



FIRST INFORMATION

59th GRAND PRIX of BRATISLAVA

**An International Competition for
Junior Men, Ladies, Ice Dance
Advanced novice Boys, Girls, Ice Dance, Pairs
Pre Novice Boys and Girls
Basic Novice Pairs**

**An Interclub Juvenile and Pre-Juvenile Competition
Boys, Girls, Adult, IK**

organized by the

Figure Skating Club Slovan Bratislava

**December 15 – 17, 2017
in Bratislava, Slovakia**

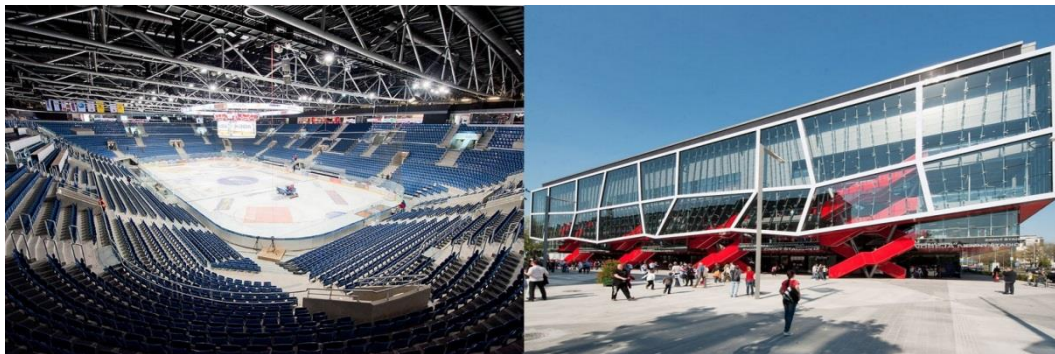


Region



Welcome to Bratislava a city with long history, but one of the youngest Europe's capital. As we hope you will see, it is big enough to have everything a visitor might want, but small enough to remain welcoming and unpretentious. Bratislava became a capital city when Slovakia became independent, in 1993. It has rapidly acquired the top-class hotels, restaurants and tourist facilities that reflect its status. But the town's history goes back centuries, to pre-Roman times. Successive waves of development as a major trading centre and for almost 300 years, as the coronation city for the kings and queens of Hungary have blessed us with a fascinating blend of architecture and public spaces. The intimate old town, overlooked by the castle, is criss-crossed with narrow, traffic-free lanes and studded with mediaeval churches, Baroque palaces, small shops and fine cafes, bars and restaurants. At its centre is the beautiful Old Town Square. Nearby, the unique New Bridge, built in the 1970s with its distinctive 'UFO' tower, spans the Danube River. On the right bank is central Europe's oldest public park, Sad Janka Krala, and next to it one of Bratislava's several modern shopping centres, Aupark. The city has a strong artistic tradition, with regular concert and opera performances at the Slovak National Theatre, and several outstanding galleries. Beyond the centre, Bratislava's superb position on the banks of the Danube and below the forested slopes of the Small Carpathian hills means a walk in the woods or a bicycle ride along the river are never more than a few minutes away. Only slightly further afield are the wine towns of the Small Carpathians. But any restaurant in the city will offer a range of local products, the fruit of our region's centuries-old winemaking tradition. Bratislava is a safe, reasonably-priced destination that more and more visitors are now discovering. We look forward to welcoming you too. Enjoy your stay!

Venue



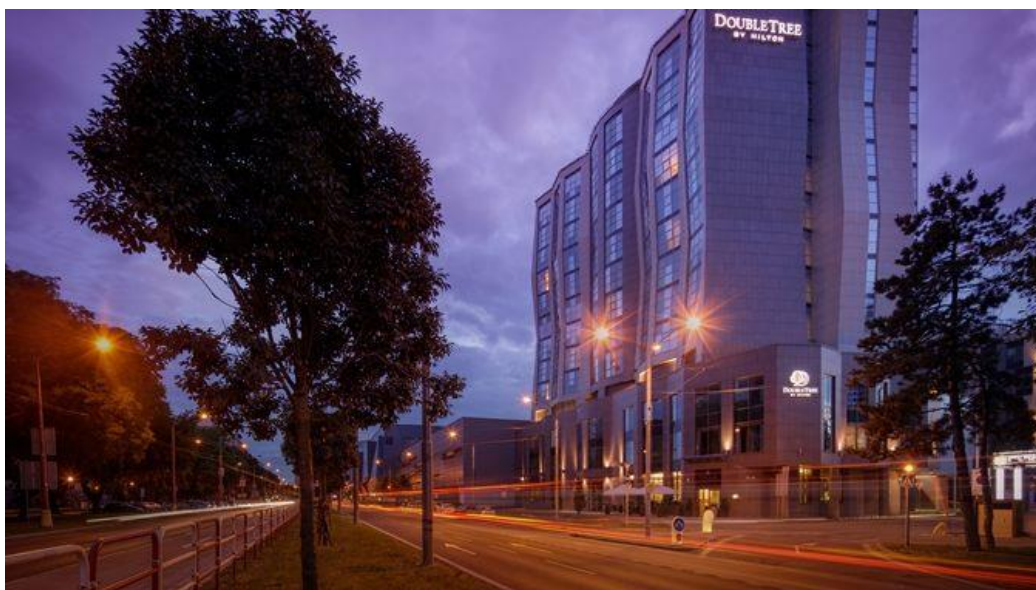
A fully air-conditioned and heated ice rink of the size of 60 m by 28m and with two practice ice rinks.

The new Ondrej Nepela Arena offers a comfortable auditorium with 10,000 seats and convenient social and sanitary facilities, including the equipment for the disabled who can easily enter the auditorium on wheel-chairs. Visitors can be served in 2 restaurant (WIFI) and 4 cafeterias. The temperature in the center of ice rink : air +15°C, ice –5°C.

Climate

The average outside temperature during the period concerned is 5° Celsius at day and -10° Celsius at night.

Accommodation



Hotel Double Tree by Hilton Bratislava ****

Trnavská cesta 27/A

SK-83104 Bratislava

Tel: +421 2 323 401 11

Prices per night:

Distance from the Ice rink – The hotel is in the same complex as the ice rink

Prices for accommodation (breakfast included)/per day

Singel room - business class 75 €

Double room - business class 95 €

Municipality taxes included in price of room

The Organizer can guarantee and provide you accommodation only after receiving 100% of total payment for accommodation (cancellation fee included) before 5th of December 2017 on the following bank account:

Bank: J&T Banka, Bratislava, Slovakia

IBAN: SK65 8320 0000 0012 0009 0818

SWIFT/BIC: JTBPSKBA

Account no. 1200090818

Bank code 8320

Other information

Meals

All accredited Team Members who will not receive meal-vouchers from the OC can purchase from the OC (either per meal or for a certain time period) meals for the following prices:

Lunch: 20 EUR Dinner: 20 EUR

Meals in form of buffet. Please book before 05.12.2017

Please note:

All the prices given include breakfast and local taxes. Competitors will be accommodated in twin-bed-rooms whenever possible. The hotel will not accept private booking orders. If a skater shares a room with a person from their team, the price is shared. If a Judge or any Official shares a room with an accompanying person, he/she is obliged to pay the difference between the Single and Double Room.

All the expenses for hotel, meals, fees, transport to and from Bratislava airport have to be paid in cash at the economic department of the organizing committee for the whole team or invoiced at corresponding association.

Responsible person : Mrs. Pavla MAUEROVA 00421 905 342 311

How to reach Bratislava

The capital of Slovakia is not difficult to reach. While making your travel arrangements you can find the following recommendations useful.

By plane To Bratislava of Milan Rastislav Štefánik International Airport (OSR)

The Airport is "Airport Bratislava" which is about 10 minutes far from official hote and Ice Rink.

By train The railway Station is "Bratislava Railway Station" or

By bus, Bratislava Bus Station – „Mlynske Nivy“

To Wien – Swechat Airport (and then by train)

Regular shuttle bus between Wien and Bratislava airport each hour.

Travel expenses will be paid **only** for the Referees, Technical Specialists and the Technical Controllers based on economy airfare. All extra expenses incurred by any Official will be the responsibility of the respective person and must be paid prior to the departure.

The organizing committee provides a shuttle bus upon arrival and departure for the teams at the airport. Transportation fee of **EUR 12,-** /one person/one way will be asked and should be paid at the registrations. Only in Bratislava airport, railway Station Bratislava and Bus Station Bratislava. From airport Swechat Wienn **25 EUR / person** by car of OC

Bratislava airport info information@airportbratislava.sk

+421 2 330 33 353

Bratislava train info

+421 2 202 97 538

Currency : EUR

Exchange rates: <https://www.nbs.sk/en/home>

Banks : Usually open from 09.00 to 17.00 (Monday – Friday)

Electricity: Electricity sockets are 220 V , AC 50 Hz, using three-pin plugs

Telephone / Fax / E-mail contacts

The Organizing Committee can be contacted in the ways presented below:

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Information: www.kskslovan.weebly.com, www.gpba.weebly.com

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Victory Ceremony	REMISOVA	Danka	
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Cube of arena	BALAJKA	Juraj	
Information ice rink	PILARCIKOVA	Katarina	
Catering	BESTANDIGOVÁ	Ol'ga	
	GALKOVA	Katarina	
Security	EAGLE security		

DRAW 08.12.2017 at 17,00 in IR O. Nepela

only competitors who have paid entry fee till 05.12.2017 - 12,00!

DRAW for category Advanced Novice G, B 14.12.2017

DRAW for category Junior L, M 15.12.2017

More information - Mrs. Mauerova 0905 342 311

Accreditation - from 14.12.2016 - 17:00

Financial Manager

- in OC office - Ice Rink

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Thursday 14/12/2017

Unofficial practices according offer from federation

19,00	Referee's and Technical Controller's Meeting	/Hotel Double Tree by Hilton /
19,30	Judges Meeting and Draw	/Hotel Double Tree by Hilton /

Friday 15/12/2017

Practices

hall A:

Advanced Novice Girls SP	06:30 – 07:00	Girls /AUS, CZE, GER/
/43/	07:00 – 07:30	Girls /HUN/
	07:30 – 08:00	GIRLS /ITA, ISL, NOR, POL, SWE/ /SVK – check-in in OC Office/
		ice resurfacing

Junior Ladies SP/FS	08:15 – 08:45	Girls /CZE,GBR, NED, ROM/
/31/	08:45 – 09:15	Girls /GER, HUN/
		ice resurfacing
	09:30 – 10:00	Girls /SVK – check-in in OC Office/

Advanced Novice Boys SP	10:00 – 10:30	/SVK, GER/
/8/		

Advanced Novice Pairs + Junior Men	10:30 – 11:00	
/1 + 2/		ice resurfacing

Advanced Novice Ice Dance	11:15 – 11:45	
/8/		

Junior Ice Dance	SD/FD	11:45 – 12:15
/3+4/		12:15 – 12:45

Competition MAIN ARENA:

07:00:00	07:50:00	9	IK younger Silver	Free Skating
07:50:00	08:15:00	5	IK older Silver	Free Skating
08:30:00	09:00:00	3	Adult Silver	Free Skating
09:00:00	09:45:00	8	Basic younger Silver	Free Skating
10:00:00	11:15:00	16	Basic older Silver	Free Skating
11:30:00	12:15:00	9	Pre – Juvenile girls 7	Free Skating
12:15:00	12:45:00	4	Pre – Juvenile boys	Free Skating
13:00:00	14:45:00	19	Juvenile Girls 9	Free Skating
15:00:00	17:30:00	28	Juvenile Girls 10	Free Skating
17:45:00	18:30:00	3	Pre – Novice Boys	Free Skating

18:30:00	19:15:00	8	Advanced Novice Boys	Short Program
19:30:00	23:00:00	43	Advanced Novice Girls	Short Program

Saturday 16/12/2017

Practices

Hall A:

Junior Ladies SP
/31/

06:30 – 07:00 Ladies / CZE, GER /
 07:00 – 07:30 Ladies / GBR, HUN, NED, ROM/
 07:30 – 08:00 Ladies /SVK/
 ice resurfacing

Advanced Novice Boys
+ Junior Men**/8+2/**

08:15 – 08:45 Free Skating ANB /1-6/
 08:45 – 09:15 Free Skating ANB /7-8/, Short Program J /1-2/
 Ice resurfacing

Advanced Novice Pairs + Basic Pairs
/1+2/

09:30 – 10:00 Short Program + Free Skating BP

Advanced Novice Ice Dance SD
/7/

10:00 – 10:30 ID /1 – 3/
 10:30 – 11:00 ID /4 – 7/
 ice resurfacing

Junior Ice Dance SD
/7/

11:15 – 11:45 /1-3/
 11:45 – 12:15 /4-7/

Advanced Novice Girls FS
/43/

12:15 – 12:45 / 1 – 6 /
 12:45 – 13:15 / 7 -12 /
 13:15 – 13:45 /13 -18/
 13:45 – 14:15 /19 – 24/
 ice resurfacing
 14:30 - 15:00 /25 – 30/
 15:00 – 15:30 /31 – 36/
 16:00 – 16:30 /37 – 43/

Competition MAIN ARENA:

07:00:00	07:45:00	10	Juvenile Boys	Free Skating
08:00:00	09:50:00	22	Pre – Juvenile Girls 8	Free Skating
10:00:00	13:45:00	31	Junior Ladies	Short Program
14:00:00	14:15:00	2	Junior Men	Short Program
14:15:00	14:30:00	1	Advanced Novice Pairs	Short Program
14:45:00	15:30:00	7	Advanced Novice Ice Dance	Pattern Dance (with Keypoints)
			1. Starlight Waltz 2. Rocker Foxtrot	
15:45:00	16:30:00	7	Junior Ice Dance	Short Dance

17:00:00	17:55:00	8	Advanced Novice Boys	Free Skating
18:15:00	22:30:00	43	Advanced Novice Girls	Free Skating

Victory Ceremony: Advanced Novice Girls and Boys (On the Ice)

(RT after Victory Ceremony at the Ice Rink)

Sunday 16/12/2017

Practices

Hall A:

Advanced Novice Ice Dance FD <i>/7/</i>	06:30 – 07:00 /1-3/
	07:00 – 07:30 /4-7/
Junior Ice Dance FD <i>/7/</i>	07:30 – 08:00 /1 – 3 /
	08:00 – 08:30 /4 – 7/
	ice resurfacing
Basic Novice Pairs Advanced Novice Pairs <i>/2+1/</i>	08:45 – 9:15 /2+1/
Junior Men FS <i>/2/</i>	09:15 – 09:45 /1 – 2/
	ice resurfacing
Junior Ladies FS <i>/31/</i>	10:00 – 10:30 /1- 5/
	10:30 – 11:00 /6 – 10/
	11:00 – 11:30 /11-15/
	Ice resurfacing
	11:45 – 12:15 /16 - 20/
	12:15 - 12:45 /21 - 25/
	12:45 – 13:15 /26 – 31/

Competition MAIN ARENA

08:00:00	11:00:00	27	Pre – Novice Girls	Free Skating
11:15:00	12:00:00	7	Advanced Novice Ice Dance	Free Dance
12:15:00	13:00:00	7	Junior Ice Dance	Free Dance
13:15:00	13:40:00	2+1	Basic Novice Pairs Advanced Novice Pairs	Free Skating
13:40:00	14:00:00	2	Junior Men	Free Skating
14:15:00	18:30:00	31	Junior Ladies	Free Skating

Victory Ceremony: Advanced Novice Ice Dance, Junior Ice Dance, Basic Novice Pairs, Advanced Novice Pairs, Junior Men, Junior Ladies – (on the Ice)

(RT after Victory Ceremony at the Ice Rink)

