Announcement

SHORT TRACK SPEED SKATING COMPETITION

EUROPEAN SERIES

"StarClass"

JUNIOR C – JUNIOR D (CD-1)

November 4TH - 6TH 2022

Rostock - Germany



The German Speedskating Federation DESG and ESV Turbine Rostock have the honor and pleasure to invite you to the **1st Competition of the European Short Track Speed Skating series (StarClass) for 2022/2023** which will be held in **Rostock** on **November 4 - 6 2022**. The competition is the first 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 2022 Regulations of the International Skating Union, the Memorandum for European Competition Series 2022/2023 and the conditions included in this announcement.

Entries are open to all ISU members and their affiliated clubs. In the case of an unmanageable number of entries reductions can be made by the Organizing Committee in close cooperation with the European Series Coordinators.

Categories for Women and Men

Age before July the 1st preceding the competition:

Star Class Junior C	13 and 14	born between 1-7-2007 and 30-06-2009
Star Class Junior D	10-11 and 12	born between 1-7-2009 and 30-06-2011

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 2021. Proof must be supplied by submitting time date and venue for the Event.

	500m	**777m**	**1000m**
Women Junior D	00:57:00	01:29:00	
Women 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

Junior C	1500m	500m	1000m
Junior D	777m/1000m*	500m	777m

Preliminary program

Friday, November 4th 2022		08:30	Warming up
		09:00	Start of Competition
Saturday, November 5th 2022	09:00		Start of Competition
Sunday, November 6th 2022	08:00		Start of Competition
	approx.	13:30	End of Competition

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 European Series Coordinators and the Referee.

A more detailed program will be published in the week before the competition on: www.shorttrackonline.info

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.
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; a statement regarding their status according to ISU eligibility rules may be required at the competition site.

All entries for the StarClass competitions must be made on **www.shorttrackonline.info**

Clubs and Federations have a special password for login to the entry page for International Competitions. If not available it is possible to apply for a login with the webmaster through the website. Federations cannot use their password for ISU Championships or World Cups for these competitions.

In the case of an unmanageable number of entries reductions can be made by the organizers together with the European Series Coordinators.

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 as soon as possible 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 season
- name of the accompanying Officials
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The final entry form must be submitted not later **than October 24th 2022** 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 50,00 EUR 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.

>Note the point "Meals at Ice Rink" for other costs.

Registration, competition accreditation and helmet cover handout will be open on **Thursday, 03.11.22, from 17:00 to 18:30** and on **Friday, 04.11.22, from 08:00,** directly at the ice rink.

Helmet cover deposit

For helmet covers a deposit of 10,00 EUR will be asked and returned when given back.

Meals at Ice Rink:

We offer a hot lunch and an all-day buffet with drinks (hot and cold) for the competition days. In order to guarantee the quality and to keep the costs calculable for us as organizers in the current price development phase, we have decided to see this catering offer as a **mandatory** component for all participants. For this we can accept a very fair total price of 15,00 EUR for each accredited person (for the whole competition weekend).

The amount will be collected together with the registration fee on the day of registration.

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 6 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 2365 (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. There will be an adequate response time for an ambulance to be on site 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.

Ice rink

Eishalle Rostock, Schillingallee 51, 18057 Rostock, Germany

Please note that due to road works in Schillingallee the access to the ice rink has been changed. You can reach the ice rink via Parkstraße > Ernst-Heydemann-Straße > Schillingallee.

Organizing Committee

For information about the StarClass Rostock you can contact:

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Hotel-accommodation:

B&B Hotel Rostock City-West (1,5km walk to the ice rink)
Lübecker Str. 31, 18057 Rostock
+49 (381) 45824820

B&B Hotel Rostock-Hafen (5km by car to the ice rink)
Gaffelschonerweg 1, 18055 Rostock
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Welcome in Rostock!