



Tikkurila Trophy '08

International Junior Figure Skating Competition Sept. 27–28, 2008

Announcement of the International Figure Skating Competition for Young Single Skaters

Event Time September 27–28, 2008

Organizer Tikkurilan Taitoluisteluklubi ry (TTK), Vantaa, Finland, www.ttk-taitoluistelu.fi

Venue Tikkurila Sports Park, Tikkurilan Valtti Areena ice rink

Venue address

Tikkurila Sports Park, Läntinen Valkoisenlähteentie 52-54, 01300 Vantaa, Finland

Internet page in English <http://www.urheilupuisto.com/index.php?id=17>

Driving directions <http://www.urheilupuisto.com/index.php?id=24>

Internet page of the competition

<http://www.ttk-taitoluistelu.fi/TTKtrophy.htm>

Competition will be held in the following single skating categories and classes

Category

Cubs A Girls, born 1998 or later
Springs A Girls, born 1996 or later
Debs A Girls, born 1995 or later
Debs A Boys, born 1995 or later
Novice B Girls, born 1993 or later
Novice A Girls, born 1993 or later
Junior B Girls
Junior A Girls, short program
Junior A Boys, short program

Judging system

Finnish Star-evaluation
ISU evaluation
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Recommendations

See annex A.

Entries Each invited club has the right to enter competitors in any category and class.

Entry fee

Categories with Finnish Star-evaluation	40 €
Categories with ISU evaluation, one day	50 €
Categories with ISU evaluation, two days	60 €

Awarding Three first standings of each category/class will be awarded with a small cup and a diploma.

Protests Protests must be submitted to the Referee of the relevant event immediately after the event at latest. Upon the submission of the protest a protest fee of 10 EUR must be paid. The Referee's decision is final.

Expenses Travel expenses, board and accommodation will be paid by the participants. Expenses related to the competition's judges and technical management will be covered by the entry fees and by TTK.





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Accommodation

Accommodation possibilities can be checked from the Internet page of the competition.

Music CD

Planned Program Components

Entries in Springs, Debs, Novice (A and B classes) and Junior categories: Please fill the separate planned program component sheet (annex C) by the 7th of September and return it by email kilpailut@ttk-taitoluistelu.fi or on paper to Tikkurilan Taitoluisteluklubi ry, Läntinen Valkoisenlähteentie 52-54, 01300 Vantaa, Finland.

Schedule

Preliminary competition schedule will be published on the Internet page of the competition. The final schedule with details and starting orders will be placed on the Internet page on the 22nd of September 2008.

Submission of the Entries

Entries must be submitted in written form. Email entries are encouraged, find attached an entry form: annex B. Deadline for the entries is the 1st of September 2008 at latest. Entries received after the deadline will not be accepted.

Entries can be delivered by e-mail kilpailut@ttk-taitoluistelu.fi or on paper to Tikkurilan Taitoluisteluklubi ry, Läntinen Valkoisenlähteentie 52-54, 01300 Vantaa, Finland

The entries for each category should be in the club's order of preference in the case of need to limit the number of entries. The organizer reserves the right to enter more competitors. A sample of an Entry form is given in annex B.

Entry fee payment

All entry fees of one club have to be paid with one bank transaction to the organizer's given bank account on the 5th of September. The entry fee payment details will be sent in the confirmation email or letter.

Cancellations

After the 5th of September 2008 only cancellations verified by a medical certificate will be refunded. However, in all cases of cancellations after the 5th of September, a fee of 15 € to cover organizer's office costs has to be paid.

Liability

According to the ISU Regulations, Rule 119, the Organizer accepts no liability for injuries or damage sustained by competitors or officials.

Head of the Competition Organization

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Welcome to Tikkurila!



Timo Lehtinen
Tikkurilan Taitoluisteluklubi ry





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Annex A

RECOMMENDATIONS

1(2)

A-CLASS

Cubs A girls, born 1998 or later

Free program: max 2.40

Finnish Star-evaluation

1. Maximum of 5 jump elements. One which must be Axel type jump, at least 3 different type double jumps which may be repeated either in a jump combination or in a jump sequence. Not more than 2 jump combinations or sequences. Only 1 jump combination may contain 3 jumps.
2. Not more than 3 different spins of a different nature. One which must be a spin combination (min 8 revolutions) with or without a change of foot. One foot and in one position spin (min 5 rev) and may start with a jump. One different spin which is one foot spin (min 5 rev) or a spin combination (min 8 rev)
3. Not more than 1 step sequence.
4. Minimum of 2 unsupported spirals.

Springs A girls, born 1996 or later

Free program: max 2.40

ISU evaluation

1. Maximum of 5 jump elements. One which must be Axel type jump, at least 3 different type double jumps which may be repeated either in a jump combination or in a jump sequence. Not more than 2 jump combinations or sequences. Only 1 jump combination may contain 3 jumps.
2. Not more than 3 different spins of a different nature. One which must be a spin combination (min 8 revolutions) with or without a change of foot. One foot and in one position spin (min 5 rev) and may start with a jump. One different spin which is one foot spin (min 5 rev) or a spin combination (min 8 rev)
3. Not more than 1 step sequence.
4. Minimum of 2 unsupported spirals.

Debs A girls and boys, born 1995 or later

Free program: girls 3.00(+/- 10sec), boys 3.30(+/- 10sec)

ISU-evaluation

1. Maximum of 6 jump elements for girls and 7 jump elements for boys. One which must be Axel type jump and there may be up to 3 jump combinations or sequences. Only one jump combination may contain 3 jumps. A jump sequence may contain any number of jumps, but only 2 most difficult jumps will be counted. Jumps may be repeated either in jump combination or in a jump sequence.
2. 3 different spins of a different nature. One which must be a spin combination (min 8 revolutions) with or without a change of foot. One must be a spin in one position (min 5 rev) and may start with a jump. One camel spin with change of foot (4+4 rev).
3. Girls must have spiral sequence and boys must have step sequence.

Novice A girls, born 1993 or later

According to the ISU regulations

Junior A girls and boys, short program only

According to the ISU regulations



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Annex A

RECOMMENDATIONS

2(2)

B-CLASS

Novice B girls, born 1993 or later

Free program: 3.00 (+/- 10sec)

ISU-evaluation

1. Maximum of 6 jump elements. One which must be Axel type jump and there may be up to 3 jump combinations or sequences. Only one jump combination may contain 3 jumps. A jump sequence may contain any number of jumps, but only the 2 most difficult jumps will be counted. Jumps may be repeated either in jump combination or in a jump sequence.
2. 3 different spins of a different nature. One which must be a spin combination (min 8 revolutions). One which must be a spin in one foot and in one position (min 5 rev) and may start with a jump.
3. One step- or spiral sequence

Junior B girls

Short program: max 2.50, Free program: max 3.30

ISU-evaluation

Short program 8 elements:

1. Axel or double axel.
2. Double jump from steps or free movements.
3. Jump combination (double-double), jumps must be different than a solo jump.
4. Flying spin (min 6 revolutions).
5. Layback spin (min 6 rev in position).
6. Spin combination with 3 positions and one change of foot (min 5+5 rev).
7. Step sequence.
8. Spiral sequence with 3 positions and a change of foot.

Free program 11 elements:

1. Maximum of 7 jump elements. One of which must be Axel type jump and there may be up to 3 jump combinations or sequences. Only one jump combination may contain 3 jumps. A jump sequence may contain any number of jumps, but only the 2 most difficult jumps will be counted. Jumps may be repeated either in a jump combination or in a jump sequence.
2. 3 different spins of a different nature. One which must be a spin combination (min 10 revolutions) with or without a change of foot. One must be a spin in one foot and in one position (min 5 rev) and may start with a jump.
3. Step sequence.



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Annex C **PLANNED PROGRAM COMPONENTS**

Short Program

Club:
Category and class:
Name of the Competitor:
Music:

ELEMENTS IN ORDER OF SKATING

Time*	Elements SP

* Time during program

Date, Signature:
