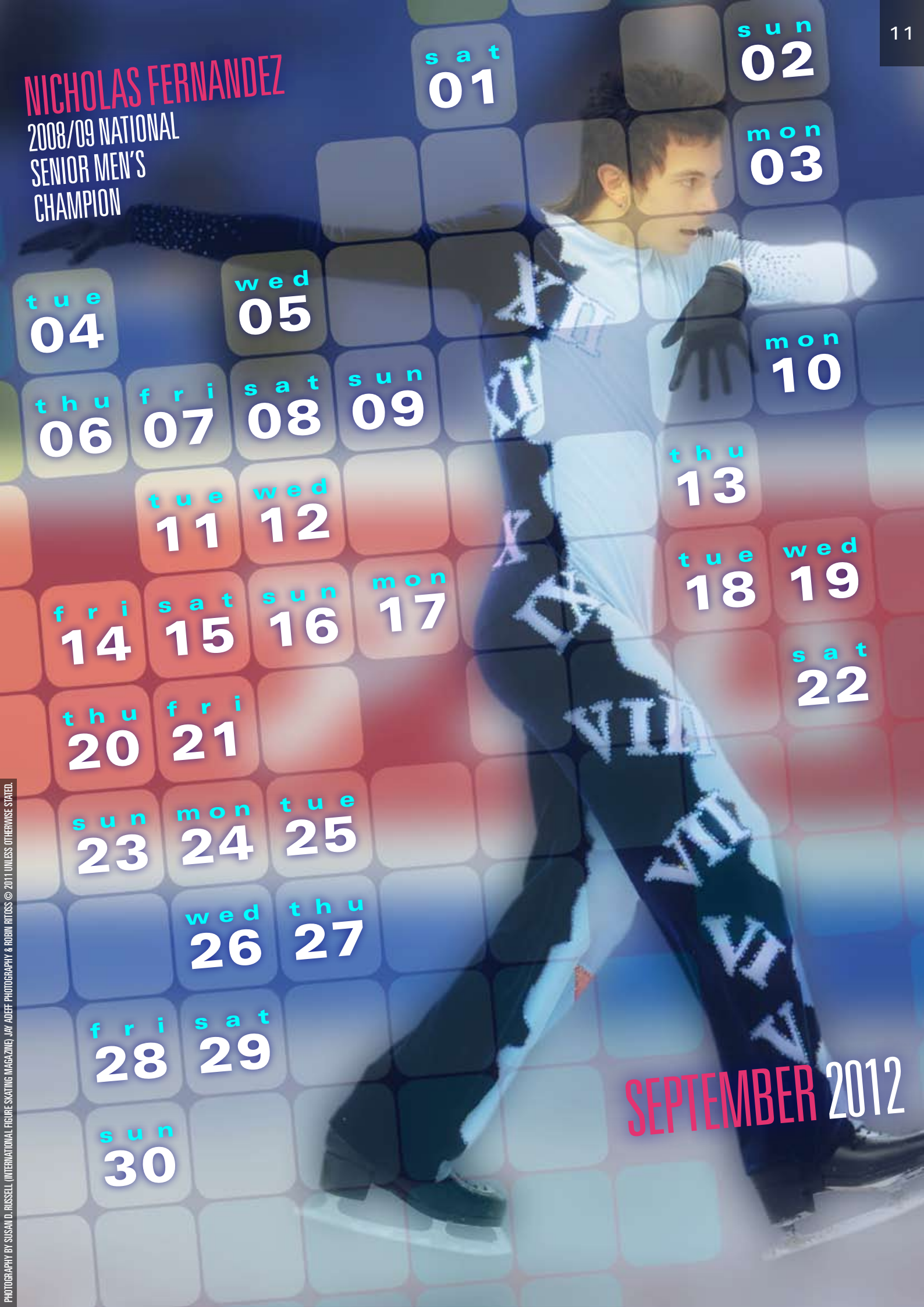
2010/11 NATIONAL  
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CHAMPION



AUGUST 2012

# NICHOLAS FERNANDEZ

2008/09 NATIONAL  
SENIOR MEN'S  
CHAMPION



SEPTEMBER 2012

# OCTOBER 2012



**TINA WANG**  
2008/09 NATIONAL  
SENIOR LADIES'  
CHAMPION

**DANIELLE O'BRIEN  
& GREGORY MERRIMAN**  
2010/11 NATIONAL SENIOR  
DANCE CHAMPIONS



**NOVEMBER 2012**

# DECEMBER 2012



**MARK WEBSTER**  
2010/11 NATIONAL  
SENIOR MEN'S  
CHAMPION