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$\begin{array}{c} \textbf{50}^{th} \ \textbf{GRAND PRIX SNP} \\ \textbf{BANSKÁ BYSTRICA / SLOVAKIA /} \\ \textbf{22}^{nd} - \textbf{24}^{th} \ \textbf{NOVEMBER 2012} \end{array}$





ANNOUNCEMENT

50th GRAND PRIX SNP

AN INTERNATIONAL FIGURE SKATING COMPETITION

JUNIOR MEN, LADIES, PAIRS, ICE DANCE NOVICE MEN, LADIES, ICE DANCE PRE- NOVICES MEN, LADIES, ICE DANCE (all Categories in accordance with ISU Rules)

AN INTERCLUB FIGURE SKATING COMPETITION JUVENILES AND PRE-JUVENILES BOYS AND GIRLS (all Categories in accordance with Slovak Figure Skating Association Rules)

ORGANIZED BY THE

FIGURE SKATING CLUB ISKRA BANSKÁ BYSTRICA / SLOVAKIA

22nd- 24th NOVEMBER 2012

UNDER THE AUTHORIZATION OF THE SLOVAK FIGURE SKATING ASSOCIATION



50.GRAND PRIX SNP Banská Bystrica / SLOVAKIA

1. <u>GENERAL REGULATIONS</u>

The 50. GRAND PRIX SNP will be conducted in accordance with the ISU Constitution and General Regulations 2012, the Special Regulations and Technical Rules Single 2012, and the relevant ISU Communications.

The Juveniles and Pre-Juvenils Categories will be conducted in accordance with the Slovak Figure Skating Association Rules.

Participation in the 50.GRAND PRIX SNP is open to all Competitors who belong to an ISU Member, and qualify with regard to eligibility according to Rule 102, provided their ages fall within the limits specified in Rule 108, paragraph 2 c) and they meet the participation, citizenship and residency requirements in Rule 109, paragraphs 1 through 5 and ISU Communication 1420 or any update of this Communication or other relevant Communications.

In accordance with Rule 109 of the ISU General Regulations and ISU Communication 1420 all Skaters who do not have the nationality of the Member by which they have been entered or who, although having such nationality, have in the past represented another Member, must produce an ISU Clearance Certificate. Passports of all Skaters, as well as the ISU Clearance Certificate, if applicable, must to be presented at the accreditation of the event for verification. All competitors must be entered through their respective Member Federation.

2. <u>TECHNICAL DATA</u>

Place:

Zimný Štadión (Ice Rink), Hronské predmestie 4 974 01 Banská Bystrica, SLOVAKIA Non-heated Ice Rink (60 x 30 m)





JUNIOR MEN

SHORT PROGRAM

The required elements to be skated are those listed in ISU Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating 2012 Rule 511, paragraphs 1 and 3 for 2012/13.

Duration: 2 min., 50 sec. maximum, but may be less

FREE SKATING

In accordance with ISU Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating 2012, Rule 512 and the respective ISU Communication. Special attention should be paid to the "well balanced program" and the element value. Duration: $4 \min_{12} + 10 \text{ sec.}$

JUNIOR LADIES

SHORT PROGRAM

The required elements to be skated are those listed in ISU Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating 2012 Rule 511, paragraphs 1 and 3 for 2012/13.

Duration: 2 min., 50 sec. maximum, but may be less

FREE SKATING

In accordance with ISU Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating 2012, Rule 512 and the respective ISU Communication. Special attention should be paid to the "well balanced program" and the element value. Duration: 3 min., 30 sec., +/- 10 sec.

JUNIOR PAIRS

SHORT PROGRAM

The required elements to be skated are those listed in ISU Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating 2012 Rule 520, paragraphs 1 and 3 for 2012/13.

Duration: 2 min., 50 sec. maximum, but may be less

FREE SKATING

In accordance with ISU Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating 2012, Rule 512 and the respective ISU Communication. Special attention should be paid to the "well balanced program" and the element value. Duration: 4 min., 30 sec., +/- 10 sec.

JUNIOR ICE DANCE

SHORT DANCE

In accordance with ISU Technical Rules Ice Dance 2012, Rule 609.

Rhythms, required elements and guidelines are those listed in ISU Communication 1721 and subsequent updates.

Duration:2 min., 50 sec. +/-10 sec.

FREE DANCE

In accordance with ISU Technical Rules Ice Dance 2012, Rule 610.

The required elements to be skated are those listed in ISU Communication 1721 and subsequent updates.

Duration:3 min.,30 sec. +/-10 sec.



NOVICE BOYS

(born after 1st July 1997 – 30th June 2000)

SHORT PROGRAM

In accordance with ISU Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating 2012 and the respective ISU Communication 1649 for the Novice Competitions. Duration: 2 min., 30 sec. maximum, but may be less

Short Program for Boys shall consist of the following elements:

a) Axel Paulsen or double Axel Paulsen

b) Double or triple jump immediately preceded by connecting steps, may not repeat jump in a)

c) One jump combination consisting of two double jumps or one double and one triple jump, both jumps may not repeat jump in a) or b)

d) Spin combination with only one change of foot and at least one change of position (minimum of five (5) revolutions on each foot)

e) Camel or sit spin with change of foot and no flying entrance (minimum of six (6) revolutions)

f) One step sequences with full utilization of the ice surface (straight line, circular, serpentine)

NOVICE GIRLS

(born after 1st July 1997 – 30th June 2000)

SHORT PROGRAM

In accordance with ISU Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating 2012 and the respective ISU Communication 1649 for the Novice Competitions. Duration: 2 min., 30 sec. maximum, but may be less

Short Program for Girls shall consist of the following elements:

a) Axel Paulsen or double Axel Paulsen

b) Double or triple jump immediately preceded by connecting steps, may not repeat jump in a)

c) One jump combination consisting of two double jumps or one double and one triple jump, both jumps may not repeat jump in a) or b)

d) Spin combination with only one change of foot and at least one change of position (minimum of five (5) revolutions on each foot). Flying entry is allowed.

e) Layback or sideways leaning spin (minimum of six (6) revolutions)

f) One step sequence with full utilization of the ice surface (straight line, circular, serpentine)

FREE SKATING

In accordance with ISU Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating 2010 and the espective ISU Communications.

Duration: Girls 3 min., +/- 10 sec.

Boys 3 min., 30 sec., +/- 10 sec.



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A well balanced Free Skating program for Singles must contain:

a) Maximum 6 jump elements for Girls and 7 jump elements for Boys one of which must be an Axel type jump. There may be up to two (2) jump combinations or sequences. A jump combination can contain only two (2) jumps. A jump sequence can contain any number of jumps, but only two most difficult jumps will be counted. Jumps with one and a half (1 1/2) revolutions can be repeated only once in a jump combination or in a jump sequence. Only two (2) jumps with two and a half (2 $\frac{1}{2}$) revolutions and more can be repeated either in a jump combination or in a jump sequence.

b) There must be a maximum of two (2) spins of a different nature, one of which must be a spin combination (minimum of ten (10) revolutions) and one a flying spin or a spin with a flying entrance (minimum of six (6) revolutions).

c) There must be a maximum of one (1) step sequence

Levels explanations for Novice Categories:

For Novice, in all elements which are subject to Levels, features up to Level 4 will be counted.

The Program Components are only judged in

- Skating Skills
- Transitions
- Performance/Execution
- Interpretation

The factors for the Program Components are:

a) Short Program

- for boys 0.9 - for girls 0.8 b) Free Skating- for boys 1.8- for girls 1.6

Deduction for fall: -1.0

NOVICE ICE DANCE

PATTERN DANCE

In accordance with ISU Technical Rules Ice Dance 2012/13, Rule 108 paragraph 2 and all pertinent ISU Communications.

Rhythms, required elements and guidelines are those listed in ISU Communication 1721, 1738, 1760 and subsequent update.

Rocker Foxtrot, Kilian

FREE DANCE

In accordance with ISU Technical Rules Ice Dance 2012, Rule 109 and all pertinent ISU Communications. The required elements to be skated are those listed in ISU Communication 1721, 1760 and subsequent updates. Rule 610 shall apply (including that the music may be vocal).



PRE-NOVICE BOYS, GIRLS

(born after 1st July 2000 – 30th June 2002)

FREE SKATING

Duration: 3 min., +/- 10 sec.

A well balanced Free Skating program for Pre-Novice boys and girls must contain:

a) Maximum 6 jump elements for Girls and 7 jump elements for Boys one of which must be an Axel type jump. There may be up to two (2) jump combinations or sequences. A jump combination can contain only two (2) jumps. A jump sequence can contain any number of jumps, but only two most difficult jumps will be counted. All the jumps (including an Axel) can be repeated only once and these repetitions must be in a jump combination or sequence. A repeated solo jump, not included in to a jump combination, will be considered as a part of a not successfully executed jump sequence and counted as a jump sequence with only one jump executed. No one jump can be attempted more than twice.

b) There must be a maximum of two (2) spins of a different nature, one of which must be a spin combination (minimum of ten (10) revolutions) and one a flying spin or a spin with flying entrance (minimum of six (6) revolutions).

c) There must be a maximum of one (1) step sequence

The Program Components are only judged in

- Skating Skills
- Transitions
- Performance/Execution
- Interpretation

The Factor of the Program Components is

- for boy 1,8
- for girls 1,6

Levels explanations:

For Pre-Novice, in all elements which are subject to Levels, only features up to Level 3 will be counted. Any additional features will not count for Level requirements and will be ignored by the Technical Panel.

Deduction for fall: -1.0

PRE NOVICES ICE DANCE

PATTERN DANCE

In accordance with ISU Technical Rules Ice Dance 2012/13, Rule 108 paragraph 2 and all pertinent ISU Communications.

Rhytms, requiered elements and guidelines are those listed in ISU Communications 1721, 1738, 1760 and subsequent update Foxtrot



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FREE DANCE

In accordance with ISU Technical Rules Ice Dance 2012/13, Rule 109 and all pertinent ISU Communications. The required elements to be skated are those listed in ISUCommunications 1721, 1760 and subsequent updates. Rule 610 shall apply including that the music may be vocal.

JUVENILE BOYS and GIRLS

(born after 1st July 2002 – 30th June 2004)

The required elements to be skated are according to Rules of Slovak Figure Skating Association 2012/13.

FREE SKATING

Duration: 2 min., 30 sec. +/- 10 sec

A well balanced Free Skating program for Juvenile must contain:

The Program Components are only judged in:

a) Maximum of 5 jump elements for Girls and Boys, one of which must be an Axel type jump. There may be up to two (2) jump combinations or sequences. Jump combination can contain only two (2) jumps. A jump sequence can contain any number of jumps, but only two most difficult jumps will be counted. All the jumps can be repeated only once and these repetitions must be either in a jump combination or in a jump sequence. A repeated solo jump, not included in to a jump combination or sequence, will be considered as a part of a not successfully executed jump sequence and counted as a jump sequence with only one jump executed. No one jump can be attempted more than twice.

b) There must be a maximum of two (2) spins, one of which must be a spin combination (with or without change of foor) and one spin in one position (with or without change of foot). Flying entry is allowed.

c) There must be a maximum of one (1) step sequence or one (1) spiral sequence . . Step sequence will be subject to levels. The step sequence must fully utilize 2/3 of an ice surface. A Spiral Sequence will be called a Choreographic Sequence and has to consist of one spiral positions with min. 3 sec. The Choreographic Sequence has a base value and will be evaluated by the judges in GOE only.

The Program Components are only judged in:

- Skating Skills
- Performance/Execution
- Interpretation

The Factors of the Program Components are:

- for boys 2.0

- for girls 1.7

Levels explanations:

For Juvenile, in all elements which are subject to Levels, only features up to Level 3 will be counted. Any additional features will not count for Level requirements and will be ignored by the Technical Panel.

Deduction for fall: -0.5



PRE-JUVENILE BOYS & GIRLS

(born after 1st July 2004 – 30th June 2006)

FREE SKATING

Duration: 2 min. +/- 10 sec

A well balanced Free Skating program for Pre-Juvenile must contain:

a) Maximum of 4 jump elements for Girls and Boys. There may be up to two (2) jump combinations or sequences. Jump combination can contain only two (2) jumps. A jump sequence can contain any number of jumps, but only two most difficult jumps will be counted. All the jumps can be repeated only once and these repetitions must be either in a jump combination or in a jump sequence. A repeated solo jump, not included in a jump combination or sequence, will be considered as a part of a not successfuly executed jump sequence and counted as a jump sequence with only one jump executed. No one jump can be attempted more than twice.

b) There must be a maximum of two (2) spins, one spin combination (with or without change of foot) and one spin in one position (with or without change of foot).

c) There must be a maximum of one (1) step sequence or one (1) spiral sequence consisting of max. two (2) spiral positions. Step sequence will be called Choreographic Sequence with base value. The step sequence must fully utilize 2/3 of an ice surface. A Spiral Sequence will be called a Choreographic Sequence and has to consist of one spiral position with min. 3 sec. The Choreographic Sequence has a base value and will be evaluated by the judges in GOE only.

The Program Components are only judged in:

- Skating Skills
- Performance/Execution

The Factors of the Program Components are 2.5

Levels explanations:

For Pre-Juvenile, in all elements which are subject to Levels, only features up to Level 2 will be counted. Any additional features will not count for Level requirements and will be ignored by the Technical Panel

Deduction for fall: -0.5



3. ENTRIES

Deadline for entries:

List of entries (competitors, judges, team leaders, coaches, other persons) must reach the organizer by November 2^{nd} , 2012 at the following address:

KK Iskra Banská Bystrica Organizing Committee 50.GRAND PRIX SNP c/o Boris Šabo Hronské predmestie 4, 974 01 Banská Bystrica, SLOVAK REPUBLIC e-mail: Krasoiskrabb@gmail.com

Please use the Entry Form and send it by e-mail

CHARGES:

Junior Men, Ladies 40 EUR

Junior Pairs and Ice Dance Couple 80 EUR /couple have to be paid at the registration before the competition

Advance Novices Men, Ladies 40 EUR.

Advance Novices Ice Dance Couple 80 EUR /couple have to be paid at the registration before the competition.

Pre Novices Men, Ladies 30 EUR have to be paid at the registration before the competition.

Juvenils and Pre-Juvenils 30 EUR have to be paid at the registration before the competition

Expenses:

The Organizer will provide and cover the rooms and meals for Referees, Technical Controllers, Technical Specialist, Asistant Technical Specialist, D/RO and Judges. Travel expenses will be reimbursed only to the Referees, the Technical Specialist sand Assistant Technical Specialist, Technical Controllers and Data/Replay Operators based on the economy airfare. The travel expenses not to be reimbursed to the Judges. The Competitors, Coaches and Team Leaders have to bear their own expenses.

Responsibility:

In accordance with ISU Regulations, rule 119, all participants, officials and volunteers act at their own responsibility. The organizer will provide medical emergency aid during the competition.



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Music:

Music will be reproduced from a CD-player. CD's must have the full name of the competitor, club and category in which the competitor is entered. CD's must be handed over to the organizer immediately after the arrival of the teams.

Calculation of results:

The results will be calculated in accordance with ISU Special Regulations and Technical Rules 2008 Single - Rules 352 and 353 (ISU Judging System).

Planned Program Content Sheet:

It is mandatory that the form "Planned Program Content Sheet" must be filled in for each skater of each category in English using the terminology for the elements listed in the respective ISU Communication.

This form must reach the organizer at latest November 2^{nd} 2012 by e-mail: $\bowtie krasoiskrabb@gmail.com$

Organization:

- 1. The office of the organizing committee and the registration office will be located at the ice rink and will be opened every day during the competition.
- 2. Participating teams are kindly asked to announce changes to their teams as early as possible but at the latest immediately after the arrival of the team.
- 3. For further information please contact:

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Accommodation:

All participants, except Referees, Technical Controlors, Technical Specialist, Assistant Technical Specialist, DRO an Judges on duty as well as the members of the Technical Panels on duty, have to pay for their own accommodation.

The possibilities of accommodation :

- Hotel LUX, Námestie Slobody 2, 974 01 B. Bystrica, Slovak Republic http://www.hotellux.sk/ (1.2 km)
- Turistická ubytovna, Robotnícka 6, B. Bystrica, Slovak Republic http://www.turisticka-ubytovna.sk/ (1.5 km)

Pension UHLISKO, Lesná 3, 974 01 B. Bystrica, Slovak Republic http://www.pensionbb.sk/index.php?id=home (400 m)

- Penzión Maják, Okružná 15, 974 01 B. Bystrica, Slovak Republic http://www.penzionmajak.sk/profil.php (3 km)
- ART Pension, OTajovského 1759/8, 974 09 Banská Bystrica, Slovak Republic <u>http://www.artpension.sk/</u> (2.7 km)



PRELIMINARY TIMETABLE

•	Thursday	- November	22 th ,	2012	(8.00 - 19.00))
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Judges Draw and Meeting

PRE-JUVENILE Girls -	Free Skating
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- **PRE-JUVENILE Boys** Free Skating
- JUVENILE Girls Free Skating
- JUVENILE Boys Free Skating
- NOVICE Boys Short Program
- NOVICE Girls Short Program
- **NOVICE ICE DANCE** Pattern Dance
- Friday November 23th, 2012 (8.00 19.00)
- NOVICE Boys Free Skating
- NOVICE Girls Free Skating
- NOVICE ICE DANCE Free Dance
- JUNIOR Pairs Short Program
- JUNIOR ICE DANCE Short Dance
- JUNIOR Men Short Program
- JUNIOR Ladies Short Program

• Saturday - November 24th, 2012 (8.00 – 19.00)

PRE-NOVICE Boys- Free SkatingPRE-NOVICE Girls- Free SkatingJUNIOR Pairs- Free SkatingJUNIOR ICE DANCE- Free DanceJUNIOR Ladies- Free ProgramJUNIOR Men- Free Program

The final program will be sent to all participant members as soon as the entries are completed.