



WORLDJUNIOR SPEED SKATING CHAMPIONSHIPS

Innsbruck AUT / January 28-30, 2022



ANNOUNCEMENT

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On behalf of Österreichischer Eisschnelllauf Verband (ÖESV), the Organizing Committee has the honor and pleasure to invite you to participate in the

 **World Junior Speed Skating Championships® 2022**

which will be held in Innsbruck, AUT on January 28-30, 2022

PROGRAM

Thursday, January 27, 2022	16:00	Team leaders Meeting, Online
	17:15	Medical Meeting, Online
	18:00	Opening Draw, Online
Friday, January 28, 2022	10:00	500 m Women 500 m Men 1500 m Women 1500 m Men Semi-Final Mass Start Women Semi-Final Mass Start Men Drawing for Saturday's events
Saturday, January 29, 2022	10:00	1000 m Women 1000 m Men 3000 m Women (quartets) 5000 m Men (quartets)
Sunday, January 30, 2022	10:00	Team Pursuit Women Team Pursuit Men Team Sprint Women Team Sprint Men Final Mass Start Women Final Mass Start Men

REGULATIONS

The ISU World Junior Speed Skating Championships 2022 will be held in accordance with the 2021 Regulations of the International Skating Union (ISU), relevant ISU Communications, in particular ISU Communication No. 2426, and Guidelines for ISU Events During the COVID-19 Pandemic. Participation in the ISU World Junior Speed Skating Championships is open to Junior Skaters who belong to an ISU Member (Rule 130, paragraph 2.b). A Junior is a Skater who has not reached the age of 19 by July 1, 2021 (Rule 108, paragraph 1.b) and has achieved the required qualifying times according to ISU Communication No. 2426.

The Championships will include the following events:

- Women, single distances: 500 meters, 1000 meters, 1500 meters, 3000 meters;
- Men, single distances: 500 meters, 1000 meters, 1500 meters, 5000 meters;
- Women, allround combination: 500, 1500, 1000 and 3000 meters;
- Men, allround combination: 500, 1500, 1000 and 5000 meters;
- Races Women: Mass start (10 laps), Team Pursuit over 6 laps by national teams of 3 Skaters each and Team Sprint over 3 laps for national teams of 3 Skaters;
- Races Men: Mass start (10 laps), Team Pursuit over 8 laps by national teams of 3 Skaters each and Team Sprint over 3 laps for national teams of 3 Skaters;

ISU COVID-GUIDELINES

All participating teams MUST follow the ISU COVID-Guideline for the event: [file \(isu.org\)](https://www.isu.org)
Detailed COVID protocol will be described in Team Information. COVID tests are charged to the teams.

TRACK

In accordance with Rule 203 and 227, a standard speed skating track of 400 meters to the lap laid out at the Olympiaworld Ice Rink (OWI), an artificially frozen outdoor skating rink in Innsbruck. The radii of the inner and outer competition lanes are 25 and 29 meters, respectively. The width of the inside training lane is 4 meters. In accordance with Rule 228 a protective inflatable padding system will be installed around the track.

TITLE AND AWARDS

The winners of the allround combination are the Skaters with the lowest total of points after 4 distances have been completed (Rule 265, paragraph 2 and 268, paragraph 1). The winner will bear the title: "Women World Junior Allround Speed Skating Champion for 2022" and "World Junior Allround Speed Skating Champion for 2022", respectively and will each be awarded the ISU Championships gold medal. The Skaters placed second and third in the final classification after 4 distances will be awarded the ISU Championships silver and bronze medals, respectively.

The winners of the distances or races will bear the titles "Women World Junior ___ Speed Skating Champion for 2022" and "World Junior ___ Speed Skating Champion for 2022", respectively, and will be awarded the ISU Championships "gold" medal. The Skaters/Teams placed second and third in the respective distance/races will be awarded the ISU Championships "silver" and "bronze" medals.

See Rule 133, paragraph b).

Prize money will be awarded according to ISU Communication No. 2368, or any further update of this Communication.

ENTRIES

Each ISU Member may enter maximum 5 Women and 5 Men, for each competition, substitutes can be named among the maximum 5 Competitors entered for the Championships (Rule 208, paragraph 2.6). Only Skaters who have achieved, during the seasons 2020/21 or 2021/22, the qualifying times listed in ISU Communication No. 2426, paragraph 4.2.2, may be entered:

	500 m	1000 m	1500 m	3000 m
Women	42,50	1.25,00	2.12.00	4.45,00
	500 m	1000 m	1500 m	5000 m
Men	38,50	1.16,00	1.58,00	7.05,00 or 3000m time of 4.05,00

To compete in the Allround event, the Skater must have been entered for all the four distances above.

To be entered for the Mass Start or for a Team race, a Skater must have achieved any one of the above-mentioned qualifying times. However, for these events an exception may be made for maximum one Skater per ISU Member, if so requested by the ISU Member. Exceptions will only be granted for Skaters who have reached the following qualifying time limits: for Women: 1500 m time of 2.17,00 and for Men: 1500 m time of 2.03,00.

Further details on the entry rules are given in ISU Communication No. 2426.

Entries can **only** be made using the ISU Online Entry System for Speed Skating Events available at www.isu.org, section Speed Skating or at <http://isu.events/login.php> and respecting the following deadlines:

Preliminary entries	January 10, 2022 *
Accommodation Request	January 10, 2022 *
Arrival & Departure	January 10, 2022 *
Accreditation Request for Team Officials	January 10, 2022 *
Final Entries	January 24, 2022 – 12.00 noon (local time)

*** the Österreichischer Eisschnelllauf Verband is obliged to report to the Austrian authorities due to the global COVID 19 situation. For this reason, a complete list of participants with accommodation information must be submitted early for approval. The participation in the ISU Junior World Cup 3 Final is unaffected by the above deadlines and is regulated in the respective announcement.**

Please note that for all persons entered by the ISU Members the procedures regarding the Declaration for Competitors and Officials (all team Officials requiring an accreditation) entering ISU Events (Rule 131) as outlined in ISU Communication 1628 need to be strictly observed.

For more details please refer to Rules 115, 131, 208 and ISU Communications No. 1628 and 1797.

CITIZENSHIP/RESIDENCE REQUIREMENTS AND CLEARANCE PROCEDURE

In accordance with Rule 109 of the ISU Regulations and ISU Communication No. 2030, all Skaters who do not have the nationality of the ISU Member by which they have been entered or who, although having such nationality, have in the past represented another ISU Member, must produce an ISU Clearance Certificate.

DRAWING

The drawings will be made in accordance with Rules 239 and 243.

ANTI-DOPING CONTROL

Anti-Doping tests will be carried out according to the ISU Anti-Doping Rules and ISU Anti-Doping Procedures, as given in the applicable ISU Communications Nos. 2344 and 2366 (or any further update of these Communications).

LIABILITY

In accordance with the ISU General Regulations (Rule 119), the ISU, Österreichischer Eisschnelllauf Verband (ÖESV) and the Organizing Committee assume no responsibility for or liability with respect to bodily or personal injury or loss of property or damage incurred in connection with this Championship. Each ISU Member is solely responsible for providing insurance coverage thereto.

FACE MASKS

No advertising marking is allowed on face masks. Face masks may display one (1) manufacturer trademark/identification of maximum 8cm². In addition, ISU Member's name and/or abbreviation and/or national flag and/or Skater's name may be displayed on the face mask.

TRAINING TIMES

The speed skating track will be open for unofficial trainings for entered Competitors from Monday January 24, 2022 to Wednesday January 26, 2022 at 10:00 – 12:00 and 15:00 – 17:00. The official training will be open for entered Competitors Thursday, January 27, 2022 at 09:00 – 12:45. Trial starts will be organized on Thursday January 27, 2022 at 10:00 – 11:45.

Only accredited Competitors, substitutes and team officials will be allowed to enter the ice-rink during the official training hours.

BOARD AND LODGING

The Organizing Committee will be responsible for expenses for board and lodging at the official hotel from lunch on Thursday January 27, 2022 until lunch on Monday January 31, 2022 (Rule 137 paragraphs 10 and 14) for up to 5 Competitors (Women and Men respectively) and 1 Team leader or coach for each ISU Member. Expenses of other officials (i.e. coaches, other team staff members and accompanying persons) other than those mentioned above, and expenses before or after the period mentioned above, will be at their own expense.

Accommodation requests can only be made using the ISU Online Entry System for Speed Skating events.

OFFICIAL HOTEL

Unfortunately, our partner hotel Ramada is no longer available to us due to closure. As the organizer, we have made every effort to reserve accommodations as close to the competition site as possible. Therefore, there are different categories and prices in the accommodation. Unfortunately not all accommodations are with full board. For these accommodations the catering will take place centrally in the Olympiaworld Innsbruck.

Teams who do not arrive on scheduled date will be charged for unused reserved rooms. The Organizing Committee reserves the right to limit the number of hotel rooms available to each team at the official hotels and also to provide alternatively hotels in the surroundings of the Olympiaworld Ice Rink.

Tiroler Landessportcenter (LSC), Olympiastrasse 10, 6020 Innsbruck, Austria

<https://www.olympiaworld.at/en/the-arenas/state-sport-centre/>

Prices for room not covered by the Organizing Committee will be as follows:

Single Room occupancy (only exceptionally, max. 1x per team) € 95,00 per person per night, including full board and taxes

- Double Room occupancy; € 80.00 per person per night, including full board and taxes
- Triple Room occupancy; € 80.00 per person per night, including full board and taxes

Meals: in the Olympiaworld Innsbruck (OWI)

Please note that the number of hotel rooms at the LSC is restricted.

Budget City Mountain Hotel Binders, Dr. Glatzstrasse 20, 6020 Innsbruck, Austria

<https://www.binders.at/en/>

Prices not covered by the Organizing Committee will be as follows:

- Single Room occupancy € 120,00 per person per night, including full board and taxes
- Double Room occupancy; € 100.00 per person per night, including full board and taxes

Meals: Breakfast in the Hotel; Lunch and Dinner in the Olympiaworld Innsbruck (OWI)

Walking distance: 400 m

Blackhome, City Apartments, Sillhöfe 1, 6020 Innsbruck, Austria

<https://www.blackhome.at/innsbruck-south/>

Fully furnished and equipped Apartments

Prices not covered by the Organizing Committee will be as follows:

- Single Room occupancy (only exceptionally) € 120,00 per person per night, including full board and taxes
- Double Room (medium) occupancy; € 90.00 per person per night, including full board and taxes
- Double Room (large) occupancy; € 100.00 per person per night, including full board and taxes
- Triple Room occupancy; € 88.00 per person per night, including full board and taxes

Meals: Breakfast Service at reception/Apartment room; Lunch and Dinner in the Olympiaworld Innsbruck (OWI)

Walking distance: 400 m

Hotel Charlotte, Philippine-Welser-Straße 88a, Amras, 6020 Innsbruck, Austria

<https://charlotte-hotel.at/>

Prices for room not covered by the Organizing Committee will be as follows:

- Single Room occupancy € 125.00 per person per night, including full board and taxes
- Double Room occupancy; € 105.00 per person per night, including full board and taxes
- Triple Room occupancy; € 95.00 per person per night, including full board and taxes

Meals: Breakfast and Dinner in the Hotel; Lunch in the Olympiaworld Innsbruck (OWI)

Walking distance: 1.6 km

Alphotel, Bernhard-Höfel-Straße 16, 6020 Innsbruck, Austria

<https://www.alphotel.com/en/>

Prices for room not covered by the Organizing Committee will be as follows:

- Single Room occupancy € 120,00 per person per night, including full board and taxes
- Double Room occupancy; € 100.00 per person per night, including full board and taxes

Meals: in the Hotel

Walking distance: 2.0 km

The Organizing Committee reserves the right to limit the number of hotel rooms available to each team at the official hotels. The hotels are distributed according to the principle "first come first serve". The organizer is not obliged to provide services (accommodation, accredited entrance to the ice rink, transportation, etc.) for an excessive number of team officials or other accompanying persons from participating ISU Members. Names and functions of all team officials must be submitted together with the final entries for the competition, in accordance with ISU Communication No. 2430, paragraph 10.

Payment: by bank transfer; all arrangements for accommodations must be made through the Organizing Committee.

TRANSPORTATION

The Organizing Committee will organize transportation from the international airport and/or the railway station of Innsbruck for free of charge.

Please also note the offer <https://www.transavia.com> for flights between the Netherlands and Innsbruck and <https://www.flixbus.com> for airport shuttle transfers between the international airport of Munich and Innsbruck.

The date, airline and flight number, expected time of arrival and departure must be sent to the Organizing Committee soon as possible but not later than *Monday, January 24, 2022*.

The Organizing Committee will provide Transportation between the official hotels (only for Hotel Charlotte and Alphotel) and the ice rink from Monday, January 24, 2022 until the Competition is finished. The other accommodations are in walking distance.

VISA REQUIREMENTS & COVID-19 PANDEMIC ACCESS RESTRICTIONS

A visitor visa may be required for participants and team officials. Please contact the Österreichischer Eisschnelllauf Verband (ÖESV) if you need an invitation letter for the visa. For the invitation letter please submit the following information:

- Country/Federation, Arrival & Departure Dates, Names, Birthdays, Passport Numbers, Passport expiration dates, Citizenship
- Country where the visa will be obtained

Please submit all this information to the Organizing Committee as soon as possible, in order to have the necessary visas completed in due time.

To facilitate immigration procedures all Event participants (Skaters, Team staff, Officials) need to present a personal invitation letter for the Event on arrival in Austria. Personal information as specified above for Visa application must therefore be submitted to the OC not later than Sunday, December 12, 2022.

Furthermore, please note that all information regarding the COVID-19 pandemic-related travel & access restrictions/arrangements will be available on the following website <https://www.sozialministerium.at/en.html> and by contacting Hermann Filipic (e-mail: office@a-i-r.co.at)

ACCREDITATIONS

A color picture must be sent to the OC for each team member for preliminary printing of the accreditation (*.jpg format, size 35 per 44 mm, white background).

Only the following number of Team Officials can receive an accreditation:

Type	Number of accreditations per Competition
Team Leader	1 accreditation
Coaches, medical & technical staff	1 competitor* - 1 accreditation
	2 to 3 competitors - 2 accreditations
	4 to 6 competitors - 3 accreditations
	7 to 9 competitors - 4 accreditations
	10 competitors - 5 accreditations

THE ORGANIZING COMMITTEE

All inquiries should be addressed to:

Organizing Committee

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Media accreditation

Contact person: Peter Maurer
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MEDIA ACCREDITATION

Media accreditation requests for ISU Championships must be submitted via the ISU Online Media Accreditation System <https://www.isu.org/media-centre/accreditations/media>

Information for the media will be available on the [ISU website](#) in due time.
For further information contact the OC Press Officer:

Media accreditation

Contact person: Peter Maurer
Tel. : +43 664 91 51 230
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WEB SITE

Information concerning the competition will be available at the following website:
<https://isu.org/speed-skating/events/speed-skating-calendar/eventdetail/12310/-/isu-world-junior-speed-skating-championships?templateParam=11>

Live results of the competition will be available at the following website:
https://live.isureresults.eu/events/2022_AUT_0002/schedule

ISU “INSIDE EVENTS” MOBILE APPLICATION

Daily information, results and changes in schedules (race, training, transportation, etc.) will be communicated to the teams on the board of the Team Hotel as well as on the ISU “Inside Events” mobile application. This mobile application makes the information delivery faster, contains all relevant information for participants, reduce paper needs and notify participants in case of any changes or urgencies through push notification possibilities.

The “Inside Events” app is available free of charge on Android and Apple systems and is compatible with both tablets and smartphones. It can be downloaded with the below QR codes or directly on the app stores.

Each ISU Event will have its own unique password that will be provided on site to participating Athletes, Officials, and Team Delegations.



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