Skate Berlin International 2027

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Announcement

Skate Berlin International 2027

An International Senior Competition for the following categories

Senior	**Woman**	**Men**	**Pairs**	**Ice Dance**
Junior	**Woman**	**Men**	**Pairs**	**Ice Dance**
Advanced Novice	**Girls**	**Boys**	**Pairs**	**Ice Dance**
Intermediate Novice				**Ice Dance**
Basic Novice			**Pairs**	**Ice Dance**

The competition is

hosted by the

Berliner Eissport-Verband e.V.

under the authorization of the

Deutsche Eislauf-Union e.V.

and sanctioned by the

International Skating Union

and held in

Berlin / Germany

February 09th to 13th, 2027

1 GENERAL REGULATIONS

The **Skate Berlin International 2027** will be conducted in accordance with the ISU Constitution 2025, Competition & Event Regulations 2026, Sports Rules Single & Pair Skating and Ice Dance 2026, and the relevant ISU Communications.

Participation in the **Skate Berlin International 2027** is open to all Competitors who belong to an ISU Member, and qualify with regard to eligibility according to Competition & Event Regulations 2026, Article 7.2, provided their ages fall within the limits specified in Article 9.3, and they meet the participation, citizenship and residency requirement in Article 8 and ISU Communication 2526 or any update of this Communication. Competition & Event Regulations 2026, Article 7.2, provided their ages fall within the limits specified in Article 9.3, and they meet the participation, citizenship and residency requirement in Article 8 and ISU Communication 2526 or any update of this Communication.

In accordance with Article 8 and ISU Communication 2526 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 be presented at the accreditation of the event for verification.

All competitors must be entered through their respective ISU Member Federation.

2 TECHNICAL DATA

Organizer **Berliner Eissport-Verband e.V. (Berlin Figure Skating Association)**
In the following text mentioned as **BEV**

Place Sportforum Berlin – Hohenschönhausen, Weissenseer Weg 53, 13053 Berlin
Maps

an indoor ice-rink with the ice surface of 60 m x 30 m, air-conditioned and heated)

SENIOR

Senior Men	Short Program	The required elements to be skated are those listed in ISU Sports Rules Single & Pair Skating and Ice Dance 2026ISU Sports Rules Single & Pair Skating and Ice Dance 2026, Rule 611, paragraphs 1 and 2 for 2026/27. Duration: 2 min., 40 sec. +/- 10 sec.
	Free Skating	In accordance with ISU Sports Rules Single & Pair Skating and Ice Dance 2026, 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.
Senior Women	Short Program	The required elements to be skated are those listed in ISU Sports Rules Single & Pair Skating and Ice Dance 2026 Rule 611, paragraphs 1 and 2 for 2026/27. Duration: 2 min., 40 sec. +/- 10 sec.
	Free Skating	In accordance with ISU Sports Rules Single & Pair Skating and Ice Dance 2026, 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.
Senior Pairs	Short Program	The required elements to be skated are those listed in ISU Sports Rules Single & Pair Skating and Ice Dance 2026, Rule 620, paragraphs 1 and 2 for 2026/27. Duration: 2 min., 40 sec. +/- 10 sec.

	Free Skating	In accordance with ISU Sports Rules Single & Pair Skating and Ice Dance 2026, Rule 621 and the respective ISU Communication. Special attention should be paid to the “well balanced program” and the element value. Duration: 4 min., +/- 10 sec.
Senior Ice Dance	Rhythm Dance	In accordance with ISU Sports Rules Single & Pair Skating and Ice Dance 2026, Rule 709. Rhythms, required elements and guidelines are those listed in ISU Communications 2795 and subsequent updates. Duration: 2 min., 50 sec., +/- 10 sec.
	Free Dance	In accordance with ISU Sports Rules Single & Pair Skating and Ice Dance 2026, Rule 710. The required elements to be skated are those listed in ISU Communication 2795 and subsequent updates. Duration: 4 min., +/- 10 sec.

JUNIOR

Junior Men	Short Program	The required elements to be skated are those listed in ISU Sports Rules Single & Pair Skating and Ice Dance 2026 Rule 611, paragraphs 1 and 3 for 2026/27. Duration: 2 min., 40 sec. +/- 10 sec.
	Free Skating	In accordance with ISU Sports Rules Single & Pair Skating and Ice Dance 2026, 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.
Junior Women	Short Program	The required elements to be skated are those listed in ISU Sports Rules Single & Pair Skating and Ice Dance 2026 Rule 611, paragraphs 1 and 3 for 2026/27. Duration: 2 min., 40 sec. +/- 10 sec.
	Free Skating	In accordance with ISU Sports Rules Single & Pair Skating and Ice Dance 2026, 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.
Junior Pairs	Short Program	The required elements to be skated are those listed in ISU Sports Rules Single & Pair Skating and Ice Dance 2026, Rule 620, paragraphs 1 and 3 for 2026/27. Duration: 2 min., 40 sec. +/- 10 sec.
	Free Skating	In accordance with ISU Sports Rules Single & Pair Skating and Ice Dance 2026, Rule 621 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.
Junior Ice Dance	Rhythm Dance	In accordance with ISU Sports Rules Single & Pair Skating and Ice Dance 2026, Rule 709. Rhythms, required elements and guidelines are those listed in ISU Communication 2795 and subsequent updates. Duration: 2 min., 50 sec. +/- 10 sec
	Free Dance	In accordance with ISU Sports Rules Single & Pair Skating and Ice Dance 2026, Rule 710. The required elements to be skated are those listed in ISU Communication 2795 and subsequent updates. Duration: 3 min., 30 sec. +/- 10 sec.

NOVICE

Advanced Novice Boys	Short Program	In accordance with ISU Communication No. 2770 or any subsequent updates. Duration: 2 min., 20 sec. +/-10 sec
	Free Skating	In accordance with ISU Communication No. 2770 or any subsequent updates. Duration: 3 min., +/- 10 sec
Advanced Novice Girls	Short Program	In accordance with ISU Communication No. 2770 or any subsequent updates. Duration: 2 min., 20 sec. +/-10 sec
	Free Skating	In accordance with ISU Communication No. 2770 or any subsequent updates. Duration: 3 min., +/- 10 sec
Advanced Novice Pairs	Short Program	In accordance with ISU Communication No. 2770 or any subsequent updates. Duration: 2 min., 20 sec. +/-10 sec
	Free Skating	In accordance with ISU Communication No. 2770 or any subsequent updates. Duration: 3 min., +/- 10 sec
Basic Novice Pairs	Free Skating	In accordance with ISU Communication No. 2770 or any subsequent updates. Duration: 3 min., +/- 10 sec.
Advanced Novice Ice Dance	Pattern Dances	In accordance with ISU Communication 2794 and any subsequent updates. Couples shall provide their own music for all Pattern Dances. Two (2) Pattern Dances are to be skated for season 2026/27: **Paso Doble - 2 Sequences plus one (1) Choreographic Element.** This Pattern Dance (including the Choreographic Element) must be completed within 1min 10 sec. and **Blues - 2 Sequences**.
	Free Dance	In accordance with ISU Communication 2794 and any subsequent updates. Duration: 3 min. +/- 10 sec.
Intermediate Novice Ice Dance	Pattern Dances	In accordance with ISU Communication 2794 and any subsequent updates. Couples shall provide their own music for all Pattern Dances. Two (2) of the following three (3) Pattern Dances will be skated: **Fourteen Step, Foxtrott, American Waltz** The Pattern Dances to be skated will be drawn before the first practice on site.
	Free Dance	In accordance with ISU Communication 2794 and any subsequent updates. Duration: 2 min. 30 sec. +/- 10 sec.

Basic Novice Ice Dance	Pattern Dances	In accordance with ISU Communication 2794 and any subsequent updates. Couples shall provide their own music for all Pattern Dances. Two (2) of the following three (3) Pattern Dances will be skated: **Willow Waltz, Hickory Hoedown, Tango Fiesta** The Pattern Dances to be skated will be drawn before the first practice on site.
	Free Dance	In accordance with ISU Communication 2794 and any subsequent updates. Duration: 2 minutes (+/- 10 seconds)

3 RESULTS AND DRAWS

The marking system (ISU Judging System) as described in ISU Sports Rules Single & Pair Skating and Ice Dance 2026, Rule 352 and Rule 353 (Determination and publication of results) will be used.

The draws for the first competition segments (Short Program, Rhythm Dance, Pattern Dances) will be held at least one day before the start of the respective category in accordance with ISU rule 513, 1.

Starting orders of the Free Skating / Free Dance will be the reverse order of the result after the Short Program/Rhythm Dance or Pattern Dances (ISU rule 513, 2).

The location for the draws will be announced in due time prior to the competition.

4 ENTRIES

4.1 General

All entries for the **Skate Berlin International 2027** must be done through the **ISU Online Registration System (ORS)** by the deadline indicated. Declarations will need to be uploaded to the ORS as well.

Entries must be made via the ISU Online Registration System (ORS):

https://fsk-ors.isu.swisstiming.com

4.2 Preliminary Entries

The Preliminary Entries must be made via the ISU Online Registration System (ORS) not later than**:**
Monday, December 14, 2026 – 20:00 (CET).

4.3 Entries by Name

4.3.1 Entries of Competitors

All ISU Member Federations may register a maximum of 3 entries per category. However, the organizing ISU Member Deutsche Eislauf-Union (Germany) is allowed to register a higher number of entries.

In case the number of entries is too high, the organizer has the right to reduce the number of participants. Preference will be given to those ISU Members which submitted preliminary entries, in order of receipt of such entries.

The Organizing Committee reserves the right to limit the number of entries in case the number of entries are too high. If the Organizing Committee must limit these numbers, priority will be given to those countries who have completed the preliminary entry.

Entries of Competitors by name must be made via the ISU Online Registration System (ORS):
Monday, January 11, 2027 – 20:00 (CET).

4.3.2 Entries of Judges

Each participating ISU Member has the right to nominate one (1) judge who has at least has the qualification "Judge for International Competitions". ISU Members with entries in the Singles and Pairs as well as Ice Dance categories may enter two (2) judges. If possible, preference when nominating judges shall be given to judges with qualification for both Singles and Pairs and Ice Dance.

In case of too many nominated judges the organizer will draw the panel of judges immediately after the closing date for the entries. The result of such a draw will be communicated to all ISU Members involved in writing immediately after the conclusion of such a draw.

The Entries of Judges must be made via the ISU Online Registration System (ORS) not later than**:**
Monday, January 11, 2027 – 20:00 (CET).

4.3.3 Entries of Team Members

Official entries of Team Leaders, Assistant Team Leaders, Team Officials, Team Medical Staff and Coaches and the partner or relative of a Judge will be accepted. Accreditation will be provided to those who are officially accepted by the Organizer.

Please be advised that only one Coach per Skater will be accredited. An Assistant Team Leader will be accepted for Teams having six (6) and more Skaters. Only two Team Officials of each Member, including the Member President provided that they are Council Members, Technical Committee Members or Members of the Head Office of their Federation, will be accredited. Not more than one (1) Team Doctor and one (1) Team Physiotherapist will be accepted as the Team Medical Staff, for which the organizer requests the right to have a medical certification (document) presented before accreditation. An accompanying person to a Judge will only be accepted for accreditation if this person is a partner in life or a relative of the Judge. The Member Federations guarantee that the requested accreditation of Team Members will correspond to their function within the team and the Federation.

The entry of Team delegation must be made via the ISU Online Registration System (ORS) not later than**:**
Monday, January 11, 2027 – 20:00 (CET).

4.4 Entry Fee

The following entry fee must be paid:

- 120.00 € for each Skater in singles categories
- 120.00 € for each Pair in Basic Novice
- 160.00 € for each Pair in Advanced Novice, Junior or Senior and all Ice Dance categories

The entry fee will not be refunded in case of withdrawals for any reason.

All participants which have been confirmed by January 14, 2027, must transfer the entry fee by no later than **January 20, 2027**.

The entry fee must be transferred to the bank account of the Berlin Figure Skating Association:

Account name: **Berliner Eissport-Verband e.V.**
Bank name: **Commerzbank**
Account number IBAN: **DE08 1004 0000 0204 3131 00**

Payments received after the payment deadline on January 22, 2027 will be charged with an additional fee of +25%.

In case the entry fee has not been received to the BEV before the competition in full, the participation of the respective competitor(s) or federation can be declined or a 100% increased entry fee must be paid in cash (Euro only) at the time of registration on site at the competition in the organizing committees office.

The entry fee will not be refunded in case of withdrawals for any reason.

5 EVENT OFFICIAL

All Referees, Technical Controllers, Technical Specialists as well as Data and Replay Operators will be appointed by the organizer in line with the principles of Competition & Event Regulations 2026, Article 14.2.1 and rule 420, of the ISU Sports Rules Single & Pair Skating and Ice Dance 2026 as well as ISU Communications 2770 and 2794, for appointing the Event Officials.

6 MEALS, ACCOMMODATION AND TRAVEL EXPENSES

The organizer will provide and cover the expenses for travel, accommodation and meals for all appointed Referees, Technical Controllers, Technical Specialists as well as Data and Replay Operators in accordance with their time of service at the competition.

For Judges, officially approved for the competition, the Organizing Committee will cover the accommodation costs and providing meals in accordance with the time of service at the competition, in general stating from the day prior to the first day a judge is officiating until breakfast the day after the individual judge's last Round Table Discussion.

All other people registered for the competition (Competitors, Coaches, other Team Delegation members) are obliged to bear all costs for travel, accommodation and meals by themselves.

7 PRACTICE

The organizer will offer official practice and limited open practice times for all competitors prior and during the competition starting from Monday, February 8, 2027. Requests for practice prior to February 8, 2027 shall be made via mail to
sbi@eissport-berlin.de.

Please note: Practice sessions may not be at the competition rink.

8 MUSIC / PLANNED PROGRAM CONTENT

In accordance with Rule 343 in the ISU Sports Rules Single & Pair Skating and Ice Dance 2026, the following method to submit the Competitor's music to the Organizing Committee must be followed:
the ISU Member is responsible for submitting their competitor's music as direct attachment to an email to the Organizing Committee (**music.sbi@eissport-berlin.de**) until **Monday, February 1, 2027**.

Please note:
Some music files might exceed the size of a regular email. In this case, an email-based transfer service which allows to send large files could be used to send the file to the OC.

Each submission shall be labelled with the name of the ISU Member, name of the category, segment and the name(s) of the competitor(s):

Example:
GER_Men_SP_MUSTERMANN-Max
GER_Men_FS_MUSTERMANN-Max
SUI_Pairs_SP_MUSTERMANN-Erika_MUSTERMANN-Max

Please note:
Files in MP3 format may have a significant difference in the music quality when reproduced. The Organizing Committee in this case is not responsible if the music quality would be insufficient.

Each Competitor must have an own back-up drive (USB Stick) for each program in the format of a WAV or MP3 file.

In case the music files have not been submitted in time to the Organizing Committee, the skater(s) must present their music latest at the time of registration on the above defined mean and in the defined format.

No accreditation card will be issued to any competitor until the music files have been received and confirmed by the Organizing Committee.

The music files will be temporarily stored for the duration of competitions to be able to play it back on the competition by computer. With the transmission, you allow the processing of the music exclusively for playback purposes for the performance of the nominated athlete.

The “Program Content Sheet” must also be submitted before the competition via the ISU PORTAL. It is mandatory that the Program Content Sheet be filled in precisely by each Skater/team in English using the terminology for the elements listed in the respective ISU Communication.

It is not permitted to hand over the Program Content Sheets directly to the acting Officials.

9 ACCREDITATION

The official accreditation for Teams is planned at the competition venue Sportforum Berlin – Hohenschönhausen upon arrival.

Chaperons will not receive accreditation. Chaperones must purchase event tickets onsite to enter the competition venue.

10 PUBLICATIONS AND RESULTS

All competition results as well as photos & videos (including livestream) of the competition will be published online.

With the nomination for the competition, the participants or their legal representatives agree to the publication. Please consider the separate note on the last page!

The organizer may share a Link for the Sportity App for information and publication of results.

11 PRESENTATION OF TROPHIES AND CERTIFICATES

The three best placed Skaters/Couples in each category will be announced and honored in a victory ceremony at the competition venue. The three best placed Skaters/Couples will receive a trophy.

All participants will receive a certificate.

12 INSURANCE / LIABILITY

In accordance with Competition and Event Regulations, Article 17.3, it is the sole obligation of each Member participating in ISU Events, to provide medical and accident insurance for their athletes, officials and all other members of the Member’s team. Such insurance must ensure full medical attendance and also the return of the ill or injured person to the home country by air transport or by other expeditious. It is an internal matter of each ISU Member to decide the issue who shall pay the premium for such insurance.

The Organizing Committee assumes no responsibility for or liability with respect to bodily or personal injury or property damage incurred in connection incurred by Competitors and Officials.

13 EXHIBITION

The two best placed skaters/couples in the final ranking of each senior and junior category will be asked to take part in an exhibition on Saturday evening. Additional skaters/couples will be invited to participate. The invites will be published in the Sportity App after the competition of each discipline is finished.

14 INFORMATION AND VARIOUS

For information, please contact the Organizing Committee:

Berliner Eissport-Verband e.V. (Berlin Figure Skating Association)
e-mail: sbi@eissport-berlin.de

15 TENTATIVE EVENT SCHEDULE

Monday, February 8, 2027		Official Practice
Tuesday, February 9, 2027	15:00	Advanced Novice Girls – Short Program Advanced Novice Boys – Short Program
Wednesday, February 10, 2027	09:00	Junior Women – Short Program Junior Men – Short program Advanced Novice Girls – Free Skating Advanced Novice Boys – Free Skating
Thursday, February 11, 2027	9:00	Basic Novice Ice Dance – Pattern Dances Intermediate Novice Ice Dance – Pattern Dances Advanced Novice Ice Dance – Pattern Dances Junior Ice Dance – Rhythm Dance Senior Ice Dance – Rhythm Dance Junior Women – Free Skating Junior Men – Free Skating
Friday, February 12, 2027	9:00	Basic Novice Ice Dance – Free Dance Intermediate Novice Ice Dance – Free Dance Advanced Novice Ice Dance – Free Dance Junior Ice Dance – Free Dance Senior Ice Dance - Free Dance Advanced Novice Pairs – Short Program Junior Pairs – Short Program Senior Pairs – Short Program Senior Women – Short Program Senior Men – Short Program
Saturday, February 13, 2027	9:00	Basic Novice Pairs - Free Skating Advanced Novice Pairs – Free Skating Junior Pairs – Free Skating Senior Pairs – Free Skating Senior Women – Free Skating Senior Men – Free Skating
	18:00	Exhibition

This schedule is subject to changes!

Please be aware that the organizer reserves the right to adjust the order and time of competitions depending on the final number of entries after the deadline.

16 FORMS AND DEADLINES

What?	DEADLINE	to be submitted via
Preliminary Entries	Monday, 14.12.2026	ORS
Entry by Name for Competitors	Monday, 11.01.2027	ORS
Entry by Name for Judges	Monday, 11.01.2027	ORS
Entry by Name Delegation Members	Monday, 11.01.2027	ORS
Hotel Reservation (Judges ONLY)	Monday, 11.01.2027	ORS
Travel Details	Monday, 11.01.2027	ORS
Declaration Form	Monday, 11.01.2027	ORS
Press Information	Monday, 11.01.2027	ISU PORTAL
Competition Music Information	Monday, 11.01.2027	ISU PORTAL
Planned Program Content	Monday, 11.01.2027	ISU PORTAL
Music File Submission	Monday, 01.02.2027	e-mail: music.sbi@eissport-berlin.de

17 DATA PROTECTION AND PUBLICATION OF RESULTS

All competition's results as well as pictures and videos (including life stream) of the competition's participants are/ can be published online. With the official nomination to the competition all participants or their legal deputies agree to these publications.

Consent to data collection, processing and use:

With my registration / signature I confirm the representative and reporting association or national association as well as the organizing federation under possession of my full consciousness and my binding power, my participation or participation of my child in this competition.

To carry out the tasks associated with the organization of the competition the respective listed data is collected for legitimate interests:

Name (children/adult), date of birth, club, association.

The data is handled confidentially and in compliance with data protection. At the same time, I declare by revocation and opposition reservation that I agree to all resulting photos, data, sound and video recordings related to the competition which are recorded by myself or my child may be published for information purposes of the general public on the Internet and others media (press, newspaper, radio, etc.).

All good manners in dealing with such personal data will be maintained and they are a matter of high respect.

Hereby I acknowledge that at any time without stating any reasons and by a simple explanation to the Berlin figure skating association (telephone, E-Mail, post office) I can give away my consent to withdraw from this agreement. (Berliner Eissport-Verband e.V., Fritz-Wildung-Str. 9, 14199 Berlin, Tel +49 30 823 40 20, E-Mail (Info@Eissport-Berlin.de).

I acknowledge that by revoking my agreement the legality of the survey carried out on the basis of the consent until the revocation, processing and the use of my personal data is not affected. Media content which has been made available to the public already, cannot be subject of any deletion. Hardship cases, on the other hand, receive special treatment (justified objection of persons on pictures, objects, etc.). Likewise, it is my right to have access to inquiry, amendment or even deletion without any restriction.

A restriction of the data collected, processed and used is not possible. This is not including data created and published as media content. As of the above stated reasons it is mandatory for the fulfillment of the order and resulting contract of all involved workforces commissioned by the organizer. In case of "Kleiner Berliner Bär" it is the section of figure skating of the Berlin Ice Sport federation (Berliner Eissport-Verband e.V., Fritz-Wildung-Str. 9, 14199 Berlin, www.eissport-berlin.de).