

# INTERNATIONAL FIGURE SKATING COMPETITION

International Figure Skating Competition  
Men, Ladies and Ice Dance

AND

Interclub Figure Skating Competition  
Men, Ladies  
+youngsters



***Volvo Open Cup 43<sup>rd</sup>***

***05.11.2020-08.11.2020***

***Riga, Latvia***



## OUR PARTNERS:



*Skate Shop, Kristal Ice  
Volvo Ledus Halle  
Jurmālas Gatve 78 D,  
Rīga, Latvija.  
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## ***ANNOUNCEMENT / INVITATION***

Please note: The Organizing Committee reserves the right to cancel the “ Volvo Open Cup 43<sup>rd</sup> ” if due to the Coronavirus (Covid-19) the decision or recommendation of the national/local Government will not agree to conduct such an event or if the travel restrictions into and out of Latvia.

### **GENERAL:**

The Volvo Open Cup will be conducted in accordance with the ISU Constitution and General Regulations 2018, the Special Regulations and Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating and Ice Dance 2018 as well as all pertinent ISU Communications and valid decisions of the ISU Congress 2018.

Participation in the “ Volvo Open Cup 43<sup>rd</sup> ” is open to all Competitors who belong to an ISU Member, 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 or any update of this Communication.

In accordance with Rule 109 of the ISU General Regulations and ISU Communication 2030 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 present an ISU Clearance Certificate. Passports of all Skaters, as well as the ISU Clearance Certificate, if applicable, must to be presented at the accreditation of the event for verification.

All competitors must be entered through their respective ISU Member Federation.



**ORGANIZER:**

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**DATE:**

**05.11.2020 - 08.11.2020 – 1<sup>st</sup> event 2020/21 season**

**PLACE OF COMPETITION:**

Main Arena: **Volvo Ice Rink**,  
Jurmallas gatve 78 D, Riga, Latvia.  
(an indoor ice-rink with ice surface of 28 x 58 m, air-conditioned and heated)

Practice Arena: Volvo Ice Rink,  
Jurmallas Gatve 78 D, Riga,  
(covered ice rink with ice surface of 28 x 58 m) Both rinks are in same building.

**ENTRIES for Competition :**

All the members of ISU and Clubs, being members of National Skating Federations associated with ISU, are invited to take part in this competition.

Members can enter any quantity of Skaters/Couples into each category.

Organizers have the right to refuse or limit the participation in competition. The attached entry forms have to be filled in precisely and can be sent by e-mail on the address given below by **October 5<sup>th</sup>, 2020** to:

E-mail: [Kristal\\_ice@hello.lv](mailto:Kristal_ice@hello.lv)

**The deadline for entries is October 15<sup>th</sup>, 2020**



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### **CATEGORIES:**

Senior Men, Ladies, Ice Dance:

According to the latest ISU regulations and communications

Junior Men and Ladies , Ice Dance :

According to the latest ISU regulations and communications

Advanced Novice Boys and Girls, Ice Dance :

According to the latest ISU regulations and communications

Basic Novice and Intermediate Novice Boys and Girls, Ice Dance :

According to the latest ISU regulations and communication 2328

Youngsters NON ISU categories Boys and Girls :

According to annex.1

### **ENTRY FEE:**

Advanced Novice, Junior, Senior category - 75 euro

Ice Dance - 90 euro/couple

Basic Novice/Intermediate Novice – 65 euro

NON ISU Youngsters categories – 55 euro

### **ENTRY FEE PAYMENT:**

Entry fees must be paid after confirmation of member participation. Bill must be paid with one (1) transaction for all the country/member participants.

The Organizer will not return entry fee, but you can replace one skater for another in any category not later than one week before draw.

The entry fees have to be transferred to following bank account

Sia "Kristal Ice"

LV 40003763273

LUMINOR bank

LV21RIKO0002930054380 - account number for euro payments

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### **OFFICIALS:**

Each participating ISU Member may nominate one (1) Judge with the qualification "Judge for International competitions" or "ISU Judge" per discipline, double duty Judges are very welcome. We cover hotel`s/meal/pocket money ONLY for Judges who are acting in several panels except those where own federation skaters are presented.

The Panels of Judges will consist of a minimum of five (5) Judges in all panels.



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The Referees and the Technical Panel members will be invited by the Organizing Committee who will also cover their travel expenses/hotel/meal/pocket money.

### **EXPENSES:**

#### **Judges, Referees and Technical Panel**

The Organizer will provide accommodation and meals for all Referees, Judges drawn for the panel, Technical Controllers, Technical Specialists, Data and Replay Operators

#### **Competitors**

Competitors and all other Team Members are responsible for their own travel, accommodation and meal expenses.

### **LIABILITY:**

In accordance with Rule 119, it is the sole responsibility of each Member participating in the Volvo Open Cup 43<sup>rd</sup>, 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 to the home country by air transport or by other expeditious means of the ill or injured person.

Please note – livestream video and photography is provided during all the event.

The Organizer assumes no responsibility for or liability with respect to bodily or personal injury or property damage incurred in connection with the event mentioned above.

### **THE CODE OF ETHICS:**

All the skaters, coaches, judges, chaperons should follow the ISU Communication 2342, (or any update of this Communication). Action against this rule conducts by itself the disqualification of the skater.

### **MUSIC:**

All competitors shall furnish competition music of excellent quality on CD format or USB flash drive.

In accordance with Rule 343 all discs must have Competitor's name, Member's name and the exact running time of the Music (not skating time) including any starting signal and must be submitted at the time of registration.

The titles, composers and orchestras of the music to be used for the Short Program and Free Skating Program for Singles, for the Short Dance and Free Dance Program for Ice Dance, must be listed for each Competitor on the official Music Selection Form and attached to the official Entry Form for Competitors.

**If music information is not complete and music not provided, accreditation will not be given.**



### **PLANNED PROGRAM CONTENTS :**

With the entry forms, the "Program Content Sheet" must be returned to the Organizing Committee. ([Kristal\\_ice@hello.lv](mailto:Kristal_ice@hello.lv)),

It is mandatory that the Program Content Sheet be completed precisely by each skater/couple in English using the proper terminology.

### **AWARDS:**

The top three competitors in each event (Final results) will be honored and awarded by Trophies, special presents and diplomas; others will receive memory presents

### **RESULTS:**

Judging and calculations will be done according to ISU Special Regulations and Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating and Ice Dance 2018

Result information and detailed protocols will be available on the website:

<http://kristallice.lv>

### **ACCREDITATION / REGISTRATION**

At Volvo Ice Arena , OC office during competition days.

### **ACCOMODATION:**

The Organizer will make the room arrangements for **INVITED** officials only.

Skaters, coaches and other team members can book accommodation themselves

### **OFFICIAL HOTEL:**

Official hotel for skaters is [BELLEVUE PARK HOTEL 4\\*](#)

Draws and all the information as starting orders, results, protocols will be available there during competitions.

Transfer from hotel till/from ice rink will be NOT PROVIDED BCS this time of COVID 19 restrictions. But Taxi (Bolt, Yandex and others) available all the time, the cost of 1 trip is about 3-5 euro/car.

All the skaters can use parking, fitness and wifi free of charge.

Special prices for hotel reservation using code " **KRISTAL ICE/VOLVO CUP**"

single room - 50 euro

double room - 55 euro

triple room - 75 euro

extra bed - 20 euro

The price including breakfast

E-mail for reservations : [reservations@bellevue.lv](mailto:reservations@bellevue.lv)



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The **BELLEVUE PARK HOTEL 4\*** ( 5-10 min from icerink by bus)

**All rooms are equipped with:** air conditioner bath or shower, hair dryer, satellite TV, Internet connection, direct-dial telephone and fridge. The above mentioned rates are in EUR per room per night and they include the following services: Accommodation in required room category, Breakfast Buffet, Service Charges, VAT, Parking lot.

### **TRANSFER:**

Transfer between Bellevue Park Hotel and Volvo Arena NOT PROVIDED this time BCS of COVID 19 restrictions. But Taxi (Bolt, Yandex and others) available all the time, the cost of 1 trip is about 3-5 euro/car.

### **TIMETABLE:**

The competition will start on Thursday (Friday), November 5-6.2020 and will be finished on Sunday, November 8.2020. Detailed time schedule will be send to all members soon after the close of entries.

Preliminary Schedule

Ice Dance events: 05(06).11.2020 – 06(07).11.2020

ISU Single Skating: 06.11.2020 – 08.11.2020

NON ISU youngsters categories: 07.11.2020 – 08.11.2020

Preliminary Judge Meeting 05.11.2019

RTD – same day after each event

### **COVID-19 MEASURES:**

The Organizer will host the event according to the Guidelines for ISU Events During the COVID-19 Pandemic - Figure Skating. For your information please see the link below.

<https://www.isu.org/docman-documents-links/isu-files/documents-communications/clean-sport1/coronavirus/24905-isu-guidelines-covid-19-pandemic-sport-specific-annex-figure-skating-final-20-08-31/file>

### **PRACTICE:**

You have to book in advance till 25.10.2020. Extra fee: 15.- Euro / 25 min. person, no music. The detailed schedule will be issued at the time of registration.

### **MISCELLANIOUS:**

Please note: livestream video provided during all the competition long. Professional photographers are working at both icerinks and organizers has a right to use any photo for commercial purposes.





## **TECHNICAL DATA**

The required elements for senior and junior categories are those listed in ISU Special Regulations & Technical Rules Single/Pair Skating 2018; Rule 502, 503, 610, 611, 612, 619, 620, 621 and Communication 2328 for Novices categories. If the ISU issues changes in the rules, they will be added immediately after they are published.

### **SENIOR LADIES and MEN**

Short Program: The required elements to be skated are those listed in ISU Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating 2018 Rule 611, paragraphs 1 and 3 for 2020/21. Duration: 2 min., 40sec. +/-10 sec.

Free Skating In accordance with ISU Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating 2018, 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

### **SENIOR ICE DANCE**

Rhythm Dance In accordance with ISU Technical Rules Ice Dance 2018, Rule 709. Rhythms, required elements and guidelines are those listed in ISU Communications 2314, 2315 and subsequent updates. Duration: 2 min., 50 sec., +/- 10 sec

Free Dance In accordance with ISU Technical Rules Ice Dance 2018, Rule 710. The required elements to be skated are those listed in ISU Communication 2314, 2315 and subsequent updates. Duration: 4 min., +/- 10 sec.

### **JUNIOR LADIES and MEN**

Short Program. The required elements to be skated are those listed in ISU Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating 2018, Rule 611, paragraphs 1 and 2. Duration: 2 min., 40 sec. +/-10 sec.

Free Skating In accordance with ISU Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating 2018, 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

### **JUNIOR ICE DANCE**

Rhythm Dance In accordance with ISU Technical Rules Ice Dance 2018, Rule 709. Rhythms, required elements and guidelines are those listed in ISU Communication 2314, 2315 and subsequent updates. Duration: 2 min.50 sec. +/- 10 sec

Free Dance In accordance with ISU Technical Rules Ice Dance 2018, Rule 710. The required elements to be skated are those listed in ISU Communication 2314, 2315 and subsequent updates. Duration: 3 min.30 sec. +/- 10 sec.

### **ADVANCED NOVICE GIRLS and BOYS** (at least 10 y.o., but younger than 15 y.o.as of 01.01.2020).

Short Program: 2 min 20 sec, +/-10 sec. Free Skating: 3 min +/-10 sec

Category will be held in accordance with ISU Communication 2328 (or any update) and all respective ISU regulations.



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### **ADVANCED NOVICE ICE DANCE**

Compulsory Dances In accordance with ISU Communication 2314, 2315:

Free Dance In accordance with ISU Communication 2242. Special attention should be paid to the “well balanced program” and the element value. Duration: 3 min. +/- 10 sec.

**INTERMEDIATE NOVICE GIRLS and BOYS** (younger than 15 y.o.as of 01.017.2020).

Free Skating: 3 min, +/- 10 sec

Category will be held in accordance with ISU Communication 2328 (or any update) and all respective ISU regulations.

### **INTERMEDIATE NOVICE ICE DANCE**

Compulsory Dances In accordance with ISU Communication 2314, 2315:

Free Dance In accordance with ISU Communication 2314, 2315. Special attention should be paid to the “well balanced program” and the element value. Duration: 2 min 30 sec, +/- 10 sec

**BASIC NOVICE 2007-2009 GIRLS** Free Skating: 2 min 30 sec, +/- 10 sec

Category will be held in accordance with ISU Communication 2328 (or any update) and all respective ISU regulations.

**BASIC NOVICE 20010 and Younger GIRLS** Free Skating: 2 min 30 sec, +/- 10 sec

Category will be held in accordance with ISU Communication 2328 (or any update) and all respective ISU regulations.

**BASIC NOVICE BOYS** (younger than 13 y.o.as of 01.017.2020). Free Skating: 2 min 30 sec, +/- 10 sec

Category will be held in accordance with ISU Communication 2328 ( or any update ) and all respective ISU regulations.

### **BASIC NOVICE ICE DANCE**

Compulsory Dances In accordance with ISU Communication 2314, 2315:

Free Dance In accordance with ISU Communication 2314, 2315. Special attention should be paid to the “well balanced program” and the element value. Duration: 2 min, +/- 10 sec



## **TECHNICAL DATA**

### Youngsters NON ISU categories Boys and Girls : Annex.1

**PRE-CHICKS A** Free Skating only Girls and Boys (2014 and younger) 2 min., +/- 10 sec.

- a) maximum of four (4) jump elements (one of which must be an Axel type jump)
- b) maximum of two (2) jump combinations or sequences. Jump combination can contain only two (2) jumps. A jump sequence consists of 2 (two) jumps of any number of revolutions, beginning with anylisted jump, immediately followed by an Axel type jump with a direct step from the landing curve of the first jump to the take-off curve of the Axel jump.
- c) maximum of two (2) spins of a different nature
- d) one (1) step sequence.

**CHICKS A** Free Skating only Girls and Boys (2012/2013 and younger) 2 min., +/- 10 sec.

- a) maximum of four (4) jump elements (one of which must be an Axel type jump)
- b) maximum of two (2) jump combinations or sequences. Jump combination can contain only two (2) jumps. A jump sequence consists of 2 (two) jumps of any number of revolutions, beginning with anylisted jump, immediately followed by an Axel type jump with a direct step from the landing curve of the first jump to the take-off curve of the Axel jump.
- c) maximum of two (2) spins of a different nature (minimum of 4 revolutions each)
- d) one (1) step sequence.

**CHICKS Axel** Free Skating only Girls and Boys (2012/2013 and younger) 2 min., +/- 10 sec.

- a) maximum of four (4) jump elements (one of which must be an Axel type jump)
- b) maximum of two (2) jump combinations or sequences. Jump combination can contain only two (2) jumps. A jump sequence consists of 2 (two) jumps of any number of revolutions, beginning with anylisted jump, immediately followed by an Axel type jump with a direct step from the landing curve of the first jump to the take-off curve of the Axel jump.
- c) maximum of two (2) spins of a different nature (minimum of 3 revolutions each)
- d) one (1) step sequence

Only 1A is allowed in this category and all the double jumps is not allowed

### **IMPORTANT!**

1. The Program Components are only judged in

- Skating Skills
- Performance/execution
- The Factor of the Program Components is • 2.5



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2. In all elements which are subject to Levels, only features up to Level 2 (Pre-Chicks A and Chicks A) Level 1 (Chicks Axel) will be counted. Any additional features will not count for Level requirements and will be ignored by the Technical Panel.
3. Evaluation is in accordance with ISU Communication No. 2334 (or any update of this Communication).
4. No jump with the same name may be repeated more than twice including Axel type jumps.
5. There shall be no bonus for difficult elements in the second half of the program
6. Time violation - 0.5 point deduction for every 5 seconds in excess.
7. Falls - 0.5 point deduction for every fall
8. Interruption - more than 10 sec. up to 20 sec.: -0,5  
-more than 20 sec. up to 30 sec.: -1,0  
-more than 30 sec. up to 40 sec.: - 1,5

Interruption of the program with allowance of up to three (3) min. to resume from the point of interruption: -2,5 per program

9. Warm up group up to 10 skaters
10. Warm up 4 min.

**PRE-CHICKS B** Free Skating only Girls and Boys (2014 and younger) 2 min., +/- 10 sec.

- a) maximum of four (4) jump elements minimum of two (2) jump elements
- b) maximum of two (2) jump combinations. Jump combination can contain only two (2) jumps.
- c) maximum of two (2) spins of a different nature (minimum of 3 revolutions each);
- d) one (1) step sequence.

1 Axel and double (2) jumps are not allowed in pre-chicks b category!

**CHICKS B** Free Skating only Girls and Boys (2012/2013 and younger) 2 min., +/- 10 sec.

- a) maximum of four (4) jump elements
- b) maximum of two (2) jump combinations. Jump combination can contain only two (2) jumps.
- c) maximum of two (2) spins of a different nature (minimum of 3 revolutions each)
- d) one (1) step sequence.

- 1 Axel and double (2) jumps are not allowed



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**CUBS B** Free Skating only Girls and Boys (2010/2011) 2 min. 30 sec., +/- 10 sec.

a) maximum of four (4) jump elements;

b) maximum of two (2) jump combinations or sequences. Jump combination can contain only two (2) jumps. A jump sequence consists of 2 (two) jumps of any number of revolutions, beginning with any listed jump, immediately followed by an Axel type jump with a direct step from the landing curve of the first jump to the take-off curve of the Axel jump

c) maximum of two (2) spins of a different nature (minimum of three (5) revolutions);

d) one step sequence.

• 1 Axel and one (1) double jump are allowed not more than two (2) times.

2F and 2Lz – are not allowed in this category

**SPRINGS B** Free Skating only Girls and Boys (2008/2009) 2 min. 30 sec., +/- 10 sec.

a) maximum of four (4) jump elements (one of which must be an Axel type jump;)

b) maximum of two (2) jump combinations or sequences. Jump combination can contain only two (2) jumps. A jump sequence consists of 2 (two) jumps of any number of revolutions, beginning with any listed jump, immediately followed by an Axel type jump with a direct step from the landing curve of the first jump to the take-off curve of the Axel jump

c) maximum of two (2) spins of a different nature (minimum of three (5) revolutions);

d) one step sequence.

•Maximum 2 (two) different double jumps are allowed and they cannot be repeated more than twice.

2A, 2F and 2Lz – are not allowed in this category

### **IMPORTANT!!!**

1. The Program Components are only judged in • Skating Skills • Performance/execution

The Factor of the Program Components is • 2.0

2. In all elements which are subject to Levels, only features up to Level Base (Pre-Chicks B, Chicks B,

Cubs B), Level 1 (Springs) will be counted. Any additional features will not count for Level requirements and will be ignored by the Technical Panel.

3. Evaluation is in accordance with ISU Communication No. 2334 (or any update of this Communication).

4. No jump with the same name may be repeated more than twice including Axel type jumps.

5. There shall be no bonus for difficult elements in the second half of the program

6. Time violation - 0.5 point deduction for every 5 seconds in excess.



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7. Falls - 0.5 point (Chicks B, Cubs B, Springs), 0,25 point (Pre-Chicks B) deduction for every fall

8. Interruption

-more than 10 sec. up to 20 sec.: -0,5

-more than 20 sec. up to 30 sec.: -1,0

-more than 30 sec. up to 40 sec.: - 1,5

Interruption of the program with allowance of up to three (3) min. to resume from the point of interruption:  
-2,5 perprogram

9. Warm up group up to 10 skaters

10. Warm up 4 min.

**NOVICE B** Free Skating only 3 min. +/- 10 sec.

Age limits- has reached at least the age of ten (10) - has not reached the age of fifteen (15) before July 1st preceding the event

a) Maximum of 5 jump elements, one of which must be an Axel type jump.

There may be up to two (2) jump combinations or sequences. A jump combination can contain only two (2) jumps. A jump sequence consists of 2 (two) jumps of any number of revolutions, beginning with any listed jump, immediately followed by an Axel type jump with a direct step from the landing curve of the first jump to the take-off curve of the Axel jump

b) There must be a maximum of two (2) spins of a different nature. -one of which must be a spin combination with change of foot (minimum of eight (8) revolutions in total) or without change of foot (minimum of six (6) revolutions in total) Flying entry is allowed. -one spin with no change of position with change of foot (minimum of eight (8) revolutions in total) or without change of foot (minimum of six (6) revolutions in total). Flying entry is allowed

c) One (1) Step sequence with full utilization of the ice surface.

Double Axel and triple jumps are not allowed.

The Program Components are only judged in

• Skating Skills                      • Performance/Execution                      • Interpretation

The factor for the Program Components is                      • for boys 2.0                      • for girls 1.7

**JUNIOR B** Free Skating only 3 min., +/- 10 sec.

a) maximum of five (5) jump elements one of which must be an Axel type jump;

b) maximum of three (3) jump combinations or sequences; (Only one jump combination may consist of three (3) jumps); A jump sequence consists of 2 (two) jumps of any number of revolutions, beginning with any listed jump, immediately followed by an Axel type jump with a direct step from the landing curve of the first jump to the take-off curve of the Axel jump



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c) three (3) spins of a different nature, one of which must be a spin combination (minimum of ten (10) revolutions in total), one a flying spin (minimum of six (6) revolutions) and one spin is optional (minimum of six (6) revolutions);

d) one (1) step sequence.

### **SENIOR B** Free Skating only 3.30 min., +/- 10 sec.

a) maximum of six (6) jump elements one of which must be an Axel type jump;

b) maximum of three (3) jump combinations or sequences (Only one jump combination may consist of three (3) jumps); A jump sequence consists of 2 (two) jumps of any number of revolutions, beginning with any listed jump, immediately followed by an Axel type jump with a direct step from the landing

curve of the first jump to the take-off curve of the Axel jump

c) three (3) spins of a different nature, one of which must be a spin combination (minimum of ten (10) revolutions in total), one a flying spin (minimum of six (6) revolutions) and one spin is optional (minimum of six (6) revolutions);

d) one(1) step sequence.

### **IMPORTANT!!!**

The Program Components are only judged in

• Skating Skills                      • Transitions                      • Performance/Execution                      • Interpretation

The factor for the Program Components is                      • for men 1.7                      • for ladies 1.5

2. In all elements which are subject to Levels, only features up to Level 2 (Novice B, Junior B) Level 3

Senior B) will be counted. Any additional features will not count for Level requirements and will be ignored by the Technical Panel.

3. Evaluation is in accordance with ISU Communication No. 2334 (or any update of this Communication).

4. No jump with the same name may be repeated more than twice including Axel type jumps.

5. There shall be no bonus for difficult elements in the second half of the program

6. Time violation - 0.5 point (Novice B) deduction for every 5 seconds in excess.

7. Falls - 0.5 point (Novice B) deduction for every fall

8. Interruption

-more than 10 sec. up to 20 sec.: -0,5

-more than 20 sec. up to 30 sec.: -1,0

-more than 30 sec. up to 40 sec.: - 1,5



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Interruption of the program with allowance of up to three (3) min. to resume from the point of interruption:  
-2,5 perprogram

9. Warm up group up to 8 skaters

10. Warm up 5 min.

**Pre-Chicks C** Free Skating only Girls and Boys (2014 and younger) 2 min., +/- 10 sec.

- a) maximum of four (4) jump elements minimum of two (2) jump elements
- b) maximum of two (2) jump combinations. Jump combination can contain only two (2) jumps.
- c) maximum of two (2) spins, each spin in one position (minimum of 3 revolutions each);
- d) one (1) step sequence (2/3 ice covered).

Waltz jump is allowed in Pre-Chicks C category and has a value 0.20

1 Axel, Lutz, Flip and double jumps are not allowed in pre-chicks C category!

**CHICKS C** Free Skating only Girls and Boys (2012/2013 and younger) 2 min., +/- 10 sec.

- a) maximum of four (4) jump elements
- b) maximum of two (2) jump combinations. Jump combination can contain only two (2) jumps.
- c) maximum of two (2) spins, each spin in one position (minimum of 3 revolutions each);
- d) one (1) step sequence.

Waltz jump is allowed in Chicks C category and has a value 0.20

Axel, Lutz, Flip and double jumps are not allowed

### **IMPORTANT!!!**

1. The Program Components are only judged in                      • Skating Skills                      • Performance/execution

The Factor of the Program Components is • 1.5

2. In all elements which are subject to Levels, only features up to Level Base will be counted. Any additional features will not count for Level requirements and will be ignored by the Technical Panel.

3. Evaluation is in accordance with ISU Communication No. 2334 (or any update of this Communication).

4. No jump with the same name may be repeated more than twice including Axel type jumps.

5. There shall be no bonus for difficult elements in the second half of the program

6. Time violation - 0.5 point deduction for every 5 seconds in excess





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7. Falls - 0.25 point deduction for every fall

8. Interruption – 0,5

9. Warm up group up to 10 skaters

10. Warm up 4 min.

### **BEGINNERS** ISU Judging system

**Beginners born 2007-2009 and younger** Free Program: max. 2:00 min (± 10 sek)

a). Maximum four (4) jump elements- at least two (2) of them are solo jumps

- at least one (1) and no more than two (2) are jump combinations. Jump combination can contain only two (2) jumps.

b). maximum of two (2) spins, each spin in one position (minimum of 3 revolutions each) NEW !

c) Step sequence (2/3 cover of the ice), (straight line, circular or serpentine).

Axel and double jumps are not allowed!

In occasion of much entries category may be divided

**Beginners born 1998 -2002 and 2003-2006** Free Program: max. 2:30 min (± 10 sek)

1. Maximum five (4) jump elements

- at least two (2) of them are solo jumps

- at least one (1) and no more than two (2) are jump combinations or sequences. Jump combination can contain only two (2) jumps. A jump sequence consists of 2 (two) jumps of any number of revolutions, beginning with any listed jump, immediately followed by an Axel type jump with a direct step from the landing curve of the first jump to the take-off curve of the Axel jump

2. At least one (1) but not more than two (2) spins of a different nature min. four (4) revolutions.

3. Step sequence (2/3 cover of the ice), (straight line, circular or serpentine).

Maximum one (1) Axel and one (1) double jump are allowed

**Beginners born 1987 -1997** Free Program: max. 2:30 min (± 10 sek)

1. Maximum five (5) jump elements

- at least two (2) of them are solo jumps

- at least one (1) and no more than two (2) are jump combinations or sequences ( Only one jump combination may consist of three (3) jumps); A jump sequence consists of 2 (two) jumps of any number of revolutions, beginning with any listed jump, immediately followed by an Axel type jump with a direct step from the landing curve of the first jump to the take-off curve of the Axel jump



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2. At least one (1) but not more than two (2) spins min. four (4) revolutions.
3. Step sequence (2/3 cover of the ice), (straight line, circular or serpentine).

Maximum one (1) Axel and one (1) double jump are allowed

### IMPORTANT!!!

1. The Program Components are only judged in • Skating Skills • Performance/execution

The Factor of the Program Components is • 1.3

2. In all elements which are subject to Levels, only features up to Level Base will be counted. Any additional features will not count for Level requirements and will be ignored by the Technical Panel.
3. Evaluation is in accordance with ISU Communication No. 2334 (or any update of this Communication).
4. No jump with the same name may be repeated more than twice including Axel type jumps.
5. There shall be no bonus for difficult elements in the second half of the program
6. Time violation - 0.5 point deduction for every 5 seconds in excess
7. Falls - • 0.5 point deduction for every fall
8. Interruption – 0,5
9. Warm up group up to 10 skaters
10. Warm up 4 min.

### Hobby Class

**Adults** born from 1987 and older  
**ISU Judging system**

<b>Gold</b>	<b>ladies and men</b>	<b>Free program:</b>	max. 2:40 min (± 10 sek)
<b>Silver</b>	<b>ladies and men</b>	<b>Free program:</b>	max. 2:00 min (± 10 sek)
<b>Bronze</b>	<b>ladies and men</b>	<b>Free program:</b>	max. 1:40 min (± 10 sek)