



ANNOUNCEMENT

1. - 4. November 2018

11th TIRNAVIA ICE CUP

AN INTERNATIONAL JUNIOR,

ADVANCED NOVICES

COMPETITION

AND

AN INTERCLUB INTERMEDIATE NOVICE, BASIC NOVICE, PRE-NOVICE,
JUVENILE AND PRE- JUVENILE COMPETITION

BOYS, GIRLS

ORGANIZED BY THE

FIGURE SKATING CLUB TRNAVA

TRNAVA / SLOVAK REPUBLIC

NOVEMBER 1 – 4, 2018

UNDER THE AUTHORIZATION OF THE SLOVAK FIGURE SKATING ASSOCIATION

1. GENERAL REGULATIONS

The **Tirnavia Ice Cup** will be conducted in accordance with the ISU Constitution and General Regulations 2018, the Special Regulations and Technical Rules Single and Pair Skating 2018 and the relevant ISU Communications.

Participation in the **Tirnavia Ice Cup** 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 2 c) 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 produce an 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 Member Federation.

Livestream on: www.kraso-trnava.sk

2. TECHNICAL DATA

Place: **Main arena:** Mestský zimný štadión (City Ice Rink)
Spartakovská 1/A, 91701 Trnava,
SLOVAK REPUBLIC
Non-heated Ice Rink (60 x 30 m)

The required elements for junior categories are those listed in ISU Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating 2018; Rule 502, Rule 611, 612 and Communication 2172 for Advanced Novices categories.

JUNIOR 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 2018/19.
		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.

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

ADVANCED NOVICES (born after July 1st 2003 – June 30th 2006)

In accordance with ISU Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating for Novices – Comm. 2172.

SHORT PROGRAM ADVANCED NOVICE BOYS

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

Vocal music is allowed.

The Short Program for Boys Singles shall consist of the following elements:

- a) Axel Paulsen or double Axel Paulsen
- b) Double or triple jump, may not repeat jump a)
- c) One jump combination consisting of two double jumps or one double and one triple jump, both jumps may not repeat jump a) or b)
- d) Camel, sit or upright spin (minimum of five (5) revolutions on each foot) with change of foot and no flying entrance.
- e) Spin combination with only one change of foot (minimum of five (5) revolutions on each foot). Flying entry is allowed.
- f) One step sequence fully utilizing the ice surface.

SHORT PROGRAM ADVANCED NOVICE GIRLS

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

Vocal music is allowed.

The Short Program for Girls Singles shall consist of the following elements:

- a) Axel Paulsen or double Axel Paulsen
- b) Double or triple jump, may not repeat jump a)
- c) One jump combination consisting of two double jumps or one double and one triple jump, both jumps may not repeat jump a) or b)
- d) Layback/sideways leaning spin or spin in one basic position with no change of foot (minimum six (6) revolutions).
- e) Spin combination with only one change of foot (minimum of five (5) revolutions on each foot). Flying entry is allowed.
- f) One step sequence fully utilizing the ice surface.

Jumps not according to Short Program requirements (wrong number of revolutions) will receive no value. If the same jump is executed as a solo jump and as a part of the jump combination, the repeated jump will not be counted (if this repetition is in a jump combination, only the individual jump which is not according to the above requirements will not be counted).

FREE SKATING ADVANCED NOVICE

Duration: Girls: 3 min., +/- 10 sec.
Boys: 3 min., +/- 10 sec.

Vocal music is allowed.

A well balanced Free Skating program for Singles must contain:

a) Maximum of 6 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 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. Only two (2) triple jumps can be repeated either in a jump combination or a jump sequence. No quadruple jumps are allowed. Any single, double (including Double Axel) or triple jump cannot be executed more than twice in total.

b) There must be a maximum of two (2) spins of a different nature (abbreviation), one of which must be a spin combination with change of foot (minimum eight (8) revolutions), flying entrance is not allowed and one must be a flying spin (minimum six (6) revolutions) or a spin in one position with change of foot and a flying entrance (minimum eight (8) revolutions).

c) There must be a maximum of one (1) step sequence fully utilizing the ice surface.

Levels explanations:

For Advanced Novice Singles, in all elements that are subject to Levels, only features up to **Level 3** will be counted. Any additional features will not count for Level requirements and will be ignored by the Technical Panel.

The Program Components are only judged in

- Skating Skills
- Transitions
- Performance
- Interpretation

The factors for the Program Components is

Boys SP: 0.9 FS: 1.8

Girls SP: 0.8 FS: 1.6

INTERMEDIATE NOVICE - GIRLS AND BOYS (has not reached the age of fifteen (15))

Intermediate Novice Free Skating only Intermediate Novice Free Skating 3:00 min, +/- 10 sec.

Boys and Girls A well balanced Free Skating program for Single Skating must contain:

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 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. No triple and quadruple jumps allowed. Any single or double (including Double Axel) jump cannot be executed more than twice in total.

b) There must be a maximum of two (2) spins of a different nature (abbreviation), one of which must be a spin combination with change of foot (minimum eight (8) revolutions), flying entrance is not allowed and one must be a flying spin (minimum six (6) revolutions) or a spin in one position with change of foot and a flying entrance (minimum eight (8) revolutions).

c) There must be a maximum of one (1) step sequence fully utilizing the ice surface.

The Program Components are only judged in

- Skating Skills
- Performance
- Interpretation

The Factor of the Program Components is - for boys 2.0 - for girls 1.7

Levels explanations:

For Intermediate Novice 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.

BASIC NOVICE - has not reached the age of thirteen (13)

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

Basic Novice - Girls and Boys A well balanced Free Skating program for Single Skating 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 sequences. Jump combinations can contain only two (2) jumps. A jump sequence consists of 2 (two) jumps of any number of revolutions, beginning with any 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. No triple and quadruple jumps are allowed.

Any single and double jump (including Double Axel) cannot be executed more than twice in total.

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.

The Program Components are only judged in

- Skating Skills
- Performance

The Factor of the Program Components is 2.5.

Levels explanations:

For Basic Novice 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.

PRE-NOVICE GIRLS and BOYS (born after 1st July 2006 – 30th June 2008)

FREE SKATING ONLY

Duration: Girls: 3 min., +/- 10 sec.
 Boys: 3 min., +/- 10 sec.

Vocal music is allowed.

A well balanced Free Skating program for must contain:

- a) Maximum 6 jump elements for Girls and Boys 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 can contain any number of jumps, but only two most difficult jumps will be counted. Only two (2) jumps with three (3) or more revolutions can be repeated either in a jump combination or in a jump sequence. Any single and double jump (including Double Axel) cannot be executed more than twice in total.
- b) There must be a maximum of two (2) spins of a different nature (abbreviation), one of which must be a spin combination with change of foot (minimum eight (8) revolutions (no more than 6 turns)), flying entrance is not allowed and one must be a flying spin (at least 8 turns) or a spin in one position with change of foot and a flying entrance (minimum eight (8) revolutions). In pirouettes, the minimum number of revolutions is in position two (2). If this condition is not met, the position is not counted.
- c) There must be a maximum of one (1) step sequence fully utilizing the ice surface

For Pre-Novice Singles, in all elements that are subject to Levels, only features up to **Level 3** will be counted. Any additional features will not count for Level requirements and will be ignored by the Technical Panel.

The Program Components are only judged in

- Skating Skills
- Transitions
- Performance
- Interpretation

The factors for the Program Components is

- Free Skating - for boys 1.8
- for girls 1.6

JUVENILE GIRLS 10 (born after 1st July 2008 – 30th June 2009)

JUVENILE GIRLS 9 (born after 1st July 2009 – 30th June 2010)

JUVENILE BOYS (born after 1st July 2008 – 30th June 2010)

FREE SKATING

Duration: 2 min., 30 sec. +/- 10 sec

Vocal music is allowed.

A well balanced Free Skating program for Juvenile must contain:

- a) Maximum of **5 jump elements** for Girls and Boys 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 can contain any number of jumps, but only two most difficult jumps will be counted. Any single and double jump (including Double Axel) cannot be executed more than twice in total. Repeated jump must be executed either in a jump combination or in a jump sequence. Each repeated solo jump, which is not part of the combination or sequence, is evaluated with the 70 % of its original base value and will be marked as jump + REP.
- 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 can be executed 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 with no change of position can be executed with a change of foot and a minimum of eight (8) revolutions or

without a change of foot and a minimum of six (6) revolutions. Both pirouettes are allowed to start by jumping. In pirouettes, the minimum number of revolutions is in position two (2).

If this condition is not met, the position is not counted.

c) There must be a maximum of **one (1) step sequence or one (1) choreographic sequence**.

Step sequence will be subject to levels. The step sequence must fully utilize 2/3 of an ice surface. Choreographic sequence must fully utilize 2/3 of an ice surface and must contain at least one (1) spiral position of min. 3 sec. and there might be any kind of movements like steps, turns, spirals, arabesques, spread eagles, Ina Bauers, hydroblading, transitional (unlisted) jumps, spinning movements etc. The Choreographic Sequence has a base value and will be evaluated by the judges in GOE only.

For Juvenile, in all elements which are subject to Levels, only features up to **Level 3** will be counted. Any additional features will not count for Level requirements and will be ignored by the Technical Panel.

The Program Components are only judged in:

- Skating Skills
- Performance/Execution
- Interpretation

The Factors of the Program Components are:

- for boys 2.0
- for girls 1.7

Deductions:

- For time -1.0 for every missing or 5 seconds more,
- Illegal elements -2.0,
- For costume and accessories -1.0,
- Fall -0.5
- For interruption (more than 20s-30s) -0,5
- For interruption (more than 20s-30s) -1,0
- For interruption (more than 30s-40s) -1,5
- For interruption (more than 40s) -2,0
- For interruption (more than 3min) -2,5

PRE-JUVENILE GIRLS 8 (born after 1st July 2010 – 30th June 2011)

PRE-JUVENILE GIRLS 7 (born after 1st July 2011 – 30th June 2013)

PRE-JUVENILE BOYS (born after 1st July 2010 – 30th June 2013)

FREE SKATING

Duration: 2 min. +/- 10 sec

Vocal music is allowed.

A well balanced Free Skating program for Pre-Juvenile must contain:

a) Maximum of **4 jump elements** for Girls and Boys. There may be up to two (2) jump combinations or sequences. Jump combinations can contain only two (2) jumps. A jump sequence can contain any number of jumps, but only two most difficult jumps will be counted. Triple jumps are not permitted. Any single and double jump cannot be executed more than twice in total.

Repeated jump must be executed either in a jump combination or in a jump sequence.

Each repeated solo jump, which is not part of the combination or sequence, is evaluated with the 70 % of its original base value and will be marked as jump + REP.

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- b) There must be a maximum of **two (2) spins** of a different nature (abbreviation). The spin can be executed with a change of foot and a minimum of six (6) revolutions or without a change of foot and a minimum of four (4) revolutions. (Spins are different if they have different abbreviation and different position. USp and CUSp are **not** considered as different spins) In pirouettes, the minimum number of turns is in position two (2). If this condition is not met, the position is not counted.
- c) There must be a maximum of **one (1) Choreographic Sequence** that will be counted with base value. A choreographic Sequence has to consist of min. one (1) spiral position with min. 3 sec. and there might be any kind of movements like steps, turns, spirals, arabesques, spread eagles, Ina Bauers, hydroblading, transitional (unlisted) jumps, spinning movements etc. The pattern is not restricted, but the Sequence must fully utilize min. the 2/3 of ice surface. If this requirement is not fulfilled, the Sequence will have no value. The Choreographic Sequence has a base value and will be evaluated by the judges in GOE only.

For Pre-Juvenile, in 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 (but can increase the GOE from judges).

The Program Components are only judged in:

- Skating Skills
- Performance/Execution

The Factors of the Program Components are 2.5 for boys and girls.

Deductions:

- For time -1.0 for every missing or 5 seconds more,
- Illegal elements -2.0,
- For costume and accessories -1.0,
- Fall -0.5
- For interruption more than 10s-20s -0,5
- For interruption more than 20s-30s -1,0

3. ENTRIES

Entries by e-mail must be confirmed by a letter sent to the Organizers and Slovak Figure Skating Association.

List of entries (competitors, judges, team leaders, coaches, other persons) must reach the organizer **by October 10th, 2018** at the following address:

Krasokorčuliarsky Klub Trnava
Organizing Committee Tirnavia Ice Cup
c/o Jozef Čurma, Spartakovska 1/A, Trnava, Slovakia , curmaj@gmail.com

It is mandatory that the form "Planned Program Content Sheet" must be filled in for each skater of each category in English using the terminology for the elements listed in the respective ISU Communication. This form must reach the organizer at latest October 10th 2018 by e-mail (curmaj@gmail.com).

4. CHARGES

For categories: Intermediate, Basic, Pre – Novice, Juvenile and Pre –Juvenile - **40 €**

For categories: Junior and Novice - **60 €**

at the registration before the competition.

5. MEALS, LODGING and TRAVEL EXPENSES

The Organizer will provide and cover the rooms and meals for Officials and Judges, beginning with dinner on November 1st until lunch on November 4th. Travel expenses will not be reimbursed. Travel expenses will be paid only to the Referees, the Technical Specialists, Technical Controllers and Data/Replay Operators based on economy airfare. All Competitors, Coaches and Team Leaders have to bear their own expenses. All participants, except Referees and Judges on duty as well as the members of the Technical Panels on duty, have to pay for their own accommodation. The possibilities of accommodation will be offered on the web site <http://www.kraso-trnava.sk>

6. PRACTICE

Official practice for competitors starts as follows:

October 30, 2018 Pre-Juvenile, Juvenile

November 1, 2018 Pre-Novice, Intermediate, Basic, Advanced Novice

November 2, 2018 Junior

7. MUSIC

All Competitors shall furnish competition music of excellent quality on CD in any other approved format, in accordance with Rule 343, paragraph 2. A list of titles, composers and orchestras of the music to be used for the Short Program and Free Skating Program for Single and Pairs, for the Short and Free Dance Program for Ice Dance and for the Exhibition must be listed for each Competitor on the official Music Selection Form and attached to the official Entry Form for Competitors. In accordance with Rule 343, paragraph 2, all covers/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.

8. ARRIVAL OF PARTICIPANTS/TEAMS

The office of the organizing committee and the registration office will be located at the ice rink and will be opened every day during the competition.

Participating teams are kindly asked to announce changes to their teams as early as possible but at the latest immediately after the arrival of the team.

For further information please contact:

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e-mail: curmaj@gmail.com

In accordance with ISU Regulations, rule 119, all participants, officials and volunteer act at their own responsibility. The organizer will provide medical emergency aid during the competition.

9. INSURANCE/LIABILITY

The Organizer assumes no responsibility for or liability with respect to bodily or personal injury or property damage incurred in connection incurred by Competitors and Officials.

10. RESULTS

The marking system (ISU Judging System) as described in ISU Technical Rule Single and Pair Skating 2018, Rule 352 and Rule 353 (Determination and Publication of Results) will be used.

11. AWARDING

The Organizer will be awarded to each winner for each category.

12. EVENT SCHEDULE

PRELIMINARY TIMETABLE

Wednesday, October 30nd, 2018

Practice PRE-JUVENILES

Practice JUVENILES

Thursday, November 1nd, 2018

Practice PRE-NOVICE

Practice BASIC NOVICE

Free Skating PRE-JUVENILES

Free Skating JUVENILES

Friday, November 2th, 2018

Practice Novice

Practice JUNIORS

Short Program NOVICES

Free Skating PRE-NOVICES

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Saturday, November 3th,2018

Short Program JUNIORS

Free Skating NOVICES

Free Skating BASIC NOVICES

Practice Intermediate NOVICE

Sunday, November 4th,2018

Free Program JUNIORS

Free Skating INTERMEDIATE NOVICES

The final program will be sent to all participant members as soon as the entries are completed.