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Invite you to

# **SKATE HELENA 2020**

## **INTERNATIONAL FIGURE SKATING COMPETITION**

**(Belgrade, January 14<sup>th</sup> to 18<sup>th</sup> 2020)**

**SERBIAN SKATING ASSOCIATION** invite you to **International Figure Skating Competition** for categories **Novices, Juniors and Seniors** ,**“SKATE HELENA 2020 “**.

**GENERAL:** The SKATE HELENA 2020 will be conducted in accordance with the ISU Constitution and General Regulations 2018, the ISU Special Regulations and Technical Rules for Figure Skating as well as pertinent ISU Communications.

Participation in the SKATE HELENA 2020 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 b) and c) and they meet the participation, citizenship and residency requirements in Rule 109, paragraphs 1 through 5 and ISU Communication 2030 or any update of it.

### **ORGANISER OF THE INTERNATIONAL COMPETITION:**

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#### **TECHNICAL DATA:**

Place of the competition: Pionir Ice hall, Čarlija Čaplina 39 Belgrade

The rink is indoor, but not heated. The size of the rink is 60 m x 30 m.

Date of competitions: 14<sup>th</sup>- 18<sup>th</sup> January 2020





**EUROPEAN CRITERIUM TROPHY:** SKATE HELENA is associated with the European Criterium Tournament 2019/20 for Junior, Novice and younger categories. Results of the Teams will count for competition of International Trophy of Figure Skating European Criterium. Individual points are automatically calculated for all skaters in every category and those are valid in the European Criterium Tournament in the same category. The age requirements and the special regulation for the European Criterium Trophy are published on the website of the EC: [www.europeancriterium.eu](http://www.europeancriterium.eu) and ISU: [www.isu.org/figure-skating/figure-skating-events/figure-skating-calendar](http://www.isu.org/figure-skating/figure-skating-events/figure-skating-calendar).

**ENTERING THE CONTEST:** Competitors in Novice, Junior and Senior categories must be entered through their Member Federation (it is also open for clubs, which are members of National Figure Skating Federations, associated with the ISU).

In case of too many entries, the organizer reserves the right to limit the number of participants. The maximum entries accepted will be approximately 30 in each category.

**Each participant must send to web administrator (<http://www.europeancriterium.eu>) request for code direct online registration and submit the entry not later than January 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2020 (deadline for entries).** The entries for the competition will be accepted via web portal europeancriterimu.eu. Before the entry procedure association/club representative need to apply for new account on [www.europeancriterium.eu/Account/Register](http://www.europeancriterium.eu/Account/Register).

Organizers of the European Criterium website are committed to the proper protection of personal data in accordance with the European Union GDPR Regulation. Therefore, in the context of Privacy Policy, is require appropriate consent in the applications. Without this, the entries for European Criterium competitions cannot possible in the future.

The "Program Content Sheet" for all categories must be returned to the Organizing Committee not later than January 3<sup>rd</sup> 2020. It is mandatory that the Program Content Sheet will be filled precisely by each Skater in English using terminology for the elements listed in the respective ISU Communication.

All Competitors shall furnish competition music of excellent quality on CD in any other approved format, in accordance with Rule 343, paragraph 2. All covers/discs must show the Competition event, Competitor's name, the Nation and the exact running time of the music (not skating time) including any starting signal and must be submitted at the time of registration. Each program (short program, free skating) must be recorded on a separate disc. In addition competitors/couples must provide a back-up drive for each program.

**Deadline for entries:** All entries (competitors, judges, team leaders, coaches, other participants) are expected not later than **January 3<sup>rd</sup> 2020**

**Cancellation:**

**Cancellation of the competitor entry, if any, has to be done until January 3<sup>rd</sup> 2020 with e-mail to organizer.** For any latter cancellation the team leader or any representative of Federation/Club will be asked to pay the entry fee.



**Entry fee for competition:**

**Entry fee is 45 EUR per skater. The entry fee must be paid for each competitor at the Registration before the competition.**

**Citizenship/Residence requirements and Clearance Procedure:**

In accordance with Rule 109 of ISU Regulations and ISU Communication 2030 or any update of it, 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 produce an ISU Clearance Certificate.

The local organizing committee has the right and obligation to check the personal identification documents of the athletes to determine whether they are allowed to compete, whether they are competing in the right category, etc. Without the documents, the athlete will be excluded from the competition.

<b>CATEGORIES</b>
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**SENIOR LADIES AND MEN**

Requirements: according to the ISU Technical Rules Single and Pair Skating 2018 and respective ISU Communications.

Short Program: 2 min 40 +/-10 sec

Free Skating: 4 min +/- 10 sec

**JUNIOR LADIES AND MAN**

In accordance with ISU Special Regulations & Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating 2018, Rule 611, paragraphs 1-3 for 2019-20, to 612 and the respective ISU Communications. Special attention should be paid to the "well balanced program" and the element value.

Short Program: Max 2 min 40 sec, +/-10 sec

Free Skating: 3 min 30 sec, +/- 10 sec

**ADVANCED NOVICE GIRLS AND BOYS**

Age and requirements according to the ISU Technical Rules Single and Pair Skating 2018, ISU Communication 2242 and all respective ISU Communications.

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

Free Skating: 3 min +/-10 sec

**INTERMEDIATE NOVICE GIRLS AND BOYS**

Age requirements: Intermediate Novice skater is who was born: 1.7.2004 and younger.

Requirements according to the ISU Technical Rules Single and Pair Skating 2018, ISU Communication 2242 and all respective ISU Communications.

Free Skating: 3 min, +/- 10 sec

**BASIC NOVICE I. GIRLS**

Age requirements: Basic Novice skater is who was born: 1.7.2006 and younger.

Requirements according to the ISU Technical Rules Single and Pair Skating 2018, ISU Communication 2242 and all respective ISU Communications.

Free Skating: 2 min 30 sec, +/- 10 sec





### **BASIC NOVICE II. GIRLS**

Age requirements: Basic Novice skater is who was born: 1.7.2007 and younger.

Requirements according to the ISU Technical Rules Single and Pair Skating 2018, ISU Communication 2242 and all respective ISU Communications.

Free Skating: 2 min 30 sec, +/- 10 sec

### **BASIC NOVICE III. GIRLS**

Age requirements: Basic Novice skater is who was born: 1.7.2008 and younger.

Requirements according to the ISU Technical Rules Single and Pair Skating 2018, ISU Communication 2242 and all respective ISU Communications.

Free Skating: 2 min 30 sec, +/- 10 sec

### **BASIC NOVICE BOYS**

Age requirements: Basic Novice skater is who was born: 1.7.2006 and younger.

Requirements according to the ISU Technical Rules Single and Pair Skating 2018, ISU Communication 2242 and all respective ISU Communications.

Free Skating: 2 min 30 sec, +/- 10 sec

**CALCULATION OF THE RESULTS:** All results will be calculated in the new ISU Judging System.

**DRAW:** The opening draw for the order of skating will be held 14<sup>th</sup> January, 2020 for groups Basic Novices I., II. and III. and Intermediate Novices, and on Thursday, 16<sup>th</sup> January 2020 for groups Advance Novices, Juniors and Seniors. The exact place and time will be published in the official detailed schedule. Starting order for the free skating of categories Advanced Novices, Juniors and Seniors will be in reverse order of the results of the short program.

**JUDGES AND TECHNICAL PANEL:** Each ISU Member participating on the competition may enter one or more International or ISU Judge, TC, TS and D/R Operator for different disciplines. Each panel of Judges in Senior, Junior and Novice categories will consist 5 judges on International competition.

Accommodation with full board in the Hotel ZIRA\*\*\*\* will be covered by organizer from dinner on January 14 until lunch on January 19, 2020 or for the days when the Judge is on duty. Confirmation for Judges will be sent to each Member by E-mail.

**EXPENSES:** Organizer covers the accommodation expenses with full board only for the confirmed Judges, nominated Technical Controllers and Technical Specialists in the Hotel ZIRA\*\*\*\* Belgrade. Expenses for accommodation and meals for Competitors and other Team officials will not be covered by the Organizer.

**AWARDS:** The Organizer provides diplomas for all competitors after each event. The three best Skaters in each category will be awarded by special presents. The best placed team will be awarded by Cup.

**MUSIC:** Each competitor must deliver a CD with her/his program music(s) to the Organizing Committee Office immediately after arrival. Music will be reproduced on Compact Disc - CD. In accordance with Rule 343, paragraph 2, all discs must show the Competition event, Competitor's name, the Nation and the exact running time of the music (not skating time) including any starting signal and must be submitted at the time of registration. Each program (short program, free skating) must be recorded on a separate disc.



**LIABILITY:** In accordance with ISU Regulations, Rule 119, all participants act on their own responsibility. Organizer will provide medical emergency aid during competition.

**WEB TV:** The draw and the competition will be broadcasted live on: [www.europeancriterium.eu](http://www.europeancriterium.eu)

**ORGANIZING COMMITTEE:** The Office of the Organizing Committee will be located on the ice-rink and will be on disposal from Tuesday January, 14<sup>th</sup> 2020, during the whole event.

**ACCOMODATION:**

**HOTEL ZIRA\*\*\*\*, Ruzveltova 35, Belgrade.**

**Website: [www.zirahotels.com](http://www.zirahotels.com), E-mail: [reservations@zirahotels.com](mailto:reservations@zirahotels.com). Distance from the ice-rink: 300 m, shuttle transfers will not be provided.**

**HOTEL HERITAGE Mije Kovacevica 7A, Belgrade, Distance from ice rink 300 m, shuttle transfers will not be provided**

**Accommodation in hotels must be booked and paid by each member or club directly.**

**Contact person for all further information is Vesna Rakovic, Serbian Skating Association General Secretary, can be contacted by phone**

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**See you in Belgrade and accept our sincere regards!**

**Vesna Rakovic**

**President of OC**

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**PRELIMINARY TIMETABLE OF EVENT:**

**Tuesday, January 14, 2020**

practice will be ann.

**19:30** - Judges meeting

20:00 - draw for BASIC NOVICE and INTERMEDIATE NOVICE

**Thursday, January 16, 2020**

07:00 till 09:00 - Practice for Advance Novice

09:00 till 19:00 - Free Skating BASIC NOVICE Girls and Boys

- Free Skating INTERMEDIATE NOVICE Girls and Boys

- awarding of prizes Basic Novices A, Basic Novices B

- After awarding ceremony, practice for Advance Novices

19:00 - draw for short program for ADVANCE NOVICES, JUNIORS and SENIORS

**Friday, January 17, 2020**

07:00 till 09 :00 - Practice for Juniors, Seniors

09:00 till 21 :00 - Short Program ADVANCE NOVICE Girls and Boys

- Short Program JUNIOR Ladies and Men

- Short Program SENIOR Ladies and Men

21:00 - Practice for Advance Novices, Juniors, Seniors

**Saturday, January 18, 2020**

07:00 till 09 :00 - Practice for Juniors, Seniors

09:00 till 19:00 - Free Skating ADVANCE NOVICE Girls and Boys

- Free Skating JUNIOR Ladies and Men

- Free Skating SENIOR Ladies and Men

- awarding of prizes Advance Novices, Juniors, Seniors and Teams EC

**Subject to change!**

Timetable, results and other information will be announced on internet site of the organizer:

[www.europeancriterium.eu](http://www.europeancriterium.eu) after the conclusion of entries deadline and during the competition.