



Announcement

SHORT TRACK SPEED SKATING COMPETITION

EUROPEAN SERIES

"STAR CLASS"

JUNIOR C – JUNIOR D LADIES AND MEN

OCTOBER 27TH-29TH2017

IceLab Bergamo

Sport Evolution Skating Bergamo

Announcement

On October 27th – 29th, 2017 the Italian Ice Sport Federation (FISG) and Sport Evolution Skating a.s.d. will organize at the ICELAB Icerink in Via San Bernardino 147 – Bergamo the 1st competition of the European Short Track Speed Skating series (StarClass) for 2017/2018. The competition is also the 1st Competition for the categories Junior C and Junior D and a qualifying event for the Junior Europa Cup Final of the StarClass and Danubia Cup series. The competition will be organized in accordance with the 2016 Regulations of the International Skating Union, the Memorandum for European Competition Series 2017/2018 and the conditions included in this announcement.

Entries are open to all ISU members and their affiliated clubs.

Categories for Ladies and Men

Age before July the 1st preceding the competition:

Star Class Junior C 13 and 14 born between 1-7-2002 and 30-06-2004
Star class Junior D 10-11 and 12 born between 1-7-2004 and 30-06-2007

Conditions of Contest

The Qualifying Schedule on each distance shall be based on an "All Final System" in all categories. The All Final System is used in order to guarantee a minimum number of races to all participants. The organizer reserves the right to change the program due to unforeseen circumstances.

Qualification

Skaters may be entered who have attained any one of the Qualifying Times in a Mass Start Competition. (Listed on a Members Calendar, ISU International Calendar and ISU Events) as per table below. To be considered, times must have been achieved after July 1st 2016.

Proof must be supplied by submitting time date and venue for the Event.

	500m	777m	1000m
Ladies Junior D	00:57:00	01:29:00	
Ladies Junior C	00:54:00		01:51:00
Men Junior D	00:55:00	01:24:00	
Men Junior C	00:50:00		01:46:00

Distances

STARCLASS Junior C 1500m 500m 1000m
STARCLASS Junior D 1000m 500m 777m

Preliminary program

Friday, October 27th 2017 10:00 a.m. Team leaders check in

10:45 a.m. Team leaders meeting
11:00 a.m. Warming up
12:00 a.m. 1st session

Saturday, October 29th 2017 8:30 a.m. Warming up
9:30 a.m. 2nd session

Sunday, October 30th 2017 8:00 a.m. Warming up
9:00 a.m. 3rd session
1:30 p.m. Award of prizes

On Friday and Saturday the program will be divided in two parts, depending on the entries. The program is tentative and subject to changes by the organizing club, the Starclass coordination group and the referee. A more detailed program will be published on www.shorttrackonline.info in the week before the competition.

Entries

Entries are open to all ISU members and their affiliated clubs.

Entries will only be accepted if a skater is entered into the correct age category that their birth date qualifies them for.

When a skater enters the Star Class series they have to, as part of their entry data, announce which ISU member they are representing, this is to be in accordance with ISU eligibility rules. Skaters can qualify for the Junior Europa Cup Final only by participating in the qualifying events in the region to which the ISU Member they represent belongs .

In the case of an unmanageable number of entries reductions can be made by the organizers together with the Coordination Group.

The ENTRIES should contain the following information:

- name and address of the club making the entry
- number of the athletes in each category
- number of accompanying Officials

The preliminary entry form must be submitted not later **than September 27th 2017** and shall be made via www.shorttrackonline.info

The FINAL ENTRY specifying/confirming:

- surname, first name and gender of the competitors
- date of birth of the competitors
- best time on the 500m distance in the 2015-2016 season
- name of the accompanying Officials

The final entry form must be submitted not later **than October 22nd 2017** and shall be made via www.shorttrackonline.info

ALL TEAMLEADERS are very urgently requested to inform the Organizers of any changes upon departure from their home-town, at the very latest.

Entry Fee

An entry fee of 25,00 euro must be paid to the Organizers for each accredited person, e.g. for every athlete and for every coach/team leader. Per club one coach and one team leader does not have to pay the Entry Fee. For safety reasons the access to the track will be allowed only to the athletes and the accredited people.

Track

The track is an artificial refrigerated indoor ice surface with the measures of 30x60 meters, protective padding will cover the boards. The standard track 111,12 meters to the lap with measured curves of 8,50 meters and there will be 7 markers used to establish each curve. The length of the straight is 28,85m. Besides the original track there will be 4 tracks set up to preserve good ice conditions. For all tracks one finish line will be used. The padding system is according to ISU Communication 1726.

Award of Prizes

Prize for the first - second and third classed in the final results for each category - ladies and men. During award ceremonies, the skaters should be in club or National track suits.

Medical Assistance

Doctor and paramedical personnel will be present at the competition days. An ambulance will be on standby in case of need.

Medical Insurance

It is the sole responsibility of each Member, on behalf of its participating clubs, to ensure or provide medical and accident insurance for their athletes. Proof of such shall be requested by the Organizing Committee. See I.S.U. Rule 119.

Liability

In accordance with I.S.U. Rule 119, the Organizing Committee assumes no responsibility with respect to medical, bodily or personal injury or property loss or damage sustained or caused in connection with this Competition.

Training session

Training session is available for Team members THURSDAY, OCTOBER 26, STARTING 7,30 p.m. To organize ice sessions at the Icerink, please confirm your interest in this opportunity before October 24th directly with the organizing committee.

Address Organizing Committee

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e-mail: info@skatingbergamo.it

More information about Bergamo City and Sport Evolution on our web site

www.skatingbergamo.it

Il Presidente Sport Evolution Skating

Giuseppe Villa

Important information

Possibility to have lunch at the stadium (Friday, Saturday and Sunday)

Sport Evolution needs to know how many people wish a meal in order to arrange catering. Please email your bookings at info@skatingbergamo.it

-) dish of spaghetti 6€

-) meat dish 8€

-) spaghetti and meat dishes 12€

-) water and espresso coffee included

TRAVEL INFORMATION

From ICELAB Bergamo:

- Airport Bergamo Orio al Serio 6 km
- Airport Milano Linate 49 km
- Airport Milano Malpensa 90 Km

Terminals are regularly connected by shuttle bus with max start every 30 min

AFFILIATED HOTELS

Starhotels Cristallo Palace

Via Betty Ambiveri, 35
24126 - Bergamo

cristallo.bg@starhotels.it
tel. +39 035 311211



8 min from ICELAB



25 min

- Single room: € 72.00
- Double room: € 78.00
- Triple room: € 100.00

Supplement HB: Menu from € 19.00 (sports menu to be agreed upon with teams in case of special needs).
City Tax 3,5 €.

Hotel Città dei Mille

Via Autostrada 3/C
24126 – Bergamo

hotel@cittadeimille.it
tel. +39 035 317400



4 min from ICELAB



18 min

HB not available

10% discount on the price list
such as a double room ~~70€~~ 63€
City Tax 3,5€

Others

Residence Anni Azzurri San Sisto

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4 min from ICELAB



18 min

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5 min from ICELAB



20 min

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6 min from ICELAB



20 min

Bergamo offers many accommodation options in apartments and bed and breakfast, see the websites.