

Announcement

Reykjavík International Games 2018

Interclub Competition

Chicks, Cubs, Basic Novice A, Basic Novice B

January 26 - 28, 2018 Reykjavík, Iceland

www.iceskate.is/rig/rig2018

Organized by The Icelandic Skating Association Reykjavik Figure Skating Club



The Icelandic Skating Association and the Reykjavik Figure Skating Club would like to invite you to participate in the Interclub Figure Skating Competition at the Reykjavik International Games 2018 (RIG). Reykjavík International Games is a multiathletic event which is hosted by Reykjavik city over a two-week period. Further information about the multisport events can be found at <u>http://www.rig.is</u>.

This will be the 10th year figure skating is part of the Reykjavík International Games, and the 4th year on the list of ISU competitions. It is with great pleasure we welcome figure skaters from figure skating clubs and ISU Member Federations to participate in this interclub figure skating competition for young and upcoming skaters. The competition will take place at the same time as our ISU competition for Senior, Junior and Advanced Novice.

1. GENERAL REGULATIONS

Reykjavík International Games 2018 will be conducted in accordance with the ISU Constitution and General Regulations 2016, the Special Regulations & Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating 2016, and the relevant ISU Communications.

Participation in the **Reykjavík International Games 2018** 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 3 b) and they meet the participation, citizenship and residency requirements in Rule 109, paragraphs 1 through 5 and ISU Communication 2030 or any update of this Communication.

In accordance with Rule 109 of the ISU General Regulations and ISU Communication 2030 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.**

Entries can be done by respective ISU Member Federations or by individual clubs.

2. TECHNICAL DATA

PLACE Main arena (MR): Laugardalur Ice Arena, Múlavegi 1, Reykjavík (an indoor ice-rink with the ice surface of 30 x 60 m, air-conditioned and heated)

2.1 COMPETING CATEGORIES

Competition rules for all categories will be according to the Icelandic Skating Association's National Competition Rules (see in Appendix).

Competition categories are the following:

Category	Age requirements	Program
Chicks	Not older than 8 on July 1, 2017	FS
Cubs	Not older than 10 on July 1, 2017	FS
Basic Novice A	Not younger than 10 or older than 13 on July 1, 2017	FS
Basic Novice B	Not younger than 13 or older than 17 on July 1, 2017	FS



3. ENTRIES

The Entry Forms are available on the competition's website **www.iceskate.is/rig/rig2018** Please e-mail Entry Forms to **events@iceskate.is**.

3.1 Entries of competitors

The entries by name should reach the organizer no later than **Friday**, **December 1**st, **2017**. The official entry form for the RIG Interclub competition must be used (**RIG06**).

Confirmation of the skaters accepted to the competition will be published on the website not later than **December 12th, 2017.**

3.2 Entry fee

The entry fee for Interclub competitors is 80 € per participant.

The entry fee must be paid by **Friday**, **December 1**st, **2017** to the following bank account – we kindly ask members to make **one payment transaction for all their skaters** and mark it with the text "RIG2018".

Account owner:

Skautasamband Íslands Landsbankinn hf. Austurstræti 11 SWIFT (BIC): NBIIISRE IBAN: IS92 0111 2612 2344 5606 9523 39

In case a skater has been entered in the competition, but cannot participate, she/he can be replaced by another skater in the same category by another skater from the same member until **January 19th, 2018**. Participating members are asked to immediately inform of any changes in their entries by email to **events@iceskate.is**.

Entry fees are not refunded in case of withdrawal after **December 1**st, **2017**. Entry fee will be refunded if the skater is not accepted (if there will be a limitation of the numbers of entries).

4. MEALS, LODGING and TRAVEL EXPENSES

The organizer will provide and cover the expenses for room and meals for accepted judges and invited Officials participating, beginning with dinner on **Thursday, January 25th, 2018** until lunch on **Sunday, January 28th, 2018**.

Should any official arrive at the hotel before or stay longer than the period described above, their room costs and expenses will be the responsibility of the individual and must be paid upon arrival. Travel expenses for drawn judges must be covered by the respective member.

All extra expenses incurred by any Official will be the responsibility of that person and must be paid prior to departure. The expenses for rooms and meals for Team Leaders, competitors and other team officials will not be covered by the organizer and are on the account of the team.

Meals

Teams can order lunch on Thursday, Friday, Saturday and Sunday. The price for each lunch is **15€** (1.900 ISK). Meal tickets will be distributed to the Team Leaders at the time of registration according to bookings. Lunch will be served at Café Easy, Engjavegur 6, which is in 5 minutes walking distance from the ice rink at the National Olympic and Spots Association of Iceland.



Closing Banquet

A closing banquet will be held on Sunday January 28th which all participants can attend. Further information about prices and time schedule can be found at <u>http://www.rig.is/index.php/rig-celebrations</u>.

5. MUSIC / PLANNED PROGRAM CONTENT

All Competitors shall provide competition music of excellent quality in digital audio file. Music files must be submitted on CD or any other transportable independent free accessible medium on site at the time of registration. The medium with the music files will be kept until the end of the competition.

The CDs equipped with the competitor's full name, members name, the exact running time of the music (not skating time), competing category (short and free program) must be submitted to the Organizer at the accreditation. All competitors must have an extra copy of their music available at the rink during their event.

The "Program Content Sheet" (RIG04) must be returned with the entry form by email to **events@iceskate.is** no later than **December 1st, 2017**. The Program Component Sheet must be filled in precisely by each skater in English using the Terminology for the elements listed in the respective ISU Communication.

6. ARRIVAL OF PARTICIPANTS / TEAMS

All Competitors, Team Leaders, Team Officials and Coaches taking part in the competition are requested to announce to the Organizing Committee as soon as possible but no later than **January 5th, 2017**, the name of the airlines, flight numbers, dates and times of arrival at Keflavík International Airport or any other information concerning transportation and arrivals. The travel form **RIG03** should be used. **All Officials will be picked up at Keflavík Airport**.

The only international airport in Iceland is Keflavík Airport (KEF) with a distance of 40 km from the capital which takes approx. 50 min from the airport to Reykjavík with Fly-bus. Buses are available from Keflavík airport and should stop at the official hotel. Further information about the bus service can be found at <u>http://www.kefairport.is/english/to-and-from-the-airport/buses/</u> and <u>https://www.re.is/flybus/</u>.

7. OFFICIAL HOTEL

The Organizer will make the room arrangements for invited officials only.

An Icelandic travel agency – Gaman Ferðir - has arranged a package for competitors and visitors traveling with them that includes flight, hotel and transport to and from the airport. Further information can be found at:

Flights from Europe: <u>http://gamantravel.is/tours/RIG-2018-Europe-10354.aspx</u> Flights from North America: <u>http://gamantravel.is/tours/RIG-2018-NorthAmerica-10540.aspx</u>

8. ACCREDITATION

The Accreditation is planned at the **ice rink** upon arrival **Thursday February 2nd from 18.00-**22:00 and on **Friday February 3rd at 08:00.**



9. PRESENTATION OF MEDALS

The three best placed Competitors in each event will be announced and honored. Gold, silver and bronze medals will be presented to the medalists.

10. PROTOCOL / LIST OF RESULTS

Protocol/ list of results in each category will be published on the competition's website: www.iceskate.is/rig/rig2018

11. INSURANCE / LIABILITY

In accordance with Rule 119, it is the sole obligation of each Member participating, to provide medical and accident insurance for their athletes, officials and all other members of the Member's team. Such insurance must assure full medical attendance and also the return of the ill or injured person to the home country by air transport or by other expeditions.

12. INFORMATION

For information, please contact the Organizing Committee:

RIG Organizing Committee

Icelandic Skating Association Engjavegi 6 104 Reykjavík Iceland Phone: +354 514 4074 Email: events@iceskate.is http://iceskate.is/rig2018

13. PRELIMINARY EVENT SCHEDULE

Thursday	All day	Arrival of teams
Friday January 26, 2018	12:00	Chicks
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	14:00	Basic Novice A
	16:00	Basic Novice B

Please note! This schedule is subject to changes and will be updated in accordance with the final number of entries.

We look forward to seeing you at Reykjavík International Games 2018!