ANNOUNCEMENT



ALPE ADRIA TROPHY 2024



Short Track Speed Skating International Competition

February 10-11, 2024 Ice rink Mirza Delibašić, Skenderija, Terezija bb, Sarajevo, Bosnia and Herzegovina



INTRODUCTION

Skating Federation of Bosnia and Herzegovina (SKSBIH) and Skating Club KKK "Bosna" have an honor to invite your team to the Sarajevo Open 2024 Short Track Speed Skating Competition in Sarajevo from 10-11 February 2024.

The Sarajevo Open 2024 competition is associated with the Alpe Adria Trophy Series.

The competition project is approved by the ISU and **supported by ISU Development**. The track is an indoor Ice Rink, with the measures of 60x30m, with a standard track of 111.12m. Beside the original track there will be four extra tracks set up to preserve good ice conditions. Padding will cover the boards in dangerous areas.

RULES

The All Final System would be applied. The first round of the first distance shall be made on the basis of the personal best time supplied with the Final Entry. Final Points will be awarded in the A Final races only. No points will be awarded to Skaters or Teams who receive a penalty, a yellow card, a red card, "did not start" or "failed to finish" the race. The points 34, 21, 13, 8, 5, 3, 2, 1 are awarded in descending order commencing with first place.

For the Final Classification the skaters are ranked:

- by total number of Final Points
- by combined ranking over all Distance Classification
- by the highest ranking achieved in one of the distances and subsequent other best rankings
- by best time over the longest distance on the program (See Rule 295)

Please note that the organizer reserves the right to modify competition system according to number of competitors and available time.

CATEGORIES

Ladies and Men (Girls and Boys) will be divided into the following age groups:

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Seniors 19 and older 30.06.2004. and olderJuniors A 17-1901.07.2004. - 30.06.2006.Juniors B 15-1701.07.2006. - 30.06.2008.Juniors C 13-1501.07.2008. - 30.06.2010.Juniors D 11-1301.07.2010. - 30.06.2012.Juniors E 9-1101.07.2012. - 30.06.2014.Juniors F 7-901.07.2014. - 30.06.2016.Juniors G 7 and younger 01.07.2016. and younger
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The Organizing Committee reserves the right to join certain age groups in races, after consulting with the Competitor Steward, if there are not enough skaters in the individual groups. There is also a possibility of mixed gender groups. Final results will be calculated for each group separately independent from grouping in races.

DISTANCES

Seniors, Juniors A, Juniors B, Juniors C 1500m, 500m, 1000m

Juniors D 1000m, 500m, 777m Juniors E 777m, 333m, 500m Juniors F 500m, 222m, 333m Juniors G 333m, 111m, 222m

RELAY

If the schedule allows, the Relay races will be held.

Group A Men/Women – 3000m (Seniors, Juniors A and B) – teams with 4 skaters Group B Men/Women – 2000m (Juniors C, D, E or F) – teams with 3 skaters

GENERAL PROGRAM

Saturday, February 10, 2024

Team Leader's Meeting 08:00 AM (at the ice rink)

Warm up 08:20 – 08:40 AM

Competition 9:00 AM

Sunday, February 11, 2024

Warm up 8:20 AM-8:40 AM

Competition 09:00 AM
Award Ceremony after last race

The schedule is subject to change!

AWARDS

In each age category medals will be awarded to the best three skaters in the individual overall ranking.

MEDICAL ASSISTANCE

There will be a Medical representative present at the warm up and during the competition.

EQUIPMENT

In order to maintain safety on ice, we ask the participating skaters to be equipped with a proper helmet, shin, knee and neck protectors and cut resistant gloves. (Rule 291, 2018 ISU Special Regulations & Technical Rules)

ACCOMMODATION

The expenses for accommodation and meals are at the soley responsibility of the participating teams. Please make the reservation yourself directly with the front desk of the hotel. The Organizer will bear the expanses for meals and accommodation for the Officials.

Recommended accommodation*

- Aparthotel Centar Sarajevo Muamera Omerbegovića 14, 71000 Sarajevo, +387(33)257-400 +387(61)484-493 aparthotel.cs@gmail.com

ORGANIZING COMMITTEE

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ENTRIES

Preliminary Entries must reach the OC by January 26, 2024 at the latest! These entries should contain the following information:

- the name of Member Association or Club
- the number of the team members and the list of names (full names), the date of birth.

Entries may be made electronically through the www.shorttracklive.info web

THE DEADLINE FOR THE FINAL ENTRIES IS FEBRUARY 1, 2024.

ENTRY FEE: 30 EUR / per skater

It should be paid at the Team Leaders meeting.

LIABILITY

The Organizing Committee declines all responsibility for any loss or damage during the competition and/or any possible injuries or accidents. Each competitor is participating in the competition at his/her own risk and insurance.

We look forward to welcoming your team at the SARAJEVO OPEN - Alpe Adria Trophy 2024 in Sarajevo!

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