# Announcement



# BOSPHOROUS CUP ISTANBUL

International Figure Skating Competition in Single Skating and Ice Dance ISTANBUL – TURKEY December 11 – 16, 2017



### WELCOME

Turkish Ice Skating Federation are glad to invite you and your club to participate in Istanbul Bosphorous Cup 2017.

#### **GENERAL**

Bosphorous Istanbul Cup 2017 will be conducted in accordance with the ISU Constitution and General Regulations 2016, the Special Regulations and Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating and Ice Dance 2016 as well as all pertinent ISU Communications. Participation in the competition is open to all competitors who belong to an ISU Member, Rule 109, paragraph 1, and qualify with regard to eligibility, according to Rule 102, provided their ages fall within the limits specified in Rule 108, paragraph 3. a) and they meet the participation, citizenship and residency requirements in Rule 109, paragraphs 1 through 5 and ISU Communication 2030. Passports of the skaters, as well as the ISU Clearance Certificate, if applicable, must be presented at the accreditation.

# **TECHNICAL DATA**

All categories will be conducted according to ISU rules 2016 and the New Judging System.

PLACE OF COMPETITION: Istanbul Grand Municipality Ice Rink Hisaraltı Cad. No:111 34107 / Yedikule

indoor, heated ice rink,  $30 \times 60$  meter, closed to the one of the centers of the city.

Date: December 11- 16, 2016

Organizer: Turkish Ice Skating Federation

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#### **CATEGORIES:**

SINGLE SKATING

Senior, Junior, Advanced Novice,

ICE DANCE Senior, Junior

**SENIOR** 

**MEN SHORT PROGRAM** 

In accordance with the ISU Technical Rules Single and Pair Skating 2016, Rule 611, paragraph 1 and 2 and the respective ISU Communication. Duration: 2 minutes and 40 seconds, +/- 10 sec.

#### **MEN FREE SKATING**

In accordance with the ISU Technical Rules Single and Pair Skating 2016, Rule 612 and the respective ISU Communication. Special attention should be paid to the "well-balanced-Program" and the element values. Duration: 4 minutes and 30 seconds, +/-10 seconds

#### **LADIES SHORT PROGRAM**

In accordance with the ISU Technical Rules Single and Pair Skating 2016, Rule 611, paragraph 1 and 2 and the respective ISU Communication. Duration: 2 minutes and 40 seconds, +/- 10 sec.

#### LADIES FREE SKATING

In accordance with the ISU Technical Rules Single and Pair Skating 2016, Rule 612 and the respective ISU Communication. Special attention should be paid to the "well-balanced-Program" and the element values. Duration: 4 minutes, +/- 10 seconds

# JUNIOR

#### **MEN SHORT PROGRAM**

The required elements to be skated are those listed in ISU Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating 2016 Rule 611, paragraphs 1 and 3 for 2017/18. Duration: 2 min., 40 sec. +/- 10 sec.

#### JUNIOR MEN FREE SKATING

Free Skating In accordance with ISU Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating 2016, Rule 612 and the respective ISU Communication. Special attention should be paid to the "well balanced program" and the element value. Duration: 4 min., +/- 10 sec.

#### JUNIOR LADIES SHORT PROGRAM

Short Program The required elements to be skated are those listed in ISU Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating 2016 Rule 611, paragraphs 1 and 3 for 2017/18. Duration: 2 min., 40 sec. +/-10 sec.

#### JUNIOR LADIES FREE SKATING

Free Skating In accordance with ISU Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating 2016, Rule 612 and the respective ISU Communication. Special attention should be paid to the "well balanced program" and the element value. Duration: 3 min., 30 sec., +/- 10 sec.

# ADVANCED NOVICE (SINGLE S)

In accordance with ISU Technical Rules Single and Pair Skating 2016 and the respective ISU Communication 2024.

#### BOYS

SHORT PROGRAM: Age and requirements according to the ISU Technical Rules Single and Pair Skating 2016 and the ISU Communication No. 2024. Duration: 2 min., 20 sec., +/- 10 sec.

FREE SKATING: Age and requirements according to the ISU Technical Rules Single and Pair Skating 2016 and the ISU Communication No. 2024.

Duration: 3 min., 30 sec., +/- 10 sec

#### **GIRLS**

<u>SHORT PROGRAM</u>: Age and requirements according to the ISU Technical Rules Single and Pair Skating 2016 and the ISU Communication No. 2024.

Duration: 2 min., 20 sec., +/- 10 sec.

<u>FREE SKATING</u>: Age and requirements according to the ISU Technical Rules Single and Pair Skating 2016 and the ISU Communication No. 2024.

Duration: 3 min +/- 10 sec.

# **ICE DANCE**

#### Senior:

<u>SHORT DANCE</u>: In accordance the ISU Technical Rules Ice Dance 2016, Rule 709, and all pertinent ISU Communications. Rhythms, required elements and guidelines are those listed in ISU Communication 2076 and subsequent updates. Duration: 2 min., 50 sec., +/- 10 sec

<u>FREE DANCE</u>: In accordance with the ISU Technical Rules Ice Dance 2016, Rule 710. The required elements to be skated are those listed in ISU Communication 2076 and subsequent updates.

Duration: 4 minutes, +/- 10 seconds

#### Junior:

<u>SHORT DANCE</u>: In accordance with ISU Technical Rules Ice Dance 2016, Rule 709. Rhythms, required elements and guidelines are those listed in ISU Communications 2076, 2086 and subsequent updates.

Duration: 2 min., 50 sec., +/- 10 sec

FREE DANCE: In accordance with ISU Technical Rules Ice Dance 2016, Rule 710. The required elements to be skated are those listed in ISU Communication 2076, 2086 and subsequent updates.

Duration: 3 min., 30 sec., +/- 10 sec.

# **ENTRIES of COMPETITORS**

All Members / Clubs, which are members of National Figure Skating Federations associated with the ISU, may enter competitors in each category. (Please, be aware that all Club entries must be signed by the ISU Member Federation.) The OC reserves the right to limit the number of participants to two (2) Entry for each category in case of overcrowding.

With the Entry forms, the "Program Content Sheet" must also be returned to the Organizing Committee in time (by November 12, 2017).

It is mandatory that the Program Content Sheet must be filled in precisely by each Skater/team in English using the terminology for the elements listed in the respective ISU Communication. It is not permitted to hand over the Program Content Sheets directly to the acting Officials.

### **ENTRIES OF JUDGES**

Each ISU Member has the right to enter one judge with the qualification international or ISU judge. Should there be too many judges nominated for participation, the organizer reserves the right to draw for the composition of panels beforehand therefore the Panels will be drawn immediately after the closing of entries. The members concerned will be notified of the result of the draw. The OC will cover the board and lodging for judges accepted in the panel only. The confirmation of the list of judges will be announced in due time.

#### **ENTRIES of TEAM DELEGATION**

Official entries of Team Leaders, Team Officials, Coaches/Choreographers, Team Medical staff etc. must be made together with the entries for Competitors and Judges.

# **DEADLINE FOR ENTRIES**

Entries must be forwarded to Organizing Committee using the official entry forms latest by November 12, 2017.

The official forms must be sent to:

Turkish Ice Skating Federation Akdeniz cad 57 /2 Bahçelievler Ankara - TURKEY Phone: + 90 312 2156872 Fax: +90 312 2156852

E-mail: bosphoruscup2017@gmail.com and simultaneously to umitucar@buzpateni.org.tr

#### **ENTRY FEE:**

60 EUR / person, 100 EUR couple

### **LATE ENTRY FEE**

80 EUR / person, 120 EUR couple

All entries sent after November 12, 2017 are considered as late entry.

Entry Fees are requested to be paid by bank transfer or cash during Accreditation. Please note that credit can not be acceptable as TISF/ OC has no usage of cards according to the local Institution rules of Turkey. Only bank transfer payment or cash payment in site is acceptable.

#### **Bank information:**

Name of Bank: Halk Bankası

Bahcelievler Branch Ankara

Bank Account name: Turkiye Buz Pateni Federasyonu

Bank Swift Code : TRHBTR2A

Bank Iban Code : IBAN TR57 0001 2009 2100 0058 0000 54

Bank Account no : 58000054

In case of no-show at the competition the entry fee will not be paid back.

# **DRAW**

Please, be informed that the Draw will be held on the previous day of the competition concerned at ice rink. Please see preliminary schedule.

# **ACCREDITATION**

The registration will start at Ice Rink from Monday, December 11, 2017 and continue till December 13,2017 at 19:00.

Please note that at the time of registration (Entry fee, music, hotel arrangements) we have to copy and file the passport of the Skaters (in case you happen to bring it with you or send it by e-mail beforehand it will make us very happy.)

#### **EXPENSES**

The organizer covers the expenses of competition, organisation, awards, presents and board & lodging only for judges on duty. Travel expenses will not be covered by the organizer. The expenses for rooms and meals, travel and transfer of the Team Leaders, Competitors and other Team officials will not be covered by the organizer and are on the account of the Teams.

#### **INSURANCE**

In accordance with Rule 119, it is the sole responsibility of each Member participating in the Bosphorous Cup 2017, to provide medical and accident insurance for their athletes, officials and all other members of the Member's team.

Such insurance must assure full medical attendance and also the return of the ill or injured person to the home country by air transport or by other expeditious means. It is an internal matter of each ISU Member to decide the issue who shall pay the premium for such insurance. The Organizer assumes no responsibility for or liability with respect to bodily or personal injury or property damage in connection incurred by Competitors and Officials.

#### PRELIMINARY SCHEDULE – STARTING TIMES

Please, be informed that only daily starting times of the competition is fixed. Following the morning start the time schedule of the event is flexible, which means that in case of cancellations certain categories may start some time earlier than in the Preliminary Schedule.

# MUSIC / PLANNED PROGRAM CONTENT

All Competitors shall furnish competition music of excellent quality on CD format, in accordance with Rule 343, paragraph 1. In accordance with Rule 343, paragraph 1, all discs must show the Competition event, Competitor's name, the Nation and the exact running time of the music (not skating time) including any starting signal and must be submitted at the time of registration. Each program (short program, free skating, short dance, free dance) must be recorded on a separate disc.

In addition competitors/couples must provide a back-up drive for each program. If music information is not complete and discs not provided, accreditation will not be given. With the entry forms, the "Program Content Sheet" must return to the Organizing Committee in time. It is mandatory that the Program Content Sheet must be filled in precisely by each skater/team in English using the terminology for the elements listed in the respective ISU Communication.

It is not permitted to hand over the Program Content Sheets directly to the acting Officials.

# PRESENTATION OF MEDALS

The three best placed Skaters/Couples in each event will be announced and honoured. Gold, silver and bronze medals will be presented to the medallists. The Award Ceremonies will take place following the finish of the given category competitions.

# ARRIVAL OF PARTICIPANTS

Judges, Competitors and participants taking part in the Competition are requested to announce to the Organizing Committee as soon as possible but no later than November 12,2017 the flight numbers, dates and times of arrival and departure or any other information concerning transportation. The official "travel form" should be used.

#### TRANSPORTATION

Please, be aware that Organizing Committee provides a bus shuttle on request to meet the participants on arrival from IST Atatürk Airport . Transportation fee will be requested. Please, be so kind to inform the Organizing Committee together with your entry whether you will be using the transportation offered.

# Airport

Please be aware meetings can be arranged only from IST Atatürk International Airport.In case of flying to Sabiha Gokcen Airport OC should be informed beforehand in order to make special arrangements to help our guests. It is clear that transfer fee will be changed in that case.

Transportation fee between IST Atatürk International Airport and the official hotels: 30 Euro person/round trip

#### **ACCOMMODATION**

Please kindly be informed that OC had a very special price for this event for Istanbul. The official hotel is:

**HAMPTON BY HILTON** 

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e mail: sener.san@hilton.com

TYPE OF ROOM	PRICE OF ROOM- RATE WITH BREAKFAST
SINGLE	32 EUR
DOUBLE	<u>37 EUR</u>

Teams can make all bookings through OC or directly to Hotel (e mail: sener.san@hilton.com) only with official Hotel form. It is recommended to send Hotel form to Hotel and simultaneously to OC. Payments will be done directly to the Hotel.

The judges Accomodation will be at IBB Zeytinburnu Social Facility http://www.zeytinburnu.istanbul/Belgradkapi-Sosyal-Tesisleri

#### WE HOPE TO SEE YOU IN ISTANBUL!

# PRELIMINARY SCHEDULE

December 11 ,2017		Arrivals
December 12,2017		Official Practices
		Judges & TP Meetings for Singles
		Team Leaders Meeting
		Draw Novice & Juniors
December 13,2017	13:15	Novice Ladies & Men Short Program
		Junior Ladies & Men Short Program
		JUdges and TP meetings for Ice Dance
December 14,2017	13:15	Senior Ladies & Men Short Program
		Junior & Senior Short Dance
December 15,2017	11:00	Novice Ladies & Men Free Skating
		Junior Ladies & Men Free Skating
		Victory Ceromonies Novice & Juniors (Singles)
December 16, 2017	12:00	Senior Ladies Free Skating
		Senior Men Free Skating
		Junior & Senior Ice Dance Free Program
		Victory Ceremonies for Seniors, Junior & Senior Ice
		Dance

Please be informed that this Schedule is subject to change depending on entries. The exact schedule with training hours will be sent after dead line.