

**HUNGARIAN NATIONAL SKATING FEDERATION
ANNOUNCES**



“JÉGVIRÁG” CUP 2012

**Synchronized Skating International Competition for Senior, Junior and Novice teams
Miskolc, Hungary**

run under authorization of the **ISU** and in accordance with **ISU Regulations 2010**

Organized by:

**HUNGARIAN NATIONAL SKATING FEDERATION and
“JÉGVIRÁG” Skating Club, Miskolc, Hungary**

Date:

Febr. 24-26, 2012

Events:	Seniors:	Short Program
		Free Skating
	Juniors:	Short Program
		Free Skating
	Novices Advance:	Free Skating
	Novices Basic:	Free Skating

Be so kind to notify your intention to participate at the Competition until December 12, 2011, so we may begin planning for your attendance. Thank you for your kind reply.

Please direct all your inquiries to:

„JÉGVIRÁG” CUP 2012

ORGANIZING COMMITTEE

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ANNOUNCEMENT / INVITATION

The International Skating Union, the Hungarian National Skating Federation and the „Jégvirág” Skating Club have a great pleasure to invite the ISU Members to participate in

„JÉGVIRÁG” CUP 2012

Synchronized Skating International Competition for Seniors, Juniors, Novice Advanced and Novice Basics

Miskolc, Hungary

Febr. 24-26, 2012

INVITED MEMBERS

The following Members of the International Skating Union have been invited to enter the “JÉGVIRÁG” CUP 2012:

Ice Skating Australia Incorporated	AUS
Osterreichischer Eiskunstlauf Verband	AUT
Federation Royale Belge de Patinage Artistique	BEL
Skating Union of Belarus	BLR
Bulgarian Skating Federation	BUL
Canadian Figure Skating Association	CAN
Chinese Skating Association	CHN
Croatian Skating Federation	CRO
Czech Figure Skating Association	CZE
Dansk Skøjte Union	DEN
The Estonian Skating Union	EST
Finnish Figure Skating Association	FIN
Federation Francaise des Sports de Glace	FRA
Deutsche Eislauf-Union e. V.	GER
National Ice Skating Association of UK Limited	GRB
Hungarian National Skating Federation	HUN
Icelandic Skating Association, Figure Skating Division	ISL
Israel Ice Skating Federation	ISR
Federazione Italiana Sport del Ghiaccio	ITA
Japan Skating Federation	JPN
Korea Skating Union	KOR
Federacion Mexicana de Deportes Invernales, A.C.	MEX
Koninklijke Nederlandsche Schaatsenrijders Bond	NED
Norges Skøyteforbund	NOR
Polish Figure Skating Association	POL
Romanian Skating Federation	ROM
The Figure Skating Federation of Russia	RUS
Association of Skating Sports of Serbia	SER

Slovakian Figure Skating Association	SVK
Slovene Skating Union	SLO
South African Ice skating Association	RSA
Svenska Konstakingsforbundet	SWE
Schweizer Eislauf-Verband	SUI
Turkish Ice Sports Federation	TUR
The United States Figure Skating Association	USA



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GENERAL RULES

The „JÉGVIRÁG” CUP 2012 will be conducted in accordance with the ISU Constitution, ISU General Regulations 2010 and Special Regulations for Synchronized Skating 2010 as well as all pertinent ISU Communications. The teams must belong to an ISU Member (Rule 130, paragraph 7), the ages must fall within the limits specified in Rule 108, paragraph 3. All skaters must qualify with regard to eligibility according to Rule 102 and participation and citizenship requirements according to Rule 109. Passports of the skaters, as well as the ISU Clearance Certificate, if applicable, must to be presented at the accreditation.

CATEGORIES

The following categories are included:

Senior:	Short Program and Free Skating Program
Junior:	Short Program and Free Skating Program
Advanced Novice:	Free Skating
Novice Basic:	Free Skating

The final results will be determined according to the ISU Regulations 2010.

ENTRIES AND NOMINATIONS / REGISTRATION

Entries of Teams, nominated Judges and Team Managers/Leaders may be made only by the Member concerned (except for Novice Event where this can be done directly by the clubs) on the designated Official Forms.

All Entries have to be sent to the Organizing Committee of the „JÉGVIRÁG” CUP 2012:

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Preliminary Entries, indicating participation of the ISU Member (or Club), have to be submitted not later than **December 12, 2011 (FORM 2)** while **Final Entries**, with the name of selected Team and Judge, must be submitted not later than **January 16, 2012. (Please enclose team photo – no coaches included.)**



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The registration for Referees, Technical Specialists, Technical Controllers, Judges, Teams, Accredited Coaches and Team Managers/Leaders will take place at the **ICE RINK, Miskolc: on Wednesday, Febr 22, 2012, from 14:00 till 20:00, and on Thursday, Febr 23, from 8:00 till 18:00.**

ENTRY FEES

The entry fee of EUR 350. – per team is required at the time of application, amount to be paid through Bank currency transfer.

Expiry date of entry fee is January 16, 2012. Should a team withdraw from the event after that date, Entry Fee will not be refunded (See Entry Fee Information).

TECHNICAL AND JUDGES PANEL

Each participating ISU Member may nominate only one (1) Judge for the international competitions, listed on the ISU List of Referees and Judges for Synchronized Skating 2011/2012. The Referees, Technical Specialists, Technical Controller, Data Operator and Replay Operator will be nominated by the Organizing Committee and chosen from the ISU list for Synchronized Skating 2011/2012.

For each category, a panel of seven Judges will be used.

The Organizer will cover the travelling expenses for invited Referees, Technical Specialists, Technical Controller, Data Operator and Replay Operator only. Ordered flight tickets should be based on economy airfare. The Organizer will provide ground transportation for invited Technical Panel, the Referees and nominated Judges.

The expenses (room and meals) for invited Technical Panel, the Referees and nominated Judges will be borne by the Organizer starting with dinner on Thursday, Febr 23, 2012, ending with breakfast Sunday, Febr 26, 2012

Spouses and other persons accompanying teams are not included. All other expenses shall be the responsibility of each official.

The Draw for the Panel of Judges will be made on Judges Meeting, which will be held on Thursday, Febr. 23, 2012, at 18:00 at the ICE RINK Miskolc.

The Judges Round Table Discussion will be held: Sunday, Febr. 26, 2012, at 09:00



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TECHNICAL RULES

„JÉGVIRÁG” CUP 2012 will be run in accordance with appropriate ISU Rules (ISU General Regulations 2010 and ISU Special Regulations for Synchronized Skating 2010), and all relevant ISU communications.

The following should be noted:

Teams may enter more than one category using different music and a different program, with a minimum 50% change in skaters. Only those skaters whose names are listed on the registration form will be allowed to skate.

a) Senior Teams: shall consist of 16 skaters, whom must have reached at least age of 14 by July 1, 2011.

Short Program:	maximum 2 minutes 50 seconds	Factor 0,8
Free Skating Program:	4 minutes 30 seconds ($\pm$ 10 seconds)	1,6

b) Junior Teams: shall consist of 16 skaters, whom must have reached at least age of 12 but not have Reached the age 19, by July 1, 2011.

Short Program:	maximum 2 minutes 50 seconds	Factor 0,8
Free Skating Program:	4 minutes ($\pm$ 10 seconds)	1,6

c) Advanced Novice Teams: shall consist of 16 skaters, whom must have not reached the age 15, by July 1, 2011.

Free Skating Program:	3 minutes 30 seconds ($\pm$ 10 seconds)	Factor 1,0
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d) Basic Novice Teams: shall consist of 12-16 skaters, whom must have not reached the age 13, by July 1, 2011.

Free Skating Program:	3 minutes ($\pm$ 10 seconds)
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CITIZENSHIP / RESIDENCE REQUIREMENTS

In accordance with ISU Rule 109, 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.

MUSIC

All teams shall provide their competition music of excellent quality, on CD (Compact Disk), in accordance with Rule 724. The team must submit two (2) copies for each program at the time of registration. All CD's must be properly inserted in their original container and be clearly identified with the name of the team, the category (senior/ junior /novices), the type of program (short program/free skating) and must show the exact running time of the music (not skating time). Please see **Form 6**.



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HOTEL ACCOMMODATION

The Lévy Villa Hotel *** Miskolc is the official Hotel for Judges, Referees and Technical Panel. The hotel is located across the street from the Ice Rink (300 m), Miskolc. Transportation will not be necessary to and from the event.

Lévy Villa Hotel ***
3529 Miskolc, Lévy u. 13.
Telefon: 46/500-890
Fax:46/500-891
www.levayvilla.hu
E-mail: levayvilla@t-online.hu

The teams can choose between the following hotels. The listed hotels support the “JÉGVIRÁG” CUP 2012. Reservations are possible in these hotels only by the Organizing Committee.
Accommodation offers: (pre-reservation **Form 3 till December 12, 2011**)

Hotel	Place	Type of Room	Capacity	Price incl. Breakfast	Price incl. Breakfast and Dinner
City Hotel ***	Miskolc Distance to Ice Hall: 300 m	Single Double Triple	55 Person	46 EUR/Night/Person	60 EUR/Night/Person
Hotel Pannónia***	Miskolc Distance to Ice Hall: 800 m	Single Double Triple	60 Person	37 EUR/Night/Person	47 EUR/Night/Person
Park Hotel ***	Miskolctapolca Distance to Ice Hall: 5000 m	Single Double	120 Person	27 EUR/Night/Person	35 EUR/Night/Person
Hotel Kitty***	Miskolctapolca Distance to Ice Hall: 5000 m	Single Double	60 Person	36 EUR/Night/Person	49 EUR/Night/Person
Kikelet Hotel ***	Miskolctapolca Distance to Ice Hall: 5000 m	Single Double	58 Person	38 EUR/Night/Person	49 EUR/Night/Person

City per tourist tax is 1,5 EUR/day for person over 18 years.

First half of the accommodation fee must be paid till 24nd of January, 2012,



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the remaining 50% till 11th of February, 2012.

A priority for accommodation in hotels will be according to receiving order of entries.

Meals will be available at the **Vigadó Restaurant** with a **special rate of EUR 13 per meal. (Form 9).**

Accommodation and meals for participating teams is at their own expense.

CANCELLATION FEE IN ALL HOTELS:

◆ Cancellation do 30 days before the competition	25%
◆ Cancellation do 14 days before the competition	75%
◆ 13-0 days	100%

TRANSPORTATION

Teams arriving to Miskolc by own bus will be independent (organized parking place will be guaranteed near Ice Rink, Miskolc).

For the other teams a bus will be available at cost (**Form 10**).

The Organizing Committee guarants the transportation of the invited Technical Panel, Referees and Judges from/to Budapest Ferihegy Airport or Miskolc/Budapest Railway Station.

The Organisation committee guarants the local transportian during the competition only with the registration card!

ICE RINK

ICE RINK, Miskolc is located at H-3529 Miskolc, Görgey u. 19. almost in the centre of Miskolc.

ICE RINK, Miskolc has a capacity of 1.200 seats, and built in 2006. The ice surface in size 30 x 60 m is artificial and arena will be warmed up during the competition.

GPS coordinates of Ice Rink: 48°05'47.98" N;
20°47'16.65" E

PRACTICE ICE

The official practice will start on Friday, February 24, 2012. Each team will be allowed a 10 minute period of official practice ice for the Short Program and 12 minute period for the Free Skating Program, free of charge.

EXTRA PRACTICE ICE

No extra practice ice will be available after the Official Draw.

For extra practice ice (Wednesday-Thursday, Febr. 22-23, 2012) see enclosed **Form 7**.

The fee for the extra practice ice is **EUR 55** for a block of 15 minutes.



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DRAW

The Opening Draw Ceremony will be made on Thursday, February 23, 2012 at 20:00 (see PRELIMINARY SCHEDULE) at the Ice Rink. The intermediate draw will take place at the ICE RINK MISKOLC (close to warm up space) immediately after the end of the Short Program.

OPENING CEREMONY

The Opening Ceremony will be held at ICE RINK MISKOLC on Friday, February 24, 2012, at 16:00. Two skaters from each team will take part in this ceremony as banner carriers.

MEDALS AND TROPHIES

Trophies will be presented to the top three finishing teams in each category.
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LIABILITY

In accordance with ISU Rule 119, Hungarian National Skating Federation and the Organizing Committee for the competition accepts no liability for injury or damage sustained by competitors or officials. The Organizing Committee will not be providing participant insurance coverage for the event. Each Member is expected to provide its own insurance protection. The Organizing Committee will provide emergency medical services for all participants during the competition and official practice.

MEDICAL INFORMATION

Each team manager should be able to give important medical information for each Skater for use in case of emergency/accident. Such information should include but is not limited to the following, and will greatly help local medical and emergency personnel:

- allergies
- existing medical conditions (i.e. asthma)
- current medications
- immunizations
- blood type
- use of glasses, contact lenses, dental appliances

PUBLICITY WAIVER

Each individual and/or team, waive any and all rights to financial remuneration or other compensation for



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the use or reproduction of their image or likeness, or that of their synchronized skating team, and grant permission to use same, as or in publicity prior to, during or following the „JÉGVIRÁG” CUP 2012 in **MISKOLC**, Hungary.

TICKETS

Each team participating will be provided with 5 free passes (Team Manager, Coach, Assistant Coach, Medical Person, one (1) Team Service Personnel) and one (1) for Team Leader per participated ISU Member. The Organizer will reserve extra tickets at price of **3 EUR ticket/day**.

PLANNED PROGRAM CONTENT

Deadline for “Program Content Sheet” is February 23, 2011 with the Final Entries. It is mandatory that the Program Content Sheet is filled in precisely by each team in English using the terminology for the elements listed in the Scale of Value Table published in ISU Special Regulations for Synchronized Skating 2010 as well as in all pertinent ISU Communications. The Planed Program Content Sheet has to be signed by a coach or Team Representative. **(Form 12)**



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PRELIMINARY SCHEDULE – TENTATIVE

May be changed according to the number of entries of the teams

Wednesday	Febr 22, 2012	14:00 - 20:00	Arrival and registration of participants
		16:00 - 22:00	Extra practice ice
Thursday,	Febr 23, 2012	08:00 - 18:00	Arrival and registration of participants
		07:00 - 22:00	Extra practice ice
		17:30 - 18:00	Technical Controller and Referees Meeting
		18:00	Judges Meeting and Draw
		18:30	Team Leaders / Coaches Meeting
		20:00	Draw Ceremony
		21:00	Officials Dinner
Friday,	Febr 24, 2012	08:00 - 10:00	Official Practice - Junior Short Program
		10:00 - 12:00	Official Practice - Senior Short Program
		12:00 - 14:00	Official Practice – Basic Novice
		16:00 - 16:15	Opening Ceremony (ICE RINK)
		16:30 - 17:30	Competition – Basic Novice
		17:30 - 18:30	Competition - Junior Short Program
		19:00 - 21:00	Competition - Senior Short Program
Saturday,	Febr 25, 2012	07:00 - 09:30	Official Practice – Adv. Novice Free Skating
		09:30 - 12:30	Official Practice - Junior Free Skating
		12:30 - 15:30	Official Practice - Senior Free Skating
		16:00 - 17:30	Competition – Adv. Novice Free Skating
		17:30 - 19:30	Competition - Junior Free Skating
		19:30 - 21:30	Competition - Senior Free Skating
		21:45 - 22:15	Award Ceremony – Advanced and Basic Novice, Junior, Senior
Sunday,	Febr 26, 2012	09:00	Round Table Discussion (ICE RINK)



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ENTRY FEE INFORMATION

The fixed fee per team is **EUR 350** (Bank commission not included).

To be kindly paid through the bank currency transfer.

Expiry date of the Entry Fee acceptance is **January 16, 2012**.

Should a team withdraw from the event after that date, the amount will not be returned.

Payment to be lodged into:

Bank: MKB Rt.

H-3530 Miskolc, Széchenyi I. u.

HUNGARY

Bank account name: Miskolci Jégvirág Korcsolya Klub

Account number: 10300002-25509630-48820019

Bank swift code: MKKB HU HB

IBAN code: HU89 1030 0002 2550 9630 4882 0019

The address of the Organizing Committee:

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Form 1
DEADLINE FOR RETURN
December 12, 2012

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THE PRELIMINARY ENTRY FORM

Please, fill in with type or write capital letters

ISU Member Association:	
Team Leader:	
Team (Senior) 1:	
Team (Senior) 1:	
Team (Junior) 1:	
Team (Junior) 1:	
Team (Basic Novice) 1:	
Team (Adv. Novice) 1:	
Team (_____):	
Team (_____):	
Name of Judge(s):	
Name of Contact Person:	
Email of Contact Person:	
Phone of Contact Person:	
Fax of Contact person:	

_____, _____ 2011.
(Place and Date)

Signature of ISU Member

Return to:

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Form 2
DEADLINE FOR RETURN
December 12, 2011.

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ACCOMMODATION PRE-RESERVATION

Please, fill in with type or write capital letters.

ISU Member Association:	
Team Name:	
The Name of the Hotel:	
Arrival to Miskolc/ Budapest by:	plane _____ train _____ bus _____ other: _____
Date of Arrival:	
Date of Departure:	
Number of Team Members (competitors, coaches, leaders etc.):	
Number of Judge(s):	
Number of Chaperon(s):	
Name of Contact Person:	
Email of Contact Person:	
Phone of Contact Person:	
Fax of Contact person:	

_____, _____ 2011.
(Place and Date)

Signature of ISU Member

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