

October 4th - October 6th 2019

Competition for ice dance: novice - junior - senior



1. GENERALINFORMATION

The competition "Mezzaluna Cup-Ice Dance" will be conducted in accordance with the ISU Constitution and General Regulations 2019/2020, the ISU Special Regulations and Technical Rules for Singles & Pair Skating and Ice Dance 2019/2020 and ISU Communication and the relevant ISU Communications.

The competition results must be calculated according to the valid ISU Special Regulations Single & Pair Skating and Ice Dance, currently Rules 352 and 353.

Participation in the "Mezzaluna Cup - Ice Dance" 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 c) for Novice and they meet the participation, citizenship and residency requirements in Rule 109, paragraphs 1 through 5 and ISU Communication 1420 or any update of this Communication.

Citizen /Residence requirements and Clearance Procedure

In accordance with rule 109 of the ISU General Regulations and ISU Communication 1420 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 anther Member, must procedure and ISU Clearance Certificate. Passports of all novice skaters, as well as the ISU Clearance Certificate, if applicable, must be presented at the accreditation of the event for verification.

2. COMPETITION VENUE

All practice and competition will take place at the Palaghiaccio Di Roma Mentana, the address is Piazzale della Mezzaluna, 1 00013 Mentana (Rome), Italy. This complex features an indoor ice rinks, temperature controlled with one ice surface 60m x 30m.



3. TECHNICAL INFORMATION

SENIOR

Rhythm Dance

In accordance with ISU Technical Rules Ice Dance 2019, Rule 709 and all pertinent ISU communications. Rhythms, required elements and guidelines are those listed in ISU Communication 2256, 2257 and subsequent updates.

Duration: 2 min. 50 sec., +/- 10 sec

Free Dance

In accordance with ISUTechnical Rules Ice Dance 2019, Rule 710, the required elements to be skated are those listed in ISU Communication 2256, 2257 and subsequent updates.

Duration: 4 min. +/- 10 sec.

JUNIOR

Rhythm Dance

In accordance with ISU Technical Rules Ice Dance 2019, Rule 709. (2019/2020)

Rhythms required elements and guidelines are those listed in ISU Communications 2256, 2257 and subsequent updates.

Duration: 2 min. 50 sec., +/- 10 sec

Free Dance

In accordance with ISU Technical Rules Ice Dance 2019, Rule 710. The required elements to be skated are those listed in ISU Communications 2256, 2257 and subsequent updates.

Duration: 3 min., 30 sec., +/- 10 sec.

ADVANCED NOVICE

Pattern Dances

In accordance with ISU Technical Rules Ice dance 2019, Rule 711, ISU communication 2241, 2256, 2257 and all pertinent ISU Communications.

Two (2) Pattern Dances are to be skated:

Starlight Waltz and Quickstep

From season 2019/20, couples shall provide their own music far all Pattern Dances.

- Free Dance Duration: 3:00min. +/- 10 sec.

In accordance with Technical Rules Ice dance 2019, rule 710 and all pertinent ISU Communications. The required elements to be performed are those listed in ISU Communications 2241, 2256, 2257 and subsequent updates.



INTERMEDIATE NOVICE

Pattern Dances

In accordance with ISU Technical Rules Ice dance 2019, Rule 711, ISU communication 2241, 2256, 2257 and all pertinent ISU Communications.

One of the two groups announced for the season shall be drawn before the first practices of the competition. Each group contains two (2) pattern dances;

Group 2: Fourteenstep and Tango

Group 3: Foxtrot and European Waltz

From season 2019/20, couples shall provide their own music for all Pattern Dances.

- Free Dance Duration: 2:30min. +/- 10 sec.

In accordance with Technical Rules Ice dance 2019, rule 710 and all pertinent ISU Communications. The required elements to be performed are those listed in ISU Communications 2241, 2256, 2257 and subsequent updates.

BASIC NOVICE

Pattern Dances

In accordance with ISU Technical Rules Ice dance 2019, Rule 711, ISU communication 2241, 2256, 2257 and all pertinent ISU Communications.

Two (2) pattern Dances are to be skated from the following:

Group 1: Fourteenstep, Willow Waltz and Tango Canasta.

Couples shall provide their own music for all Pattern Dances.

- Free Dance Duration: 2:00min. +/- 10 sec.

In accordance with Technical Rules Ice dance 2019, rule 710 and all pertinent ISU Communications. The required elements to be performed are those listed in ISU Communications 2241, 2256, 2257 and subsequent updates.



4. ENTRIES

ENTRIES BY NAME All Members / Clubs, which are members of National Figure Skating Federations associated with the ISU, may enter competitors in each category. (Please, be aware that all Club entries must be printed by the ISU Member Federation.) The OC reserves the right to limit the number of participants for each category.

(1) Entry each category in case of overcrowding. The Entry forms with the "Program Content Sheet" has to also be returned to the Organizing Committee in due time (not later than 10 September 2019). It is mandatory that the Program Content Sheet must be filled in precisely by each couple in English using the terminology for the elements listed in the respective ISU Communications. It is not permitted to hand over the Program Content Sheets directly to the acting Officials. ENTRIES OF JUDGES Each participating ISU Member may nominate one Judge and one substitute Judge for the event in which the Member has Competitor(s) entered. Only ISU Championships and International Judges will be accepted. The OC reserves the right to limit the number of judges in accordance with the number of the couple's entries. The confirmation of the list of judges will be announced in due time.

DEADLINE FOR ENTRIES Entries must be forwarded to Organizing Committee using the official entry forms latest by the 1st September, 2019. Entry forms listing Couples and substitutes must be sent to: mezzalunacompetitions@gmail.com

All entries sent after 1st September, 2019 are declared to be late entry. Entry Fees are requested to be paid by bank transfer as it will fasten the accreditation process. Please note that all banking charges have to be borne by the sender.

Entry Fee all ice dance category € 125,00 Late Entry Fee all ice dance category € 135,00

The entry Fee must be paid via bank transfer to the following bank account:

Bank account:

Sport Ghiaccio Mezzaluna S.S.D.R.L. UBI BANCA

IT07H0311139241000000003030 SWIFT Code: BLOPIT22



5. JUDGES, REFEREES AND TECHNICAL PANEL

Entries of Officials: Each participating ISU Member is allowed to nominate a Judge with at least the qualification "International or ISU Judge" in the latest ISU relevant Communication.

The acceptance of the entries of the judges will be communicated to all participating ISU Members before 3rd of September 2019.

ACCOMODATION

Quality Hotel Green Palace Via Salaria, 207 00015 Monterotondo (Rame) Italy

The organizer will provide and cover the expenses for room and meals for accepted judges and invited Officials participating, beginning with dinner on Thursday, October 3rd, 2019 until lunch Sunday, October 6th, 2019. The organizer will provide and cover the expenses for travel (based on economy fare), rooms and meals for the invited Referees, Technical Controllers, Technical Specialist, and Data Operators. Should any Judge 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 on arrival.

2. REGISTRATION

Accreditation will be at the Ice Rink starting from the 3 October 2019, from 4 pm to 7 pm. Please note, that payment by bank transfer is welcome, it will fasten the accreditation process. All transfer charges are to be paid by the participant. All the Couples are requested to present a valid passport or personal identity card at the time of registration. In accordance with the ISU Directive please note that at the time of registration (Entry fee, music, hotel arrangements) we have to copy and file the passport or identity card of the Skaters (in case you happen to bring it with you or send it by e-mail beforehand it will help our work and make us very happy)



3. DRAW

Draws will be held at the Official Hotel on Thursday 3 October at 7.00 pm. It will be done by referees as per rules 430 and 510. A draw schedule will be published with the official Time schedule. No draw after short dance/ Pattern dance.

Starting order, for free dance will be according the inverse of the short dance/ pattern dance results.

4. MUSIC

Music will be reproduced for CD. CD's must be labeled by names of Couples, Club and Category in which they are entered. The music must be handed over to the organizer immediately after the arrival.

5. **REWARD**

Awarding ceremonies will be just for the first three places in every category. Presents for all participants at the accreditation point. The exact time of the Awarding Ceremonies will be announced in the detailed schedule in due time.

The organizer covers the expenses of competition, organization awards and presents. Other costs are not included.

2. SCHEDULE

Please, be informed that only the daily starting times are fixed. Following the morning start the time schedule of the event is flexible, which means that in case of cancellations certain categories may start some time earlier than in the Preliminary Schedule. Please, be informed that all changes in entries and Preliminary Program might be followed at www.palaghiaccioroma.it and on the information board in the ice rink.



3. OFFICIAL HOTEL

The costs for rooms and meals, of the Team Leaders, Competitors and other Team officials will not be covered by the Organizer and are on the account of the Teams.

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Official Price	b&b	half board
single room	€ 78,00	€ 96,00
double room	€ 105,00	€ 141,00
triple room	€ 135,00	€ 189,00

4. TRANSPORTATION

Please, be aware that the Organizing Committee does not provide any transportation from and to Train Station or airport for the participants. <u>Instead a shuttle to and from the official hotel and the ice rink will be available.</u>

13. LIABILITY

The Organizer assumes no responsibility for or liability with respect to bodily or personal injury or property damage incurred in connection by Competitors and Officials. In accordance with Rule 119, it is the sole responsibility of each Member participating in the 2019 Mezzaluna Cup ice dance to provide medical and accident insurance for their athletes, officials and all other members of the Member's team. Such insurance must be assure full medical attendance and also the return to home country by air transport or by other expeditious means of the ill or injured person.

14. INFORMATION AND VARIOUS

For information, please contact the Organizing Committee:

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15. PROVISIONAL TIME SCHEDULE

Thursday 3 October Practice PD novice advanced, intermediate and basic

18:00 Initial Judges meeting

19:00 Draw

Friday 4 October Competition PD novice advanced, intermediate and basic

Practice RD junior and senior

Practice FD novice advanced, intermediate and basic

Competition FD novice advanced, intermediate and

Saturday 5 October basic

Competition RD junior and senior

Practice FD junior and senior

RTD Novice category

Victory Ceremonies Novice Category

Sunday 6 October Competition FD junior and senior

RTD junior and senior category

Victory Ceremonies junior and senior category

THE OFFICIAL AND FINAL SCHEDULE OF EVENTS WILL BE PUBLISHED AFTER THE REGISTRATION OF ALL ENTRIES. The organizer reserves the right to change the schedule of competition!

