

## ANNOUNCEMENT

# Antwerp Diamond Trophy

International interclub for single skaters for  
categories basic novices up to seniors

**21 - 22 October 2022**



**Ice rink Antarctica  
Moerelei 119  
2160 Antwerp (Belgium)**



The Club ASW (Antwerpse Schaatsclub Wilrijk), with the support of the Royal Belgian Figure Skating Federation and the Flemish Skating Union VLSU, has the pleasure of inviting you to the

### ***5<sup>th</sup> Antwerp Diamond Trophy***

The 5th Antwerp Diamond Trophy is an international interclub competition for the following figure skating categories

***Basic Novice, Intermediate Novice, Advanced Novice Girls and Boys,  
Junior and Senior Ladies and Men***

This competition will take place Friday 21<sup>th</sup> and Saturday 22<sup>st</sup> of October 2022.

#### **1. General:**

The Antwerp Diamond Trophy will be conducted in accordance with the ISU Constitution and General Regulations 2022, the ISU Special Regulations and Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating 2022 and the relevant ISU Communications. The Novice Categories will be held in accordance with ISU communications and subsequent updates.

Participation is open to all competitors who belong to an ISU Member and qualify with regards to eligibility according to Rule 102, provided their age falls within the limits specified in Rule 108.

#### **2. Technical Data**

Venue:

Name of the ice rink: Ijsstadion Antarctica,  
Address: Moerelei 119-121  
2610 Wilrijk, Antwerp

Ice rink "Antarctica" is an indoor ice rink, with 60m x30m ice surface.

Food and drinks are available in the cafeteria of the ice rink. The ice rink owners do not allow bringing in your own food and drinks in the cafeteria.

Hair and make up need to be done in the designated areas.

Car parking is sufficiently available at the ice rink.

The marking system (ISU judging system) will be used in accordance with the respective ISU Communications.

The competition will be conducted in accordance with the latest KBKF/FRPBA regulations for international Interclub A-competitions.

Which can be found on : [http://www.skatebelgium.be/uploads/4/4/0/7/44077929/5-2022-2023\\_int\\_interclub\\_a-competition\\_regulations.pdf](http://www.skatebelgium.be/uploads/4/4/0/7/44077929/5-2022-2023_int_interclub_a-competition_regulations.pdf) .

### **3. Entries**

Each invited club has the right to nominate 8 competitors for each category. There will however be no limit on entries of the organizing club.

The organizing committee will limit the entries if necessary. Entries will be accepted on a first come, first serve basis, and this until the maximum capacity is reached.

The entries by name should reach the organizer not later than September 10<sup>th</sup>, 2022.

Only entries by email will be taken into account. The official entry form must be used and sent to:

[antwerpdiamondtrophy@gmail.com](mailto:antwerpdiamondtrophy@gmail.com)

In case of questions or emergencies (on the competition days itself) please contact the organizers by email or the following person by phone:

- Joeri Alenis: +32 497.80.30.11

### **4. Entry fee**

All entry fees have to be paid by September 13<sup>th</sup>, 2022, with the following bank account:

ING Belgium IBAN BE67 3630 6241 4587

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If payments aren't received in full by this date, the organizing club has the right to cancel or replace the skater(s) concerned.

The entry fee is:

Advanced Novices, Juniors and Seniors: 110 € per skater

Basic and Intermediate Novices 75 € per skater

No refunds will be given for cancellations after the entry closing date.

Withdrawals one month before the competition at the latest, because of a medical reason with implications exceeding the competition date, will be exceptionally refunded if confirmed by a medical certificate.

### **5. Entries of judges**

Each participating foreign club has the right to propose an international or ISU listed judge. Entries of foreign clubs who bring a judge with them will be preferred in case of too many entries. **(We are aiming to have a full technical and judges panel of at least international level. Judges panel will consist of at least 5 judges plus referee).**

Names of the candidate judges should be sent to the organizing committee by September 10<sup>th</sup>, 2022, at the latest.

The organizing committee shall provide these judges with food and lodging according to KBKF comm 2022.13

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## **6. Music/planned elements**

All music must be sent to the organizing committee in advance, by emailing an MP3-file to the following email-addresses:

[antwerpdiamondtrophy@gmail.com](mailto:antwerpdiamondtrophy@gmail.com)  
AND a copy to [music.kbkf@telenet.be](mailto:music.kbkf@telenet.be)

If you want to send more files at once, we recommend using [www.wetransfer.com](http://www.wetransfer.com).

All music must be sent in by October 1<sup>st</sup>, 2022, at the latest.

The music must be sent in the following format:

File name Format: FS or SP <category> <name> <time>  
FS or SP = FP is free program, SP is Short Program  
Category = BNO, INO or ANO  
Name = name + surname  
Time = time of the program

For example: FS BNO jan janssens 2m34.mp3

During the event, and only for backup purposes, all competitors must also have a copy of their music available on USB-stick in MP3-format and file name format.

## **7. Planned Elements**

Belgian skaters:  
Planned elements will be used from the national database

Foreign skaters:  
Planned elements must be send to [antwerpdiamondtrophy@gmail.com](mailto:antwerpdiamondtrophy@gmail.com) and in copy to [mariabouwens@hotmail.com](mailto:mariabouwens@hotmail.com) and this by October 1<sup>ST</sup> 2022 the latest.

## **8. Draw and timetable.**

Draws for short programs Advanced Novices, Juniors and Seniors and free programs Basic and Intermediate Novices will be done by computer October 19<sup>th</sup> 2022 the latest. This will be posted on the website [www.skatebelgium.be](http://www.skatebelgium.be) and will also be sent out to foreign clubs.  
There will be no draw for the free program for Advanced Novices, Juniors and Seniors, as they will skate in reverse order of the short program result.

The timetable will be available on the website [www.skatebelgium.be](http://www.skatebelgium.be) as soon as possible after closing date and will also be sent out to foreign clubs.

## **9. Price 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 separate awarding ceremony for the category basic novices.  
The first three of each category will receive a trophy. All other participants will receive a medal.  
In case of absence during the awarding ceremony, no trophies or medals will be provided.

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**Photographic pictures of the awarding ceremonies will be taken by the organizing club and might be published on local and/or social media. When entering, competitors agree with taking and publishing these pictures.**

#### **10. Registration.**

An info desk will be in place in the cafeteria of the ice rink.

Competitors entered in the first category of the day (Advanced Novices for short program and Basic Novices for free program) must register at the info desk upon arrival, half an hour before the start of their category at the latest.

All other competitors must register one hour before the start of their category at the latest.

Coaches must wear a valid trainer's licence/badge to enter the neutral zone.

#### **11. Covid-19 regulations.**

During the competition, COVID-19 safety measures by national and/or local health authorities may (still) apply. If so, these measures will be indicated and should be always met. All participants and club secretaries will be informed in advance regarding such measures.

When showing any symptoms of the COVID-19 virus (such as fever, coughing or trouble breathing), or in case you recently have been in contact with a person who acquired the virus, you should prioritize your health and the health of those around you. You will therefore not be allowed to participate.

#### **12. Accommodation and transportation facilities.**

The organizing committee does not pay for travel or lodging costs for the participating skaters. However, if you want, we can always recommend hotels in the proximity of the skating rink.

Shuttle service to and from the airport will be made available against a fee.

If you are interested in the shuttle service, please indicate this on the entry form so we can update you with the exact costs. Skaters arriving at airports or train stations may be asked to wait on others arriving in the same time frame to make transportation easier and cheaper.

#### **Summary**

Closing date: Saturday September 10<sup>th</sup>, 2022 (before 23.59h CET)

Payments: Friday September 16<sup>th</sup>, 2022, the latest

Music and planned elements: October 1<sup>st</sup>, 2022

For all other questions, please feel free to contact the organizing committee at:  
[antwerpdiamontrophy@gmail.com](mailto:antwerpdiamontrophy@gmail.com)

We will respond asap and hope to welcome you all in Antwerp.

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