FIGURE SKATING CLUB ISKRA BANSKÁ BYSTRICA



52_{nd} GRAND PRIX SNP

BANSKÁ BYSTRICA SLOVAKIA

21st-23rd NOVEMBER 2014



ANNOUNCEMENT

AN INTERNATIONAL

JUNIOR ADVANCED NOVICES Pre-NOVICES

COMPETITION MEN AND LADIES

AN INTERCLUB

JUVENILE PRE-JUVENILE

COMPETITION BOYS AND GIRLS

ORGANIZED BY THE



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UNDER THE AUTHORIZATION OF THE SLOVAK FIGURE SKATING ASSOCIATION



UNDER THE AUSPICES OF THE MAYOR OF BANSKÁ BYSTRICA

1. GENERAL REGULATIONS

The **52. GRAND PRIX SNP Banská Bystrica** will be conducted in accordance with the ISU Constitution and General Regulations 2014, the Special Regulations and Technical Rules Single 2014, and the relevant ISU Communications.

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

Participation in the **52.GRAND PRIX SNP Banská Bystrica** 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..

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. TECHNICAL DATA

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 2014 Rule 611.

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

Men Short Program:

- a) Double or triple Axel Paulsen
- b) Double or triple Lutz jump immediately preceded by connecting steps and/or by other comparable Free Skating movements
- c) Jump combination consisting of a double and a triple jump or two triple jumps
- d) Flying camel spin
- e) Sit spin with only one change of foot
- f) Spin combination with only one change of foot
- g) Step sequence fully utilizing the ice surface

FREE SKATING

In accordance with ISU Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating 2014, Rule 612 and the respective ISU Communication. Special attention should be paid to the "well balanced program" and the element value.

Duration: 4 min., +/- 10 sec.

A well balanced Free Skating program for **Men** must contain:

- a) maximum of 8 jump elements (one of which must be an Axel type jump)
- b) maximum of 3 spins, one of which must be a spin combination, one a flying spin or a spin with a flying entrance and one a spin with only one position
- c) maximum of 1 step sequence.

JUNIOR LADIES

SHORT PROGRAM

The required elements to be skated are those listed in ISU Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating 2014 Rule 611.

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

Ladies Short Program:

- a) Double Axel Paulsen
- b) Double or triple Lutz jump immediately preceded by connecting steps and/or by other comparable Free Skating movements
- c) Jump combination consisting of two double jumps or one double and one triple jump or two triple jumps
- d) Flying camel spin
- e) Layback or sideways leaning spin
- f) Spin combination with only one change of foot;
- g) Step sequence fully utilizing the ice surface

FREE SKATING

In accordance with ISU Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating 2014, Rule 612 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.

A well balanced Free Skating program for Ladies must contain:

- a) maximum of 7 jump elements (one of which must be an Axel type jump)
- b) maximum of 3 spins, one of which must be a spin combination, one a flying spin or a spin with a flying entrance and one a spin with only one position
- c) maximum of 1 step sequence

ADVANCED NOVICE BOYS

(born after 1st July 1999 - 30th June 2002)

SHORT PROGRAM

In accordance with ISU Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating 2014 and the ISU Communication 1760 Guidelines for International Novice Competitions.

Duration: 2 min., 30 sec. maximum, but may be less

The **Short Program** for Boys' Singles 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 the jump in a)
- c) One jump combination consisting of two double jumps or one double and one triple jump, both jumps may not repeat the jumps in a) or b)
- d) Camel or sit spin with one change of foot and no flying entrance (minimum of six (6) revolutions)
- e) Spin combination with only one change of foot (minimum of five (5) revolutions on each foot). Flying entry is allowed.
- f) One step sequences with full utilization of the ice surface.

ADVANCED NOVICE GIRLS

(born after 1st July 1999 – 30th June 2002)

SHORT PROGRAM

Short Program In accordance with ISU Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating 2014 and the ISU Communication 1886 Guidelines for International Novice Competitions.

Duration: 2 min., 30 sec. maximum, but may be less

The Short Program for Girls' Singles 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) Layback or sideways leaning spin (minimum of six (6) revolutions)
- e) Spin combination with only one change of foot (minimum of five (5) revolutions on each foot). Flying entry is allowed.
- f) One step sequence with full utilization of the ice surface.

ADVANCED NOVICE BOYS and GIRLS

FREE SKATING

In accordance with ISU Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating 2014 and the ISU Communication 1886 Guidelines for International Novice Competitions.

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

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

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. Only two (2) jumps with two and a half (2 1/2) revolutions or more can be repeated either in a jump combination or in a jump sequence. Any single and double jump (including Double Axel) cannot be executed more than twice in total.
- 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 Advanced Novice Singles, in all elements which are subject to Levels, only features up to <u>Level 3</u> will be counted. Any additional features will not count for Level requirements and will be ignored by the Technical Panel.

The Program Components are only judged in

- Skating Skills
- · Transitions
- · Performance/Execution
- · Interpretation

- for girls

The factors for the Program Components is

1.6

a)	Short Program - for boys	0.9
	- for girls	<u>0.8</u>
b)	Free Skating - for boys	<u>1.8</u>

PRE - NOVICE BOYS and GIRLS (born after 1st July 2002 – 30th June 2004)

FREE SKATING

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

Boys: 3 min., 30 sec., +/- 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. Only two (2) jumps from triple jumps can be repeated either in a jump combination or in a jump sequence. Any single and double jump (including Double Axel) cannot be executed more than twice in total.
- 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 with full utilization of the ice surface

The Program Components are only judged in

- · Skating Skills
- Transitions
- Performance/Execution
- Interpretation

The Factor of the Program Components is

- for boys 1.8
- for girls 1.6

Deduction for fall: -1.0

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 (but can increase the GOE from judges).

JUVENILE GIRLS A (10year - born after 1st July 2004 – 30th June 2005)

JUVENILE GIRLS B (9year - born after 1st July 2005 – 30th June 2006)

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

The required elements to be skated are according to Rules of Slovak Figure Skating Association 2014/15.

FREE SKATING

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

A well balanced Free Skating program for Juvenile must contain:

- 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 successfuly executed jump sequence. If both executions are as solo jumps, the second of this solo jumps will be marked with the sign "+REP" and will receive 70 % of its original Base Value. 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).
- 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. Choreo Sequence must fully utilize 2/3 of an ice surface. And must contain 1 spiral position with 3 sec. Long.

There might be any kind of movements like steps, turns, spirals, arabesques, spread eagles, Ina Bauers, hydroblading, transitional (unlisted) jumps, spinning movements etc. 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

Deduction for fall: -0.5

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 (but can increase the GEO from judges).

PRE-JUVENILE GIRLS A	(8year - born after 1st July 2006 – 30th June 2007)
PRE-JUVENILE GIRLS B	(7year - born after 1st July 2007 – 30th June 2008)
PRE-JUVENILE BOYS	(born after 1st July 2006 – 30th June 2008)

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 successfully executed jump sequence and counted as a jump sequence with only one jump executed. The second (repeated) solo jump will receive only 70 % of its original Base Value and will be marked as Jump + REP (repetition). 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) Choreographic Sequence** that will be counted with base value. A choreographic Sequence has to consist of min. one (1) spiral position with min. 3 sec. and there might be any kind of movements like steps, turns, spirals, arabesques, spread eagles, Ina Bauers, hydroblading, transitional (unlisted) jumps, spinning movements etc. The pattern is not restricted, but the Sequence must fully utilize min. the 2/3 of ice surface. If this requirement is not fulfilled, the Sequence will have no value. 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

Deduction for fall: -0.5

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 (but can increase the GOE from judges).

3. ENTRIES

Deadline for entries:

List of entries (competitors, judges, team leaders, coaches, other persons) must reach the organizer by **November 10th, 2014** at the following address:

KK Iskra Banská Bystrica

Organizing Committee 52nd. GRAND PRIX SNP

Mrs. Zuzana Babiakova-Paurová, Hronské predmestie 4, 974 01 Banská Bystrica, SLOVAKIA

e-mail: krasoiskrabb@gmail.com

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 10th, 2014 by e-mail krasoiskrabb@gmail.com

4. CHARGES

For categories: JUNIOR and ADVANCED NOVICES 45,00 €
For categories: Pre NOVICES, JUVENILE and PRE-JUVENILE 35,00 €

at the registration before the competition.

5. MEALS, LODGING AND TRAVEL EXPENSES

The Organizer will provide and cover the rooms and meals for Officials and Judges, beginning with dinner on november 20th until lunch on november 24th. Travel expenses will not be reimbursed. Travel expenses will be paid only to the Referees, the Technical Specialists, Technical Controllers and Data/Replay Operators based on economy airfare. All Competitors, Coaches and Team Leaders have to bear their own expenses

All participants, except referees and 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 will be offered on the web site http://www.krasoiskrabb.sk

6. RESPONSIBILITY

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

The Organizer assumes no responsibility for or liability with respect to bodily or personal injury or property damage incurred in connection incurred by Competitors and Officials.

7. PRACTICE

Official practice for competitors starts as follows:

November 21, 2014 Novice, Junior

November 22, 2014 Pre-Novice, Novice, Junior

8. 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.

9. CALCULATION OF RESULTS

The results will be calculated in accordance with ISU Special Regulations and Technical Rules 2014 Single - Rules 352 and 353 (ISU Judging System).

10.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.
- 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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11. ACCOMMODATION

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Námestie Slobody 2, 974 01 B. Bystrica, Slovak Republic (1.2 km)

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Reception desk (reservations)

+421 48 414 41 41-5 +421 48 437 03 14

e-mail: <u>lux@hotellux.sk</u>

URPIN CITY

Cikkerova 5, 974 01 Banská Bystrica, Slovak Republic (2.5 km)

http://www.urpincity.sk

Reception desk (reservations)

+421 48 472 3511

e-mail: info@urpincity.sk

Pension UHLISKO

Lesná 3, 974 01 B. Bystrica, Slovak Republic (400m)

http://www.pensionbb.sk

Reception desk (reservations)

+421 48 411 5505

+421 902 472 374

e-mail: pension@uhlisko.sk

Pension Majak

Okružná 15, 974 01 B. Bystrica, Slovak Republic (3 km)

http://www.penzionmajak.sk

Reception desk (reservations)

+421 48 423 14 56 +421 911 509 222

e-mail: penzionmajak.sk

Turisticka ubytovňa

Robotnícka 6, B. Bystrica, Slovak Republic (1.5 km)

http://www.turisticka-ubytovna.sk

Reception desk (reservations)

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+421 918 109 680

e-mail: stavoprojekt@internet.sk

PRELIMINARY TIMETABLE

Friday - November 21, 2014 (9.00 - 20.00)

Judges Draw and Meeting

PRE-JUVENILE Girls - Free Skating

PRE-JUVENILE Boys - Free Skating

Practice NOVICES

Practice JUNIORS

Saturday - November 22, 2014 (9.00 – 20.00)

JUVENILE Girls - Free Skating

JUVENILE Boys - Free Skating

ADVANCED NOVICE Boys - Short Program

ADVANCED NOVICE Girls - Short Program

JUNIOR Men - Short Program

JUNIOR Ladies - Short Program

Practice Pre-NOVICES

Practice NOVICES

Practice JUNIORS

Sunday - November 23, 2014 (9.00 – 18.00)

Pre-NOVICE Boys - Free Skating

Pre-NOVICE Girls - Free Skating

ADVANCED NOVICE Boys - Free Skating

ADVANCED NOVICE Girls - Free Skating

JUNIOR Ladies - Free Program

JUNIOR Men - Free Program

This Schedule is subject to change! After closing of Entries a detailed schedule will be published on the website site http://www.krasoiskrabb.sk, http://www.krasoiskrabb.sk)