



ANNOUNCEMENT

Short Track Speed Skating



EYOF 2019
Sarajevo & East Sarajevo

14th Winter European Youth Olympic Festival

9-16th February 2019

Under the authorization of the



Sarajevo & East Sarajevo, Bosnia and Herzegovina

GENERAL INFORMATION

General Regulations

The competition will be conducted in accordance with the 2018 ISU Regulations and relevant Communications.

Disciplines

Girls / Boys (Ladies / Men)

- 500 m (individual)
- 1000 m (individual)
- 1500 m (individual)
- 3000 m Mixed Gender Relay (2 Girls & 2 Boys from the same NOC)

Age Categories

All athletes must be born between 01 January 2002 and 30 June 2004.

Maximum NOC Quota

2 Girls, 2 Boys, 2 Team Officials

Entries

Each competitor must meet the age category and may be entered in the individual events (500 m, 1000 m, and 1500 m). NOCs entering participants must submit the best season time over 500 m, 1000 m and 1500 m for the makeup of the first round of each of the related distances achieved by each Competitor in the current season 2018/2019.

All entries must be submitted on the Eyof Online Accreditation and Registration System.

Preliminary entries must reach the National Olympic Committee not later than August 31, 2018.

Final entries must reach the National Olympic Committee not later than October 11, 2018.

Mixed Gender Relay and Conditions of Contest

The Mixed Gender Relay teams are composed of two girls and two boys from the same NOCs. No substitutes are allowed.

The sequence of skating in the relay teams shall be Lady, Man, Lady, Man. This order shall apply to all teams and cannot be changed unless a fall has occurred. All other racing rules defined in ISU Regulations 2018 will apply.

Official Programme and Qualifying Schedule

The distances will be: 500, 1000 and 1500 meters individual. Relay races over 3000 meters. On all distances individual and relay there will be two (2) Finals, A and B. Based upon the number of entries the Competitors Steward confirms the qualifying schedule following the instructions of the Technical Delegate.

COMPETITION SCHEDULE - SHORT TRSCK			
DATE	TIME	EVENT	LOKACIJA
Sat, 09-Feb-2019	10:00-17:00	Unofficial Training	Skenderija
Sun, 10-Feb-2019	09:00-16:00	Official Training	Skenderija
Sun, 10-Feb-2019	16:00-16:45	Teamleaders Meeting	Athletes Village
Mo, 11-Feb-2019	09:00-09:50	Warm up L & M	Skenderija
	10:05-12:55	1500 m Ladies & Men	
	13:45-15:00	Heats Mixed Relay 3000 m	
Tue, 12-Feb-2019	09:00-09:50	Warm up L & M	Skenderija
	10:05-12:26	500 m Ladies & Men	
	12:46-13:30	Semis Mixed Relay 3000 m	
Fri, 15-Feb-2019	07:30-09:00	Free Training	Skenderija
Fri, 15-Feb-2019	10:00-10:50	Warm up L & M	Skenderija
	11:05-13:58	1000 m Ladies & Men	
	14:18-15:15	Final Mixed Relay 3000 m	

Winner(s) and Medals

The winner of 500/1000/1500 meters individual and 3000 meters Mixed Gender Relay is the Skater/Team being declared winner of the Final A of the distance concerned. The second and third placed Skaters are the Skaters finishing accordingly in the Final A. Medals will be awarded to these Skaters/Teams of the Final A.

Track Conditions

The Skenderija ice rink has an artificially refrigerated indoor ice surface of 60 x 30 meters. Protective padding covers the boards in accordance with Rule 280, paragraph 5 and ISU Communication No. 2128. The standard track will be laid out 111.12 meters to the lap.

Doping Control

Anti – doping IOC Rules applicable for EYOF. The WADA 2018 prohibited list of medications and methods is valid throughout EYOF 2019.

Medical Insurance

Each athlete responsible to ensure own medical and accident insurance. A proof of insurance may be requested by the organizing committee. For further information see ISU Rule 119.

Liability

In accordance with Rule 119 of the ISU General Regulations, the Organizing Committee assume no responsibility for or liability with respect to bodily or personal injury or property damage incurred in connection with the EYOF 2019 Short Track event. Each NOC is solely responsible for providing insurance coverage thereto.

Medical Services

On-site medical services will be provided for the training and competition days in accordance with ISU Rule 140.

Accommodation and Meals

All arrangements for accommodations must be made only through the National Olympic Committee.

Official Hotels and Olympic Village

Official hotels and Olympic Village information will be announced by National Olympic Committee.

Airport Transportation

The date, airline, flight number, expected time of arrival and the date and time of departure should be communicated to the National Olympic Committee as soon as possible, **but not later than January 10, 2019.**

The Organizing Committee will also provide free transportation for all participants between the official hotels / Olympic village and Palandoken Ice Rink during the competition days and the training periods.

Short Track Venue

Skenderija (1000 people sit capacity) Ice Rink

Addresses: Centar Skenderija, Ledena dvorana, Terezija BB, 71000 Sarajevo

Specifications of Ice Rink

The arena is an indoor ice rink which has 1000 person capacities with an ice surface of 60 x 30m.