



ANNOUNCEMENT

International Figure Skating A Competition for boys and girls



Friday November 8th , Saturday November 9th and Sunday November 10th 2024

Second edition

Organization : Foodmaker & Ice Diamonds Antwerp, Belgium



Foodmaker Ice Diamond Trophy Antwerp 2024

**International Interclub A competition for single skaters
categories basic novices up to seniors : November 8th – 9th and
10th November 2024**

Dear secretaries,

Dear Judges and Technical Team,

Dear coaches and skaters,

Ice Diamonds Antwerp hereby invites you to its 2nd International Interclub A competition “Foodmaker Ice Diamonds Trophy Antwerp 2024” for girls & boys, Ladies and Men, which will take place on Friday 8th, Saturday 9th and Sunday 10th November 2024. This competition is an international Interclub competition.

The competition is organized in co-operation with the Royal Belgian Figure Skating Federation (KBKF/FRBPA), the Flemish Skating Union (VLSU), the cities of Antwerp and Deurne, the management of the Ice rink Sportoase Groot Schijn and our sponsor Foodmaker Deurne.

The competition is organized in accordance with the KBKF/FRBPA International Interclub A-Competition Regulations and the KBKF/FRBPA internal regulations for Belgian national competitions. (Rules after the ISU congress of June 2024)

We hope to welcome you and wish you a lot of success in your participation at this competition.

Kind regards,

Myriam De Pauw

President



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Technical Data

Venue : Ice Rink Sportoase Groot Schijn
Ruggeveldlaan 488, 2100 Deurne (Antwerp) - Belgium

The ice rink is a covered rink, skating area 60m x 30m.

The ice rink catering, Foodmaker, offers a wide variety of healthy snacks, salads, sandwiches and hot meals. Foodmaker does not allow bringing in your own food and drinks

Hair and make-up need to be done in the designated areas.

Car parking is sufficiently available at the ice rink. Parking cost 2.50€ max for a whole day

The marking system (ISU judging system) will be used in accordance with the respective ISU Communications. The competition will be conducted in accordance with the latest KBKF/FRPBA regulations for international Interclub A-competitions. Which can be found on :
http://www.skatebelgium.be/uploads/4/4/0/7/44077929/5-2022-2023_int._interclub_a-competition_regulations.pdf .

Invited members

The International Interclub A-competition includes following categories : (National and foreign skaters)

Basic Novice, Intermediate Novice : Free only

Advanced Novice, Junior : short and free

Senior ladies (short and free) will only be included in the competition when there are at least 5 entries.

Senior men (short and free) will only be included in the competition when there are at least 5 entries. Clubs will be invited from all over the world.

Every invited club has the right to enter 8 skaters per category. They can also enter substitutes for this category.

The substitutes will be able to compete if there aren't enough competitors for the category concerned or in case of injury from an announced participant.

The organizing committee will inform the clubs in time in such case. There are no limitations in the other categories.

The organizing club has the right to enter more participants.

The organizing club will follow the order mentioned on the entry form and there will be no further correspondence about these subscriptions.

In case of a too high number of entries, the organizers reserve the right to limit the entries according to the maximum capacity of the ice.

It will be conducted in accordance with the ISU Constitution and General Regulations 2024, the ISU Special Regulations and Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating 2024 and the relevant ISU Communications. The Novice Categories will be held in accordance with ISU communications and subsequent updates. (Can be changed after the ISU June 2024 Congress)

Participation is open to all competitors who belong to an ISU Member and qualify with regards to eligibility, according to Rule 102, provided their age falls within the limits specified in Rule 108. (depending the rules after the June 2024 Congress)

The competition is considered to be an "Interclub Competition with participation of Skaters from at least two ISU Members" as per Rule 107 (14) of the ISU General Regulations. depending the rules after the June Congress 2024)

Competitors will be entered by the clubs and will represent the clubs. Foreign competitors therefore do not require any clearance certificate.

Entrance Fee

The entrance fee is :

- 75 € for single skaters (Free Skating only).
- 110 € for single skaters (Short Program + Free Skating)

Entries

Belgian Clubs

Entries must be made using the Excel form available on KBKF website:. Please make sure to use the drop-down menus to select club and all skaters.

Completed entry forms should be mailed to

- secretariaat@icediamonds.be, the club president
- Maria.bouwens@hotmail.be, the KBKF secretary

Foreign Clubs:

Entries must be done using enclosed Excel forms sheets.

Completed entry forms should be mailed to secretariaat@icediamonds.be the club president

Entries Judges/Controller's

Each participating foreign club has the right to propose a at least National or International level qualified judge/technical controller. Entries from a foreign club bringing a judge/technical controller will have the priority in case of too many entries.

Names of the candidates are sent to secretariaat@icediamonds.be before the closing date.

The organizing committee will provide all judges with food and lodging, as well as compensations according to K.B.K.F. Comm 2022.13.

http://www.skatebelgium.be/uploads/4/4/0/7/44077929/communication_kbkf_2022.13_vergoedingen_wedstrijden.pdf

Closing date

Entries will be accepted until Friday, September 27th 2024 - 18:00.

Inscriptions will **not** be closed prior to the closing date, regardless the number of entries received.

Limitations

In case the number of entries exceeds the maximum capacity, the participants **will be determined by draw on** Wednesday, October 9th 2024 - 18:30 at ice rink 'Sportoase Deurne' in accordance with the KBKF/FRBPA competition regulations.

The draw to select the rejected entries will be in the following order :

Random draw within the participants of the competition, regardless of their nationality.

There will be no limitations for the organizing club and its guest skaters

Foreign clubs bringing a judge will be prioritized.

The organizing committee will confirm the participants from all competitions by mail on Saturday October 12th 2024. An invoice will be sent.

Payments

If payments aren't received in full on Saturday October 19th 2024, the organizing club has the right to cancel or replace the skater(s) concerned.

Please keep in mind that bank transfers can take a few days.

Account holder : Ice Diamonds Antwerp – FINTRO bank
IBAN : BE35 1430 9092 1437
BIC : GEBABEBB

After the closing date, there will be **no refunds** in case of withdraw.

Music

Belgian Clubs

Program music will be used from the national database.

Participants whose program music has changed need to update the database **October 19th 2024 at the latest**.

(see KBKF Comm 2020.24)

File format : mp3 file

File name format : FS <Category> <Full Name> <Time>

<Category> = PRE, MIN, BNO, INO, ANO, JUN, SEN

Example : FS ANO John Doe 2m34.mp3

During the event, and only for backup purposes, all competitors must also have **a copy of their music** available on **USB-stick using the correct file format and file name format**.

Foreign Clubs:

Program music must be sent to secretariaat@icediamonds.be before Saturday October 19th 2024

We recommend to use www.wetransfer.com if your club wants to transfer multiple files at once.

File format: mp3 file

File name format: FS or SP <category><Full Name><Time>
<Category>: Basic Novice = BNO, Intermediate Novice = INO,
Advanced Novice = ANO, Junior = JUN, Senior = SEN
Example: SP ANO Myriam De Pauw 2m30.mp3

During the event, and only for backup purposes, all competitors must also have a copy of their music available on USB-stick using the correct file format and file name format

Planned Elements

Belgian Clubs

Planned Elements will be used from the national database.

Participants whose planned elements have changed need to update the database **15 days before the first competition day at the latest.**

(see KBKF Comm 2020.25)

Foreign clubs:

Planned Elements must be sent to secretariaat@icediamonds.be and in copy to mariabouwens@hotmail.com using the enclosed documents and this **15 days before the first competition day at the latest**

Time Table

The time table will be published as soon as available on the federations website www.skatebelgium.be . Please (re-)check for possible changes when approaching the day of the competition.

During the competition, minor modifications related to the time table can be made due to organizational circumstances.

The timetable will also mention all Price Awarding Ceremonies.

Starting Order

For each category, the starting order will be determined by draw.

The draw will be done by computer prior to the competition.

As soon as available, it will be published on the federation website www.skatebelgium.be and will also be sent to foreign clubs.

Starting order A-competition free program is reverse to the result Short

Registration

All competitors must register **in person, every competition day**, at the info desk upon arrival, **presenting their identity card or Kids ID**.

Competitors entered in the first category of the competition day must register **at latest 30min before the start of the category**

All other competitors must register **one hour before the start of their category at the latest.**

Coaches must visibly wear a valid trainers license to enter the neutral zone.

The info desk will be in place on the second floor at the entrance of Foodmaker

Awarding Ceremony

All participants must be present in their competition costumes and skates for the announcement of the results and the prize awarding ceremony. These can be on-ice or off-ice.

There will be partial awarding ceremonies for the categories who skated in the morning before lunch-time.

In case of absence during the awarding ceremony, no trophies or medals will be provided.

Photographic pictures of the awarding ceremonies will be taken by the organizing club and might be published on local and/or social media. When entering, competitors agree with taking and publishing these pictures.

Calculation of results

Result will be calculated in accordance of the latest ISU regulations, with the ISU judging system with video replay.

Accommodations

Skaters, coaches and supporters may book travel arrangements and accommodations individually and at their own expense.

We recommend to include a cancellation insurance in case the number of entries exceeds the maximum capacity.

Liability and Insurance

In accordance with ISU rules the organizing committee accepts no liability for injuries or damages sustained by competitors.

In accordance with ISU rules the responsibility for health and accident insurance lies with the athletes, officials and all other members of the team. Such insurance must include full medical care and repatriation.

Technical Regulations

The marking system (ISU Judging System) will be used in accordance with the respective ISU Communications.

The competition will be conducted **in accordance with the latest ISU/KBKF/FRBPA regulations for :**

International Interclub A competition Regulations which can be found on <http://www.skatebelgium.be/regulations.html>

In case ISU regulations should change by the time of the competition, program contents will be updated according to the latest ISU communications.

Privacy regulations

The organization of this event complies to the General Data Protection Regulation legislation. Consequently, we hereby inform you that participation in our competition requires us to share personal data as follows :

- Participant list and starting order : a list of participants is shared with the judges and officials, with the audience and on www.skatebelgium.be. The list mentions full name, gender, category and club.
- Results : a list of participants and their detailed results is published after the competition on www.skatebelgium.be.

Photographic pictures of the programs and/or awarding ceremonies will be taken and published on local and/or social media for promotion purposes. When entering the competition, participants agree with taking and publishing these pictures/video's.

COVID-19 regulations

During the competition, COVID-19 safety measures by national and/or local health authorities may (still) apply. If so, these measures will be indicated and should be met at all times. All participants and club secretaries will be informed in advance regarding such measures.

When showing any symptoms of the COVID-19 virus (such as fever, coughing or trouble breathing), or in case you recently have been in contact with a person who acquired the virus, you should prioritize your health and the health of those around you. **You will therefore not be allowed to participate in the competition.**

Summary

Closing date:	27/09/2024 18:00
Draw (if needed) :	09/10/2024 18:30 - Ice rink Sportoase Deurne
Confirmation :	10/10/2024
Payments before :	19/10/2024
Competition date(s) :	Friday 8 th , Saturday 9 th & Sunday 10 th November 2024
Planned Elements :	15 days before first day of competition
Music :	21/10/2024 <u>at the latest</u>

For all other questions, please feel free to contact the organizing committee at :
secretariaat@icediamonds.be or info@icediamonds.be

We will respond asap and hope to welcome you all in Deurne

