

Competition confirmation

International Figure Skating Competition ORTON TROPHY 2011

Timing of the event: September 16-17, 2011

Venue of the competition: Myyrmäki Ice Hall, Ice Rink 1, size 59,30 x 28,70 m, moderately heated
Raappavuorentie 10, Vantaa, Finland - location in [Google Maps](#)

Organizer: Etelä-Vantaan Taitoluistelijat ry (EVT) - South Vantaa Figure Skaters
Vantaa, Finland <http://www.evt.sporttisaitti.com>

Competition's web page: <http://evt.sporttisaitti.com/ortontrophy2011>

The competition will be held in the following single skating categories and classes:

ISU SENIOR LADIES	Age	see ISU Rule 108, paragraph 2 (b)	SP/FS	ISU JUDGING SYSTEM
ISU JUNIOR LADIES	Age	see ISU Rule 108, paragraph 2 (c)	SP/FS	ISU JUDGING SYSTEM
JUNIOR B	born	July 1. 1992 - June 30.1998	FS only	ISU JUDGING SYSTEM
NOVICE A	born	July 1. 1996 or later	SP/FS	ISU JUDGING SYSTEM
NOVICE B	born	July 1. 1996 or later	FS only	ISU JUDGING SYSTEM
DEBUTANTS	born	July 1. 1998 or later	FS only	ISU JUDGING SYSTEM
SPRINGS	born	2000 or later	FS only	Finnish Star Evaluation
SPRINGS	born	2001 or later	FS only	Finnish Star Evaluation
SPRINGS	born	2002 or later	FS only	Finnish Star Evaluation

TENTATIVE SCHEDULE – SUBJECT TO CHANGE – See Annex A

The final schedule with starting orders will be placed on the competitions web page on September 14, 2011.

LIST OF SKATERS – See Annex B

PRACTICE ICE - SKATERS AND TIMETABLE – See Annex C

PANELS OF JUDGES AND TECHNICAL PANELS – See Annex D

TECHNICAL DATA – see Annex 1

DRAWS

The official draw will be held at Ice Rink, on **September 12, 2011 17.00** and the result will be published on the web page of the competition on **September 13, 2011**.

Free Skating draws of the series with both Short Program and Free Skating shall be held at the Ice Rink on Friday September 16th after the results of Short Programs are available.

PRACTICE ICE

Practice ice is **for the competitors who had indicated in the Entry Form their desire to participate the practice ice**. No program music will be played on practice ice time. **Practice fee is 15 €/20 minutes**.

Practice schedule and groups will be posted on competition's website.

ENTRY FEE

- Categories with Finnish Star-evaluation 55 €
- Categories with ISU evaluation one day 70 €
- Categories with ISU evaluation two days 85 €

The entry fee must be duly paid by **September 8, 2011** to the following bank account:

SWIFT/BIC:	HELSFIHH	(Aktia Bank plc, Helsinki, Finland)
Bank account IBAN:	FI5840550010089353	
in favour of:	Etelä-Vantaan Taitoluistelijat (or South Vantaa Figure Skaters)	

We kindly ask the clubs to make **one payment transaction for all its skaters**.

In case a skater has been entered in the competition, but cannot participate, she/he can be replaced by another skater in the same category and class **before the draw but not after**. Participating teams shall inform of any changes in their team without undue delay by e-mailing ortontrophy@gmail.com.

Entry fees are not refunded, with the exception of cancellations verified by a medical certificate.

JUDGING

The Finnish star evaluation system will be used in Springs categories.

In other categories skaters are judged using the ISU judging system.

In the Finnish star evaluation system skaters will be given stars from different technical elements and presentation components.

The Organizer will invite the judges and other officials and pay their expenses. Composition and manning of the panel of judges, technical panel and other officials shall be determined and appointed by the Organizer and will not necessarily meet the requirements of National Figure Skating Federations, e.g. NISA, for ranking or qualifying purposes from time to time.

MUSIC

Music must be provided on CD (no CD-RW-s or DVD-s). The CD's equipped with the full name of the competitor, club and category must be submitted to the Organizer's desk before the relevant event and

picked up from the same place after the event. **All competitors must have an extra copy of their music available at rink side during their event.**

AWARDING

Three first standings of each category/class will be awarded with a cup and diploma.
All other competitors receive a diploma at the awarding ceremony.

PROTESTS

Protest 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 20 EUR must be paid. The referee's decision is final.

EXPENSES

The Organizer will not cover any expenses of the teams.
Travel expenses, board and accommodation will be borne by the participants.

TRANSPORTATION AND ACCOMODATION

The Organizer will not arrange transportation for participants.
Skaters, coaches and other team members may book accommodation individually.
The Organizer will make the room arrangements for **invited officials only**.

PROTOCOL

The Protocol/list of results in each category shall be posted on the website of the competition.
The Organizer shall not provide print-outs or CD-s.

LIABILITY

According to the ISU Regulations, Rule 119 the Organizer accepts no responsibility or liability with respect to bodily or personal injury, property loss or damage suffered by the competitors or officials during the competition.

Participants are expected to provide their own insurances. Such insurance must assure full medical attendance and also the return to the home country by air transport or by other expeditious means of the ill or injured person.

FIRST AID

Qualified medical personnel will be present at the competition.

On behalf of the Organizing Committee

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