Nordics Open @RIG 2023

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Invitation

February 1st - 5th 2023 Reykjavík, Iceland

International Figure Skating Competition Hosted by the Icelandic Skating Association

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1 Invitation

The Icelandic Skating Association would like to invite you to participate in the Nordics Open @RIG 2023.

Reykjavík International Games is a multisport event which is hosted by Reykjavik city over a two-week period. Further information about the multisport events can be found at <u>www.rig.is</u>

This will be the 16th year figure skating is part of the Reykjavík International Games, and the 9th year on the list of ISU Calendar of International competitions. With great pleasure we welcome figure skaters from ISU Member Federations to participate in this International figure skating competition.

2 General Regulations

The Nordics Open @RIG 2023 will be conducted in accordance with the ISU Constitution and General Regulations 2022, the ISU Special Regulations & Technical Rules for Figure Skating & Ice Dance 2022, as well as all updated ISU Communications.

Participation in **The Nordics Open** is open to all Competitors in Junior and Senior 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 a) 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.

Passports/EU ID cards of all Skaters, as well as the ISU Clearance Certificate, if applicable, must be presented at the accreditation of the event for verification.

Please note that The Nordics for Advanced Novice, which is only open to the Nordic Members, will take place at the same time. *Details are stated in a separate announcement*.

3 Reykjavík

Reykjavik is the capital and largest city of Iceland. It is located in southwestern Iceland and its latitude is 64°08' N, making it the world's northernmost capital of a sovereign state in the world.

With a population of around 131.000 it is the centre of Iceland's cultural, economic and governmental activity and is a popular tourist destination.

Reykjavík is filled with a variety of things and activities to do, and places to see and visit. So whatever you're feeling you can always find something that fists your moment.

For inspiration and information <u>visitreykjavik.is</u> <u>#visitreykjavik</u>



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4 Arrival

The international airport. Keflavik Airport (KEF), is located with a distance of 40 km from the capital. Travel from the airport to Reykjavík with Fly-bus takes approx. 50 min.

There will be no official transport to and from the airport.

Buses are available from Keflavik airport and stop at all main hotels. Further information about the bus service can be found at <u>www.re.is/tour/flybus/</u>.

5 Venue

Main arena

Egilshöll Ice Arena, Fossaleyni 1, Reykjavík An indoor ice-rink with the ice surface of 30 x 60 m, air-conditioned and heated

Practice arena

Laugardalur Ice Arena, Múlavegi 1, Reykjavík An indoor ice-rink with the ice surface of 30 x 60 m, air-conditioned and heated

6 Entries

All entries must be made by the ISU Member concerned.

All entries must be done through the **ISU Online Registration System (ORS)** by the deadlines indicated in the following announcement. Declarations need to be uploaded to the ORS as well.

Accreditation will be given to all Referees, Judges, Technical Panels, Competitors, Team Leaders, Coaches and Representatives from each Member Federation.

Entries of competitors

Each invited Member from the <u>Nordics countries</u> has the right to enter competitors as follows: Senior Men / 3 Junior Men Senior Women / 3 Junior Women

All other <u>ISU members</u> have the right to enter competitors as follows: 2 Senior Men / 2 Junior Men 2 Senior Women / 2 Junior Women

The host may allow extra entries if needed. The organizer has the right to limit the maximum number of entries to 24 in each category.

Entries of officials

The host Nordic country member is responsible for appointing Referees and Technical panels for all categories, following initial suggestions from the Nordic country members as well as for the appointment of the Judges panels.







Each Nordic country member is responsible for providing at least one (1) international or ISU level judge, and at least one (1) technical panel member, but maximum two (2) Technical Controllers or Specialists. A minimum total of 3 officials.

All other ISU members can enter judges.

The Host country completes the panels of Officials according to the ISU Rules and relevant Communications regarding world standing points and officials' activity.

7 Official Hotel

<u>Grand Hotel Reykjavik</u> is located within a walking distance to the practice arena.

Shuttle services will be made available between the official hotel, main arena and practice arena.

This stylish hotel features a complimentary fitness centre, spa, non-smoking rooms, free WiFi, lounges, bar and a restaurant. Guests can also enjoy free parking and free shuttle bus to Reykjavik city centre during the day.

Grand Hotel Reykjavík conforms to the Nordic Ecolabel criteria for hotels. This guarantees that the highest standards regarding environmental measures, health, functionality and quality requirements have been met. Nordic Swan Ecolabel is the official Nordic sustainability Ecolabel.

8 Meals

All the accredited Team Members can purchase meal tickets from the OC. Either per meal or for a certain time period.

9 Information

For further information, please contact the Organizing Committee

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Keep yourself up to date on: www.iceskate.is/nordics2023

We look forward to welcoming you in REYKJAVÍK ICELAND #RIG23 #RIGfigure #nordicsrig







10 Preliminary Event Schedule

Nordics and Nordics Open @RIG 2023

Wednesday, February 1st	Arrival of teams
	Unofficial Practice (Possibility to book ice)
	Technical Panel Meeting
	Draw Novice/Junior
Thursday, February 2nd	Official Practice Novice/Junior
	Judges Meeting and draw
	Competition: Advanced Novice Girls / Boys
	Opening on ice
	Competition: Junior Men / Women
Friday, February 3rd	Official Practice Novice/Junior
	Competition: Advanced Novice Girls / Boys
	Competition: Junior
	Official Dinner
Saturday, February 4th	Coaches Seminar – separate invitation
	Official Practice Junior / Senior
	Competition: Junior /Senior
Sunday, February 5th	Official Practice Senior
	Competition: Senior

Please note:

This Schedule is preliminary and is subject to change in accordance with the final number of entries

