



“MEXICO CUP 2025” INTERNATIONAL FIGURE SKATING COMPETITION

QUERETARO CITY, MEXICO, MAY 14 – 17, 2025

ANNOUNCEMENT

It is a pleasure to extend our warmest invitation to participate in our International Competition, with the main purpose of promoting friendship and developing the sport of Figure Skating in our region. The Mexican Figure Skating Federation as organizer rotates rinks and cities in our country as hosts to give equal opportunity to different areas to have access to a large scale event, as well as offer different possibilities of cultural enjoyment to our friends visiting Mexico.

We welcome the skating family to this new adventure in a festive atmosphere and hope to meet you soon in wonderful Queretaro City, where skating is the best idea to gather in this land of sun, colonial history of natural wonders to share the dazzle, excitement and fun of figure skating!!!

Organizer: MEXICAN ICE FIGURE SKATING AND WINTER SPORTS FEDERATION – FEMEPASHIDI
- Federación Mexicana de Patinaje Sobre Hielo y Deportes de Invierno.

Venues: Lakeside Icepark – C. Montenegro 122, 76230, Juriquilla, Queretaro –
+52 442 847 3044 – lakesideicepark.com.mx - Indoor ice Rink, NHL size 57 x 27 mts.

Date: MAY 14 - 17, 2025

Queretaro City





Lakeside Icepark

Events: “MEXICO CUP 2025”

ISU – FORMAT EVENTS
SINGLE SKATING:



- **SENIOR** – Woman, Men - **JUNIOR** – Woman, Men - **ADVANCE NOVICE** – Girls, Boys

General: “MEXICO CUP 2025” will be conducted in accordance with the ISU Constitution and General Regulations 2024, the Special Regulations & Technical Rules Single 2024, and the relevant ISU Communications and pertinent ISU Communications.

Participation in the “Mexico Cup 2025” is open for all Competitors who belong to an ISU Member and qualify regarding eligibility according to Rule 102, provided their ages fall within the limits specified in Rule 108, paragraph 3 and they meet the participation, citizenship and residency requirements in Rule 109, paragraphs 1 through 5 and ISU Communication 2526 or any update of this Communication.

In accordance with Rule 109 of the ISU General Regulations and ISU Communication 2526 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. The local organizing committee has the right and obligation to check the personal identification documents of the athletes to determine whether they are allowed to compete, whether they are competing in the right category, etc. Without the documents, the athlete will be excluded from the competition. We remind everyone that the registration for participation requires the presentation of a **valid passport** as proof.

Passports of all Skaters, as well as the ISU Clearance Certificate, if applicable, must be presented at the accreditation of the event for verification.

Participation: Competitors to Advanced Novice, Junior and Senior categories (International competition) must be entered through their Member Federation (it is also open for clubs, which are members of National Figure Skating Federations, associated with the ISU) must be made via the ISU Online Registration System (ORS): <https://fsk-ors.isu.swisstiming.com>

In case of too many entries, the organizer reserves the right to limit the number of participants. The maximum entries accepted will be approximately 30 in each category.

The organizer will not cover any expenses for competitors, team leaders, coaches, or chaperons.

Responsibilities: In accordance with the ISU Regulations, Rule 119, all participants act on their own responsibility. The organizer will provide basic medical emergency aid during competition and practice.



Citizen / Residence requirements and Clearance Procedure: In accordance with Rule 109 of ISU Regulations and ISU Communication from 2030 to 2526 or any update of it, 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. The local organizing committee has the right and obligation to check the personal identification documents of the athletes to determine whether they are allowed to compete, whether they are competing in the right category, etc. Without the documents, the athlete will be excluded from the competition. We remind everyone that the registration for participation requires the presentation of a **valid passport** as proof

Music: In accordance with Rule 343 in the ISU Special Regulations Technical Rules Single Pair Skating and Ice Dance, the following method to submit the Competitor's music to the Organizing Committee must be followed:

- The participating member is responsible for submitting the Competitor's music as attachment to an email to the Organizing Committee (music@femepashidi.com.mx) until April 18, 2025. Please note: some music files might exceed the size of a regular email. In this case, an email-based transfer service which allows to send large files could be used to send the file to the OC.
- Each submission shall be labelled with the name of the ISU Member, name of the category, segment, and the name(s) of the competitor(s).
Example:
BUL_SeniorMen_SP_SmithJohn
GER_JuniorMen_FS_MustermannMax
- The music files must be sent as **MP3 file format**. Any other format is not acceptable. Please note: Files in MP3 format may have a significant difference in the music quality when reproduced. The Organizing Committee in this case is not responsible if the music quality would be insufficient.
- Each Competitor must have an own back-up drive (USB Stick) for each program in the format of MP3 file.
- The exact running time of the music (not skating time) must be communicated to the Organizing Committee when submitting the music and shall be certified by the Competitor/Coach/Team Leader at the time of registration.

Judging System: For all Events the ISU Judging System will be used.

Expenses: The full board hotel accommodation for the invited Officials: Referees, Judges, Technical Controllers and Specialists, Data & Video Replay Operator will be arranged and born by the organizer from the dinner on the day before starting the events, until breakfast after the completion of the event. **The cover of all expenses for competitors, team leaders, coaches, etc.; is the sole responsibility of the teams participating.**

Charges: Entry fee **\$180 USD** per competitor with - Free skate & Short Program (**International participants**) **LATE FEE +\$50 USD**. Payment has to be done at the accreditation desk (**at the ice rink only international participants**), **Only cash will be accepted**
MEXICAN PARTICIPANTS \$3,600.- MXP. LATE FEE + \$1,000 MXP
Fees for MEXICAN Participants must be collected by Associations

Close of Entries – Sunday April 18, 2025 at 20 hrs. Mexico City Time, Fees for MEXICAN Participants must be collected by Associations by this date. INTERNATIONAL Participants only must send their competition information and flight number as confirmation of participation at the event.



Cancellation: Cancellation of the competitor entry must be done till April 22, 2025. For any latter cancellation the team leader of respective Federation or Club will be asked to pay the entry fee.

We would like to acknowledge that all intention of participation becomes a compromise before FEMEPASHIDI and the Host Rink, whose expenses are irreversible once the cancelation deadline has been reached, making it impossible to reimburse any paid fee after such date.

The entries by names must be made via the ISU Online Registration System (ORS):

<https://fsk-ors.isu.swisstiming.com>

Judges/Technical Officials: Each ISU Member may ask to enter one International or ISU Judge/Technical official. The OC may draw the service of officials in the case of too many entries of Judges/Technical Officials. And will announce by the closing date the panels whose services are drawn.

DRAW

Draw for all categories will be performed in the presence of the Referee and Technical Controller in accordance with Rules 512 and 513 at 18:00 hrs., Wednesday May 14, 2025 Starting order for the free skating of categories Advanced Novices, Juniors and Seniors will be in reverse order of the results of the short program.

Closing Date for Entries: Entries of the teams, Officials, competitors, coaches and the team leaders must reach the organizer not later than Friday April 18, 2025, at 20 hrs.

TECHNICAL DATA/DATOS TÉCNICOS

SENIOR

Women, Men

Short Program 2 min. 40 sec. +/-10sec

The required elements to be skated are those listed in ISU Technical Rules Single and Pair Skating and respective ISU Communications.

Woman, Men

Free Skating 4 minutes, +/-10 seconds.

In accordance with ISU Technical Rules Single and Pair Skating and the respective ISU Communications.

JUNIOR

Men, Woman

Short Program 2 min. 40 sec. +/-10 seconds

The required elements to be skated are those listed in ISU Technical Rules Single and Pair Skating and respective ISU Communications.

Men, Woman

Free Skating 3 minutes and 30 seconds, +/-10 seconds

In accordance with ISU Technical Rules Single and Pair Skating and the respective ISU Communications.



ADVANCED NOVICE

Boys, Girls

Competition will be held in accordance with ISU Communications

Boys, Girls

Short Program 2 min. 20 seconds, +/-10 seconds

The required elements to be skated are listed in ISU Communications

Boys, Girls

Free Skating 3 minutes, +/-10 seconds

The required elements to be skated are listed in ISU Communications

ADDITIONAL PRACTICE:

Rates for additional practice 45 Minutes are as follow:

45 minutes private practice \$ 200. USD

45 minutes open practice together with another teams \$ 30. USD per skater.

Liability / Responsabilidad a Terceros: In accordance with the ISU Regulations, Rule 119 the Organizer accept no liability for the damage or injuries which any of participants, judges, officials or others may suffer. It is highly encouraged for every individual taking part on the event to have their own insurance to cover any expense, which is the sole responsibility of the participants.

Acorde a las Regulaciones ISU, Regla 119, "El organizador no acepta ningún tipo de responsabilidad ante daño o perjuicio hacia los participantes, jueces, oficiales y otros que pudieran sufrir. Se les recomienda que cada individuo tomando parte en el evento tenga su propio seguro de cobertura amplia hacia cualquier gasto la cual es responsabilidad única de cada participante.

Results / Resultados: All results will be calculated in accordance with all the current ISU Special Regulations and Technical Rules Single and Pairs Skating – Rules 352 and 353 (ISU Judging System). *Todos los resultados serán calculados de acuerdo a las regulaciones ISU y reglas técnicas de "Singles and Pairs Skating" - Reglas 352 y 353 (Sistema ISU – IJS).*

Awards / Premios: Skaters placed first to third will be awarded medals and diplomas, all the other participants will receive diplomas of participation. *Los patinadores que obtengan del primero al tercer lugar recibirán medallas y diplomas, todos los demás participantes obtendrán diploma de participación.*

Live Stream/TV / Transmisión en vivo: Live Stream of the Competition is provided. By entering the competition, each person agrees on recordings and/or transmissions (e.g. via the internet, TV) of his/her/their performance, appearance, picture, voice, or other personal characteristics displayed in connection with the event, towards an unrestricted audience and without temporal or geographical limits. Se proporciona transmisión en vivo de la competencia. Al participar en la competencia, cada persona acepta que las grabaciones y/o transmisiones (por ejemplo, a través de Internet, TV) de su actuación, apariencia, imagen, voz u otras características personales mostradas en relación con el evento, sean para un uso ilimitado. audiencia y sin límites temporales o geográficos.



Schedule of events / Horarios de Evento:

Preliminary schedule of events is enclosed. The final will be published after registration and the exact time schedule will be sent to all the participating by e-mail *Un horario tentativo se incluye en esta convocatoria como referencia. Los horarios finales se harán llegar a todos los participantes.*

***Tentative Schedule / Horario Tentativo *Subject to Changes / Sujeto a Cambios**

**Wednesday May 14 Draw
All Levels**

**Thursday May 15 Practices / Competition:
Advanced Novice Short, Senior Short**

**Friday May 16 Practices / Competition:
Junior Short, Advanced Novice Free**

**Saturday May 17 Practices / Competition:
Senior Free, Junior Free**




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