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RIG 2017

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REYKJAVÍK ICELAND

ANNOUNCEMENT



REYKJAVÍK INTERNATIONAL GAMES

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1. ANNOUNCEMENT / INVITATION

The Icelandic Skating Association and the Reykjavik Figure Skating Club would like to invite you to participate in the Reykjavik International Games 2017 (RIG).

Reykjavik International Games is a multiathletic event which is hosted by Reykjavik city over a two-week period. Further information about the multisport events can be found at <http://www.rig.is>.

This will be the 9th year figure skating is a part of the Reykjavík International Games, and the 3rd year on the list of ISU competitions. With great pleasure we welcome figure skaters from ISU Member Federations and figure skating clubs to participate in this ISU figure skating competition.

2. GENERAL REGULATIONS

Reykjavík International Games 2017 will be conducted in accordance with the ISU Constitution and General Regulations 2016, the Special Regulations & Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating 2016, and the relevant ISU Communications.

Participation in the **Reykjavík International Games 2017** is open to all Competitors who belong to an ISU Member, and qualify with regard to eligibility according to Rule 102, provided their ages fall within the limits specified in Rule 108, paragraph 3 b) and they meet the participation, citizenship and residency requirements in Rule 109, paragraphs 1 through 5 and ISU Communication **2030** or any update of this Communication.

In accordance with Rule 109 of the ISU General Regulations and ISU Communication **2030** 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. **Passports of all Skaters, as well as the ISU Clearance Certificate, if applicable, must to be presented at the accreditation of the event for verification.**

All competitors must be entered through their respective Member Federation.

3. TECHNICAL DATA

PLACE **Main arena (MR): Laugardalur Ice Arena**, Múlavegi 1, Reykjavík
(an indoor ice-rink with the ice surface of 30 x 60 m, air-conditioned and heated)

Practice arena (PR): same as main arena.

Some practices might be in **Egilshöll Ice Arena**, Fossaleyni 1, Reykjavík
(an indoor ice-rink with the ice surface of 30 x 60 m, air-conditioned and heated)

3.1 NOVICE CATEGORIES

ADVANCED NOVICE BOYS In accordance general requirements for Novice competitions ISU Communication 2024.

ADVANCE NOVICE GIRLS In accordance general requirements for Novice competitions ISU Communication 2024.



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3.2 JUNIOR CATEGORIES

JUNIOR MEN	Short Program	The required elements to be skated are those listed in ISU Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating 2016 Rule 611, paragraphs 1 and 3 for 2016/17. Duration: 2 min., 40 sec., +/- 10 sec.
	Free Skating	In accordance with ISU Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating 2016, Rule 612 and the respective ISU Communication. Special attention should be paid to the "well balanced program" and the element value. Duration: 4 min., +/- 10 sec.
JUNIOR LADIES	Short Program	The required elements to be skated are those listed in ISU Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating 2016 Rule 611, paragraphs 1 and 3 for 2016/17. Duration: 2 min., 40 sec., +/- 10 sec.
	Free Skating	In accordance with ISU Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating 2016, Rule 612 and the respective ISU Communication. Special attention should be paid to the "well balanced program" and the element value. Duration: 3 min., 30 sec., +/- 10 sec.

3.3 SENIOR CATEGORIES

SENIOR MEN	Short Program	The required elements to be skated are those listed in ISU Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating 2016 Rule 611, paragraphs 1 and 3 for 2016/17. Duration: 2 min., 40 sec., +/- 10 sec.
	Free Skating	In accordance with ISU Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating 2016, Rule 612 and the respective ISU Communication. Special attention should be paid to the "well balanced program" and the element value. Duration: 4 min., 30 sec., +/- 10 sec.
SENIOR LADIES	Short Program	The required elements to be skated are those listed in ISU Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating 2016 Rule 611, paragraphs 1 and 3 for 2016/17. Duration: 2 min., 40 sec., +/- 10 sec.
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4. ENTRIES

All Entry Forms are available on the website of the competition www.iceskate.is/rig2017.
Please e-mail Entry Forms to events@iceskate.is.

4.1 Entries of competitors

The entries by name should reach the organizer no later than **Friday, December 9th, 2016**.
The official entry forms must be used and we kindly ask Skaters to send a copy of their passport at the time of entry to events@iceskate.is

Confirmation of the skaters accepted to the competition will be published on the website not later than **December 12th, 2016**.

4.2 Entry fee

The entry fee for Senior, Junior and Advanced Novice is **80 €** per participant.
The entry fee must be paid by **December 9th, 2016** to the following bank account – we kindly ask members to make one payment transaction for all their skaters and mark it with the text “RIG2017”.

Account owner:

Skautasamband Íslands
Landsbankinn hf.
Austurstræti 11
SWIFT (BIC): NBIIISRE
IBAN: IS92 0111 2612 2344 5606 9523 39

Entry fees are not refunded in case of withdrawal after **December 9th, 2016**. Entry fee will be refunded if the skater is not accepted (if there will be a limitation of the numbers of entries).

4.3 Entries of officials

Each participating ISU Member is welcome to nominate a Judge with at least the qualification International Judge, International Technical Controllers and International Technical Specialists. Please fill in the Judges form and return no later than **Friday, December 9th, 2016**. The panels will be announced no later than **Friday, December 16th, 2016**. The Icelandic Skating Association will make a draw to select the Judges and selection of Technical Panel will be based on the order the candidates are received, country and qualifications.

5. MEALS, LODGING and TRAVEL EXPENSES

The organizer will provide and cover the expenses for room and meals for accepted judges and invited Officials participating, beginning with dinner on **Friday, February 3rd, 2017** until lunch on **Sunday, February 5th, 2017**.

Should any official arrive at the hotel before or stay longer than the period described above, their room costs and expenses will be the responsibility of the individual and must be paid upon arrival. Travel expenses for drawn judges must be covered by respective member.

All extra expenses incurred by any Official will be the responsibility of that person and must be paid prior to departure. The expenses for rooms and meals for the team Leader, competitors and other team officials will not be covered by the organizer and are on the account of the team.



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6. PRACTICE

Official practice for Competitors begins on **Friday, February 3rd, 2017**. The detailed schedule will be issued at the time of registration.

7. MUSIC / PLANNED PROGRAM CONTENT

In accordance with Rule 343, paragraph 1 all Competitors shall furnish competition music of excellent quality in digital audio file. Music files must be submitted on CD or any other transportable independent free accessible medium on site at the time of registration. The medium with the music files will be kept until the end of the competition.

A list of titles, composers and orchestras of the music to be used for the Short Program and Free Skating Program must be listed for each Competitor on the official Music Selection Form.

The CDs equipped with the competitor's full name, members name, the exact running time of the music (not skating time), competing category (short and free program) must be submitted to the Organizer at the accreditation. **All competitors must have an extra copy of their music available at the rink during their event.**

The "Program Content Sheet" must be returned with the entry forms to **events@iceskate.is** no later than **December 9th, 2016**. The Program Component Sheet must be filled in precisely by each skater in English using the Terminology for the elements listed in the respective ISU Communication.

8. ARRIVAL OF PARTICIPANTS / TEAMS

Invited Officials, Referees, the Technical Panel (Panel (Technical Controller, Technical Specialists, Data & Replay Operators), Judges, Competitors, Team Leaders, Team Officials and Coaches taking part in the competition are requested to announce to the Organizing Committee as soon as possible but no later than **January 6th, 2017**, the name of the airlines, flight numbers, dates and times of arrival at Keflavík International Airport or any other information concerning transportation and arrivals. The travel form **RIG03** should be used. **All Officials will be picked up at Keflavík Airport.**

The main international airport in Iceland is Keflavík Airport (KEF) with a distance of 40 km from the capital. It takes approx. 50 min to go from the airport to Reykjavík with Fly-bus. Buses are available from Keflavík airport and stop at all main hotels. Further information about the bus service can be found at <http://www.kefairport.is/english/to-and-from-the-airport/buses/> and <https://www.re.is/flybus/>.

9. OFFICIAL HOTEL

Hótel Cabin

Borgartún 32

105, Reykjavík

phone: +354 511 6030

website: <http://hotelcabin.is/>

The Organizer will make the room arrangements at the official hotel for officials only. The competitors and their coaches are responsible for booking their accommodations. Further information on more available hotels will be available at **www.iceskate.is/rig2017**.



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10. ACCREDITATION

The Accreditation is planned at the **ice rink** upon arrival **Thursday February 2nd from 18.00-22:00** and on **Friday February 3rd at 08:00**.

11. OPENING DRAW

Draws will be held, at **the Ice rink**, prior to the respective short programs. It will be done by referees as per rules 430 and 513. A draw schedule will be published with the official Time schedule. Starting/order, for free programs will be according the inverse of the short programs results.

12. PRESENTATION OF MEDALS

The three best placed Competitors in each event will be announced and honored. Gold, silver and bronze medals will be presented to the medalists. Skaters with highest score (ladies and men) will be given special awards in special RIG ceremony with athletes from other sports during the closing banquet.

13. PROTOCOL / LIST OF RESULTS

Protocol/ list of results in each category will be published on the competition's website: **www.iceskate.is/rig2017**

14. INSURANCE / LIABILITY

In accordance with Rule 119, it is the sole obligation of each Member participating, to provide medical and accident insurance for their athletes, officials and all other members of the Member's team. Such insurance must assure full medical attendance and also the return of the ill or injured person to the home country by air transport or by other expeditious.

15. INITIAL JUDGES MEETING/ROUND TABLE DISCUSSION

The initial Judges meeting and the Technical panel meeting will be held at the ice rink **Friday morning, February 3rd**. The exact times will be announced after the practice schedule has been completed. Round Table Discussions will be held Saturday and Sunday (see schedule).

16. INFORMATION

For information, please contact the Organizing Committee:

RIG Organizing Committee

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17. PRELIMINARY EVENT SCHEDULE

Thursday February 2, 2017	All day 19:00	Arrival of teams Draw
Friday February 3, 2017	10:00 15:00	Official practice: Advanced Novice Referee's, Technical Panel and Initial Judges Meetings ADVANCED NOVICE – Short Program
Saturday February 4, 2017	07:30 12:30 19:00	Official practice: Advanced Novice, Junior, Senior ADVANCED NOVICE – Free Program JUNIOR MEN – Short Program JUNIOR LADIES – Short Program SENIOR MEN – Short Program SENIOR LADIES – Short Program JUNIOR MEN, ADVANCED NOVICE – RTD
Sunday February 5, 2017	07:00 11:00 15:00	Official practice: Junior and Senior JUNIOR MEN – Free Program JUNIOR LADIES – Free Program SENIOR MEN – Free Program SENIOR LADIES – Free Program Award Ceremony JUNIOR LADIES, SENIOR MEN & LADIES - RTD

Please note! This schedule is subject to changes and will be updated in accordance with the final number of entries.

**We look forward to seeing you at
Reykjavík International Games 2017!**



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18. SUMMARY OF DEADLINES

	DEADLINE	Form
Entry by Name Delegation Members	09.12.2016	Form RIG01
Entry by Name for Competitors	09.12.2016	Form RIG02
Entry by Name for Judges	09.12.2016	Form RIG03
Travel Details	09.12.2016	Form RIG04
Planned Program Content	09.12.2016	Form RIG05

Please note! All forms are available at www.iceskate.is/rig2017.