



*Tartu
Ühisükskool*

HOPE CUP 2023

**INTERCLUB FIGURE SKATING COMPETITION FOR SINGLE
SKATERS**

EVENT TIME:

April 14-16, 2023

ORGANIZER:

FSC IK Tartu

VENUE OF COMPETITION:

Astri Arena

Lõunakeskus Shopping Mall

Address: Ringtee 75a, Tartu, Estonia

www.iktartu.ee

ANNOUNCEMENT

GENERAL REGULATIONS:

Hope Cup 2023 will be conducted in accordance with the ISU Constitution and General Regulations, the ISU Special Regulations for Figure Skating as well as all pertinent ISU Communications for Figure Skating and the classification of the Estonian Skating Union for season 2022/2023.

Participation in the Lõunakeskus Trophy 2023 is open only to competitors and clubs who belong to an ISU Member. All invited clubs, ISU-Members or Clubs, National Figure Skating Federations associated with ISU are invited to the competition in any category and class.

However, the The OC can have a final design about overquota for any club/country/ federation or refuse to accept the entry (full or partially) .

The results for Basic Novice, Intermediate Novice, Advanced Novice Junior and Senior will be calculated according to latest ISU regulations. All other categories in A,B class and beginners will be calculated according to the Estonian Figure Skating Union Adapted Classification for Youngsters for season 2022/2023.

The competitions follow the principles established by the Estonian Government for preventing the spread of the COVID-19 virus.

As of pandemic situation caused by COVID-19 all participating Teams, Officials and related personnel are responsible of checking active restrictions and guidelines introduced by Estonian Government, Estonian Health Board and the Organizing Committee of the event.

CATEGORIES:

Single Skating:

A-class:

Pre-Chicks A Born 2016 and younger
Free program: Boys, Girls 2 min (+/- 10sek)

Chicks A Born 2014/2015
Free program: Boys, Girls 2 min (+/- 10sek)

Cubs A Born 2012/2013
Free Program: Boys, Girls 2.30 min (+/-10 sek)

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

ADVANCED NOVICE According to latest ISU rules and communications

JUNIOR According to latest ISU rules and communications

SENIOR According to latest ISU rules and communications

B-class:

Pre-Chicks B Born 2016 and younger
Free Program: Boys, Girls 2.00 min (+/-10 sek)

Chicks B Born 2014/2015
Free Program: Boys, Girls 2.00 min (+/-10 sek)

Cubs B Born 2012/2013
Free Program: Boys, Girls 2.30 min (+/-10 sek)

Springs Born 2010/2011
Free program: Boys, Girls 2.30 min (+/-10 sek)

Novice B Not younger than 10 years old and not older than 15 years old 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)

C-class:

Pre-Chicks C Born 2016 and younger
Free Program: Boys, Girls 2.00 min (+/-10 sek)

Chicks C Born 2014/2015
Free Program: Boys, Girls 2.00 min (+/-10 sek)

Beginners:

ARTISTIC KIDS Born 2011 and younger
Free Program: Boys, Girls 1.30 min (+/-10 sek)

PRE-YOUNG (boys and girls) Born 2012 and younger
Free Program: 2 min (+/-10sek)

PRE-YOUNG (boys and girls) Born 2010/2011
Free program: 2 min (+/-10sek)

YOUNG (boys and girls) Born 2008/2009
Free Program: 2.30 min (+/-10sek)

YOUNG (boys and girls) Born 2003-2007

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

ADULTS:

SINGLE SKATING FOR ADULT AMATEUR SKATERS

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

Class I skaters born between July 1st, 1984 and June 30th, 1994, Bronze, Silver, Gold, Masters

Class II skaters born between July 1st, 1974 and June 30th, 1984, Bronze, Silver, Gold, Masters

Class III skaters born between July 1st, 1964 and June 30th, 1974, Bronze, Silver, Gold, Masters

Class IV skaters born between July 1st, 1954 and June 30th, 1964, Bronze, Silver, Gold, Masters

Class V skaters born before June 30th, 1954, Bronze, Silver, Gold, Masters

RESULTS:

- The results for Novice, Junior and Senior will be calculated according to ISU judging system using the judging panel of 5 judges in case of Advanced Novice, Junior and Senior, and the judging panel of 3 judges in case of Basic Novice and Intermediate Novice.
- Pre-Chicks – Cubs (A, B class), will be calculated according Adapted Classification for Youngsters (Estonian Skating Union) for season 2022/2023 using judging panel of 3 judges.
- All C class categories will be calculated according to Classification for C class for season 2022/20223 using judging panel of 3 judges.
- All Beginners and Adults categories will be calculated according to Classification for Beginners and Adults for season 2022/2023 using judging panel of 3 judges.
 - The Organizers have the right to split categories if the number of participants requires that.
 - The Organizers have the right to combine categories if the number of participants requires.

Result information and detailed protocols will be available on our website: www.iktartu.ee

ENTRIES:

Entries must be submitted in a written form and must contain the kind of event, competitor's full name and date of birth. For participating, please fill in the enclosed entry form and return it to the following address:

e-mail: entry@iktartu.ee

Mrs. Kseniia Sikut (Organizer)

In entry form all skaters names have to be written in English!

The deadline for entries is 27.03.2023

NB! Changing categories for skaters is not allowed after deadline for entries!

Please note, that any replacements in entry form has to be made into the same class and category.

Please note, that any replacements in entry form has to be made before 05.04.2023!

Planned program contents have to be sent by 30.03.2023 All program contents received later, will not be accepted.

Please send the planned program contents to Email: entry@iktartu.ee

ENTRY FEES:

Before 03.04.2023

75.- EUR A-class with one program, B-class with one program

85.- EUR Advanced Novice, Junior and Senior

65.- EUR Beginners and Adults, Pre-Chicks C, Chicks C

45.- EUR Artistik Kids

Late entry fee after 04.04.2023

85.- EUR A-class with one program, B-class with one program

95.- EUR Advanced Novice, Junior and Senior

75.- EUR Beginners and Adults, Pre-Chicks C, Chicks C

45.- EUR Artistik Kids

Each club has to pay for its participants 100% of the total amount right after the entry form confirmation, by **04.04.2023**

Organizer will not return entry fees. You can replace one skater for another in same category if 100% is paid already.

The entire club will not take part in draw in a case of not paid participant.

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AWARDING:

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

JUDGES:

Each participating Club may nominate one, at least international level judge. The organizer will cover the accommodation, transportation and meals.

EXPENCES:

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

MUSIC:

Music must be recorded on CDs or USB and submitted at the time of accreditation. The music medias must be of good quality and labeled clearly with the Competitor's name, Nation, category and the exact music time. Each program must be recorded on a separate disc or USB.

PROTOCOL:

The protocol will be available on organizer website: www.iktartu.ee

ACCOMMODATION:

The Organizers shall not arrange accommodation.

RESPONSABILITY:

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

THE CODE OF ETHICS:

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

DRAW:

An electronic draw will take place on **13.04.2023**, starting orders will be published on our website: www.iktartu.ee

There will not be a draw after short programs. Starting order for free programs will be according to inverse of the results of short programs.

TIME SCHEDULE:

Preliminary time schedule will be published after the deadline for entries and it will available on our website: www.iktartu.ee