

INTERNATIONAL FIGURE SKATING COMPETITION

COPENHAGEN



TROPHY

# Announcement

March 7<sup>th</sup>-9<sup>th</sup> 2008  
ODENSE, DENMARK

**New location and logo !**

We welcome you to the town of fairytales  
in the heart of Denmark



Arranged by :  
Danish Skating Union and Odense Skating Club

[www.danskate.dk](http://www.danskate.dk)



## ANNOUNCEMENT

The Danish Skating Union and Odense Skating Club are pleased to announce Copenhagen Trophy 2008, the International Competition in Figure Skating for Senior Ladies/Men, Junior Ladies/Men and Novice Girls/Boys.

## GENERAL REGULATIONS

The Competition will be conducted in accordance with ISU Constitution and General Regulations 2006, the Special Regulations & Technical Rules Single and Pair Skating 2006 and the relevant Communications for Figure Skating.

All Competitors must be eligible persons according to Rule 102, provided their ages fall within the limits specified in Rule 108, paragraph 2 and must meet the participation, citizenship and residency requirements in Rule 109 and ISU Communication No. 1420.

In accordance with Rule 109 and ISU Communication No. 1420, all skaters who do not have 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.

## PLACE AND DATES

Copenhagen Trophy will take place in Odense, Denmark, March 7 - 9, 2008.  
All Competition Events and Practice Sessions will take place in

**Odense Skating Rink  
Højstrupvej 5  
DK-5200 Odense V  
Denmark**

- a) Main Rink – indoor, heated, size 30 x 60 meters.
- b) Practice Rink – indoor, heated, size 30 x 60 meters.

Kastrup Airport, Copenhagen, is situated approx. 150 kms from Odense.  
Transport to Odense is possible by train directly from Kastrup Airport. (1 hour 30 minutes)

## TECHNICAL DATA

### Seniors

Short Program: The required elements to be skated are listed in ISU Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating 2006, Rule 510, paragraphs 1 and 2.  
Duration: Ladies and Men max. 2 min. 50 sec.

Free Skating:: In accordance with ISU Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating 2006, Rule 520  
Duration: Ladies 4 min. +/- 10 sec.  
Men 4½ min. +/- 10 Sec.

### Juniors

Short Program: The required elements to be skated are listed in ISU Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating 2006, Rule 510, paragraphs 1 and 3, group C for 2007/08  
Duration: Ladies and Men max. 2 min. 50 sec.

Free Skating: In accordance with ISU Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating 2006, Rule 520  
Duration: Ladies 3½ min. +/- 10 sec.  
Men 4 min. +/- 10 sec.

### Factors

|                   |         |                    |                   |
|-------------------|---------|--------------------|-------------------|
| Senior and Junior | Ladies: | Short Program: 0,8 | Free Skating: 1,6 |
|                   | Men:    | Short Program: 1,0 | Free Skating: 2,0 |

## **Novice**

Age and requirements in accordance with ISU Communication No. 1397 (Guidelines for Novice Competitions)

Girls and Boys Age limits:

May not be younger than ten (10) and must not have reached the age of fifteen (15) by July 1, 2007

|                |                |                     |
|----------------|----------------|---------------------|
| Short Program: | Girls and Boys | max. 2 min. 30 sec. |
| Free Skating:  | Girls          | 3 min. +/- 10 sec.  |
|                | Boys           | 3½ min +/- 10 sec.  |

### **Short Program, Novice Girls:**

- a) Axel Paulsen or double Axel Paulsen
- b) Double or triple jump immediately preceded by connecting steps not repeat jump in a)
- c) One jump combination consisting of two double jumps or one double and one triple jump, both jumps may not repeat jump in a) or b)
- d) Layback or sideways leaning spin (minimum of six (6) revolutions)
- e) Spin combination with only one change of foot and at least one change of position (minimum of five (5) revolutions on each foot). The minimum number of revolutions required in a position is two (2). In case this requirement is not fulfilled, the position is not counted
- f) One spiral sequence consisting of at least two (2) spiral positions. Spiral sequence has to be according to the remarks in the ISU Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating 2006. A spiral position in order to be counted must be held for at least three (3) seconds
- g) One step sequence with full utilization of the ice surface (straight line, circular or serpentine)

### **Short Program, Novice Boys:**

- a) Axel Paulsen or double Axel Paulsen
- b) Double or triple jump immediately preceded by connecting steps not repeat jump in a)
- c) One jump combination consisting of two double jumps or one double and one triple jump, both jumps may not repeat jump in a) or b)
- d) Camel or sit spin (minimum of six (6) revolutions). Change of foot is optional. No flying entrance.
- e) Spin combination with only one change of foot and at least one change of position (minimum of five (5) revolutions on each foot). The minimum number of revolutions required in a position is two (2). In case this requirement is not fulfilled, the position is not counted.
- f) Two step sequences of a different nature with full utilization of the ice surface (straight line, serpentine or circular)

### **Free Skating, Novice Girls and Boys:**

A well balanced Free Skating program for Singles must contain:

- a) Maximum of 6 jump elements for Girls and maximum of 7 jump elements for Boys one of which must be an Axel type jump and there may be up to three (3) jump combinations or sequences. Only one jump combination can contain three (3) jumps. A jump sequence can contain any number of jumps, but only two most difficult jumps will be counted. Only two (2) jumps with two and a half (2 1/2) or three (3) revolutions can be repeated either in a jump combination or in a jump sequence.
- b) There must be a maximum of three (3) spins of a different nature, one of which must be a spin combination (minimum of ten(10) revolutions) and one a flying spin with no change of position and no change of foot (minimum of six(6) revolutions). In spins the minimum number of revolutions required in a position is two (2). In case this requirement is not fulfilled, the position is not counted. Number of changes of foot in the spin combination is optional.
- c) There must be a maximum of one (1) step sequence or one (1) spiral sequence consisting of at least two (2) spiral positions for both Boys and Girls.  
A spiral position in order to be counted must be held for at least 3 seconds.

## **Factors**

|        |       |                    |                   |
|--------|-------|--------------------|-------------------|
| Novice | Girls | Short Program: 0,8 | Free Skating: 1,6 |
|        | Boys: | Short Program: 1,0 | Free Skating: 2,0 |

## ENTRIES

Each ISU Member can enter two (2) competitors in each category.

Entries of Competitors and nominations of Judges must be made by the National Associations on the designated form.

The Danish Skating Union reserves the right to limit the number of Competitors and Judges, if necessary and enter more Competitors in each category.

All entries should reach

**Dansk Skøjte Union**  
**Brøndby Stadion 20**  
**Dk-2605 Brøndby**  
**Phone: (45) 43 26 29 10 - Fax: (45) 43 26 29 08**  
**E-mail: [office@danskate.dk](mailto:office@danskate.dk)**

not later than **February 9, 2008.**

Charges: DKK 400,00 have to be paid for each competitor in the Novices Events at the Registration before the Competition. There is no charge for entries of Juniors and Seniors

## PANEL OF JUDGES

Each invited Association may nominate one International or ISU Judge.

The Panels of Judges will consist of five (5) Judges drawn among all nominated Judges. The Draw will take place immediately after the closing of Entries. The Members concerned will then be notified of the result of the Draw.

## EXPENSES

The Organizer will provide Accommodation and Meals for all drawn Judges – beginning with Lunch on Friday, March 7 through Lunch Sunday, March 9, 2008. Travel expenses are not included.

Travel expenses will be paid only for the invited Referees, Technical Specialists and Technical Controllers based on economy fare.

## MUSIC / PLANNED PROGRAM CONTENT

Music must be recorded on Cassettes with normal speed, CDs or MDs and must be handed over to the Organizer at registration. The music Medias must be of a good quality and labelled clearly with the name of the Competitor, their Category and Country.

All Music will be returned to the Teamleader by the end of the Competition at the Hospitality Desk.

With the entry forms, the “Program Content Sheet” must return to Organizing Committee in time. The Program Content Sheet must be filled in precisely by each skater in English using the terminology for the elements listed in the respective ISU Communication.

## ACCOMODATION

All Participants have to pay travel expenses, accommodation and meals by themselves.

### Official Hotels:

#### Hotel Ansgar

Østre Stationsvej 32

5000 Odense C

[www.uk.hotel-ansgar.dk](http://www.uk.hotel-ansgar.dk)

#### Hotel Windsor

Vindegade 4

5000 Odense C

[www.hotel-windsor.dk](http://www.hotel-windsor.dk)

Prices per night, (breakfast included):

Single DKK 550,00

Double DKK 650,00

**Hotel Cab Inn Odense** (Very small rooms)

Østre Stationsvej 7-9

5000 Odense C

[www.cabinn.com](http://www.cabinn.com)

Hotel Cab Inn will make extra rooms available for luggage.

Prices per night, (breakfast included):

Single DKK 475,00

Double DKK 595,00

Triple DKK 715,00

**Other Hotel:****Hotel Plaza**

Østre Stationsvej 24

5000 Odense C

[www.hotel-plaza.dk](http://www.hotel-plaza.dk)

Prices per night, (breakfast included):

Single DKK 890,00

Double DKK 1.045,00

Triple DKK 1.345,00

All Hotels are situated in the centre of Odense, approx. 3 kms from the Ice rinks

Hotel Reservations can only be made through the Organizing Committee, not later than **February 9, 2008**

- Payment directly to the Hotel.

**MEALS**

Meal Tickets at DKK 550,00 per person covering

Lunch on Friday, Saturday and Sunday

Dinner on Friday and Saturday (Dinner Party)

can be booked.

All meals – except the Dinner Party - will be served in the Ice Rink “Café Pucken”

Please inform on the Hotel Sheet whether you will be using the Meal Tickets offered.

**SHUTTLEBUS**

Shuttlebusses will be arranged by the Organizing Committee between the official Hotels and the Ice rinks.

Tickets for all 3 days can be booked at the Hospitality Desk at DKK 150,00 per person.

**ACCREDITATION**

Accreditation will take place at the Hospitality Desk in Odense Ice Rink from Friday, March 7, 2008. All skaters will be required to present their passports (and Clearance Certificate – if passport doesn't show the same nationality as the member entering the skater)

**RESULTS**

The marking System (ISU Judging System) as described in ISU Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating 2006, Rule 352 and 353.

**AWARDS**

The three best placed Competitors in each event will be awarded with cups. All Competitors will receive a diploma.

## **ANTI-DOPING**

Anti-Doping tests may be carried out in accordance with the current ISU Anti-Doping Rules and Procedures (ISU Communication No. 1447 and 1448 or any further update of this Communications).

## **LIABILITY**

In accordance with Rule 119 the Organizer accepts no liability for injury or damages incurred by Competitors or Officials. The Organizer will provide Medical Emergency Aid during the Competition.

## **PRE-OFFICIAL PRACTICE**

Practice ice can be made available by special appointment at a cost of DKK 800,00 per hour. For details please contact Danish Skating Union.

## **WEBSITE**

From January 2008 information regarding “Copenhagen Trophy” can be found at Danish Skating Unions homepage: [www.danskate.dk](http://www.danskate.dk)

## **Encl:**

### **FORMS AND RETURN DATE:**

|                            |            |
|----------------------------|------------|
| Composition of Delegation  | 09.02.2008 |
| Entry Form for Competitors | 09.02.2008 |
| Entry Form for Judge       | 09.02.2008 |
| Team Travel Form           | 09.02.2008 |
| Hotel Sheet                | 09.02.2008 |
| Planned Program Content    | 09.02.2008 |

## **PRELIMINARY SCHEDULE \*)**

### Friday, March 7, 2008

#### Official Practice

|       |                                            |
|-------|--------------------------------------------|
| 14.00 | Team Leaders Meeting                       |
| 15.00 | Referees and Technical Controllers Meeting |
| 16.00 | Judges Meeting                             |
| 17.00 | Opening Draw                               |
| 19.00 | Short Program, Novice Girls and Boys       |

### Saturday, March 8, 2008

|       |       |                                                |
|-------|-------|------------------------------------------------|
|       | 08.00 | Short Program, Junior Ladies and Men           |
|       | 12.00 | Short Program, Senior Ladies and Men           |
|       | 15.00 | Free Skating, Novice Girls and Boys            |
|       | TBA   | Round Table Discussion – Novice Girls and Boys |
| appr. | 19.45 | Ceremonies / Novices                           |
|       | 20.30 | Dinner Party                                   |

### Sunday, March 9, 2008

|       |       |                                                       |
|-------|-------|-------------------------------------------------------|
|       | 08.00 | Free Skating, Junior Ladies and Men                   |
|       | 13.00 | Free Skating, Senior Ladies and Men                   |
|       | TBA   | Round Table Discussion – Junior/Senior Ladies and Men |
| appr. | 17.15 | Ceremonies / Junior and Senior                        |

\*) Subject to change