



Tikkurila Trophy 2016

International Figure Skating Competition

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Announcement of the International Figure Skating Competition

The Figure Skating Club Tikkurilan Taitoluisteluklubi ry, Vantaa, Finland has the pleasure to invite skaters in category Novice A to participate in Tikkurila Trophy, an international figure skating competition.

Time: September 9-11, 2016

Venue: Tikkurila Trio Areena and Trio Practice hall
Tikkurila Sports Park, Läntinen Valkoisenlähteentie 52-54, 01300 Vantaa, Finland

Organizer: Tikkurilan Taitoluisteluklubi ry (TTK)

Website: <http://tikkurilantaitoluisteluklubi.sporttisaitti.com/kilpailut/tikkurila-trophy/tikkurila-trophy-2016/>

Categories: ISU-evaluation

Novice A Girls/Boys, born 1.7.2001 or later

SP & FS

Technical requirements will be found in Annex A (to be published).

Entries:

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

*To participate, please fill in the attached entry form (Annex B) and send by email to kilpailut.ttk@gmail.com by **August 13, 2016 16:00 EEST**. Entries received after the deadline will not be accepted.*

Please attach the planned program component sheet (Annex C).

Entries from clubs outside Finland:

Each club has the right to enter the desired number of competitors in both girls' and boys' categories. The Organizer reserves the right to limit the participants, in case the number of entries is too high.

The clubs are asked to list the skaters in the order in which they wish to be accepted to the competition.

The Organizer plans to be able to confirm accepted skaters by August 21, 2016.





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Entries from Finnish clubs:

According to the revised rules from the Finnish Figure Skating Association, participants from Finnish clubs are required to have passed the Finnish Novice A tests. All qualified skaters will be accepted to the competition.

Further according to the revised rules, Finnish element tests can be passed in interclub competitions in the category defined by the Finnish Figure Skating Association, which in this competition is Novice A. For skaters attempting to pass such tests, please fill in Annex D and send it by email to kilpailut.ttk@gmail.com by September 1, 2016. The skaters should hand in their test passports at the competition service desk before the start of their short program.

Entry fee/skater

90 €

*The entry fee should be paid by **August 26, 2016**. The payment details will be sent in the confirmation.*

Possible split into two categories:

In case of a large number of confirmed skaters, the Organizer may split Novice A, Girls into two separate categories Novice A, Girls younger and Novice A, Girls older.

Free skating:

Free skating programs will be skated in the reverse order of the short program results.

The Organizer may need to limit the number of skaters in the free skating program, and, should this be the case, this will be stated in the competition confirmation. At least 28 skaters in both Novice A, Girls younger and Novice A Girls older will be admitted to the free skating competition.

Schedule: *According to the preliminary schedule the short programs will be skated on Saturday September 10, 2016 and free skating programs on Sunday September 11, 2016. However, if Novice A, girls is split into two categories it is possible that one category will skate their short programs on Friday and free skating programs on Saturday. Further information will be provided in the competition confirmation.*

Cancellations:

After confirmation only cancellations verified by a medical certificate will be refunded. However, in all cases of cancellations after September 1, 2016 a fee (20 €) to cover Organizer's office costs has to be paid.



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Draw: *The timing of the draw will be stated in the confirmation. The warm-up groups for the short programs will be confirmed on September 7, 2016.*

Practice: *If ice time is available, practice will be arranged. This will be stated in the confirmation. Practice will only be organized for skaters, who have indicated on the entry form that they wish to participate. The fee for practice is 7€/skater/20 minutes. The fee should be paid at the same time as the entry fee. Competition music will not be played.*

Awarding: *Three first standings of each category/class will be awarded. All participants will receive a diploma.*

Music: *CD. The music recordings must state the full name of the skater, category and the name of the club and country.*

Judges: *The Organizer will invite the judges and the other officials and pay their expenses. The names of the judges and the technical panel will be published on the website.*

Expenses: *The Organizer will not pay any expenses for the participants.*

Accommodation:
Accommodation possibilities will be updated on the competition website.

Protests: *Protest must be submitted to the Referee of the category at the latest immediately after the category. The protest fee is 15€. The Referee's decision is final.*

Liability *The Organizer accepts no liability for injuries or damages sustained by the competitors or the officials.*

Should you have any questions or require additional information, please do not hesitate to contact us, preferably by email (kilpailut.ttk@gmail.com).

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Welcome to Tikkurila!

distribution: all clubs which are members of the Finnish Figure Skating Association), judges selected clubs in Denmark, Estonia, Norway, Russia, Sweden, Switzerland and United Kingdom