2017

BAVARIAN OPEN 2017
Single & Pair Skating and Ice Dance

International Competition for
Seniors
Juniors
Advanced Novices

Oberstdorf
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Oberstdorf, Germany
14–19 February 2017

organized by
BAYERISCHER EISSPORT-VERBAND e.V.

and

Eissport-Club Oberstdorf e.V.

sanctioned by
Deutsche Eislauf-Union e.V.
Announcement / Invitation

1. General

The Bavarian Open Competition is conducted in accordance with the ISU Constitution and General Regulations 2016, the Special Regulations & Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating and Ice Dance 2016, and the relevant ISU Communications.

The Bavarian Open Competition 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 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, as well as this Announcement.

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 be presented at the accreditation of the event for verification.

Organizer: Bayerischer Eissport-Verband e.V.

Place: Bundesleistungszentrum Oberstdorf
Roßbichlstraße 2 - 6
D- 87561 Oberstdorf

The main arena and the practice rink are side by side, same building with the ice surface of 60m x 30m, heated, air-conditioned and closed.
Phone: +49 8322 700 517
Fax: +49 8322 700 511
Mail to: Thomas-speiser@oberstdorf-sport.de

Date: February 14 – 19, 2017

Entries: All Members of the International Skating Union and their respective Member Clubs are invited to take part in the competition.

Competitors have to be entered by their respective Member Federation. The OC will only accept entries from Clubs when they are stamped by the respective Member Federation.

Entries into Pair Categories are not limited.
Single and Ice Dance Categories:

Members may enter into each category up to three individual Skaters/Ice Dance couples. The entry of the host member is not limited. Substitutes are to be added. Due to the number of entries in each category the OC will decide, how many substitute Skaters/ Couples can be entered. Please note that the organizer may divide categories with too many entries into subgroups. Attached entry forms (Appendix A) have to be filled precisely and have to be sent to the Organizer:

Bayerischer Eissport-Verband e.V.
Georg-Brauchle-Ring 93
80992 München
Fax: +49 89 15799220
Mail to Ms. Barbara Glatz: b.glatz@bev-eissport.de

**Entry Deadline is January 17, 2017**

**Entry Fee:**
- Singles Skater: € 60 per person
- Pairs / Ice Dance couples € 80 per pair/couple

With the Entry deadline the Entry Fees must have been transferred to the following bank account:

Bayerischer Eissport-Verband e.V.
HypoVereinsbank/UniCredit Bank AG
Konto 1640035028  BLZ 700 202 70
IBAN DE80 7002 0270 1640 0350 28
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**Please Note:** Entries will be accepted when the Entry Fee has arrived at the Organizers account. A confirmation will be sent to the Members/Clubs concerned.

**Expenses:**
- Competitors: The organizer will not cover any expenses of competitors.

**Officials:**
Members are kindly requested to nominate one International/ISU Judge for Figure Skating and/or Ice Dance. Judges qualified for both disciplines are very welcome. The nomination of one substitute judge is appreciated. The Organizer reserves the right to reduce the number of judges in case of too many nominations. The final composition of the panels will be done after the Entry deadline and will be published to the participating Member in time. The organizer will cover accommodation for accepted Judges and invited Officials. Meals for accepted Judges and invited Officials are provided at the ice-rink during the days of competition.
**Time-Schedule:** The competition starts on February 14, 2017 in the evening or on February 15, 2017 in the morning, due to the number of entries of Advanced Novices and will be finished on Sunday, February 19, 2016. A detailed Time-Schedule will be sent to all participating Members soon after the Entry deadline.

**Accommodation:** The organizer will care about the hotel arrangements for accepted Judges and invited Officials only.

Skaters, coaches and other team members may book accommodation individually through:

**Oberstdorf Tourismus GmbH**
Reservierungsservice
Prinzregenten-Platz 1
87561 Oberstdorf
Phone: +49 8322 / 700 – 120
Fax: +49 8322 / 700 – 236
Email: booking@oberstdorf.de

Password: “Bavarian Open Figure Skating 2017”

**Accreditation:** The official accreditation is at the main entrance of the Ice Rink. Accreditation will be given to Competitors, Judges and Coaches, as well as to Team Officials, as long as they are officially entered with the respective entry form.

**Draws:** The Draws will be held prior to the respective competition. A special Draw Schedule will be published together with the Official Time Schedule.

**Results:** The determination and publication of the results will be done according to ISU Technical Rules for Single & Pair Skating and Ice Dance 2016, Rule 352 and 353.

**Awards:** The first three best placed Skaters/Couples in each discipline will be awarded with Trophies. Diplomas and small memory gifts will be provided for all participants. The Award Ceremonies will be published with the Official Time-Schedule.

**Liability:** In accordance with Rule 119, it is the sole responsibility of each Member participating in the Bavarian Open Figure Skating and Ice Dance 2017, 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 to the home country by air transport or by other expeditious means of the ill or injured person. 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.
Technical Data Single & Pair Skating

**Seniors**

**Age Requirements:** In accordance to ISU Constitution and General Regulations 2016, Rule 108, paragraph 3.

**Senior Men**

**Short Program:** Duration: 2.40 min +/- 10 sec
- Required elements according to ISU Special Regulations & Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating 2016 Rule 611.2

**Free Skating:**
- Duration: 4 ½ min +/- 10 sec
- **Well balanced Program**
- In accordance to ISU Special Regulations & Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating 2016 Rule 612.1

**Senior Ladies**

**Short Program:** Duration: 2.40 min +/- 10 sec
- Required elements according to ISU Special Regulations & Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating 2016 Rule 611.2

**Free Skating:**
- Duration: 4 min +/- 10 sec
- **Well balanced Program**
- In accordance to ISU Special Regulations & Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating 2016 Rule 612.1

**Senior Pairs**

**Short Program:** Duration: 2.40 min +/- 10 sec
- Required elements according to ISU Special Regulations & Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating 2016 Rule 620.2

**Free Skating:**
- Duration: 4 ½ min +/- 10 sec
- **Well balanced Program**
- In accordance to ISU Special Regulations & Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating 2014 Rule 621.2

**Juniors**

**Age Requirements:** In accordance to ISU Constitution and General Regulations 2016, Rule 108, paragraph 3.

**Junior Men**

**Short Program:** Duration: 2.40 min +/- 10 sec
- Required elements in accordance to ISU Special Regulations & Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating 2016 Rule 611.3

**Free Skating:**
- Duration: 4 min +/- 10 sec
- **Well balanced Program**
- In accordance to ISU Special Regulations & Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating 2016 Rule 612.1
**Junior Ladies**

**Short Program:** Duration: 2.40 min +/- 10 sec
Required elements in accordance to ISU Special Regulations & Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating 2016 Rule 611.3

**Free Skating:** Duration: 3 ½ min +/- 10 sec
*Well balanced Program*
In accordance to ISU Special Regulations & Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating 2016 Rule 612.1

**Junior Pairs**

**Short Program:** Duration: 2.40 min +/- 10 sec
Required elements according to ISU Special Regulations & Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating 2016 Rule 620.3

**Free Skating:** Duration: 4 min +/- 10 sec
*Well balanced Program*
In accordance to ISU Special Regulations & Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating 2016 Rule 621.3

**Novices**

**Age requirements:** In accordance to ISU Constitution and General Regulations 2016, Rule 108. Paragraph 3.c)

**Advanced Novice Girls and Boys**

**Short Program:** Duration: 2.20 min +/- 10 sec
Required elements in accordance to ISU Communication No. 2024 Guidelines for International Novice Competitions Single Skating Advanced Novice Girls and Boys B 2.3

**Free Skating:** Duration: Girls: 3 min +/- 10 sec
Boys: 3 ½ min +/- 10 sec
*Well balanced program*
In accordance to ISU Communication No. 2024
**Guidelines for International Novice Competitions**
Single Skating Girls and Boys B 2.3

**Advanced Novice Pairs**

**Short Program:** Duration: 2.20 min +/- 10 sec
Required elements in accordance to ISU Communication No. 2024 Guidelines for International Novice Competitions Pair Skating Advanced Novice B 3.2

**Free Skating:** Duration: 3 ½ min +/- 10 sec
*Well balanced program*
In accordance to ISU Communication No. 2024
**Guidelines for International Novice Competitions**
Pair Skating Advanced Novice B 3.2
Technical Data Ice Dance

Seniors

Age Requirements: In accordance with ISU Constitution and General Regulations 2016, Rule 108, paragraph 3.a)

Short Dance: In accordance with ISU Technical Rules Ice Dance 2016, Rule 709. Rhythms, required elements and guidelines are those listed in ISU Communication 1998, 2003 and subsequent updates. Duration: 2 min 50 sec +/- 10 sec

Free Dance: In accordance with ISU Technical Rules Ice Dance 2016, Rule 710. The required elements to be skated are those listed in ISU Communication 1998, 2003 and subsequent updates. Duration: 4 min. +/- 10 sec.

Juniors

Age Requirements: In accordance to ISU Constitution and General Regulations 2016, Rule 108, paragraph 3.b).

Short Dance: In accordance with ISU Technical Rules Ice Dance 2016, Rule 709 and all pertinent ISU Communications. Rhythms, required elements and guidelines are those listed in ISU Communications 1998, 2003 and subsequent updates. Duration: 2 min 50 sec +/- 10 sec

Free Dance: In accordance with ISU Technical Rules Ice Dance 2016, Rule 710. The required elements to be skated are those listed in ISU Communications 1998, 2003 and subsequent updates. Duration: 3 ½ min +/- 10 sec
**Advanced Novices**

**Age Requirements:** In accordance with ISU Constitution and General Regulations 2016, Rule 108, paragraph 3.c)

**Pattern Dance:** In accordance with ISU Constitution and General Regulations, Rule 711, paragraph 1, and the ISU Communication No. 2024 and subsequent updates. **2 Pattern Dances** are to be skated.

Group 3:
- #12 Kilian
- #23 Blues

The Key Points are listed in the respective ISU Communication 2003. Couples **shall** provide their own music for the following Pattern Dance: Kilian

**Free Dance:** In accordance with ISU Technical Rules Ice Dance 2016, Rule 710, and ISU Communication No. 2024 and subsequent updates.

Duration: 3 min +/- 10 sec

**Levels explanations:** for Advanced Novice Free Dance only features up to Level 3 will be counted. Any additional features will be ignored by the Technical Panel.

**Music**

All Competitors shall furnish competition music of excellent quality on CD or MP3 format. In accordance with Rule 343 all units must show the Competition event, the Competitors name, the Members name and the exact running time of the Music (not skating time) including any starting signal, and must be submitted at the time of registration.

**Planned Program Sheet**

Attached “Planned Program Sheets” (Appendix B) have to be filled in precisely and must return together with the entry forms (Appendix A) to the Organizing Committee in time.

**BAYERISCHER EISSPORT-VERBAND e.V.**

Sissy Krick  
*Chair Figure Skating*

Judith Verständig  
*Chair Ice Dance*
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Preliminary Time Schedule (Unofficial)

Tuesday 14, 2017 in the evening
Due to the number of entries we will possibly start with Advanced Novices

Wednesday 15, 2017
SP Advanced Novice Girls
SP Advanced Novice Boys
SP Junior Ladies

Thursday 16, 2017
FS Advanced Novice Boys
SP Advanced Novice Pairs
FS Advanced Novice Girls
FS Junior Ladies

Friday 17, 2017
PD Advanced Novice Dance
FS Advanced Novice Pairs
SP Junior Men
SP Senior Ladies
SP Junior and Senior Pairs
SP Senior Men

Saturday 18, 2016
FD Advanced Novice Dance
FS Junior Men
FS Senior Ladies
SD Junior and Senior Dance

Sunday, 19, 2017
FD Junior and Senior Dance
FS Senior Men
FS Junior and Senior Pairs

Subject to change
Appendix A: Entry Form

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Oberstdorf, Germany
February 14 – 19, 2017

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Judge

Qualification
ISU
International

ISU Member/Club:

Adress:

Phone: Fax:

Email:

Signature

Kindly send this form to:
Bayerischer Eissport-Verband e.V.
Fax: +49 89 15 799 220
Email: b.glatz@bev-eissport.de

Entry Deadline: January 17, 2017
Appendix B: Planned Program Sheet

For dance couples it is sufficient if one partner fills in the following form:

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* Time during the program

ISU Member Federation: 

Date, Signature: 

Kindly send this form to: Bayerischer Eissport-Verband e.V. 
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Email: b.glatz@bev-eissport.de

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