



FIGURE SKATING CLUB DENKOVA-STAVISKI

and

BULGARIAN SKATING FEDERATION

Invites you to attend

the

# 9<sup>th</sup> Denkova–Staviski Cup

Sofia, Bulgaria

10-15 November 2020

INTERCLUB FIGURE SKATING COMPETITION

for Intermediate Novice, Basic Novice, Cups and Chicks

## **1. GENERAL INFORMATION:**

The ***Denkova–Staviski Cup 2020*** will be conducted in accordance with the ISU Constitution and General Regulations 2018, the Special Regulations & Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating and Ice Dance 2018, and the relevant ISU Communications.

Participation in the ***Denkova–Staviski Cup 2020*** 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.

## **2. TECHNICAL DATA:**

### **2.1 PLACE OF THE COMPETITION:**

***Winter Sports Palace*** – Studentski grad District, Academician Boris Stefanov Str., Sofia, Bulgaria (an indoor ice-rink with the ice surface of 60 x 30 m, air-conditioned and heated).

### **2.2 CATEGORIES:**

#### ***INTERMEDIATE NOVICE GIRLS & BOYS***

Age and technical requirements are according to the ISU Technical Rules Single and Pair Skating 2018, ISU Communication 2328 and all respective ISU Communications.

Free Skating: 3 min, +/- 10 sec

#### ***BASIC NOVICE GIRLS & BOYS***

Age and technical requirements are according to the ISU Technical Rules Single and Pair Skating 2018, ISU Communication 2328 and all respective ISU Communications.

Free Skating: 2 min 30 sec, +/- 10 sec

#### ***CUBS GIRLS & BOYS***

Age requirements – Cubs is a skater who was born: 1.7.2010 – 30.6.2012

Free Skating: 2 min, +/- 10 sec

#### **A well-balanced CUBS Free Skating Program must contain:**

a) Maximum of 4 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 consists of 2 (two) jumps of any number of revolutions, beginning with any jump, immediately followed by an Axel type jump with a direct step from the landing curve of the first jump to the take-off curve of the Axel jump. Triple jumps are not permitted. Any single or 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 (abbreviation), one of which must be a spin combination with or without change of foot (minimum of six (6) revolutions in total) and one spin with no change of position and with or without change of foot (minimum of six (6) revolutions in total). Flying entry is allowed.

c) There must be a maximum:

– for Girls one (1) Choreographic sequence which includes at least one 3 seconds long spiral position (inside or outside edge). The sequence will have a fixed Base value and evaluated in GOE only.

– for Boys maximum of one (1) step sequence with a fixed Base value and evaluated in GOE only.

**Level explanation:** For CUBS, in all elements which are subject to levels, only features up to Level 2 will be counted. Any additional features will not be counted for Level Requirements and

will be ignored by the Technical Panel.

The program components are judged according to the following criteria only:

- Skating Skills
- Performance

The factors for the program components are 2.5.

### **CHICKS GIRLS & BOYS**

Age requirements - Chicks Skater is a skater who was born: 1.7.2012 and younger

Free Skating: 2 min, +/- 10 sec

#### **A well-balanced CHICKS Free Skating Program must contain:**

a) Maximum of 4 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 consists of 2 (two) jumps of any number of revolutions, beginning with any jump, immediately followed by an Axel type jump with a direct step from the landing curve of the first jump to the take-off curve of the Axel jump. Triple jumps are not permitted. Any single or 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 (abbreviation), one of which must be a spin combination with or without change of foot (minimum of six (6) revolutions in total) and one spin with no change of position and with or without change of foot (minimum of six (6) revolutions in total). Flying entry is allowed.

c) There must be a maximum:

– for Girls one (1) Choreographic sequence which includes at least one 3 seconds long spiral position (inside or outside edge). The sequence will have a fixed Base value and evaluated in GOE only.

– for Boys maximum of one (1) step sequence with a fixed Base value and evaluated in GOE only.

**Level explanation:** For CHICKS, in all elements which are subject to levels, only features up to Level 2 will be counted. Any additional features will not be counted for Level Requirements and will be ignored by the Technical Panel.

The program components are judged according to the following criteria only:

- Skating Skills
- Performance

The factors for the program components are 2.5.

The same ISU rules on Judging, refereeing and work of the Technical Panel will be applied as it is in junior and senior international competitions.

### **3. ENTRIES:**

All ISU members and clubs, which are members of National Figure Skating Federations associated with ISU, are invited to take part at the competition.

Entries will be accepted from Member Federations or clubs, which are members of National Figure Skating Federations, associated with the ISU.

In case of too many entries, the organizer reserves the right to limit the number of participants.

Entry forms and Program Content Sheets must be sent to the following address:

**Sports Club Denkova-Staviski / Bulgarian Skating Federation**

**31b Bratia Bukston Blvd, Sofia, Bulgaria**

**E-mail: [denkova-staviski@bsf.bg](mailto:denkova-staviski@bsf.bg)**

## **Entry forms must reach the Event Organizer not later than October 20, 2020.**

Entry forms can be downloaded from ISU website or from the official website of the competition – <http://cup.clubdenkovastaviski.com>.

The organizer will not cover any expenses for competitors, team leaders, coaches or chaperons.

### **4. CANCELLATION:**

Cancellation of the competitor entry must be done till **November 6, 2020**. For any latter cancellation the team leader of respective Federation or Club will be asked to pay the entry fee.

### **5. JUDGES:**

Each participating ISU member may nominate one (1) International or ISU Judge. Nomination for Judge and substitute Judge must be sent along with the entry forms for competitors. The official entry form for Judges must reach the Organizing Committee, not later than **October 20, 2020**.

The Panels will be drawn immediately after the closing of entries. The members concerned will be notified of the result of the draw.

Each panel of Judges will consist of minimum 3 Judges.

The organizer will provide and cover the expenses for rooms and meals for all Referees, Technical Controllers, Technical Specialist, Data and Replay Operators and confirmed Judges at **VITOSHA PARK Hotel\*\*\*\***, beginning with dinner on Tuesday, November 10, 2020 until lunch on Sunday, November 15, 2020.

Travel expenses will be covered only for Referees, Technical Controllers, Technical Specialist, Data and Replay Operators.

### **6. ENTRY FEE:**

For Intermediate Novice, Basic Novice, Cups and Chicks – €55 per skater.

Payment shall be made by bank transfer or on the spot in the office of the Organizing Committee in the Winter Sports Palace during the accreditation.

Bank account:

**INVESTBANK BULGARIA**

**IBAN: BG82IORT73711400332500**

**BIC: IORTBGSF**

**Bank holder: Club "Denkova-Staviski"**

**Please fill in the name and discipline of the skater and Club or Federation in the transfer details!**

The entry fee will not be refunded in case of withdrawals for any reason.

### **7. MUSIC:**

In accordance with Rule 343, paragraph 2, all Competitors shall furnish competition music of excellent quality on CD in any other approved format. All discs must show the Competition event, Competitor's name, the Nation and the exact running time of the music (not skating time) including any starting signal and must be submitted at the time of registration. Each program (short program, free skating) must be recorded on a separate disc. In addition, competitors/couples must provide a back-up drive for each program.

### **8. CALCULATION OF THE RESULTS:**

Results for all categories will be calculated using the new ISU Judging System. The results and any additional information for the event you can find on <http://cup.clubdenkovastaviski.com>.

#### **9. PRESENTATION OF MEDALS AND PRIZES:**

The three best placed Skaters in each event will be announced and honoured. Gold, silver and bronze medals will be presented to the medallists. All skaters will receive a diploma.

#### **10.LIABILITY:**

According to ISU regulations, the Event Organizer accepts no liability for bodily harm, personal injury and loss of property or damages incurred by any competitor(s) or official(s).

#### **11.ACCREDITATION:**

The accreditation will start on Tuesday, November 10, 2020 at 15:00h. in the office of the Organizing Committee at the Winter Sports Palace.

#### **12.DRAW:**

The opening draw for the order of skating will be held electronically on Friday, November 6, 2020 and will be available on the competition website.

#### **13.ADDITIONAL PRACTICE:**

Rates for additional practice hours are as follow:

1-hour private practice – € 100.

1-hour open practice together with another teams – € 12 per skater.

#### **14.INFORMATION:**

For additional information, please contact the Organizing Committee:

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fax: +359 2 987 77 71

e-mail: [denkova-staviski@bsf.bg](mailto:denkova-staviski@bsf.bg)

## **15.ACCOMMODATION:**

### **Official hotels of the event:**

**STUDIOS for rent**, next to the Winter Sports Palace – Academician Boris Stefanov Str., Sofia

**Special Event prices:** Bed in double room – €20, Bed in triple room – €16.

The rates are per night.

**VITOSHA Park Hotel\*\*\*\***, 1 Rosario Street, Sofia

**Special Event prices:** Single room – €65, Double room – €75.

The rates are per night including breakfast, internet, swimming pool and fitness.



Point A - **VITOSHA Park Hotel**

Point B - **Winter Sports Palace**

Distance time by bus – around 10 minutes, Bus line No 94, 5<sup>th</sup> bus stop from the hotel.

Distance time by walk – around 20 minutes.

**The room reservations for all team members must be done through the Organizing Committee in order to be provided the special room rates**

## **16.TRANSPORTATION:**

Organizing Committee will provide transportation from/to Sofia Airport and Sofia Central Railway station to/from official hotel.

The transportation fee is €12 per person/one way.

## **Provisional Schedule**

### **Thursday – 12.11.2020**

Opening draw

### **Friday – 13.11.2020**

Official practices

#### **Competitions:**

Chicks – Free Skating

Cubs – Free Skating

Prize giving ceremony – Chicks, Cubs

### **Saturday – 14.11.2020**

Official practices

#### **Competitions:**

Basic Novice – Free Skating

Intermediate Novice – Free Skating

Prize giving ceremony – Basic Novice, Intermediate Novice

**THE OFFICIAL DETAILED AND FINAL SCHEDULE OF THE EVENT WILL BE PUBLISHED AFTER THE  
REGISTRATION OF ALL ENTRIES**

*Respectfully Yours and Best Skating Regards,  
Organizing Committee  
Sofia, Bulgaria*