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SKATING KLUB "CLASSIC" - SKOPJE

Invite You on

"SKOPJE ON ICE 2024"

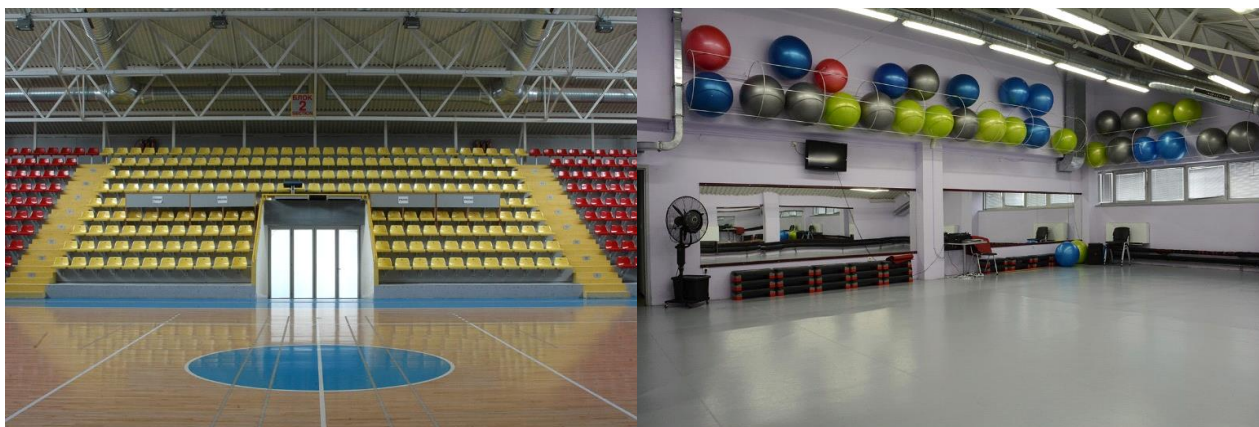
**OPEN NATIONAL and INTERCLUB
FIGURE SKATING COMPETITION**

Skopje, North Macedonia, March 01 – 02, 2024

In the name of the **SKATING FEDERATION OF NORTH MACEDINIA** and **Skating Club Classic - Skopje** we invite you to the Interclub Figure Skating Competition.

**Location of competition: Sports Center BORIS TRAJKOVSKI,
bul. 8 Septeber, No 13, 1000 Skopje**

Partly open ice rink, 56m x 28m, located 2800m from the center of Skopje. The Ice rink is roof covered. The Ice rink is part of the Sports Center "Boris Trajkovski" which offers closed and good climatized sport halls and wardrobes, as shown on the following photos.



Entries:

INTERCLUB FIGURE SKATING COMPETITION

Each club may enter 3 competitors in each category: Senior (three ladies), Junior (three ladies), Advanced novice (three boys and three girls), Basic novice (three boys and three girls), Cubs (three boys and three girls), Chicks (three boys and three girls) Interpretative A, B and C (3 girls in each level) . The Organizer reserves the right to enter more competitors in each category.

Entries should contain: name and surname of the competitor, date of birth and category. Only complete entries will be accepted.

Deadline for entries:

The entries should arrive to the Skating Federation of North Macedonia via e-mail: skatingfederationmk@gmail.com, not later than **February 20, 2024**.

Entry Forms attached to this announcement.

Entries must be sent to:

Skating Federation of North Macedonia via e-mail:

skatingfederationmk@gmail.com

Charges:

»**SKOPJE ON ICE 2024**« a fee of **50 EUR** is to be paid for each competitor for all categories.

Entry fee to be paid on account of: NLB TUTUNSKA BANKA AD Skopje, IBAN MK07210722000062050, SWIFT: TUTNMK22.

Responsibilities:

All participants act on their own responsibility. The organizer will provide medical aid during competition and practice.

Music:

It is mandatory to send music files on in mp3 file format together with filled PPC on the following e-mail: skatingfederationmk@gmail.com

Files have be labelled with the name of the category, name of the competitor and ISU Member abbreviation.

Example:

JuniorWoman_MILOJEVIKJ_Milena_MKD

Cubs_PAVLOVSKA_Mateja_MKD

The applicant agrees that in the case of an incorrect or low-quality recording of the music, the Organizer shall reproduce the music of its choice (with the playing time corresponding to the required time for each Category) during the Event.

COMPETITORS MUST HAVE COPY OF THEIR MUSIC .MP3 FILES ON USB KEY (OR ANY EXTERNAL USB DRIVE) AT THE COMPETITION.

Draw:

Draw for all categories will be performed in the presence of the Referee and Technical Controller in accordance with Rules 512 and 513 at 19:00 hour, Thursday, February 29th, 2024. The link for the online presence will be also provided.

Judging System: All results will be calculated in the new ISU Judging System.

Expenses: The full board hotel accommodation for the invited Referees, Judges, Technical Controllers and Specialists will be arranged and covered by the organizer starting with dinner on Friday, March 01, finishing with lunch on Saturday, March 02, 2024. Travel costs for invited Referees and Judges will be covered by the organizer. The Organizer will not be able to cover any expense for competitors, team leaders and coaches.

1. CATEGORIES:

SENIOR Women & Men:

Technical Requirements are in accordance with ISU Technical Rules - Single and Pair Skating 2022 and respective ISU Communications.

Short Program: 2 min 40 sec, +/- 10 sec

Free Skating: 4 min 00 sec, +/- 10 sec

JUNIOR Women & Men:

Technical Requirements are in accordance with ISU Technical Rules - Single and Pair Skating 2022 and respective ISU Communications.

Short Program: 2min 40 sec, +/- 10 sec

Free Skating: 3 min 30 sec, +/- 10 sec

ADVANCED NOVICE Girls & Boys:

Age and requirements according to the ISU Technical Rules Single and Pair Skating 2022, ISU Communication 2562 and all respective ISU Communications.

Short Program: 2min 20 sec, +/- 10 sec

Free Skating: 3 min 00 sec, +/-10 sec

2. MINI CATEGORIES:

BASIC NOVICE BOYS and GIRLS: born from 01.07.2008 and younger

Free Skating: 2 min 30 sec, +/- 10 sec

Requirements according to the ISU Technical Rules Single and Pair Skating 2022, ISU Communication 2562 and all respective ISU Communications.

CUBS Boys and Girls: born from 1.7.2013 – 30.6.2015.

Free Skating: 2 min, +/- 10 sec

CHICKS Boys and Girls: born from 1.7.2015 and younger

Free Skating: 2 min, +/- 10 sec

A well balanced CUBS and CHICKS Free Skating Program must contain: a) Maximum of 4 jump elements one of which must be an Axel type jump. There may be up to two (2) jump combinations

or one (1) jump combination and one (1) jump sequence. Jump combinations and the jump sequence consist of two (2) jumps. In the jump sequence the second jump must be an Axel type jump with a direct step from the landing curve of the first jump in to the take-off curve of the Axel jump. One full revolution on the ice between the jumps (free foot can touch the ice, but without weight transfer) keeps the element in the frame of the definition of a jump sequence. Jumps executed in a jump sequence receive their full value. No triple and quadruple jumps are allowed. Only one single jump and one double jump (including Double Axel) can be repeated once. b) There must be a maximum of two (2) spins of a different nature (abbreviation), one of which must be a spin combination and one must be a spin with no change of position. The spin combination with a change of foot and a minimum of eight (8) revolutions or without a change of foot with a minimum of six (6) revolutions. The spin in one position with a change of foot minimum of eight (8) revolutions or spin in one position without change of foot minimum of six (6) revolutions. In both spins flying entries are allowed. c) There must be a maximum of one (1) step sequence fully utilizing the ice surface. Level explanation: For all elements which, are subject to Levels, only features up to Level 2 will be counted. Any additional features will not count for Level requirements and will be ignored by the Technical Panel.

The following Program Components are judged:

- Composition
- Presentation
- Skating Skills

The factor for the Program Components is 1.67

All other General rules and Technical Requirements are the same as ISU rule for Single Skating Basic Novice - Girls and Boys written in Communication No. 2562. The same ISU Rules regarding judging, refereeing and the work of the Technical Panel apply as in Junior and Senior International Competitions.

3. INTERPRETATIVE CATEGORIES

Levels:

C.) Aged less than 10 until 01.07 before the competition.

Free program duration:

Boys and Girls: 2 min. (+/- 10 sec.)

A well balanced Free Skating program may contain maximum 3 jumps. No jump can be repeated, jump combinations are not allowed.

B.) Aged between 10 and 15 until 01.07 before the competition.

Free program duration:

Boys and Girls: 2 min. (+/- 10 sec.)

A well balanced Free Skating program may contain maximum 4 jumps. No jump can be repeated, jump combinations are not allowed.

A.) Aged 15 and older

Free program duration:

Boys and Girls: 2 min 30 sec (+/- 10 sec.)

A well balanced Free Skating program may contain maximum 5 jump elements, one of which may be a jump combination. Any jump can be repeated only once, in a jump combination.

Music: No limit, vocal music is accepted.

Costumes: according to the interpretation of the music-theme.

Objects – accessories are allowed if not dangerous for the ice.

Calculation of results for categories Interpretative A, B i C is ISU Judging System – Program Components only.

Attention: if a program with other jumps, those will be calculated as illegal.

OFFICIAL for judges ACCOMODATION:

Hotel Alexandar Palace ***** (all rooms with TV, shower/WC)

Prohor Pcinjski, 1000 Skopje, MACEDONIA

<http://www.aleksandarpalace.com.mk>

RECOMMENDED ACCOMODATIONS:

Hotel Karpos 600m from the sports center, 2500m from city from city center

<http://www.hotelkarpos.com.mk/>

Hotel Tims Apartments 1000m from the sports center, 1500m from city center

<http://tims.com.mk/en>

Hotel City Park 1200m from the sports center, 1300m from city center

<http://www.hotelcitypark.com.mk/>

Taxi services in Skopje are reliable and with acceptable prices (0,6 eur per km).

PRELIMINARY TIME SCHEDULE

Electronic draw for all categories

Friday, March 01st, 2024

16:00-18:00 – official practice for all categories

16:30-17:30 - judges meeting

18:00-19.00 – short program Advance novices, Junior and Senior

19.00-21.00 - free skating Interpretative categories C, B & A

Awarding of prices for all categories will be organized after finishing of the respective category.

Saturday, March 02nd, 2024

08:30 till 10:30 – free skating Interpretative CHICKS, CUBS and BASIC Novices (boys and girls),

10:30 till 12:00 - free skating Advance NOVICES (boys and girls), Juniors and Seniors.

Awarding of prices for all categories will be organized after finishing of the respective category.

Subject to change!

THE OFFICIAL DETAILED AND FINAL SCHEDULE OF THE EVENT WILL BE PUBLISHED AFTER THE REGISTRATION OF ALL ENTRIES

We are looking forward seeing you in Skopje.

Kind regards,

Skopje, January 30, 2024



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