National Figure Skating Competition

Category B

Saturday 02/05/2015, 08:00 – 22:00 IJsbaan Leuven, Belgium

Kunstschaatsclub Pirouette Leuven BEKER VAN DE STAD L 2015



Kunstschaatsclub Pirouette Leuven VZW member of the Vlaamse Kunst Schaatsen Bond and the Koninklijke Belgische Kunstschaatsen Federatie

Official Invitation

Dear skaters, club secretaries, judges and coaches,

We hereby invite you for our national competition "Beker van de stad Leuven, edition 2015" for girls & boys, which will take place on Saturday 02-05-2015.

This competition is organized in co-operation with the Royal Belgian Figure Skating Federation (K.B.K.F.), the Flemish Figure Skating Organization (V.K.S.B.) and the management of the Icerink Leuven.

We hope to welcome you and wish you a lot of success in your participation at this competition.

With sportive regards,

Muriël Van Roo , Secretary Jurgen Schroyen, President

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National Competition "Beker van de stad Leuven"

Organization	Figure Skating Club Pirouette Leuven Ondernemingenlaan 1, 3001 Leuven, Belgium Website : <u>www.pirouetteleuven.be</u>
	President : Jurgen Schroyen E-mail : <u>voorzitter@pirouetteleuven.be</u>
	Secretary : Muriël Van Roo, E-mail : <u>secretariaat@pirouetteleuven.be</u>
Ice Rink	Ice Rink "IJsbaan Leuven", Ondernemingenlaan 1, 3001 Heverlee (Leuven), Belgium
	Website : <u>www.ijsbaanleuven.be</u> E-mail : <u>info@ijsbaanleuven.be</u>
	The ice rink is a covered rink, skating area 60m x 30m.
	Ice Rink IJsbaan Leuven offers a wide variety of snacks, salades, sandwiches and hot meals.
	Car and coaches parking is sufficiently available at the ice rink. In case your GPS doesn't recognize "Ondernemingenlaan" please enter the main road "Ambachtenlaan" instead.
Invited members	All members of the Flemish Figure Skating Organization (V.K.S.B.) and the French speaking Figure Skating Federation (F.F.P.A.) are invited.
	The competition is for Girls and Boys and will be held on a single day.
	The B-competition includes following categories : Miniemen, Novice A, Novice B, Advanced Novice, Junior, Senior
Entrance Fee	The entrance fee is 50 € for single skaters.
Entries	Entries must be made using the enclosed Excel form.
	 Completed entry forms should be mailed to both <u>kpl.entries@telenet.be</u>, the organizing committee <u>secretariaat@pirouetteleuven.be</u>, the club secretary
Closing date	Entries will be accepted until Saturday March 21 st 2015, 14:00h.
0	Inscriptions will not be closed prior to the closing date, regardless the number of entries received.

Limitations	In case the number of entries exceeds the maximum capacity, the participants will be determined by draw on Monday March 23 rd 2015 at 18h , in accordance with V.K.S.B. competition regulations.
	There will be no limitations for the organizing club.
	The organizing committee will confirm the participants by mail before Wednesday March 25th 2015 . An invoice will be included.
Payments	If payments aren't received in full on Friday April 3rd 2015 , the organizing club has the right to cancel or replace the skater(s) concerned.
	Please keep in mind that bank transfers can take a few days.
	Account holder : KUNSTSCHAATSCLUB PIROUETTE LEUVEN VZW IBAN : BE57 7344 2734 5835 BIC : KREDBEBB
	After the closing date, there will be no refund in case of withdraw.
	Withdrawals one month before the competition at the latest, because of a medical reason with implications exceeding the competition date, will be exceptionally refunded only if confirmed by a medical certificate.
Planned Elements	Planned Elements must be sent before Friday April 3rd 2015 directly to :
	 <u>ludod@telenet.be</u>, the national competition coordinator <u>natcomp@telenet.be</u>, backup <u>mariabouwens@hotmail.com</u>, the regional secretary
Music	Competitors whose music is already stored in the music database only need to confirm its use (select " <i>From database</i> " in the " <i>Music</i> " column of the entry form).
	Any music not stored in the database yet, or recently changed music, needs to be sent before Friday April 3rd 2015 to the e-mail adresses and in the format described in V.K.S.B. Communication 2014/11 (December 23 rd 2014).
	All competitors must have a copy of their music available on audio CD (no CD-RW or DVD) during the event only for backup purposes . This audio CD will only contain the program music.
Time Table	The time table will be published as soon as available, on both the club website www.pirouetteleuven.be and the federation website
	www.skatebelgium.be . Please (re-)check for possible changes when approaching the day of the competition.

Registration	An info desk will be in place in the cafetaria of the ice rink. All participants must register at the info desk upon arrival, one hour before the start of their category at the latest , with their national Skating Pass .
	Competitors entered in the category Miniemen must register before 07:30 AM.
	Coaches must visibly wear a valid trainers license to enter the neutral zone.
Starting Order	For each category, the starting order will be determined by draw. The draw will be done by computer prior to the competition.
Awarding Ceremony	All participants must be present in their competition costumes for the announcement of the results and the prize awarding ceremony.
	There will be a partial awarding ceremony for the categories Miniemen and Novice A.
	The first three of each category will receive a trophee. All other participants will receive a medal as a souvenir.
	In case of absence during the awarding ceremony, no trophees or medals will be provided.
Liability and Insurance	In accordance with ISU rules the organizing committee accepts no liability for injuries or damages sustained by competitors.
	In accordance with ISU rules the responsibility for health and accident insurance lies with the athletes, officials and all other members of the team. Such insurance must include full medical care and repatriation.

Accomodations and Travel Expenses	Skaters, coaches and supporters may book travel arrangements and accommodations individually and at their own expense.
	We recommend to include a cancellation insurance in case the number of entries exceeds the maximum capacity.
	When arriving in Leuven by train, you might consider one of these hotels within walking distance of the train station :
	 NOVOTEL Hotel Leuven Centrum, Vuurkruisenlaan 4, Leuven <u>http://www.novotel.com/nl/hotel-3153-novotel-leuven-</u> <u>centrum/index.shtml</u>
	 IBIS Budget Hotel Leuven Centre, Martelarenlaan 10, Leuven <u>http://ibisbudgethotel.ibis.com/nl/hotel-6682-ibis-budget-</u> <u>leuven-centrum/index.shtml</u>
	 Park Inn by Radisson Leuven Hotel, Martelarenlaan 36, Leuven <u>http://www.parkinn.com/hotel-leuven</u>
	Transport to the Ice Rink can be made by public transport or taxi from the train station.
	When arriving by bus or by car, also check out :
	 IBIS Hotel Heverlee, Sint-Jansbergsesteenweg 405, Leuven (Heverlee, next to the E40). <u>http://ibishotel.ibis.com/nl/hotel-8519-ibis-leuven-heverlee/index.shtml</u>
	More options available at : http://www.leuven.be/vrije-tijd/toerisme/overnachten/hotels/
Technical Regulations B-competition	The competition will be conducted in accordance with the general regulations for Belgian B competitions.
	free program onlycategories have no restrictions in terms of age
	The marking system (ISU Judging System) will be used in accordance with the respective ISU Communications.
MINIEMEN	See all latest KBKF regulations and communications.
Novice A	See all latest ISU regulations and communications.
Novice B	See all latest ISU regulations and communications.
Advanced Novice	See all latest ISU regulations and communications.
JUNIOR	See all latest ISU regulations and communications.
Senior	See all latest ISU regulations and communications.