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And

SKATING KLUB "CLASSIC" - SKOPJE

Invite You on

"SKOPJE ON ICE 2025"

**INTERCLUB FIGURE SKATING
COMPETITION**

Skopje, North Macedonia, 28.02 – 01.03.2025

In the name of the **SKATING FEDERATION OF NORTH MACEDINIA** and **Skating Cub 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), Intermediate novice, (three boys and three girls, Basic novice (three boys and three girls), Cubs I and II (three boys and three girls), Chicks I and II (three boys and three girls) Interpretative D,C,B and A
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, 2025**.

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 2025**« 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 or before the competition on the spot in the office of the organizer during the accreditation.

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 27th, 2025. 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 Organizer will not be able to cover any expense for competitors, team leaders and coaches.

CATEGORIES:

SENIOR Women & Men:

Technical Requirements are in accordance with ISU Technical Rules - Single and Pair Skating 2024 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 2024 and respective ISU Communications.

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

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

ADVANCED NOVICE Girls & Boys:

Age and technical requirements are according to the ISU Technical Rules, Single and Pair Skating 2024, ISU Communication 2624 and all respective ISU Communications.

Short Program: 2min 20 sec, +/-

10 sec Free Skating: 3 min 00

sec, +/-10 sec

INTERMEDIATE NOVICE GIRLS & BOYS

Age requirements: Intermediate Novice is a skater who was born on 1.7.2008 and younger.

Requirements — according to the ISU Technical Rules Single and Pair Skating 2022, ISU Communication 2624 and all respective ISU Communications.

Free Skating: 3 min, +/- 10 sec

BASIC NOVICE GIRLS & BOYS

Requirements — according to the ISU Special Regulations & Technical Rules Single and Pair Skating 2024, ISU Communication 2624 and all respective ISU Communications.

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

Age requirements:

Basic Novice I is a skater who was born in the period: 1.7.2010 – 30.6.2012.

Basic Novice II is a skater who was born in the period: 1.7.2012 – 30.6.2014.

CUBS AND CHICKS

CUBS I. GIRLS

Age requirements: Cubs Skater is, who was born: 1.7.2014 – 30.6.2015

CUBS II. GIRLS

Age requirements: Cubs Skater is, who was born: 1.7.2015 – 30.6.2016

CUBS BOYS

Age requirements: Cubs Skater is, who was born: 1.7.2014 – 30.6.2016

CHICKS I. GIRLS

Age requirements: Chicks Skater is, who was born: 1.7.2016 – 30.6.2017

CHICKS II. GIRLS

Age requirements: Chicks Skater is, who was born: 1.7.2017 and younger.

CHICKS BOYS

Age requirements: Chicks Skater is, who was born: 1.7.2016 and younger

GENERAL REQUIREMENTS FOR CUBS AND CHICKS

Duration of programs: Free Skating: 2 min, +/- 10 sec

Singles Girls and Boys for Chicks and Cubs categories: warm-up groups can be maximum up to eight (8) Skaters.

Warm up time: for girls and boys 4 minutes.

Technical Requirements

A well balanced Free Skating program for Single Skating boys and girls must contain:

- Maximum of four (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 into 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.
- 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 and no change of foot. The spin combination with a change of foot must have a minimum of eight (8) revolutions and without a change of foot with a minimum of six (6) revolutions. Flying entry is allowed. If with change of foot, only one level feature per foot will count. The spin in one position without change of foot must have a minimum of six (6) revolutions, must be done in a basic position without any difficult variation positions and will be called maximum level basic.

After the required revolutions it is allowed to execute difficult variations, but these will be ignored by the Technical Panel. Flying entry is not allowed.

- There must be a maximum of one (1) step sequence fully utilizing the ice surface and including at least one skating movement such as a spiral, spread eagle, Ina Bauer, hydroblading etc. If the skating movement is missing, no Level will be given. The Technical Panel will not award Feature 3) Use of body movements for at least 1/3 of the pattern and Feature 4) Two combinations of 3 difficult turns on different feet.

Levels explanations

For Chicks and Cubs Singles, in all elements that 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. 2624.

The same ISU Rules regarding judging, refereeing and the work of the Technical Panel apply as in Junior and Senior International Competitions.

INTERPRETATIVE CATEGORIES

Levels:

D.) 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.

C.) Aged 10 and less than 14 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.

B.) Aged less than 14 and less than 19 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 19 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.

OFFICIAL for judges ACCOMODATION:

Hotel Alexander 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, February 28th, 2024

17:30-18:00 – official practice for all categories

16:30-17:30 - judges meeting

19:00-19:30 – free skating Chicks and Cubs

19:30-20:30 – short program Advance novices, Junior and Senior

20:30-21:30 - free skating Interpretative categories D, C, B & A

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

Saturday, March 02nd, 2024

07:30 till 10:00 – free skating BASIC Novices and INTERMEDIATE Novice (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, February 05,2025

Cvetanka MAKAROVSKI
President
Skating Federation of North Macedonia

The image shows a handwritten signature in blue ink, which appears to be 'Cvetanka Makarovski', written over a circular official stamp. The stamp contains the Cyrillic letters 'ФЛС' (Federation of Figure Skating) and some smaller text around the perimeter, likely the name of the federation and its location.