

# FRIENDSHIP TOURNAMENT HOPE CUP 2014 FOR B-CLASS

## FIGURE SKATING COMPETITION FOR SINGLE SKATERS

### Technical data

#### B class:

PRE-CHICKS B Girls and Boys (born 2007 and younger)

Free program: 2:00 min  $\pm$  10 sec

1. Maximum four (4) jump elements

- maximum one (1) jump combination or jump sequence

- jump combination may not consist of three (3) jumps

2. At least one (1) and maximum two (2) spins of different nature, each of them must be minimum of three (3) revolutions

3. Step sequence (straight line, circular or serpentine).

1A and double (2) jumps are not allowed

## CUBS B Girls and Boys (born 2003/2004)

Free program: 2:30 min  $\pm$  10 sec

1. Maximum four (4) jump elements

- at least one (1) and maximum two (2) jump combinations or jump sequences

- only one (1) jump combination may consist of three (3) jumps

2. Maximum two (2) spins of different nature, each of them must be minimum of three (3) revolutions

3. Step sequence

**Axel Paulsen and one (1) double jump are permitted no more than two (2) times.**

## SPRINGS B Girls and Boys (born 2001/2002)

Free program: 2:30 min  $\pm$  10 sec

1. Maximum five (5) jump elements,

- one of which must be Axel type jump

- maximum two (2) jump combinations or jump sequences

- only one (1) jump combination may consist of three (3) jumps.

2. Three (3) spins of different nature minimum of three (3) revolutions.

3. Step sequence

**Maximum 2 (two) different double jumps are allowed and they may be repeated two (2) times.**

## NB! Additional information

1. In all categories listed above (Pre-Chicks, Cubs B, Springs B) the following three (3) components are judged in the second mark:
  - skating skills
  - transitions
  - performance, program composition, music interpretation

The factor for the Program Components is

- for boys 2.0
- for girls 1.7

2. The level of spins and step sequences cannot be higher than 2. Any additional features will not count for Level requirements and will be ignored by the Technical Panel.
3. Evaluation is in accordance with ISU Comm. 1724 and additions related to this document.
4. Any jump with the same name may be repeated only twice including Axel type jumps.
5. Jump sequence may consist of any number of jumps, but only two (2) most difficult jumps will be counted.
6. Time violation - 0.5 point deduction for every 5 seconds in excess
7. Falls - 0.5 point deduction for every fall.
8. In the categories Pre-Chicks, Cubs B and Springs B there will NOT be a higher coefficient for jumps on the second half of the program.

## NOVICE B Girls and Boys

### Age requirements:

- has reached at least the age of ten (10) before July 1st preceding the event
- has not reached the age of fifteen (15) before July 1st preceding the event

Free program only: 3:00 min  $\pm$  10 sec

1. Maximum five (5) jump elements for girls and six (6) jump elements for boys

- at least one (1) Axel type jump
- maximum two (2) jump combinations or jump sequences
- a jump combinations may consist of only two (2) jumps
- a jump sequence may consist of any number of jumps, but only two (2) most difficult jumps will be counted
- any jump with the same name cannot be included more than two (2) times in total.

2. Three (3) spins of different nature

- one (1) spin combination (minimum of ten (10) revolutions)
- one flying spin min. of five (5) revolutions
- one spin is optional with min. of five (5) revolutions

3. for Girls one (1) step sequence or one (1) spiral sequence consisting of max. two (2) spiral positions. The sequence (step or spiral) 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.

## 2A and Triple jumps are not allowed

In this category the following three (3) components are judged in the second mark:

- skating skills
- interpretation
- performance/execution

The level of spins and step sequences cannot be higher than 2. Any additional features will not count for Level requirements and will be ignored by the Technical Panel.

The factor for the Program Components is

- for boys 2.0
- for girls 1.7

## JUNIOR B Girls and Boys (age same as Junior A)

Free program only: 3:00 min  $\pm$  10 sec

1. Maximum five (5) jump elements

- at least one (1) Axel-type element
- maximum two (2) jump combinations or jump sequences. One jump combination may consist of three jumps, the other of two jumps.

2. Three (3) spins of different nature

- one must be a spin combination with minimum of ten (10) revolutions
- one must be a flying spin with minimum of six (6) revolutions
- one spin is optional with minimum of six (6) revolutions

### 3. One Step sequence

The Program Components are judged in

- Skating skills
- Transition
- Performance/execution
- Music interpretation

The Factor of the Program Components is

- for boys 2.0
- for girls 1.7

The level of spins and step sequences cannot be higher than 3. Any additional features will not count for Level requirements and will be ignored by the Technical Panel.

### SENIOR B Girls and Boys (age same as Senior A)

Free program only: max 3:40 min

#### 1. Maximum seven (7) jump elements

- at least one (1) Axel-type element
- maximum three (3) jump combinations or jump sequences. One jump combination may consist of three jumps, the other of two jumps.

#### 2. Three (3) spins of different nature

- one must be a spin combination with minimum of ten (10) revolutions
- one must be a flying spin with minimum of six (6) revolutions

- one spin is optional with minimum of six (6) revolutions

### 3. One Step sequence

The Program Components are judged in

- Skating skills
- Transition
- Performance/execution
- Music interpretation

The Factor of the Program Components is

- for boys 2.0
- for girls 1.7

The level of spins and step sequences cannot be higher than 3. Any additional features will not count for Level requirements and will be ignored by the Technical Panel.

### **NB! Additional information concerning Novice B, Junior B and Senior B categories**

1. Any jump with the same name may be repeated only twice including Axel type jumps.
2. Jump sequence may consist of any number of jumps, but only two (2) most difficult jumps will be counted.
3. Falls – 1.0 point deduction for every fall.
4. In the categories Novice B, Junior B and Senior B there will NOT be a higher coefficient for jumps on the second half of the program.

## **Beginners**

### Pre-Young Girls and Boys (born 2003 and younger)

Free program 2:00 min  $\pm$  10 sec

1. Maximum five (5) jump elements

- at least two (2) of them are solo jumps

- at least one (1) and no more than three (3) are jump combinations or sequences

- jump combinations may consist of three (3) jumps

2. At least one (1) but not more than two (2) spins min. three (3) revolutions.

3. Step sequence (2/3 cover of the ice), (straight line, circular or serpentine).

**Axel and double jumps are not allowed!**

Any jump with the same name may be repeated only twice.

### Pre-Young Girls and Boys (born 2001/2002)

Free program 2:00 min  $\pm$  10 sec

1. Maximum five (5) jump elements

- at least two (2) of them are solo jumps

- at least one (1) and no more than three (3) are jump combinations or sequences

- jump combinations may consist of three (3) jumps



2. At least one (1) but not more than two (2) spins min. three (3) revolutions.
3. Step sequence (2/3 cover of the ice), (straight line, circular or serpentine).  
**Axel and double jumps are not allowed!**

Any jump with the same name may be repeated only twice.

### Young Girls and Boys (born 1998-2000)

Free program 2:30 min  $\pm$  10 sec

1. Maximum five (5) jump elements
  - at least two (2) of them are solo jumps
  - at least one (1) and no more than three (3) are jump combinations or sequences
  - jump combinations may consist of three (3) jumps
2. At least one (1) but not more than two (2) spins min. four (4) revolutions.
3. Step sequence (2/3 cover of the ice), (straight line, circular or serpentine).

**Maximum one (1) Axel and one (1) double jump are allowed, which may be repeated only once in a jump combination/sequence!**

Any jump with the same name may be repeated only twice including Axel type jumps.

### Young adults Girls and Boys (born 1988-1997)

Free program max. 2:00 min  $\pm$  10 sec

1. Maximum four (4) jump elements

- at least two (2) of them are solo jumps
  - at least one (1) and no more than three (3) are jump combinations or sequences
  - jump combinations may consist of three (3) jumps
2. At least one (1) but not more than two (2) spins min. three (3) revolutions.
  3. Step sequence (2/3 cover of the ice), (straight line, circular or serpentine).
- Axel and double jumps are not allowed!**

Any jump with the same name may be repeated only twice.

### **NB! Additional information**

1. In all beginner's categories listed above the following three (3) components are judged in the second mark:
  - skating skills
  - transitions
  - performance, program composition, music interpretation

The factor for the Program Components is

- for boys 1.8
- for girls 1.6

2. The level of spins and step sequences cannot be higher than base level. Any additional features will not count for Level requirements and will be ignored by the Technical Panel.

3. Any jump with the same name may be repeated only twice including Axel type jumps.

4. Time violation - 0.5 point deduction for every 5 seconds in excess.
5. Falls - 0.5 point deduction for every fall.
6. There will NOT be a higher coefficient for jumps on the second half of the program.

## Adults Ladies and Men (born 1987 and earlier)

### Gold Free Skating

A competitor in the Adult Gold Free Skating event must perform a well-balanced program that may contain:

**a)** A maximum of six (6) jump elements, consisting of any single or double jumps (including a single Axel). **No triple jumps are permitted.**

A jump combination may consist of the same or another single or double jump. There may be up to three jump combinations or jump sequences in the Free Program. One jump combination could consist of up to three (3) listed jumps, the other two up to two (2) listed jumps.

A jump sequence may consist of any number of single and double jumps, that may be linked by non-listed jumps like mazurkas, etc. and/or hops immediately following each other while maintaining the jump rhythm (knee); there can be no turns/steps, crossovers or stroking during the sequence. However, only the two jumps with the highest value will count. **Please note that a half-loop in combination or in a sequence with any other listed jump will be called as a listed jump (1Lo.)**

Any jump can be repeated only once and this repetition must be done either in a jump combination or in a jump sequence.

Non-listed jumps may be included in the program as part of connecting footwork, preceding single or double jumps.

**b)** A maximum of three (3) spins of a different abbreviation, one of which

must be a spin combination with a change of foot and one must be a flying spin. The spins must have a required minimum number of revolutions: four (4) for the flying spin with no change of foot after landing, four (4) for the spin with only one position and no change of foot and four (4) for the spin combination with no change of foot and eight (4 + 4) for the spin combination with change of foot or spin in one position with a change of foot. There must be a minimum of two (2) revolutions in each position or the position will not be counted.

c) A maximum of one (1) choreographic sequence (ChSq). A Choreographic Sequence consists of any kind of movements like steps, turns, spirals, arabesques, spread eagles, Ina Bauers, hydroblading, transitional (unlisted) jumps, spinning movements etc. A Choreographic Sequence for Ladies must include at least one spiral (not a kick) of any length. The Sequence commences with the first move and is concluded with the last move of the Skater. The pattern is not restricted, but must fully utilize the ice surface. A choreographic sequence has to be skated to the music. A Choreographic Sequence has a base value and will be evaluated by the judges in GOE only.

The first visible attempt to execute a choreographic sequence will contribute to the technical score. Additional choreographic sequences and step sequences will not be counted in the technical score but will be counted as moves-in-the field (transitions) and marked as such.

Duration: The maximum time is 2 min 40 sec., but may be less.

Factor: The panels points for each Program Component are multiplied by a factor of 1.6

### Silver Free Skating

A competitor in the Adult Silver Free Skating event must perform a well-balanced program that may contain:

a) A maximum of five (5) jump elements. **The single Axel and all other single jumps are permitted. No double jumps or triple jumps are permitted.**

A jump combination may consist of the same or another single jump. There may be up to three jump combinations or jump sequences in the Free Program. One jump combination could consist of up to three (3) listed jumps, the other two up to two (2) listed jumps.

A jump sequence may consist of any number of single jumps that may be linked by non-listed jumps like mazurkas, etc. and/or hops immediately following each other while maintaining the jump rhythm (knee); there can be no turns/steps, crossovers or stroking during the sequence. However, only the two jumps with the highest value will count. **Please note that a half-loop in combination or in a sequence with any other listed jump will be called as a listed jump (1Lo.)**

Any jump can be repeated only once and this repetition must be done either in a jump combination or in a jump sequence.

Non-listed jumps may be included in the program as part of connecting footwork, preceding single jumps or an axel type jump.

**b)** A maximum of three (3) spins of different abbreviations, one of which must be a spin combination. The spins must have a required minimum number of revolutions: three (3) for the flying spin with no change of foot after landing, three (3) for the spin with only one position and no change of foot and four (4) for the spin combination with no change of foot and eight (4 + 4) for the spin combination with change of foot or spin in one position with a change of foot.

There must be a minimum of two (2) revolutions in each position or the position will not be counted.

**c)** A maximum of one (1) choreographic sequence (ChSq). A Choreographic Sequence consists of any kind of movements like steps, turns, spirals, arabesques, spread eagles, Ina Bauers, hydroblading, transitional (unlisted) jumps, spinning movements etc. A Choreographic Sequence for Ladies must include at least one spiral (not a kick) of any length. The Sequence commences with the first move and is concluded with the last move of the Skater. The pattern is not restricted, but must utilize at least half of the ice surface. A Choreographic Sequence has to be skated to the music. A

Choreographic Sequence has a base value and will be evaluated by the judges in GOE only.

The first visible attempt to execute a choreographic sequence will contribute to the technical score. Additional choreographic sequences and step sequences will not be counted in the technical score but will be counted as moves-in-the field (transitions) and marked as such.

Duration: The maximum time is 2 min 10 sec., but may be less.

Factor: The panels points for each Program Component are multiplied by a factor of 1.6

### Bronze Free Skating

A competitor in the Adult Bronze Free Skating event must perform a well-balanced program that may contain:

**a) A maximum of four (4) jump elements. Only single jumps are permitted, no Axel type jump, no double or triple jumps can be included.**

A jump combination may consist of the same or another single jump. There may be up to three jump combinations or jump sequences in the Free Program. One jump combination could consist of up to three (3) listed jumps, the other two up to two (2) listed jumps.

A jump sequence may consist of any number of single jumps that may be linked by non-listed jumps like mazurkas, etc. and/or hops immediately following each other while maintaining the jump rhythm (knee); there can be no turns/steps, crossovers or stroking during the sequence. However, only the two jumps with the highest value will count. **Please note that a half-loop in combination or in a sequence with any other listed jump will be called as a listed jump (1Lo.)**

Any jump can be repeated only once and this repetition must be done either in a jump combination or in a jump sequence.

Non-listed jumps may be included in the program as part of connecting

footwork preceding single jumps.

**b)** A maximum of two (2) spins of a different abbreviation; The spins must have a required minimum number of revolutions: three (3) for the spin with only one position and no change of foot and four (4) for the spin combination with no change of foot and six (3 + 3) for the spin combination with change of foot. **Flying spins are not permitted.**

There must be a minimum of two (2) revolutions in each position or the position will not be counted.

**c)** A maximum of one (1) choreographic sequence (ChSq). A Choreographic Sequence consists of any kind of movements like steps, turns, spirals, arabesques, spread eagles, Ina Bauers, hydroblading, transitional (unlisted) jumps, spinning movements etc. A Choreographic Sequence for Ladies must include at least one spiral (not a kick) of any length. The Sequence commences with the first move and is concluded with the last move of the Skater. The pattern is not restricted, but must utilize at least half of the ice surface. A Choreographic Sequence has to be skated to the music. A Choreographic Sequence has a base value and will be evaluated by the judges in GOE only.

The first visible attempt to execute a choreographic sequence will contribute to the technical score.

Additional choreographic sequences and step sequences will not be counted in the technical score but will be counted as moves-in-the field (transitions) and marked as such.

Duration: The maximum time is 1 min 50 sec., but may be less.

Factor: The panels points for each Program Component are multiplied by a factor of 1.6

## Masters Free Skating

A competitor in the Masters Free Skating event must perform a well-balanced program that may contain:

**a)** A maximum of seven (7) jump elements, one of which must be an Axel type jump. Single, double and triple jumps are permitted.

A jump combination may consist of the same or another single, double or triple jump. There may be up to three jump combinations or jump sequences in the Free Program. One jump combination could consist of up to three (3) listed jumps, the other two up to two (2) listed jumps.

A jump sequence may consist of any number of jumps of any number of revolutions that may be linked by non-listed jumps like mazurkas, etc. and/or hops immediately following each other while maintaining the jump rhythm (knee); there can be no steps/ turns, crossovers or stroking during the sequence. However, only the two jumps with the highest value will count.

**Please note that a half-loop in combination or in a sequence with any other listed jump will be called as a listed jump (1 Lo).**

Any jump can be repeated only once and this repetition must be done either in a jump combination or in a jump sequence.

**b)** A maximum of three (3) spins of a different abbreviation, one of which must be a spin combination with a change of foot and one must be a flying spin. The spins must have a required minimum number of revolutions: five (5) for the flying spin with no change of foot after landing, five (5) for the spin with only one position and no change of foot and five (5) for the spin combination with no change of foot and eight (4 + 4) for the spin combination with change of foot or spin in one position with a change of foot. There must be a minimum of two (2) revolutions in each position or the position will not be counted.

**c)** A maximum of one (1) choreographic- sequence (ChSq). A Choreographic Sequence consists of any kind of movements like steps, turns, spirals, arabesques, spread eagles, Ina Bauers, hydroblading, transitional (unlisted) jumps, spinning movements etc. A Choreographic Sequence for Ladies must



include at least one spiral (not a kick) of any length. The Sequence commences with the first move and is concluded with the last move of the Skater. The pattern is not restricted, but must fully utilize the ice surface. A choreographic Sequence has to be skated to the music. A Choreographic Sequence has a base value and will be evaluated by the judges in GOE only.

The first visible attempt to execute a choreographic sequence will contribute to the technical score. Additional spiral sequences and step sequences will not be counted in the technical score but will be counted as moves-in-the field (transitions) and marked as such.

Duration The maximum time is 3 min 10 sec., but may be less.

Factor: The panels points for each Program Component are multiplied by a factor of 1.6