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Essent ISU World Cup Announcement

Friday 7 to Sunday 9 March 2014
Max Aicher Arena - Inzell - Germany

Skater: Moritz Geisreiter



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On behalf of the Deutsche Eisschnelllauf-Gemeinschaft e.V. and DEC Frillensee Inzell, we have the honour and pleasure to invite you to a competition in the

ESSENT ISU WORLD CUP SPEED SKATING 2013/14

which will be held at the Max Aicher Arena
in Inzell, Germany on March 07 – 09, 2014

The competition will be held under the 2012 ISU General Regulations, Special Regulations and Technical Rules for Speed Skating and ISU Communication No. 1808.

PROGRAM

Thursday	06.03.2014	16:00 h 18:00 h		Team leaders' Meeting, Sport hall – 1st Floor Opening draw, at the town hall
Friday	07.03.2014	*10:00 h	Division B	500m (1st) Ladies / 5000m Men (Quartet starts) / 1500m Ladies
		15:00 h	Division A	500m (1st) Ladies / 5000m Men / 1500m Ladies
Saturday	08.03.2014	*09:00 h	Division B	500m (2nd) Ladies / 500m (1st) Men 3000m Ladies (Quartet starts) / 1000m Men
		13:30 h	Division A	500m (2nd) Ladies / 500m (1st) Men 3000m Ladies / 1000m Men / MS Men
Sunday	09.03.2014	*09:00 h	Division B	500m (2nd) Men / 1000m Ladies 1500m Men
		13:30 h	Division A	500m (2nd) Men / 1000m Ladies 1500m Men / MS Ladies TS Ladies / TS Men

* The above times for the B Division races are only indicative. The exact starting times for these races will be announced at the team leaders' meetings. For each distance, the races of Division A and the races of Division B are considered as two separate competitions with independent final classifications (list of results).

TRACK

A standard speed skating track of 400 meters to the lap laid out at Max Aicher Arena, an artificially frozen indoor skating rink in Inzell. The radii of the inner and outer competition lanes are 25 and 29 meters, respectively. The width of the inside training lane is 4 meters.

ENTRIES

Entries for this competition will be restricted and must be made according to ISU Regulations and ISU Communication No. 1808, paragraph 3.3.

Entries can only be made using the ISU Online Entry System for Speed Skating Events on www.isu.org, section Speed Skating or www.k4sport.ru/login.php

Preliminary entries, giving the number of Competitors & substitutes and the number of coaches and other team staff, as well as provisional names of the Competitors and team leader must be communicated at the latest *by Monday, February 03, 2014*

Final entries including the names of the Competitors and available substitutes, as well as the names of the team leader, coaches and other team staff for whom an accreditation is required must reach the Organizing Committee at the latest by 12:00 noon (local time) on Monday, March 03, 2014 (see also ISU Communication No. 1808, paragraph 3.3.3).

Please note that for all persons entered by the Members, the procedures regarding the Declaration for Competitors and Officials (all team officials requiring an accreditation) entering ISU Events (Rule 131) as outlined in ISU Communication No. 1628, need to be strictly observed.

For more details please refer to Rules 115, 131 and ISU Communications No. 1628 and 1797 or any update of this Communications.

According to ISU Communication No. 1808, the entry quotas (maximum number of entries per distance, subject to the qualifying times criteria) for this competition are:

Ladies	500	1000	1500	3000 5000	Men	500	1000	1500	5000 10 000
AUS	1	1	1	1	AUS	2	2	1	1
AUT	1	1	1	2	AUT	1	1	1	2
BLR	2	2	1	1	BLR	1	1	1	1
BEL	1	1	2	2	BEL	1	1	2	3
CAN	5	5	5	5	CAN	5	5	5	3
CHN	5	5	2	1	CHN	3	2	1	2
CZE	2	2	3	2	CZE	1	1	1	1
DEN	1	1	1	2	DEN	1	1	1	1
FIN	2	1	1	1	FIN	3	4	1	1
FRA	1	1	1	1	FRA	1	2	3	3
GER	5	5	3	5	GER	4	3	2	5
ITA	3	3	1	1	ITA	2	2	3	2
JPN	5	5	5	5	JPN	5	3	2	1
KAZ	2	2	2	1	KAZ	1	4	4	2
KOR	4	4	3	5	KOR	5	4	2	5
LAT	1	1	1	1	LAT	2	2	2	2
NED	5	5	5	5	NED	5	5	5	5
NOR	1	1	4	4	NOR	3	3	5	3
NZL	1	1	1	1	NZL	1	1	1	2
POL	1	2	4	4	POL	3	2	4	3
RUS	5	5	5	5	RUS	5	5	5	5
SWE	1	1	1	1	SWE	1	1	2	1
SUI	1	1	1	1	SUI	1	1	1	2
USA	5	5	4	3	USA	5	5	5	4

All other ISU Speed Skating Members may enter maximum 1 Competitor for each distance.

All entered Skaters (incl. substitutes) must have achieved applicable qualifying times for the respective distances according to the criteria given in Communication No. 1808, paragraph 3.3.1.

○ COMPETITION FORMAT & ENTRY QUOTAS FOR THE MASS START EVENTS

Mass Start races will be skated according to Rule 253, paragraph 4 b) in the ISU Technical Rules for Speed Skating and ISU Communication No. 1808, paragraph 4.3, with distances of 15 laps for Ladies and 20 laps for Men. The maximum entry quota per ISU Member will be restricted to 3 Skaters per category. If the number of entries will result in also a Division B race for this event (in accordance with ISU Communication No. 1808, item 4.1.1.) the race for Division B will be skated after the race for Division A.

○ COMPETITION FORMAT FOR THE TEAM SPRINT DEMONSTRATION EVENTS

Team Sprint races will be skated according to ISU Communication No. 1808, paragraph 4.4, with teams of 3 Skaters each, and with distances of 3 laps both for Ladies and for Men.

○ GROUPING AND DRAWING PROCEDURES

The grouping and drawing of pairs will be made according to ISU Communication No. 1808, paragraph 5.

○ PRIZES AND POINTS

For each distance World Cup points and prize money will be awarded according to the ISU Communication No. 1808, paragraphs 6 and 8.

○ ANTI-DOPING

Anti-Doping tests will be carried out in accordance with the valid ISU Anti-Doping Code (ISU Communications Nos. 1693, 1694, 1765 and 1800 or any further update of these Communications).

○ TRAINING TIMES

The speed skating track will be open for training for entered Competitors from Monday, March 03, 2014. Trial starts will be organized on Thursday, March 06, 2014. Only accredited Competitors, substitutes and team officials will be allowed to enter the ice-rink during the official training hours.

○ CITIZENSHIP/RESIDENCE REQUIREMENTS & CLEARANCE PROCEDURE

In accordance with Rule 109 of the ISU Regulations and ISU Communication No. 1420, all Skaters who do not have the nationality of the Member by which they have been entered or who, although having such nationality, have in the past represented another Member, must produce an ISU Clearance Certificate.

○ LIABILITY

In accordance with Rule 119 of the ISU General Regulations, the ISU, the Deutsche Eisschnelllauf Gemeinschaft e.V. and the Organizing Committee assume no responsibility for or liability with respect to bodily or personal injury or property loss or damage incurred in connection with the Essent ISU World Cup Speed Skating. Each Member is solely responsible for providing insurance coverage thereto.

○ ACCOMMODATION

Participating ISU Members will have to bear expenses for accommodation for all participating Skaters and team officials. The cost of a room and meal at the official hotel Chiemgauer Hof will be as follows:

Single Room occupancy: 107,00 € per person per night. Prices including meals.

Double Room occupancy; 92,00 € per person per night. Prices including meals.

Prices at other official hotels will be in the same range. Payment by international credit cards accepted.

All arrangements for accommodation must be made through the Organizing Committee.

○ OFFICIAL HOTELS

The Organizing Committee will make hotel reservation for the Competitors in the following hotels:

Hotel Chiemgauer Hof

Lärchenstraße 5, 83334 Inzell / Germany, Phone: +49 (0) 8665 - 6700,
Fax: 0049 (0) 8665 - 67070, info@chiemgauerhof.de

Chiemgau Appartements

Lärchenstraße 7, 83334 Inzell / Germany, Phone: +49 (0) 8665 - 6740,
Fax: 0049 (0) 8665 - 674333, kontakt@chiemgau-appartements.de

Hotel Gasthof Kienberg

Reichenhaller Str. 3, 83334 Inzell / Germany, Phone: +49 (0) 8665 - 223,
Fax: 0049 (0) 8665 - 7374, Gasthof.kienberg@t-online.de

Aparthotel Seidel

Lärchenstraße 17, 83334 Inzell / Germany, Phone: +49 (0) 8665 - 98440,
Fax: 0049 (0) 8665 - 984444, info@aparthotel-seidel.de

The Organizing Committee reserves the right to limit the number of hotel rooms available to each team at the official hotel(s). The organizer is not obliged to provide services (accommodation, accredited entrance to the ice rink, transportation, etc.) for an excessive number of team officials or other accompanying persons from participating ISU Members. Names and functions of all team officials must be submitted together with the final entries for the competition, in accordance with ISU Communication No.1808, paragraph 10.9.

○ TRANSPORTATION

The Organizing Committee will provide transportation from the International Airport Salzburg (A) to Inzell or transfer from the railway station Traunstein to Inzell and back.

There is a train connection from Munich Airport through Munich to Traunstein every hour.

The Organizing Committee would like to be informed about the time of arrival and departure (incl. flight details) of the competitors and team officials as soon as possible, but no later than Thursday, 27.02.2014

○ ORGANIZING COMMITTEE – ENTRIES AND INQUIRIES

All entries, hotel reservations and other inquiries should be addressed to the Organizing Committee at the addresses below. For Media accreditation, please contact the below address as soon as possible.

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Information from the competitions will be posted on the following website(s):

WWW.MAX-AICHER-ARENA.DE

Live results of the competition will be available at the following website:

<http://live.isuresults.eu/2013-2014/inzell/>