



Hauts de France Trophy 2010

Synchronised Skating Competition

Compiègne, France : March 6-7, 2010



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- Senior : free program only
- Junior Championship : short program and free program
- Junior : free program only
- Novice : free program
- Pre-Novice : free program
- Juvenile : free program
- Mixed Age : free program
- Adult : free program

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ANNOUNCEMENT

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The Skating Club Compiègne Oise (SCCO) invites your teams to participate to the Hauts de France Trophy 2010, synchronized skating competition, all categories, with the agreement of the FFSG. The competition will be conducted in accordance with the rules of the ISU and is opened to all eligible Team Skaters according to ISU Rule 102.

1/ **DATE** : March 6-7, 2010

2/ **PLACE** : Compiègne Ice skating rink (56 m x 26 m)
Patinoire municipale
ZAC de Mercières
60200 Compiègne FRANCE

3/ **INVITED MEMBERS**

Österreichischer Eiskunstlauf Verband	AUT
Fédération Royale Belge de Patinage Artistique	BEL
Bulgarian Skating Federation	BUL
Skate Canada	CAN
Croatian Skating Federation	CRO
Czech Figure Skating Association	CZE
Dansk Skøjte Union	DEN
The Estonian Skating Union	EST
Suomen Taitoluisteliitto	FIN
Fédération Française des Sports de Glace	FRA
Deutsche Eislauf – Union	GER
National Ice Skating Association of UK Limited	GBR
Hungarian National Skating Federation	HUN
Icelandic Skating Association	ISL
Federazione Italiana Sport del Ghiaccio	ITA
Lithuanian Skating Federation	LTU
Union Luxembourgeoise de Patinage a.s.b.l.	LUX
Koninklijke Nederlandsche Schaatsenrijders Bond	NED
Norges Skøyteforbund	NOR
Polish Figure Skating Association	POL
Romania Skating Federation	ROM
The Figure Skating Federation of Russia	RUS
Association of Skating Sports of Serbia	SER
Slovak Figure Skating Association	SVK
Slovene Skating Union	SLO
Svenska Konstakningsförbundet	SWE
Schweizer Eislauf – Verband	SUI
Turkish Ice Skating Federation	TUR
Ukrainan Figure Skating Federation	UKR
The United States Figure Skating Association	USA

4/ **CATEGORIES**

The competition includes the following categories :

- **Senior Championship : short program and free program**
- **Senior : free program only**
- **Junior Championship : short program and free program**
- **Junior : free program only**
- **Novice : free program**
- **Pre-Novice : free program**
- **Juvenile : free program**
- **Mixed Age (over 15) : free program**
- **Mixed Age (under 15) : free program**
- **Adult : free program**

The average age of the skaters of the teams entering the over 15 mixed age category must be over 15 (substitutes included).

The average age of the skaters of the teams entering the under 15 mixed age category must be under 15 (substitutes included).

5/ **TECHNICAL DATA**

SENIOR Championship	Age	14 before July 1 st , 2009
	Composition	14 to 16 skaters with a maximum of 4 alternates
	Program	☞ Short program : 2 min 50 s ☞ Free program : 4 min 30 s (plus or minus 10 s)
SENIOR	Age	14 before July 1 st , 2009
	Composition	10 to 16 skaters with a maximum of 4 alternates
	Program	Free program only : 4 min 30 s (plus or minus 10 s)
JUNIOR Championship	Age	Over 12 and less than 19 before July 1 st , 2009
	Composition	14 to 16 skaters with a maximum of 4 alternates
	Program	☞ Short program : 2 min 50 s ☞ Free program : 4 min (plus or minus 10 s)
JUNIOR	Age	Over 12 and less than 19 before July 1 st , 2009
	Composition	10 to 16 skaters with a maximum of 4 alternates
	Program	Free program only : 4 min (plus or minus 10 s)
NOVICE	Age	Over 10 and less than 15 before July 1 st , 2009
	Composition	10 to 16 skaters with a maximum of 4 alternates
	Program	Free program : 3 min 30 s (plus or minus 10 s)
PRE-NOVICE	Age	Less than 13 before July 1 st , 2009
	Composition	10 to 16 skaters with a maximum of 4 alternates
	Program	Free program : 3 min 30 s (plus or minus 10 s)
JUVENILE	Age	Less than 11 before 1 st of July 2009
	Composition	10 to 16 skaters with a maximum of 4 alternates
	Programme	Free program : 2 min 30 s (plus or minus 10 s)

MIXED AGE	Age	All ages
	Composition	8 to 16 skaters with a maximum of 4 alternates
	Program	Free program : 3 min 30 s (plus or minus 10 s)
ADULT	Age	Over 21 on July 1 st , 2009 & 75 % of the skaters must be over 25 on July 1 st , 2009
	Composition	8 to 16 skaters with a maximum of 4 alternates
	Program	Free program : 3 min 30 s (plus or minus 10 s)

The results will be calculated according to ISU Rules.

Derogation may be granted in Juvenile, Pre-Novice, Novice, Junior and Senior categories to a maximum of two skaters whose age is 2 years more or less compared to the age of the category. This exception is possible beyond the minimum number of skaters required in the category. In this case, the number of alternates is decreased of the number of derogations.

6/ **JUDGING SYSTEM AND PROGRAMS ELEMENTS**

The judging system is the New Judging System.

The short programs of the Senior Championship and Junior Championship categories must be executed according to the ISU rules.

The free programs of the Senior Championship, Senior, Junior Championship, Junior and Novice categories must be executed according to the ISU rules.

The free program of the Pre-Novice category must be executed according to the ISU rules of the Novice category.

The free programs of the Juvenile, Mixed Age and Adults categories must at least contain the following compulsory items :

JUVENILE	
- o 1 LINE : which must occupy all the ice surface. Only forward skating (without reversal). - o 1 BLOCK : which must occupy all the ice surface. 1 or 2 configurations. - o 1 WHEEL : to be chosen by the team. - o 1 INTERSECTION : 2 lines approaching face to face with Pi slipped on a foot or forward lunges. - o 1 CIRCLE : to be chosen by the team with a turn. Forward and backward skating. - o STEP : Maximum Mohawk and three turn for BLOCK and CIRCLE. - o STEP SEQUENCES will not be called. - o No allowed additional elements (traveling, change of direction, pivoting, retrogression...).	
MIXED AGE	ADULT
- o 1 BLOCK - o 1 CIRCLE - o 1 LINE - o 1 WHEEL - o 1 INTERSECTION - o 1 MIS - o 3 different holds	- o 1 BLOCK - o 1 CIRCLE - o 1 LINE - o 1 WHEEL - o 1 INTERSECTION - o 1 MIS - o 3 different holds

MIS : Mouvement en Isolation

Lifts may be used in Senior Championship and Senior categories and forbidden in all other categories.

7/ PANEL OF JUDGES

The panel of Judges is composed for each category of :

1 Referee	1 Assistant Referee Ice	5 Judges minimum
1 Technical Controller	1 Technical Specialist	1 Assistant Technical Specialist

Each participant country may enter one international judge on synchronized skating from the official ISU list of judges for the season 2009/2010. In case of participation of teams in several categories, two judges will be accepted. National Championship judges may also be entered by each participant country.

The first meeting of the judges will be held on Saturday March 6, 2010 in the morning at the official hotel.

The accommodation and travel fees will be supported by the organising committee for all the judges, technical specialists and accountants of the competition. Concerning the foreign judges, only the accommodation fees will be taken into account.

Travel expenses for the Referees and Technical Panel will be taken in charge by the organising committee.

8/ ENTRIES

The entry fee is 230 € for each participant team. The payment must be done to the SCCO by cheque in Euros or by credit transfer (the bank draft expenses will be charged to the registering teams and not to the SCCO organizer of the competition). The entry forms must be sent to the address below.

Address for the sending of the entry forms and the cheques	bank account of the Skating Club Compiègne Oise
Dominique CHARLEMAGNE 3, rue de La Libération 60880 LE MEUX FRANCE	Beneficiary, incl. address and Country: SKATING CLUB DE COMPIEGNE OISE ZAC DE MERCIERES RUE JACQUES DAGUERRE 60200 COMPIEGNE FRANCE Beneficiary Bank, incl. Address and Country: CREDIT MUTUEL 4 PLACE SAINT JACQUES 60200 COMPIEGNE FRANCE Beneficiary Account Number: FR76 1562 9026 3000 0322 1314 544 Bank Code: CMCIFR2A

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9/ OFFICIAL PRACTICE

Each team will be allocated a twelve (12) minutes practice session for free program and a ten (10) minutes practice session for short program.

10/ STARTING ORDER

For each category, the starting order will be determined by draw, on alphabetical order of countries.

The draw will be made by the Referee in accordance with ISU regulations.

11/ PRIZES – AWARDS

The first three teams in each category will receive a cup.

Each competitor will receive a souvenir in each category.

12/ **CLOSING CEREMONY – PODIUMS**

All participants must be present on ice in their competition costumes for the announcement of the results and for the prize awarding ceremony.

13/ **ORGANISATION**

The organisation of the competition is the responsibility of the SCCO COMPIEGNE. It reserves the right to take any measures necessary to ensure that the competition runs smoothly.

All decisions concerning such measures will be taken with the agreement of the Referee.

14/ **LIABILITY**

According to the ISU Rule 119, the Organising Committee for the "Hauts de France Trophy" accepts no liability for injuries or damage sustained by competitors or officials.

A medical service will be on duty at the ice rink during all the time of the competition.

15/ **DOPING**

An anti-doping control can take place according to the regulations of the Ministry of Sport.

16/ **REGISTRATION**

Every participating team, Officials, Referees, Judges, Technical Specialists and Accountants are invited to register upon arrival at Compiègne.

A welcoming desk will be in place at the Ice Rink, during all the time of the competition, starting on Saturday March 6, 2010, 8:30 a.m.

Every team will receive 2 reception files and 4 passes (1 president, 1 coach and 2 chaperons)

17/ **TEAM ACCOMMODATION**

The organisation will not take in charge accommodation for the Teams.

Suggestions will be made for all the teams concerning accommodation and board.

18/ **TEAM PHOTO**

In order to prepare the event program, we are requesting you to submit one team photo by e-mail (d.charlemagne@orange.fr) for inclusion in this program.

19/ **INFORMATION**

For any further information, send your requests to :

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Information could also be obtained on Internet site of the competition:

<http://les.hauts.de.France.free.fr>

or

<http://www.tropheedeshautsdefrance.fr.st>

20/ **PRELIMINARY SCHEDULE**

The repartition of the categories over the two days will be defined according to the number of teams registered for the competition. Therefore the practice and competition schedule may be changed (some practices sessions might eventually be scheduled on Friday by the end of afternoon or evening if necessary). The organising committee would be grateful to you to let them be informed of your participation as soon as possible, so that they could program a timetable that could suit everybody.

Saturday March 6th, 2010

- ☞ Opening hour at the ice rink at 8:30 a.m. : welcome, accreditation, CD giving, information
- ☞ Official Practice from 9:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. : categories Senior Championship and Junior Championship (short program) / categories Juvenile, Mixed Age and Adult (free program)
- ☞ Competition from 6:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m. : categories Senior Championship and Junior Championship (short program) / categories Juvenile, Mixed Age and Adult (free program)
- ☞ Awards Ceremony - Podiums at 10:45 p.m.

Sunday March 7th, 2010

- ☞ Opening hour at the ice rink at 8:00 a.m. for: welcome, accreditation, CD giving, information
- ☞ Official Practice from 8:45 a.m. to 12:45 p.m.
- ☞ Competition from 2:00 p.m. to 5:15 p.m. : categories Senior Championship, Senior, Junior Championship, Junior and Novice (free program)
- ☞ Awards Ceremony - Podiums at 5:30 p.m.

