

**21<sup>st</sup> International Synchronized Skating Cup EVBN**  
**9<sup>th</sup> / 10<sup>th</sup> January 2016**  
**Sports Centre, Zuchwil**

**Organiser:** Eislaufverband Bern-Nordwestschweiz (EVBN) – Ice Skating Association  
Bern-Northwest  
**Place:** Sports Centre, Zuchwil SO, Switzerland  
**Date:** 9<sup>th</sup> / 10<sup>th</sup> January 2016

All ISU Member Federations are invited.

**Categories:**

Junior ISU: short and free program  
Senior ISU: short and free program  
Basic Novice: free program  
Advanced Novice: free program  
Mixed Age: free program  
Senior (non ISU): free program  
Adult: free program

**Technical regulations and conditions:**

The Synchronized Skating Cup 2016 will be held according to the ISU General Regulations 2014, the Special Regulations Synchronized Skating 2014 as well as the valid Technical Rules and Conditions SYS of the Swiss Skating Union (SEV). **Important:** The organiser advises the teams of the Non-ISU categories to refer to the special and adjusted Technical Conditions SYS (see Technical Guidelines Swiss 2015/2016).

Teams, which have participated in the ongoing season in a certain category, are not allowed to take part in another category at the Synchronized Skating Cup EVBN.

**Judging system:**

It will be judged with the ISU system.

**Music:**

CDs must contain the following details: Name of team; Association or Club; Category; program (short or free program); music title; exact duration; name of composers (for SUISA).

**Ice rink:**

Sports Centre Zuchwil, CH-4528 Zuchwil SO, <http://www.szzag.ch/eishalle.htm>

The ice rink is not heated. The dressing rooms at the ice rink are occupied in a rotation principle. The schedules of the dressing rooms are on the detailed time schedule plans (will follow by e-mail). We kindly ask the teams to leave their dressing rooms immediately after practice and competition.

*Attention: All teams must take their baggage with them. Baggage cannot be left in the dressing rooms or at the ice rink!*

The registration office is situated at the ice rink (on the left hand side of the main entrance). Tickets for the competition are SFr. 10.00 for adults and SFr. 3.00 for children (6-15 years).

**Warm-up area:**

The warm-up area is located at the nearby gymnastic halls. The warm-up times follow a fixed distribution. The exact time schedules will be on the timetables following by e-mail.

*Attention: It may happen, that two teams must share the warm-up area. We kindly ask these teams be considerate of each other. Each team must bring its own music equipment.*

**Registration:**

The registration has two forms:

Entry form I for registration of the teams **until 14<sup>th</sup> November 2015**

Entry form II for the definite registration of the team members **until 27<sup>th</sup> November 2015**

Both forms have to be sent to: Mrs Linda Bischoff Fischer, [tk-sys@evbn.ch](mailto:tk-sys@evbn.ch)

All members of the team must have a copy of their passport or ID card at the time of registration.

**Entry fee:**

All categories: **CHF 370.00 per team.**

Entry fee must be transferred electronically until the **14<sup>th</sup> November 2015** to the following account:

UBS Solothurn, EVBN Eislaufverband Bern-Nordwestschweiz, Frau Barbara Kilchenmann, Hofackerstrasse 40, 4573 Lohn

IBAN: CH83 0026 2262 4464 6840 U

Entry fees will not be reimbursed and the registration is only valuable, if the entry fees are paid in full until November 15<sup>th</sup> 2014.

All skaters and clubs are personally responsible for their accommodation, meals and transportation. At the ice rink restaurant there is the possibility for lunch and dinner. The teams should order meal vouchers from the organiser (following by e-mail).

**Liability:** The organiser assumes no liability for possible accidents or other damages by competitors, coaches or officials.

**Official practice:**

The official practice will start on Saturday, 9<sup>th</sup> January 2015. The official practice for each team lasts 10 minutes for the short programs Senior ISU and Junior ISU and the free programs Novice B and Adults. and 12 minutes for all other categories (free program). The official practice is mandatory for all teams.

**Judges:**

Judges with the qualification "National SYS Judge" or judges, who are on the official list of ISU for international competitions, can be proposed to the organiser. The announcement will take place by the federation. A judge can only be proposed, if at minimum two teams from the judge's country participate in the competition. The proposal (entry form III) must be sent **until 27<sup>th</sup> November 2015** to Miss Linda Bischoff Fischer ([tk-sys@evbn.ch](mailto:tk-sys@evbn.ch)). Delayed proposals cannot be taken in consideration. The organiser will pay for meals and accommodation from Saturday, 9<sup>th</sup> to Sunday, 10<sup>th</sup> January 2016. The federation or the judge must pay all additional fees.

**Doping control:**

It is possible, that a doping control will take place.

**Accommodation / Transportation:** Accommodations and information are on the homepage [www.szzag.ch](http://www.szzag.ch), [www.martinshof.ch](http://www.martinshof.ch), [www.zuchwil.ch](http://www.zuchwil.ch) (private services) or [www.solothurn-city.ch/](http://www.solothurn-city.ch/). The teams are requested to book directly. All skaters and clubs are personally responsible for their accommodation, meals and transportation.

**Official hotel:**

Sporthotel (Sportcentre); Amselweg 59, CH-4528 Zuchwil SO; Tel. +41 (0)32 686 55 55 or +41 (0)32 686 55 41

**Tentative time schedule:****Saturday:**

From 08.00 Registration teams + Officials and practice

**Sunday:**

From 08.00 Registration teams + Officials and practice

The draws for the teams are at the ice rink before or after the official practice. For the categories that have the draw after the official practice the starting order will be fixed by the organiser (fixed schedule follows by e-mail). The victory ceremony will be held after the competition on the ice. The final time schedule and more manuals will be sent by e-mail to the teams after the registration or placed on the website [www.evbn.ch](http://www.evbn.ch).

Important information and modifications concerning the Synchronized Skating Cup EVBN will be updated on going on our homepage [www.evbn.ch](http://www.evbn.ch).

**Information:**

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