SPRING TALENTS CUP UKRAINE 2021

ANNOUNCEMENT

International Figure Skating Competition in single skating for

Senior, Junior and Advanced Novice (Men & Ladies)

organized by Ukrainian figure skating Federation & Figure skating school "Leader"



April 1-3, 2021

Brovary, Kiev Region, Ukraine 'Terminal' Ice Rink

www.talentscup.org

1. GENERAL REGULATIONS

The Spring Talents Cup Ukraine 2020 will be conducted in accordance with the ISU Constitution and General Regulations 2018, the ISU Special Regulations for figure skating 2018, and the relevant ISU Communications. ISU Members, as per Rule 109, paragraph 1, and qualify with regard to eligibility, according to Rule 102, provided their ages fall within limits specified in Rule 108, paragraph 2 and they meet the participation, citizenship and residency requirements in Rule 109, paragraphs 2 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 present an ISU Clearance Certificate. Passports of all skaters and the ISU Clearance Certificate, if applicable, must be presented at the accreditation. All competitors must be entered through their respective ISU Member Federation

COVID-19 MEASURES

This is subject to Government restrictions at the time of publication.

- 1. It is MANDATORY during the duration of your stay in Ukraine to stay between the official hotel and ice rink. DO NOT GO to the shops in the local area.
- 2. Keep a 2,0-meter distance from each other, except athletes when they are on the ice.
- 3. Don't come to the competition if you have health issues, even as small as a sore throat or nose cold.
- 4. Please, cough and sneeze in your elbow, not your hands.
- 5. If you have been in contact with someone carrying the COVID-19 virus, you are not welcome to come to the ice rink, and you must go into self-quarantine for 14 days.
- 6. If you have had the COVID-19 virus yourself, you must have at least 2 negative COVID-19 tests before coming to Ukraine.
- 7. Wearing a mouth mask is MANDATORY for all persons in the stadium. Solely the use of a face shield is not sufficient.

COVID-19 tests

- 1. All Team members need to show a negative PCR-test result that is not older than 48 hours before arrival in Ukraine.
- 2. All Team members will receive a special invitation from the Ukrainian figure skating Federation. You will need to be able to show this upon arrival in Ukraine.
- 3. All Team members shall undergo a PCR test (paid by the team) upon arrival at the airport.

We have strict protocols and safety and hygiene measures for teams, media, officials, and organizations. The OC will publish updated guidelines and national rulings regarding the COVID-19 at the beginning of March 2021.

2. TECHNICAL DATA

All competition events and practice sessions will take place at:

"Terminal" Ice Rink, 60 x 30 meters size

Kyivska Str. 316, "Terminal" Center, Brovary, Kyiv Region, Ukraine trc-terminal.com.ua/rozvagi/lodova-arena





The ice-rink is 30 min drive from the International Airport "Boryspil", 50 min drive from the Central Railway Station. There is huge entertainment center "Terminal" nearby, which includes cinema, aquapark, karting, shops, food stores etc.

INTERNATIONAL FIGURE SKATING COMPETITIONS TECHNICAL DATA: (All Categories in accordance with current ISU Rules)

SENIOR LADIES and MEN

<u>Short Program:</u> The required elements to be skated are those listed in ISU Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating 2018 Rule 611, paragraphs 1 and 2. Duration:2 min., 40sec. +/-10 sec.

<u>Free Skating:</u> In accordance with ISU Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating 2018, 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

JUNIOR LADIES and MEN

<u>Short Program:</u> The required elements to be skated are those listed in ISU Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating 2018, Rule 611, paragraphs 1 and 3 for 2020/21. Duration: 2 min., 40 sec. +/-10 sec.

<u>Free Skating:</u> In accordance with ISU Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating 2018, 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

ADVANCED NOVICE GIRLS and BOYS (at least 10 y.o., but younger than 15 y.o. as of 01.017.2020).

Short Program: 2 min 20 sec, +/-10 sec.

Free Skating: 3 min +/-10 sec

The category will be held in accordance with <u>ISU Communication 2328</u> (or any update) and all respective ISU regulations.

3. ENTRIES

ISU Members must enter their competitors using the entry forms. All competitors must be entered through their respective Member Federation/Association.

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The OC reserves the right to limit the number of participants in each category in case of overcrowding. Entries by names must be sent not later than 21st March 2021.

Entries of Judges: each participating Federation should nominate one judge with the qualification "Judge for International competitions" or "ISU Judge". The judges have to be on the current ISU list of judges (ISU Communication No. 2337). The organizer decides on the composition of the panel of judges. In case of too many nominated judges, the organizer will draw the judges' panel after the entries' closing date. The written confirmation will be sent to each federation immediately. All judges must be entered through their respective Member Federation/Association. Entries must be sent not later than 7th March 2021. Initial Judges meeting is planned at 20:00, 31st March 2021. Round Table Discussions are planned 30 minutes after each category.

<u>Entries of Team Officials</u>: Official entries of Team Leaders, Team Officials, Coaches/Choreographers, Team Medical staff, etc., must be made together with Competitors and Judges' entries using the official entry forms.

4. ENTRY FEE

With the entry to the competition, the entry fee must be paid as 90 EUR per skater.

The entry fee will not be refunded in case of withdrawals for any reason. After the final entry deadline on 7th March 2021, the respective Member Federation will receive a notification for Entry fee payment instructions. Entry fee must be pay within 5 days after receiving confirmation emails. After 5 days, non paid entries will be automatically deleted. The payment instructions will be explained in the confirmation email.

5. MEALS, LODGING and TRAVEL EXPENSES

The organizer will arrange full board accommodation for the Officials. The organizer won't cover any expenses for competitors, team leaders, coaches, etc.

6. MUSIC / PLANNED PROGRAM CONTENT

All Competitors should provide <u>competition music</u> on the USB-drive at the accreditation. Competitors must have a back-up drive for each program.

The <u>Program Content Sheet</u> must return to the OC **non later than 26th March**. The Program Content Sheet must be filled in precisely by each Skater in English using the respective ISU Communication elements' terminology.

7. PRACTICE

The official practices for Competitors start on March 31th, 2021. The detailed schedule will be issued at the time of registration.

8. ACCREDITATION

The official accreditation is planned at the rink, date and time will be announced later. Accreditation will be given to each official, skater, 1 coach per skater, 1 team leader per ISU member. Because of COVID-19, there will be no chaperones allowed.

9. ACCOMMODATION

All participants must book and pay the accommodation by themselves. The Organizer will make room arrangements for INVITED officials only.

OFFICIAL HOTEL

"LANDHAUS" Hotel - just the same building with ice rink

316 Kyivskaya Str., «Terminal» Center, Ukraine, Kyiv region., Brovary

Web: landhaus.com.ua/en Phone: +38 (044) 200-13-34

All Hotel guests receive a discount on all entertainment, restaurants and bars on the territory of the «Terminal» Center in the amount of 10%.

Possible hosting

HOTEL-RESTAURANT COMPLEX "PETROVSKY BROVAR"

131 Pereyaslavsky way, Ukraine, Kyiv region., Brovary Phone: +38 (068) 599-45-00.

Web: petrovskybrovar.com.ua/

Located 10-15 min from the Ice Rink «Terminal» by car.

10. TRANSPORTATION

Organizing Comittee does not provide an official transfer of participants and accompanying persons to the competition venue. It is possible to arrange a transfer with previous booking (estimated cost: 25 euros - car for 4 persons, 40 euros - minibus for 8 persons). When ordering a taxi by yourself, the estimated cost of the trip is 10 euros from the Boryspil Airport, 15 euros from the Central Railway Station.

11. PROVISIONAL SCHEDULE

Wednesday - 31.03.2021

- Official practices
- Initial judges meeting
- Opening draw

Thursday - 1.04.2021

- Official practices
- Competitions: Advanced Novice, Juniors, Seniors Short program

Friday - 2.04.2021

- Official practices
- Competitions: Advanced Novice, Juniors, Seniors Free skating
- Prize giving ceremony
- Round table discussion

THE OFFICIAL DETAILED AND FINAL SCHEDULE OF THE EVENT WILL BE PUBLISHED AFTER THE REGISTRATION OF ALL ENTRIES

11. DRAW

The opening draw for International competition will be done according to ISU rule 512, Guidelines for ISU events during the COVID-19 pandemic on March 31, 2021. To avoid gatherings during the draw the exact place and time will be published in the official detailed schedule.

Free Skating draw will be done in reverse to result order after publication of Short Program results. The starting orders and the final time schedule shall be published on the competition website www.talentscup.org at the same date.

11. RESULTS

The marking system (ISU Judging System) described in ISU Technical Rule Single & Pair Skating 2018, Rule 352, and Rule 353 (Determination and publication of results) will be used.

12. INSURANCE / LIABILITY

In accordance with Rule 119, it is the sole responsibility of each Member participating in the Spring Talents Cup 2021 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, including COVID-19, and return to the home country by air transport or other expeditious means of the ill or injured person. The Organizer assumes no responsibility for or liability concerning a bodily or personal injury or property damage incurred in connection incurred by Competitors and Officials. The medical emergency service will be present at the ice-rink during the Competition.

13. VICTORY CEREMONY

The three best-placed skaters in each ISU event will be announced and honored at the official Victory Ceremony. Due to the COVID-19 and the social distancing, all the information regarding the ceremonies will be detailed in the competition schedule.

14. OFFICIAL WEBPAGE, ON-LINE BROADCAST, TIME SCHEDULE

Live streaming of all competitions, communications, time schedules, live results, pictures, and more will be available. Depending on the developments of the COVID-19 measures we are expected to publish the time schedule non later than March 14, 2021.

For further information, please contact:

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We hope to see you in Brovary!