National Figure Skating Competition Belgian Criterium 2019 for B skaters

Saturday 04/05/2019, 08:00 – 23:00 IJsbaan Leuven, Belgium

Kunstschaatsclub Pirouette Leuven BEKER VAN DE STAD LE 2019



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 2019**" for girls & boys, which will take place on Saturday may 4th 2019.

The competition includes the **Belgian criterium**, which could be considered as the **Belgian Championships** for **B skaters** (see K.B.K.F. Communication 2018/28).

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.), the management of the Icerink Leuven and the city of Leuven.

The competition is organized in accordance with the National B-competition Regulations, aswell as V.K.S.B.'s Competition Regulations.

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" Belgian Criterium

Organization	Figure Skating Club Pirouette Leuven Ondernemingenlaan 1, 3001 Leuven, Belgium Website : <u>www.pirouetteleuven.be</u>	
	President : Jurgen Schroyen E-mail : voorzitter@pirouetteleuven.be	
	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.	
	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	Participation is open to all competitors who are affiliated to the Belgian Federation K.B.K.F./F.R.B.P.A.	
	The competition is for Girls and Boys and will be held on a single day.	
	The competition includes following categories : Preminiemen, Miniemen, Basic Novic, Intermediate Novice, Advanced Novice, Junior, Senior	
Entrance Fee	The entrance fee is 55 € for single skaters.	
Entries	Entries must be made using the enclosed Excel form. Please make sure to use the drop-down menus to select club and categories.	
	Completed entry forms should be mailed to both	
	 <u>bekervanleuven@telenet.be</u>, the organizing committee <u>secretariaat@pirouetteleuven.be</u>, the club secretary 	
Closing date	Entries will be accepted until Wednesday March 27 th 2019, 21:00h.	
	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 Friday March 29 th 2019 at 18h, in accordance with V.K.S.B. competition regulations.
	In view of the Belgian Criterium , all B skaters will be excluded from the draw . A draw, if needed, therefore only concerns the A-skaters (see KBKF Comm 2018/28). However, there will be no limitations for the organizing club.
	The organizing committee will confirm the participants by mail one week after closing date at the latest. An invoice will be included.
Payments	If payments aren't received in full on Saturday April 13th 2019 , 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.
Music	Program music will be used from the national database for B-competitions. Participants whose program music has changed since their last B-competition need to update the database (see KBKF Comm 2018/24).
	All competitors must also have a copy of their music available on CD (no CD-RW or DVD) or USB-stick during the event only for backup purposes. This medium will only contain the program music.
Planned Elements	Planned Elements will be used from the national database for B-competitions. Participants whose planned elements have changed since their last B-competition need to update the database (see KBKF Comm 2018/25).
Time Table	The time table will be published as soon as available, on both the club website <u>www.pirouetteleuven.be</u> and the federation website <u>www.skatebelgium.be</u> . Please (re-)check for possible changes when approaching the day of the competition.
	During the competition, minor modifications related to the time table can be made due to organizational circumstances.
Starting Order	For each category, the starting order will be determined by draw. The draw will be done by computer prior to the competition.

Registration	Competitors entered in the category Preminiemen must personally register at the registration desk upon arrival, between 07:00 and 07:30 AM .	
	All other competitors must personally register one hour before the start of their category at the latest.	
	Passports of the skaters must be presented at the registration desk.	
	Coaches must visibly wear a valid trainers license to enter the neutral zone.	
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 partial awarding ceremonies for the categories Preminiemen and Miniemen, and for the category Novice A.	
	In case of absence during the awarding ceremony, no trophees or medals will be provided.	
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-</u> <u>heverlee/index.shtml</u>	
	More options available at : http://www.leuven.be/vrije-tijd/toerisme/overnachten/hotels/	
Liability and Insurance	In accordance with ISU rules the organizing committee accepts no liability for injuries or damages sustained by competitors.	

Technical Regulations	The competition will be conducted in accordance with the latest National B-competition Regulations.	
	which can be found on : http://www.skatebelgium.be/regulations.html	
	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.	
Privacy regulations	The organization of this event complies to the General Data Protection Regulation legislation. Consequently, we hereby inform you that participation in our competition requires us to share personal data as follows :	
	 Participant list and starting order : a list of participants is shared with the judges and officials, with the audience and on <u>www.skatebelgium.be</u>. The list mentions name, gender, category and club. Results : a list of participants and their detailed results is published after the competition on <u>www.skatebelgium.be</u>. 	
	Photographic pictures of the programs and/or awarding ceremonies will be taken and published on local and/or social media for promotion purposes. When entering the competition, participants agree with taking and publishing these pictures.	

Summary	Closing date :	Wednesday March 27th 2019, 21:00h
	Draw (if needed) :	Friday March 29th 2019, 18:00h at IJsbaan Leuven
	Payments before :	Saturday April 13 th 2019