

INTERNATIONAL FIGURE SKATING
COMPETITION



Volvo Open Cup 19th

09.11.2012-11.11.2012

Riga, Latvia

OUR PARTNERS:



*Skate Shop, Kristal Ice
Volvo Ledus Halle
Jurmālas Gatve 78 D,
Rīga, Latvia
www.kristalice.lv*



ANNOUNCEMENT / INVITATION

ORGANIZER:

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DATE:

1st event

09.11.2012-11.11.2012

2nd event

10.01.2013-13.01.2013 (ISU calendar marked event)

3rd event

03.05.2013-05.05.2013

PLACE OF COMPETITION:

[Volvo Ledus Halle](#), Jūrmalas gatve 78 D, Riga, Latvia.

ENTRIES for 1st EVENT :

Volvo Open Cup is being held as an individual competition. All clubs, members of National Figure Skating Federations associated with the ISU, are invited to take part in this competition. Entries must contain competitor's full name, date of birth. The number of competitors is not limited. Organizer has a right to refuse or limit the participation in competition. Entries can be sent by e-mail on the address given below by 15 of October 2012. **The deadline for entries is 15.10.2012. Each club must confirm their final entry list on accreditation (mandatory).**
E-mail: Kristal_ice@hello.lv

RESPONSABILITY:

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

PROTESTS:

Each team has the right to submit protest against the judges' decision. Protests must be submitted to the Referee of the relevant event at the latest immediately after the event. Upon the submission of the protest a protest fee of 30 EUR must be paid. The referee's decision is final. In the new ISU Judging Systems no protests can be filed against the judges (see Rule 123), but against the right determination of the executed element or any calculation error. In the ISU Judging System protest can be submitted in 24 hours after subsegment (e.g. Short Program) and before the awarding ceremony after the final segment (e.g. Free Skating). Protest must be done in a written form to the referee of the relevant segment. Please read ISU Rule 123.

THE CODE OF ETHICKS:

All the skaters, coaches, judges, chaperons should follow the ISU com. 1433. Action against this rule conducts behind itself the disqualification of skater.

MUSIC:

Music will be reproduced from CD player. CDs must be labeled with names of competitors, club and category which they participate. CDs must be delivered not later than one (1) hour before the start of relevant segment. Music must be leaved on the music desk.

AWARDS:

The first three best placed competitors in each event will be awarded by cups, special presents and diplomas; others by diplomas and presents.

CHARGES:

ISU Judging System (All the B Class - special rules , see apendix.3)

– 50 EUR per participant.

ISU Judging System (Chicks A –Basic Novice A & B Class) – 55 EUR per participant.

ISU Judging System (Adv.Novice & Junior&Senior) – 70 EUR per participant.

ISU Judging System (Adults A Class) – 60 EUR per participant

ISU Judging Systeem Ice Dance – 80 EUR per couple.

6.0 Judging system (Beginners class) – 45 euro per participant

6.0 Judging system (Synchro. Teams) – 150 EUR per team.

Each club who is entering 10 and more skaters can bring one more (11th) participant free of charge (concerning to dance couples – 10 pairs and then 11th pair free of charge)

ENTRY FEE PAYMENT:

A bill will be sent with the confirmation e-mail. Bill must be payed with one (1) transaction for all the club participants. Deadline for payments 25.10.2011. You can change one skater for another in any category if it's paid already in period from entries deadline to 24 hours before the drawing. All the club will not take part in draw in a case of not payed participant.

Organizer will not return entry fees but the participant's prize will be awarded to the canceled participant or him/her team. Each club who is entering 10 and more skaters can bring one more (11th) participant free of charge

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ENTRIES MODIFICATION:

Each participating club may change their participant's category latest in period from entries deadline to 24 hours before the drawing. All changes submitted after the accreditation won't be accepted.

JUDGES:

Each participating Club may nominate one, at least international level judge. In case of too many judge entries, the organizer will draw the panels of judges after the deadline. Final judge's panels will be published.

JUDGING SYSTEM:

ISU Judging System will be used for participant in A class and Adult class.

ISU Judging System will be used for Ice Dance.

ISU Judging System will be used for participants in B class (special rules , see apendix.)

6.0 Judging System will be used for Beginners class

6.0 Judging System will be used for Syncro participants.

The panel of 5 judges will be used for Novice and Juniors, Seniors. All the other categories will have panel of 3 judges.

The judging for Basic Novice A & B, Advanced Novice, Juniors and Seniors will be done According to the latest ISU regulations and communications

PLANNED PROGRAM CONTENTS:

All athletes who participate in A and B Class categories (ISU Judging system) must send their planned program contents by the 25.10. 2012.

Planned Program Contents Sheets (see Appendix 2) must be filled according to ISU Nomenclature for season 2012/2013 (available on www.isu.org).

Please send them to: kristal_ice@hello.lv

CATEGORIES:

Single Skating

Pre-chicks (B Only)

Girls, Boys

born 2006 and younger

Free Program: Girls & Boys 2:00 min (± 10sek)

Chicks (A and B)

Girls, Boys

born 2004/2005

Free Program: Girls & Boys 2:00 min (± 10sek)

Cubs (A and B)

Girls, Boys

born 2002/2003

Free Program: Girls & Boys 2:30 min (± 10sek)

Springs (B only)

Girls, Boys

born 2000/2001

Free Program: Girls 2:30 min (± 10 sek)
Boys 3:00 min (± 10sek)

Debs (B only)

Girls, Boys

born 1998/1999

Free Program: Girls 3:00 min (± 10 sek)
Boys 3:30 min (± 10 sek)

Novice Basic A & B

Girls, Boys

Free Program According to the latest isu regulations and communications

AdvancedNovice

Girls, Boys

Advanced Novice A class Short Program and Free Skating
According to ISU regulations and active communication 1649

B class Free Program only

Juniors (A and B)

Girls, Boys

Short Program and Free Skating
According to ISU regulations and active communication 511,512

B class Free programm only

Seniors (A only)

Ladies and Men

Short Program and Free Skating
According to ISU regulations and active communication 511,512

Ice Dance

AdvancedNovice

Ice Dance

ISU judging system

Pattern Dance:

Free Dance: 3:00 min (± 10 sek)

Basic Novice Ice Dance

ISU judging system

Pattern Dance:

Free Dance: 2:30 min (± 10sek)

Junior Ice Dance

ISU judging system

Short Dance: 2:50 min (± 10 sek)

Free Dance: 3:30 min (± 10 sek)

Seniors Ice dance Short Dance: 2:50 min(± 10 sek)
Free Dance: 4 min (± 10 sek)
Synchronized Skating

6.0 judging system

Novice Free Skating max. 3:30 min (± 10 sek)

Junior Short pr 2.50 ; free pr. 4+/-10 sec

Senior Short pr; Free pr;

BEGINNERS

6.0 Judging system

Beginners born 2002/2003 and younger
Girls, Boys Free Program: max. 2:00 min (± 10 sek)
(axel and double jumps are forbidden)

Beginners born 2000/2001
Girls, Boys Free Program: max. 2:00 min (± 10 sek)
(axel and double jumps are forbidden)

Beginners born 1995 -1999
Girls, Boys Free Program: max. 2:30 min (± 10 sek)
(Maximum 1A and 1 double jump are allowed)

Beginners born 1985 -1994
Girls, Boys Free Program: max. 2:30 min (± 10 sek)
(Maximum 1A and 1 double jump are allowed)

Hobby Class

Adults born from 1984 and older
ISU Judging system

Gold ladies and man Free program: max. 2:40 min (± 10 sek)

Silver ladies and man Free program: max. 2:00 min (± 10 sek)

Bronze ladies and man Free program: max. 1:40 min (± 10 sek)

RESULTS:

The results for (A class) Novice and Junior, Senior will be calculated according to ISU judging system using judging panel of 5 judges.

Chicks – Cubs (A Class) will be calculated according to Adapted Classification for Youngsters for season 2012/2013 (attached in Appendix 1) using judging panel of 3 judges.

All the B Class categories will be calculated according to „B Group Classification for season 2012/2013“ (2nd part of Appendix 1) using ISU judging syst. (special rules).

All the Beginners categories will be calculated according to classification for season 2012/2013 (3rd part of Appendix 1)

Result information and detailed protocols will be available on listed websites:
<http://kristalice.lv>

EXPENSES:

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

OFFICIAL HOTEL:

Official hotel for skaters is
[MARITIM PARK HOTEL 4*](#)

Draw and all the information as starting orders, results, protocols will be available there during competitions.

Transfer from hotel till/from icerink and till/from airport will be available for special price.

All the skaters can use parking, fitness and wifi free of charge.

Special prices , using CODE for reservations " KRISTAL ICE 19"

single room - 45 euro

double room - 50 euro

triple room - 70 euro

extra bed - 20 euro

including breakfast

e`mail for reservations : liene@maritim.lv

The „[MARITIM PARK HOTEL](#)„ 4* (5-10 min from icerink by bus, transfer for additional price is available);

All rooms are equipped with: air conditioner bath or shower, hair dryer, satellite TV, Internet connection, direct-dial telephone and fridge. The above mentioned rates are in EUR per room per night and they include the following services: Accommodation in required room category, [MARITIM](#) Breakfast Buffet, Service Charges, VAT, Parking lot.

ICE RINK:

Jurmalas Gatve 78 D, Riga, Latvia

