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Petra Müller - Managerin Team Berlin Novice - Budapest Cup 2016

"Budapest Cup was a great success, thanks for the good communication and organization.

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Elena Parfene- Teammanager United Angels - Budapest Cup 2016

"What a great weekend we had.... A beautiful city, the nicest weather, a perfect ice stadium and the friendliest people and hospitality.... Can't wait for 2017!"

Richard Sejiger, synchrophoto - Budapest Cup 2016

BUDAPEST CUP 2017

INTERNATIONAL SYNCHRONIZED SKATING COMPETITION

Budapest, Hungary 16th – 19th March 2017



Hosted by:
Hungarian National Skating Federation

Organized by:
Sportország SC





ANNOUNCEMENT

The Hungarian National Skating Federation & the Sportország SC have the great pleasure to invite all ISU members to participate in

BUDAPEST CUP 2017

International Synchronized Skating Competition

CATEGORIES

ISU Events: [Senior](#), [Junior](#), [Advanced Novice](#),

Interclub Events: [Adult](#), [Junior B](#), [Mixed Age](#), [Juvenile](#), [Basic Novice](#)

PRELIMINARY ENTRY

Please be so kind to notify your intention to participate at the competition until the

[15th NOVEMBER 2016](#),

so we can begin planning for your attendance!

The competition will be conducted in accordance with the ISU constitution, the ISU General Regulations 2016 and Special Regulations Synchronized Skating 2016 as well as all applicable ISU Communications.

VENUE

The competition will take place at:

[TÜSKECSARNOK – ICE HALL](#)

Address: [HU-1117 Budapest, Magyar tudósok körútja 7.](#)



Modern, well equipped ice rink • Separated & heated warming up area • Comfortable dressing rooms for 25/18 persons • Huge color LED walls to follow the results of the competition • Huge, warm & comfortable auditorium with VIP sector • In the vicinity located several large hotel • Location is next to the Danube River • The city center is only a few kilometers away • Reserved parking area for buses is close to the athletic entrance • Viewers can park in the underground garage of the sport complex.



GENERAL RULES

Budapest Cup 2017 will be conducted in accordance with the ISU Constitution, ISU General Regulations 2016 and Special Regulations & Technical Rules for Synchronized Skating 2016 as well as all applicable ISU Communications. The teams must belong to an ISU Member (Rule 130, paragraph 7), the ages must be within the limits specified in Rule 108, paragraph 3. All skaters must qualify with regard to eligibility according to Rule 102 and participation and citizenship requirements according to Rule 109. (this for all categories).

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ENTRIES

All members of the International Skating Union listed on ISU Constitution and General Regulations 2016 are invited to enter teams at Budapest Cup 2017. (preliminary entry must reach the OC before November 15th 2016, official entry deadline is 5th January 2017)

All entries have to be filled out by computer and send to:

hello@sysbudapestcup.com

JUDGES, REFEREE AND TECHNICAL PANEL

The Competition will be judged under the IJS system. The Panel of Judges for each competition will consist of: 1 Referee 5-7 Judges 1 Technical Controller 2 Technical Specialists Each invited ISU Member, sending at least one (1) Team participating in the competition, may nominate one (1) judges (ISU LIST) Travel and accommodation will be paid for the technical panel and judges invited by the organizing committee as well as the accommodation for the judges sent by the members. The technical panel will be invited by the organizing committee. JUDGES MEETING/ Technical panel meeting Will take place at: Tüskecsarnok – Ice Hall. On Thursday, 16th March 2017.

TECHNICAL RULES

Budapest Cup 2017 will be run in accordance with appropriate ISU Rules (ISU General Regulations 2016 and ISU Special Regulations & Technical Rules for Synchronized Skating 2016) for Seniors and Juniors, as well as all pertinent ISU Communications, including ISU Communication 2008 (2016-2017), 2012 and 2040. The following should be noted: Teams may enter more than one category using different music and a different program, with a minimum 50% change in skaters. Only those skaters whose names are listed on the registration form will be allowed to skate. Age requirements: Rule 108, 4 ISU General Regulations.



ISU COMPETITION

- Senior teams:** Shall consist of 16 skaters, who must have reached at least the age of 15 by July 1, 2016. Short Program: maximum 2 minutes 50 seconds Factor 0,8 Free Skating Program: 4 minutes 30 seconds (± 10 seconds) 1,6. Elements: Comm. 2008, 2040
- Junior teams:** Shall consist of 16 skaters, who must have reached at least the age of 13 but not have reached the age 19, by July 1, 2016. Short Program: maximum 2 minutes 50 seconds Factor 0,8. Free Skating Program: 4 minutes (± 10 seconds) 1,6. Elements: Comm. 2008, 2040
- Advanced Novice teams:** Shall consist of 16 skaters, must have reached the age of ten (10) and have not reached the age of fifteen (15), before July 1st 2016. Free Skating Program: 3 minutes 30 seconds (± 10 seconds) Factor 1,0. Elements: Comm. 2008, 2040

INTERCLUB COMPETITION

- Mixed Age teams:** Shall consist of 8-16 skaters, there are no age limits. Free Skating Program: 3,30 minutes (± 10 seconds) Factor 1,6. Elements: same as in Advanced Novices Comm. 2008, 2040, VAULTS ARE PERMITTED
- Teams may attempt any level but highest level that will be called for an element will be level 3. Highest difficulty Group of Features may be attempted and will be called as executed.
- Adult teams:** Shall consist of 8-16 skaters, 75% of the Team must have reached the age of twenty-one (21) before July 1st 2016. Free Skating Program: 3 minutes (± 10 seconds) Factor 1,6, falls: -0,5. Elements: Comm. 2008, 2040
- Teams may attempt any level but highest level that will be called for an element will be level 3. Highest difficulty Group of Features may be attempted and will be called as executed.
- Juvenile teams:** Shall consist of 8-16 skaters, skaters must have not reached the age of 13 before July 1st 2016. Free Skating Program: 3 minutes (± 10 seconds) Factor 1,6, falls: -0,5 Elements: Comm. 2008 (like Basic Novice), 2040.
- Teams may attempt any level but highest level that will be called for an element will be level 2. Highest difficulty Group of Features may be attempted and will be called as executed.
- Basic Novice teams:** Shall consist of 8-16 skaters, these must have not reached the age of fifteen (15), before July 1st 2016. Free Skating Program: 3 minutes (± 10 seconds) Factor 1,7, falls: -0,5. Elements: Comm. 2008, 2040



REGISTRATION

The registration and accreditation will take place at the ice-rink:

- Thursday, 16th March 2017; 15.00 - 18.00
- Friday, 17th March 2017; 08.00 - 18.00
- Saturday, 18th March 2017; 08.00 - 18.00
- Sunday, 19th March 2017; 08.00 - 12.00

ENTRY FEES

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|------------------------|------|
| • ISU Junior & Senior | €450 |
| • ISU Advanced Novice | €400 |
| • Interclub Categories | €400 |

DRAW

Thursday, 16th March 2017 20:00 – Tüskecsarnok, Ice Hall

OPENING CEREMONY

Friday, 17th March 2017 14:30 – Tüskecsarnok, Ice Hall

MUSIC

All teams shall provide their competition music of excellent quality **not later than 1st March 2017 to hello@sysbudapestcup.com**, and will bring a CD to the competition as backup.

MEDALS & TROPHIES

Special medals will be awarded to the winners. Medals will be presented to all participating teams. Trophies will be presented for the the first, second and third placed teams in each category.

LIABILITY

According to the ISU Rule 119, and the regulations the organization accepts no liability or responsibility with respect to bodily or personal injury or for property loss or damage incurred by Competitors or Officials in connection with the Budapest Cup International Synchronized Skating Competition or any other part of the non-ISU events taking place at this event. A medical service will be on duty at the ice rink during all the time of the competition and at the Official Practice.

DOPING

An anti-doping control may be carried out during the competition in accordance with the valid ISU Anti-Doping Code (ISU Communications NO. 1922-1970).



PLERIMINARY SCHEDULE - TENTATIVE

May be changed according to the number of entries of the teams!

1. Day - Thursday, 16th March 2017

- 08:00 - 18:00 Arrival and registration of participants

- 08:00 - 22:00 Extra practice ice

- 18:00 Technical Controller and Referees Meeting
- 18:30 Technical Specialist Meeting
- 19:00 Judges Meeting
- 19:30 Team Leaders / Coaches Meeting

- 20:00 Draw Ceremony for all categories

- 21:30 Officials Dinner

2. Day - Friday, 17th March 2017

- 08:00 - 13:00 Arrival and registration of participants
- 08:00 - 09:00 Official Practice - Basic Novice, Free Skating
- 09:15 - 10:45 Official Practice - Junior B, Free Skating
- 11:00 - 12:30 Official Practice - Junior Short Program
- 12:45 - 14:15 Official Practice - Senior Short Program

- 14:30 - 15:00 Opening Ceremony

- 15:00 - 16:15 Competition - Junior "B" Free Skating
- 16:30 - 17:30 Competition - Junior Short Program
- 17.45 - 18.45 Competition - Senior Short Program
- 19:00 - 20:00 Competition – Senior Short Program

- 20:45 Draw Junior, Senior
- 21:00 Officials Dinner



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3. Day - Saturday, 18th March 2017

- 07:00 - 13.00 Arrival and registration of participants
- 07.30 - 08.30 Official Practice - Advanced Novice
- 08:45 - 09:45 Official Practice - Junior Free Skating
- 10:00 - 11:30 Official Practice - Senior Free Skating

- 11:45 - 12.55 Competition - Advanced Novice, Free Skating
- 13:10 - 14:00 Competition - Junior Free Skating
- 14:20 - 15:45 Competition - Senior Free Skating

- 16:00 Award Ceremony: Advanced Novice, Junior B, Junior, Senior

- 17:00 Round Table Discussion Junior B, Junior, Senior

- 18:30 Officials Dinner

- 18:00 Skaters Party

4. Day - Sunday, 19th March 2017

- 07:00 - 13.00 Arrival and registration of participants
- 07:00 - 08:45 Official Practice - Adult, Free Skating
- 09:00 - 10:45 Official Practice - Juvenile, Free Skating
- 11:00 - 13:00 Official Practice - Mixed Age Free skating

- 13:30 - 14:45 Competition - Adult, Free Skating
- 15:00 - 16:15 Competition - Juvenile Free Skating
- 16:30 - 18.45 Competition - Mixed Age Free Skating

- 19:00 Award Ceremony Juvenile for all categories

- 20:00 Round Table Discussion Juvenile, Adult, Mixed Age

- 21:30 Officials dinner



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www.sysbudapestcup.com

[Facebook/sysbudapestcup](https://www.facebook.com/sysbudapestcup) – Like our facebook page and help us to spread the news about synchronize skating competition to the public!

ACCOMODATION

Please contact us with your travel information!

We will be help you to find the perfect accommodation!

We have several hotels at special rates.

TICKETS

It is possible to order tickets in advance:

- Ticket for Friday €10
- Ticket for Saturday €10
- Ticket for Sunday €10
- Ticket for all days €25

Send email to order your tickets to hello@sysbudapestcup.com

Ticket prices will be higher at the scene:

€12/day, €28 for all days ticket

SAID ABOUT US

"Budapest Cup was a great success, thanks for the good communication and organization.

We would be happy to be back next year.

All the Best: [Elena Parfene- Teammanager United Angels](#)"

"Thank you and to all organizers for this amazing competition from our club's name.

hope to contact with you in the future too <3

[Tatja Jojua – Georgia Team](#)"

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[Best regards: Petra Müller – Managerin Team Berlin Novice](#)"