



6th Europa Cup SKATE HELENA

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Belgrade, Serbia



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6th Europa Cup SKATE HELENA
INTERNATIONAL FIGURE SKATING COMPETITION

ASSOCIATED WITH EUROPEAN CRITERIUM 2012/2013
(Belgrade, January 8th to 12th 2013)

Organizer: Skating Club Helena Pajovic and Serbian Skating Association

Place of competition: Covered Ice Rink (30 x 60 m),
Pionir, Carli Caplina 39, Belgrade

Competition level: International competition is associated in European Criterium Tournaments 2012/13 for Seniors, Juniors and Youngsters' categories. Results of the Teams will count for competition of International Trophy of Figure Skating European Criterium.

Entries: All ISU members and clubs, members of National Figure Skating Federations associated in I.S.U., are invited to take part at the competition. Each member and club can enter 2 competitors in each category (2 males and 2 females). Organizer takes right to enter more competitors. The number of competitors could be reduced in case of more than 30 entries in one category or problems to make competition in time schedule.

Categories: **SENIORS, age and requirements in accordance to I.S.U. Rules**
Men and Ladies short program and free program

JUNIORS, age and requirements in accordance to I.S.U. Rules
Men and Ladies short program and free program

ADVANCED NOVICES, age and requirements in accordance to I.S.U. Communication No:1760.
Boys and Girls short program and free program



BASIC NOV.B (DEBS), girls born in 1999; BASIC NOV.B (DEBS), girls born in 2000
In Accordance to I.S.U. Communication No: 1760, except age.
Free programs, 3min +/- 10 sec

BASIC NOV.B (DEBS), boys born in 1999/2000
In Accordance to I.S.U. Communication No: 1760, except age.
Free programs, 3min +/- 10 sec

BASIC NOV.A (SPRINGS), girls born in 2001; BASIC NOV.A (SPRINGS), girls born in 2002
In Accordance to I.S.U. Communication No: 1760, except age.
Free programs, 2min 30sec +/- 10 sec

BASIC NOV.A (SPRINGS), boys born in 2001/02
In Accordance to I.S.U. Communication No: 1740, except age.
Free programs, 2min 30min +/- 10 sec

CUBS, girls born in 2003 **CUBS, girls born in 2004**
Free programs, 2min +/- 10 sec

CUBS, boys born in 2003/04
Free programs 2min 30sec +/- 10 sec

CHICKS, girls born in 2005 **CHICKS, girls born in 2006 and younger**
Free programs, 2min +/- 10 se

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Free programs, 2min +/- 10 sec

A well balanced CUBS Free Skating Program must contain:

- a. Maximum of 4 jump elements for Girls and maximum of 5 jump elements for Boys one of which must be an Axel type jump. There may be up to two (2) jump combinations or sequences. 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 more than one and a half (1 ½) revolutions can be repeated either in a jump combination or jump sequence.
- b. There must be maximum (2) spins of a different nature, one of which must be a spin combination (with or without change of foot) and one spin in one position (with or without change of foot).
- c. There must be a maximum of one (1) step sequence utilization 2/3 of the ice surface and one (1) spiral of 3 seconds.
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Levels explanations:

For Cubs Singles, 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. The step sequence and the spiral will have a fixed Base value and evaluated in GOE only.

The Program Components are only judged in

- Skating Skills
- Performance/Execution
- Interpretation

The factors for the Program Components is

- for boys 2.0
- for girls 1.7

The same ISU Rules regarding judging, refereeing and the work of the Technical Panel apply as in Junior and Senior International Competitions.



A well balanced CHICKS Free Skating Program must contain:

- a. Maximum of 4 jump elements for Girls and maximum of 4 jump elements for Boys and there may be up to one (1) jump combination or sequence. 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 can be repeated either in a jump combination or jump sequence. Waltz jump is calculated, and has a Base value of 0.3
- b. There must be maximum (2) spins of a different nature, one of which must be spin in one position without change of foot (minimum of three (3) revolutions), type of second spin is optional.
- c. There must be a maximum of one (1) step sequence utilization 2/3 of the ice surface or one (1) spiral of 3 seconds.

Levels explanations:

For Chicks Singles, 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. The step sequence or the spiral will have a fixed Base value and evaluated in GOE only.

The Program Components are only judged in

- Skating Skills
- Performance/Execution

The factors for the Program Components is

- for boys and girls 2.5

The same ISU Rules regarding judging, refereeing and the work of the Technical Panel apply as in Junior and Senior International Competitions.

Calculation of results: Results will be calculated in the new ISU Judging System.

Judges: Each invited member or club may enter one or more International or ISU Judge. Full board expenses in the **Hotel Zira** will be covered by organizer from dinner on January 10th until lunch on January 14th 2012 or in the time when the Judge is on duty. Written confirmation will be sent to each club by entries via fax or E-mail

Music: Music will be reproduced from CD (audio track, formatted for music reproduction system – not computer). CD must be labelled by names of competitors, club and category which they enter. CD must be delivered immediately after team's arrival to Organizing Committee Office

Accommodation: All participants, except judges, pay the accommodation by themselves. Organizer reserved facilities at official hotel and hostel:

1/ HOTEL ZIRA **** - bed and breakfast service is available for **72-77 EUR** per room per day. (children under 7 years – free, in big twin room third person (children 7-15 years pay only 10 eur). The details for the hotel are in the hotel Reservation form. Hotel is 300m far from the Ice Rink, so shuttle transfers will not be provided.

Accommodation in hotel and hostel must be booked by each member or club and paid to hotels directly (In att. you will find hotel reservation form)

Responsibility: In accordance to I.S.U. Regulations, Rule 119, all participants act on their own responsibility. Organizer will provide medical emergency aid during competition.

Awards: The first three best placed competitors in each event will be awarded by medals, others by diplomas.

Deadline for entries: All entries (competitors, judges, team leaders, coaches, other attendants) are expected to be mailed recommended and received at organizer's address not later then by **December 23th, 2012** If possible fax or E-mail entries are appreciated.



With the entry forms, the "Program Content Sheet" must be returned to the Organizing Committee in time. It is mandatory that the Program Content Sheet must be filled in precisely by each Skater in English using terminology for the elements listed in the respective ISU Communication.

Charges: 35 EUR is to be paid for each competitor at the Registration before the competition.

Miscellaneous:

1. Office of Organizing Committee will be located at the Ice Rink and will be on disposal from Tuesday, January 08th until Sunday, January 13th during the competition and practice time.
2. Participating teams should announce changes in their teams immediately after their arrival to Belgrade.
3. Belgrade can be reached by car, train or plane. Organizer can arrange transportation from Airport to Belgrade on the cost of participant team.
4. Contact person for all further information is:

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See you in Belgrade and accept our sincere regards!

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