



Friday 20th and Saturday 21st of november 2020

BELGIAN FIGURE SKATING CHAMPIONSHIPS 2021 ANNOUNCEMENT

On Friday 20th and Saturday 21st of november 2020.
Ice Skating Center Mechelen, Spuibekstraat 1, 2800 Mechelen.

Friday : Advanced Novice (Short Program)
 Junior (Short Program)
 Senior (Short Program)
 Intermediate Novice (Free Skating)

Saturday : Basic Novice (Free Skating)
 Advanced Novice (Free Skating)
 Junior (Free Skating)
 Senior (Free Skating)

ENTRIES

Entries for the Belgian Figure Skating Championships 2021 need to be sent to secretariaat.kbkf@telenet.be
and in copy to **the regional secretary** using the most recent entry form (see www.skatebelgium.be).

Entries will be accepted until **Sunday october 25th 2020, 21:00** (closing date).

Skaters who should obtain a level upgrade at a competition **after the closing date** and should thereby qualify to enter the Championships **will additionally be allowed to enter**. Such entries will be accepted only if made within three (3) days after the official communication of the upgrade and at least ten (10) days before the first competition day. No exceptions will be made.

Entry fees :

Basic Novice, Intermediate Novice : 60 euro (Free Skating only)
Advanced Novice, Junior, Senior : 90 euro (Short Program + Free Skating)

Clubs will receive an invoice from the KBKF treasury. Make sure all payments are made before the date mentioned on the invoice. Entries can be refused if not paid in full.

MUSIC AND PLANNED ELEMENTS

Music and planned elements will be used from the national databases.

If program music and/or planned elements have changed, make sure to update the database (see KBKF Communications 2020.24 and 25).

TECHNICAL REGULATIONS

See National A Competition Regulations 2020-2021.

Categories will **NOT** be divided in subcategories regardless the number of participants.



STARTING ORDER

Basic Novices and Intermediat Novices (Free Skating) Advanced Novices, Junior and Senior (Short Program)

Warm up groups will be determined based on the Free Skating Personal Bests obtained in that category during the preceding national and international Belgian A-competitions of the current season. The starting order of the warm up groups will be in reverse order of this PB ranking. Within the warm up groups, the starting order will be determined by draw.

Members of the Belgian National Team : if these skaters haven't participated in any Belgian competitions during the ongoing season, the scores in recent international competitions will be taken into account.

Advanced Novices, Junior and Senior (Free Skating)

The starting order will be in reverse order of the Short Program ranking.

CITIZENSHIP REQUIREMENTS

Skaters who do not have (obtained) the Belgian nationality will be required to **have obtained a Clearance certicate from the I.S.U.** to enter the Belgian championships.

PRIVACY

The organization of this event complies to the General Data Protection Regulation legislation. Consequently, we hereby inform you that participation in the Belgian Figure Skating Championships 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 www.skatebelgium.be. The list mentions full name, gender, category and club.
- Results : a list of participants and their detailed results is published after the competition on www.skatebelgium.be.

MEDIA

Photographic pictures of the programs and/or awarding ceremonies may 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.

Participants also agree with any media coverage of the event by regional and/or national media which has been permitted by the organization of the event.

CONTACT

If you have any questions, please contact us by mail : secretariaat.kbkf@telenet.be

In case of emergencies on the competition days itself, please contact us by phone:
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COVID-19 PROTOCOLS

In view of the evolution of the COVID-19 pandemic, specific protocols will apply. Regulations by local, regional and/or national authorities will need to be followed by the skaters, coaches, ice rink management and organizers of this championship to ensure everyone's safety.

At this date, code Orange is in effect. This means that the cafeteria will be closed, that dressing rooms can't be used, and public will be restricted. An updated protocol will be provided later.

In the worst case scenario that the Championship is cancelled by the organization and/or because of government rulings, all participants will be fully reimbursed.