

ANNOUNCEMENT



Karl Schäfer

MEMORIAL 2006

Vienna - Austria, October 11th – 14th, 2006

An International Senior Competition
for Ladies, Men and Ice Dancing

Organized by the

Austrian Figure Skating Association
and
Cottage Engelmann Verein

GENERAL REGULATIONS

The competition will be conducted in accordance with the ISU Constitution and General Regulations 2006, the ISU Special Regulations Single and Pair Skating 2006, the ISU Special Regulations Ice Dancing 2006, ISU Technical Rules for Single and Pair Skating 2006, the ISU Technical Rules for Ice Dancing 2006, the relevant decision of the ISU Congress 2006, as well as all pertinent ISU communications.

Participation is open to all competitors who belong to an ISU Member, Rule 109, paragraph 1, and qualify with regard to eligibility, according to Rule 102, provided their ages fall within the limits specified in Rule 108, paragraph 2. b) and they meet the participation, citizenship and residency requirements in Rule 109, paragraphs 2 through 5 and ISU Communication 1117.

The prizes consist of the Karl Schäfer Memorial and the Cup of the City Vienna.

TECHNICAL DATA

Place: all competition events and practice sessions will take place in the two rinks of the Vienna Ice Arena (Albert Schultz Eishalle, Attemsgasse 1, 1220 Vienna, Tel: +43/1/204 85 80, Fax +43/1/2048580-14). Both rinks are indoor, heated ice rinks, each with a surface of 30 m x 60 m.

Single Skating - Ladies and Men

Short Program: The required elements to be skated are listed in ISU Technical Rules Single and Pair skating 2006, Rule 310, paragraph 1 and 2.

Duration: 2 minutes 50 seconds maximum, but may be less

Free Skating: In accordance with ISU Technical Rules Single and Pair skating 2006, Rule 320.

Duration: Men - 4 minutes 30 seconds, +/- 10 seconds

Ladies - 4 minutes, +/- 10 seconds

Factors: In accordance with ISU Technical Rules Single and Pair skating 2006, Rule 353, paragraph 1, p) the multiplying factor for the Program Components are:

Men: Short Program 1,0

Free Skating 2,0

Ladies: Short Program 0,8

Free Skating 1,6

Ice Dancing

Compulsory Dance: The following compulsory dance will be skated:

11 Golden Waltz

The official music of the ISU will be played.

Original Dance: In accordance with the ISU Technical Rules Ice Dancing 2006, Rule 509, ISU Communication 1391 (1318, 1343) and all pertinent ISU Communications.

Tango

One, two or three types of Tango may be used. If 2 types of Tango are used, one

of them may be repeated.

The types of Tango are described in the "Ice Dance Music Rhythms Booklet and Compact Disc 1995".

The Dances must reflect ballroom, social and/or street dance character and style translated to the ice by flow and use of edges.

Vocal music is permitted. Variations of tempo within one selection of music are permitted. Each selection of music may have different tempo.

For the Tango, the lady is permitted to wear trousers.

Duration: 2 minutes 30 seconds +/- 10 seconds

Free Dance: In accordance with ISU Technical Rules Ice Dancing 2006, Rule 510, Communication 1391 (1318, 1343) and all pertinent ISU Communications.
Duration: 4 minutes +/- 10 seconds

ENTRIES

Entries of competitors and names of the nominated judges must be made by the National Association in the designated form to show:

- Name of the Association
- Full name of the Competitors
- Category of the Competitors
- Full name of the Judges / Team Leaders
- Confirmation of the eligible status
- Time of arrival (flight number)
- Time of departure (flight number)

Each Association may nominate one International or ISU Championship Judge, with a maximum of one judge per Association entering competitors in more than one event.

The Draw of the Judges will be held on Sunday September 10th 2006 and the federations will be informed immediately after the draw about the panel.

Only judges who have participated in one of the ISU Seminars for the ISU Judging System are eligible to serve in the Karl Schäfer Memorial Events 2006.

The entries for Competitors and Judges must reach the Organizer not later than Friday, September 8th 2006.

Send a copy of the entry form to these addresses:

Entry for Competition
Austrian Figure Skating
Association
Haus des Sports
Prinz Eugenstr. 12
A - 1040 Vienna, Austria
Tel: +43/1/505 75 35
Fax: +43/1/505 58 70
e-mail: oeekv@asn.or.at

Room reservation
Profi – Center Travel Service
Pfeilgasse 16 / 2/ 27
A – 1080 Vienna
contact person: Mrs. Ulli Delano
Tel: +43/1/4060225
Fax: +43/1/4032618
Mobil Phone: +43/676/ 509 22 50
e-mail: profi.center@gmx.at

Please find the Entry Forms and the Program Content Sheets in electronic version at:
<http://engelmann.co.at/ksm>

MUSIC

All competitors shall furnish competition music of excellent quality on either CD or MD format, in accordance with Rules 343, paragraph 1 and Rule 533, paragraph 1. Each programme (Short Program/Free Skating, Original Dance/ Free Dance) must be recorded on one track respectively on a separate disc or cassette. A list of titles, composers and orchestras of the music to be used for the Short and Free skating programs for Single and for the Original and Free Dances for Ice Dancing must be listed for each competitor on the official Music Information Form and attached to the Official Entry Form for Competitors.

All discs must show the competition event, competitor's name, nation and the exact running time of the music (not skating time), and must be submitted at the time of registration. If the music information is not complete and cassettes or disc are not provided, accreditation will not be given.

EXPENSES

The Organizer will provide accommodation and meals for Judges, Referees, Tech. Specialists, Tech. Controllers drawn for the panel beginning with dinner on Tuesday, October 10th 2006, ending with banquet on Saturday, October 14th 2006.

Travel expenses will be paid only to the Referees, the Technical Specialists and Technical Controllers based on economy airfare or train.

Official Hotels:

- For Competitors, Coaches, Team Leaders and Chaperons:

Suitehotel Wien Messe

A - 1020 Wien, Radingerstraße 2

Prices for accommodation, at the Suithotel are as follows:

Double room (incl. breakfast) - € 54,- /person per night

Single room (incl. breakfast) - € 92,-/per night

- For Referees, Judges and Event Officials, Competitors:

Austria Trend Hotel - Hotel Donauzentrum

Wagramer Straße 83-85

A - 1220 Vienna, Austria

Prices for accommodation, at the Hotel Donauzentrum are as follows:

Double room (incl. breakfast) - € 64,- /person per night

Single room (incl. breakfast) - € 94,-/per night

The reservations for all participants have to be done exclusively through Profi - Center Travel Services. Please contact Mrs. Ulli Delano for your room reservation (see address at back of announcement). Please note that room reservation has to be done exclusively with the entry form.

**Both, the entry form and the remittance for room lodging
must reach Profi Center not later than
Friday, September 8th 2006.**

Make your remittance for room lodging cost free to:

Profi – Center Travel Service

Pfeilgasse 16 / 2/ 27

A – 1080 Vienna

contact person: Mrs. Delano

Tel: +43/1/4060225 Fax:++43-1/4032618

Mobile Phone: +43/676/ 509 22 50 email: profi.center@gmx.at

No reservation will be done without complete payment!

A cost free reverse is possible until September, 25th 2006!

INDIVIDUAL RESULTS

Judging and calculations will be done according to ISU Special Regulations Single and Pair Skating 2006, Rule 352 and 353 and ISU Special Regulations for Ice Dancing 2006, Rule 542 and 543 (ISU Judging System).

The awarded prize will be the Cup of Vienna as well as medals for the three best skaters in each event.

LIABILITY

In accordance with ISU Regulations, Rule 119, the organizer accepts no liability for bodily or personal injury, or for property loss or damage incurred by competitors and officials. Each ISU Member is expected to provide its own insurance protection (medical and accident) for their athletes, officials and all other members of the Member's team. Such insurance must assure full medical attendance and also return to home country by air transport or by other expeditious means of the ill or injured person. See also changes at ISU Congress 2006.

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.

INFORMATION

For any further information please contact:

Austrian Figure Skating Association

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Cottage Engelmann Verein (Organizing Committee)

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For your room reservations please contact exclusively:

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PRELIMINARY SCHEDULE (SUBJECT TO CHANGE)

Wednesday
October 11th

08:00	Official Practice
09:00	Referees, Technical Controllers and Specialists Meeting
10:00	Team Leaders Meeting
11:00	Judges Meeting
13:00	Opening Draw
16:00	Compulsory Dance

Thursday
October 12th

12:00	Short Program Ladies Short Program Men Original Dance
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Friday
October 13th

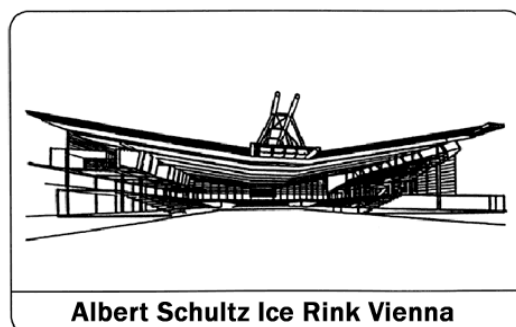
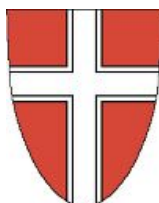
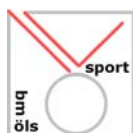
12:00	Free Program Men Free Program Ladies
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Saturday
October 14th

12:00	Free Dance
20:30	Closing Banquet

Sunday
October 15th

Departure of the Teams



Austrian Figure Skating Association, BM für öffentliche Leistung und Sport, Town of Vienna, ASKÖ
Cottage Engelmann Verein, ASKÖ Landesverband Wien