

# **Interclub Figure Skating Competition**

for

single skaters

organized by

Figure Skating Club IK Tartu

Tartu, Estonia

November 28 to December 1, 2024

## 1. General regulations

The **Lõunakeskus Trophy 2024** will be conducted in accordance with the ISU Constitution and General Regulations 2024, Special Regulations & Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating and Ice Dance 2024 and the relevant ISU Communications.

Participation in the **Lõunakeskus Trophy 2024** 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 a) and they meet the participation requirements in Rule 109, paragraphs 1 through 5 and ISU Communication 2526 or any update of this Communication.

The OC can have a final design about over quota for any club/country/federation or refuse to accept the entry (fully or partially).

### 2. Technical data

#### Venue

**Main rink**: Astri Arena, Lääneringtee 39, Tartu, Estonia (Lõunakeskus Shopping Mall) (an indoor ice rink with ice surface of 58 x 28 m, air-conditioned and heated)

### Single skating A-class

**Pre-Chicks A** Born 2018 and younger

Free program: Boys, Girls 2 min (+/-10s)

**Chicks A** Born 2016/2017

Free program: Boys, Girls 2 min (+/- 10s)

**Cubs A** Born 2014/2015

Free Program: Boys, Girls 2.30 min (+/-10 s)

**Basic Novice girls** According to latest ISU rules and communications

**Basic Novice boys** According to latest ISU rules and communications

**Intermediate Novice** According to latest ISU rules and communications

### Single skating B-class

**Pre-Chicks B** Born 2018 and younger

Free Program: Boys, Girls 2.00 min (+/-10 sek)

**Chicks B** Born 2016/2017

Free Program: Boys, Girls 2.00 min (+/-10 sek)

**Cubs B** Born 2014/2015

Free Program: Boys, Girls 2.30 min (+/-10 sek)

**Springs** Born 2012/2013

Free program: Boys, Girls 2.30 min (+/-10 sek)

**Novice B** Not older than 16 years before 1st of July

Free Program: Boys, Girls 3 min (+/-10 sek)

**Junior B** Free program only

Free Program: Boys, Girls 3 min (+/-10 sek)

Single skating beginners

PRE-YOUNG (boys and girls)

Born 2014 and younger

Free Program: 2 min (+/-10sek)

PRE-YOUNG (boys and girls) Born 2012/2013

Free program: 2 min (+/-10sek)

YOUNG (boys and girls) Born 2010/2011

Free Program: 2.30 min (+/-10sek)

YOUNG (boys and girls) Born 2004-2009

Free program: 2.30 min (+/-10sek)

Single skating for adult amateur skaters

**Young adult skaters** born between July 1st, 1992 and June 30th, 2002, Bronze, Silver, Gold, Masters

**Class I skaters** born between July 1st, 1986 and June 30th, 1996, Bronze, Silver, Gold, Masters

**Class II skaters** born between July 1st, 1976 and June 30th, 1986, Bronze, Silver, Gold, Masters

**Class III skaters** born between July 1st, 1966 and June 30th, 1976, Bronze, Silver, Gold, Masters

**Class IV skaters** born between July 1st, 1956 and June 30th, 1966, Bronze, Silver, Gold, Masters

Class V skaters born before June 30th, 1956, Bronze, Silver, Gold, Master

### 3. Entries

#### General

All Entries to Lõunakeskus Trophy 2024 must be done through **Sportity Online Registration System:** <a href="https://fs.sportity.com">https://fs.sportity.com</a>. The deadline for entries is **Friday, October 25th, 2024 23:00 (local time Tartu)**.

### **Entries of Competitors**

It is possible to enter an unlimited number of skaters in each category. However, the Organizing Committee reserves the right to limit or refuse participation in the competition.

**Important:** Changes to a skater's category are not permitted after the entry deadline. Please note that any replacements in the entry form must be made within the same class and category, and must be submitted no later than **November 20, 2024**.

### **Entry Fee**

With the entry to the competition, the entry fee must be paid as follows **before October 25th**:

- 80€ A-class with one program, B-class with one program
- 70€ Beginners and Adults

The entry fee must be paid by bank transfer **no later than October 25th**, **2024**. Any payments received after this date will be subject to a late entry fee of **10€** per skater. However, this late fee does not apply if the club substitutes a skater, provided the original skater's entry fee was paid by the deadline.

Please note that the entry fee is non-refundable after the deadline, regardless of the reason for withdrawal. The Organizing Committee

reserves the right to withdraw entries for skaters who have not paid the entry fee by the deadline.

Additionally, a skater may be replaced by another skater in the same category if the full entry fee has already been paid. If any participant's fees remain unpaid, the entire club will be excluded from the draw.

The entry fee for all participants from each country or member federation must be paid in a single transaction and transferred to the following bank account:

#### MTÜ Iluuisutamisklubi Tartu

IBAN: EE842200221051518634

SWIFT/BIC: HABAEE2X

### 4. Music and Planned Program Content

In accordance with Rule 343 in the ISU Special Regulations & Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating and Ice Dance, the following method to submit the Competitor's music to the Organizing Committee must be followed:

- Each Music and Planned Program Content must be submitted to Sportity
   Online Registration System: <a href="https://fs.sportity.com">https://fs.sportity.com</a> by latest November
   15th, 2024.
- Each music submission shall be labeled with the name of the ISU Member, name of the category, segment and the name(s) of the competitor(s).
  - Example:
    - EST\_Junior\_Men\_FS\_Smith\_John
    - LAT\_Senior\_Women\_SP\_Maxwell\_Max
- The music files must be uploaded as WAV or MP3 file formats. Any other format is not acceptable. Please note: Files in MP3 format may have a significant difference in the music quality when reproduced. The Organizing Committee in this case is not responsible if the music quality would be insufficient.
- Each Competitor must have their own back-up drive (USB Stick) for each program in the format of a WAV or MP3 file.
- The exact running time of the music (not skating time) must be communicated to the Organizing Committee when submitting the music and shall be certified by the Competitor/Coach/Team Leader at the time of registration.

## 5. Judges

Each participating Club may nominate one, at least international level judge. The organizer will cover the accommodation, transportation and meals. The Entries of Judges must be made via the email to the OC (entry@iktartu.ee) no later than **October 25th**, **2024**.

### 6. Results

The marking system (ISU Judging System) as described in ISU Technical Rule Single & Pair Skating 2024, Rule 352 and Rule 353 (Determination and publication of results) will be used. Intermediate and final results will be published on the competition website and in Sportity App event channel.

There will be no hard-copy distribution of any printed media on this event. All required information will be available on the Information Board at the ice rink and on Digital Info Board (Sportity App).

## 7. Awarding

The three best-placed competitors in each event will be awarded with a medal. All competitors will receive a diploma.

### 8. Expenses

All participants and teams must pay the accommodation and transportation themselves.

## 9. Official Hotel

#### **Hotel Sophia**

Address: Lääneringtee 39, Tartu, 50407, Estonia

The hotel is located in the same building as the Lõunakeskus Shopping Mall.

Website: https://sophia.tartuhotels.ee/en/

Receive a 15% discount on the listed prices by booking directly through the Hotel Sophia website using the promo code: **Trophy2024**. The code has to be used right away, it cannot be applied later. The first 45 standard rooms will be sold at a discounted rate. As

room availability decreases, the price will increase incrementally by 5%. The promo code also applies to Superior and Family rooms, offering the same 15% discount.

**Important**: The promo code must be applied **at the time of booking** and cannot be used later.

Key points to remember:

- Reservations must be made on the Hotel Sophia website.
- Use the promo code: **Trophy2024** to receive the discount.

This offer applies to stays between November 27 - December 1, 2024. Early bookings will benefit from the best rates.

### 10. Competition Schedule

Detailed competition schedule will be announced after the deadline of entries. Time Schedule will be published on the competition website (<a href="www.iktartu.ee">www.iktartu.ee</a>).

#### 11. Draw

An electronic draw will take place on **November 28th**, **2024**, starting orders will be published on our website: <a href="www.iktartu.ee">www.iktartu.ee</a>. There will not be a draw after short programs. Starting order for free programs will be according to the inverse of the results of short programs.

### 12. The code of ethics

All the skaters, coaches, judges, chaperons should follow the ISU Communication 2478, (or any update of this Communication). Action against this rule conducts by itself the disqualification of the skater.

### 13. Responsibility

In accordance with ISU Constitution, rule 119, all participants act at their own responsibility.

## 14. Live stream and photos

Please note: live stream video is provided during all the competition. A professional photographer will be working at the ice rink and organizers have a right to use any photo for commercial purposes.

## 15. Additional Information

For information, please contact the Organizing Committee:

#### **FSC IK Tartu**

Lääneringtee 39, Tartu, Estonia Tartumaa, Estonia (Astri Arena ice rink) e-mail: entry@iktartu.ee

www.iktartu.ee

To stay up to date with information, possible restrictions and latest updates please follow competition on Sportity app (iOS/Apple and Android) using code: **LKT2024** 

