



ANNOUNCEMENT
“PANNONIA OPEN 2015”
in Short Track Speed Skating
February 13 - 15, 2015
Budapest - HUNGARY



Qualifying series to Junior Europa Cup Final 2015

The Hungarian National Skating Federation has the honour to invite your team to participate in this competition, under the following conditions:

PARTICIPATION

Only registered competitors of the ISU Member are allowed to participate.

AGE GROUPS and DISTANCES:

Individual categories:	Ages			Ladies/Men			Relays Ladies/Men	System
Senior		-	June 30, 1995	1500m	500m	1000m	Senior and Junior	Knock out
Junior "A"*	July 1, 1995	-	June 30, 1997	1500m	500m	1000m	"A"+"B"+"C/2"	Knock out
Junior "B"*	July 1, 1997	-	June 30, 1999	1500m	500m	1000m	3000m (4 skaters)*	Knock out
Junior "C"	July 1, 1999	-	June 30, 2001	1500m	500m	1000m	Jun "C" and Jun "D" 2000m	All final
Junior "D"	July 1, 2001	-	June 30, 2004	1000m	500m	777m	(3skaters)	All final

* Junior "A" and "B" categories are out of the Danubia Series

PRELIMINARY PROGRAM

February 12, 2015 Thursday	Official Training	18:00-19:50
	Team Leaders' Meeting	20:00
February 13, 2015 Friday	Warm up	08:00-08:50
	Competitions	09:00-18:00
February 14, 2015 Saturday	Warm up	08:00-08:50
	Competitions	09:00-18:00
February 15, 2015 Sunday	Warm up	07:30-08:45
	Competitions	09:00-14:00
	Awarding Ceremony	14:00

The competitions and The Team Leader's Meeting will be carried out in "Gyakorló Jégcsarnok" ice-rink, in Budapest (the track size is:30x60 m). The compass of the track is 111.12 m, according to ISU Rules with curves of 8m. During the competitions there will be used 5 tracks with displacement of 1m each. The finish line for all distances is the same; only the starting place of the distances 500 and 1500 m will be changed; 1000 m and the relays will not be changed.

EQUIPMENTS

Only equipment, which is in accordance with the ISU rules, can be used in the competitions. The compulsory rounding of the corners of the blades will be controlled.

ENTRIES

The entries must be according to Para 2 - b, c, d, e, f Danubia Open Memorandum 2014-2015

- a) Individual entries: each ISU Member has the right to enter skaters according to ISU Regulations (Rule 109). Clubs may only enter skaters through their respective Member federations.
- b) Entries shall be communicated to the Organizing Committee at the latest on the thirty (30) day before the first day of the competition **January 13 2015** and must contain:
- The title of the competition;
 - The name of the Club and ISU Member making the entry;
 - The number of athletes in each category;
 - The number of coaches and team leaders;
 - A financial statement by the respective Club/ISU Member that all costs occurred will be covered.
- c) Final entries shall be communicated to the Organizing Committee at the latest on the fifth (5) day before the first day of the competition and can only be made electronically through the www.shorttracklive.info website and must clearly state:
- The given name (first) and surname of the competitor;
 - Date of birth of each competitor;
 - Data requested for seeding purposes;
 - The date and time of arrival and departure of competitors and those accompanying them;
 - A financial statement by the respective Club/ISU Member that all costs occurred will be covered.
- d) Skaters will only be able to compete in the age category based on their birth date or one age category higher as determined in the announcement. The skaters must compete in the same age category throughout the whole season.
- e) Relay entries: each Club and/or the respective ISU Member have the right to enter one relay team of 5 (4 + 1 substitute) competitors per category.
- f) Skaters who are entered in the relay event must also participate in the individual events.

The **Final Entry Forms** must be sent to the Competition Office not later than **February 7 2015**. You are kindly requested to send the Entry Forms to the following address:

ORGANIZING COMMITTEE

HNSF-MOKSZ

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COMPETITORS STEWARD

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ENTRY FEE: EUR 15,- p.p.

AWARDS

The first three-placed competitors of the **individual** competition in the overall ranking will receive medals accordingly.

The skaters of the first three-placed **relay teams** of each category will be awarded with medals respectively.

LIABILITY

Each competitor participating in the competition at his/her own risk and assurance. The competition is completely open for all ISU Members. OTEL ACCOMODATION

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The participating Teams are responsible for their board and lodging expenses (hotel and meals). The Organising Committee can recommend the following accommodations with very special prices:

Official Hotel and Room-rates

Lion's Garden Hotel ****

H-1146, Cházár András út 4. Budapest

Single Room (with full board):

Euro 50,-/day

Double Room (with full board):

Euro 35,-/day/person

Triple Room (with full board):

Euro 35,-/day/person

Lunch will be served at the Icerink.

The hotel expenses must be paid in advance at the arrival at the Organising Committee.

All the main Credit Cards are welcomed: Visa, Master Card, etc. In this case: 5% of total amount will be added as the commission charge if using credit card to settle your payment.

All entries, hotel reservations and other inquiries should be addressed to the Organizing Committee as indicated above.

The Organizing Committee restricted to eight (8) skaters plus one (1) Team Leader for the following ISU Members: AUT, BUL, CZE, HUN, LAT, POL, ROU and SVK – according to the agreed cross-hosting cooperation.

Other Accommodation (all teams have to order by themselves):

Ében Hotel***

sales@ebenhotel.hu

H-1148, Nagy Lajos király útja 15-17 Budapest

In double Room (with breakfast):

EUR 20,-/day/pax

In triple Room (with breakfast):

EUR 20,-/day/pax

Budapest December 21, 2014

Mr KÓSA, Lajos
HNSF President

Mr DARÁZS, István
Speed Skating Sportdirector

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To be sent before: January 12, 2015

Name of Team: _____

	SENIOR:	JUNIOR:	NOVICES:	OFFICIALS:
LADIES:				

MEN:				
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	SENIOR:		JUNIOR:		NOVICES:	
	YES:	NO:	YES:	NO:	YES:	NO:
LADIES:						
MEN:						

Hotel Name:

Date of Arrival: 2015
 Date of Departure: 2015

Number of Double Rooms:

Number of Triple Rooms:

Contact Person:

E-mail:

Phone number:

Fax number:

Date:

FINAL ENTRY FORM

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THIS FORM MUST BE RETURNED BEFORE:

February 07 2015

Please fill in with type or write in capital letters!

Name of ISU Member:

Number of participants: Ladies: Men:

Number of official Ladies: Men:

Team Skaters:

	Name	Given Name	Date of birth DD/MM/YY	Categories
Ladies				
Men				

Team Officials:

Function	Name	Given Name	Sex
Team Leader			
Coach			
Medical Staff			

Contact Person:

E-mail:

Phone number:

Fax number:

Date:

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