



Announcement

**Interclub competition
Figure Skating**



6 and 7 November 2015

**Organization: FSC KARELIA,
Gullegem, Belgium**

INTERNATIONAL FINLANDIA CUP 2015

GULLEGEM – BELGIUM

We are very pleased to invite you to Finlandia Cup 2015 in Belgium.

Date

6 and 7 November 2015

Ice Rink

Finlandia ICE RINK
Driemastenstraat 39
8560 – Gullegem
Belgium

nearby Kortrijk (Courtrai) French border
indoor ice rink, size 60x30m

Organization **F.S.C. KARELIA – Gullegem**

Hosted by the national federation, supported by the Flemish skating association.

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Competition Level: A

Will be according to the latest ISU regulations and communications.

Cat. 1:	Miniemen	national rules (see categories)
Cat. 2:	Novice A	ISU rules
Cat. 3:	Novice B	ISU rules
Cat. 4:	Novices advanced	ISU rules
Cat. 5:	Junior	ISU rules
Cat. 6:	Senior	ISU rules

Music

All participants shall provide their competition music of excellent quality by we-transfer before October 1, 2015 to: finlandiacup@gmail.com, and will bring a CD to the competition.

Timetable

A detailed timetable will be supplied as soon as possible after the closing of the entries.
The competition runs over 2 days. www.karelia.be

Liability

In accordance to ISU Regulations, all participants act at their own responsibility. The organizer will provide medical emergency aid during the competition.

Entries

All clubs, national figure skating federations, member of the ISU are invited to take part in this competition.

Entry fee

Entry fee is € 50 for the categories Miniemen, Novice B and Novice A and €75 for the categories ADV.Novice, Junior and Senior.

No reimbursements will be made in case of withdraw of a skater.

Deadline for entries

The entries for competitors must reach the organizer **not later than October 1, 2015**

Payments must also be made before October 1, 2015 by bank transfer to:

BNP PARIBAS FORTIS: IBAN Nr. BE25 0013 0048 7282 -- BIC: GEBABEBB

Account holder: FSC KARELIA

For entries use the attached form only please and sent to: finlandiacup@gmail.com

The entries for judges must reach the organizer not later than October 1, 2015

These can be sent to our Competition Coordinator: Mrs. Kerstien Dochy.

Limitations

The total number of participants can be limited according to the availability of the ice.

The organizer can, if necessary, split up the categories according to the draw.

Judging

Each participating National Figure Skating Federation may nominate one or two Judges, at least National Judges. Immediately after the closing date, the written confirmation will be sent to each federation. The judging will be in **ISU Judging system with video replay**, and only places 1, 2 and 3 will be awarded. All other participants receive a memento (certificate) **only** at the prize-giving ceremony. Technical panel will be invited by the OC.

Calculation of results

Results will be calculated in accordance to the latest ISU Regulations, with the ISU judging system with video replay.

Categories:

Miniemen

Has not reached the age of 10 by July 1st preceding the competition

Free Skating program 2.30 min +/- 10 sec

Warming up: 4 minutes

Vocal music is allowed.

There will be no bonus for jump elements performed in the second half of the program.

A well balanced Free Skating Program for Miniemen girls and boys must contain:

- a) Maximum of 4 jump elements for girls and boys.
There may be up to two (2) jump combinations or sequences
Jump combinations can contain only two (2) jumps.
A jump sequence can contain any number of jumps, but only the two (2) most difficult jumps will be counted.
Any single and double jump (including Double Axel) cannot be executed more than twice in a free program.
Triple jumps are not permitted.

- b) There must be a maximum of 2 different spins (different abbreviation)
One (1) position spin with or without change of foot
One (1) combination spin with or without change of foot.

All spins must be of a different character (abbreviation)
Any spin with the same character (abbreviation) as the one executed before will be deleted (but will occupy a spinning box)
The minimum of required revolutions must be counted from the entry of the spin until its exit (except final wind-up in spins in one position spin)
Flying entry is not allowed.

- c) For girls and boys there must be one (1) step sequence with fully utilizing the ice surface.

The Program Components are only judged in

- Skating Skills
- Performance/Execution
- **COMPONENT FACTOR : 2.5**

Levels explanations:

All elements, which are subject to levels, only features up to level 2 will be counted.

Any additional features will not count for level requirements and will be ignored by the Technical Panel.

If a double Axel (2A) is jumped and called by the Technical Panel (no < or <<) in the program, no deduction of -0.5 for a fall will be given, if this should be the case

Fall 0.5 pt

Novice A
Novice B
Advanced novice
Junior
Senior

See all latest ISU regulations and communications

**If you need more information, please don't hesitate to contact us:
Our Competition Coordinator: Ms Kerstien Dochy**

Kerstien.dochy@gmail.com

The draw will be done by computer in advance. Starting order will be provide by mail, and published on the website.

For all categories with short and free program the draw for the free will be done after the short program of each categorie

As the president of the national figure skating federation and on behalf of the board of FSC Karelia skating club, I would like to welcome you at our competition in Gullegem, Belgium.

Best regards,

Mr. Ton Mulder
President

