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Spring Cup

Invitation

Dear club secretaries,
Dear skaters,

Kunstschaats Academie Hivernia Mechelen invites you to participate at their competition for recreational skaters Spring Cup on Sunday April 30th 2017 from 08:00-18:00.

The Spring Cup is it is a recreational competition for starters and recreational skaters that don't have experience with regular competition and that want to have the possibility participate in a competition. The competition is for single skaters, duo's, groups and showteams.

The nice thing about this competition is that no one can finish in last place. In this competition participating is more important than winning. Our goal is to give the recreational skater a pleasant and sportive figure skating experience.

This year we also organize a coach battle. Are you a licensed coach or assistant-coach, and do you want to compete against your fellow coaches, then you should enter our coach battle! This is your possibility to show your pupils you still got it. We would love to see a lot of participants in our coach battle.

For more information you can always contact our club secretary at secretariaat@hivernia.be.

Sportive greetings

with the support of the City of Mechelen





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Figure Skating competition limited to recreational skaters.
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.

1. **Date** April 30th 2017, from 08:00u – 18:00
2. **Organisation** Kunstschaats Academie Hivernia Mechelen (KHM)
3. **Info** Pierre Goyvaerts
Naamsesteenweg 211
3001 Heverlee
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E-mail: secretariaat@hivernia.be
4. **Ice Rink** Ice Skating Center Mechelen
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2800 Mechelen
Tel: +32 (0)15/291 991
E-mail: info@iscm.be
Website: <http://www.iscm.be>
5. **Entries** The closing date for entries is March 18th, 2017, 14:00h. Entries must be made using the enclosed Excel form and should be mailed to secretariaat@hivernia.be.
There is no early closing date in case of too many entries.
6. **Limitations** The total number of participants is limited to 100.
In case of too many entries, the participants will be determined by lottery. This lottery will take place on Sunday March 19th 2017 at 20:00 in the cafeteria of ISCM. The organizing club has no limit for participants. KHM will confirm the participants to each club.
7. **Timetable** A detailed timetable will be supplied as soon as possible after the closing of entries. The timetable can also be consulted at the website of KHM: www.hivernia.be



8. Music

Every skater shall provide their competition music in before Friday March 31th , 2017, by emailing an MP3-file to the following email address: muziek@hivernia.be (via wetransfer). The name of the file should be in the format "category - name of the skater" (f.e. miniemen – Name Skater.mp3). Every skater shall have a CD (no rewritable) with their music as a backup.

9. Starting Order

For each category, the starting order will be determined by draw. The draw will be done by computer prior to the competition.

10. Liability

According to ISU rules, skaters participate at their own risk to this competition. The organizer cannot be held responsible for accidents or damage caused by a third party

11. Entree Fee

Solo:	€ 25,- per person
Duo:	€ 35, - per duo
Group - showteam:	€ 45, - per team
Coach battle:	€ 25,- per person

KHM will send an invoice to the participating clubs after closing date of the inscriptions. If payments aren't received 10 days after the invoice date, the organizing club has the right to cancel or replace the skater(s) concerned.

THERE WILL BE NO REFUND OF ENTRANCE FEE IN CASE OF WITHDRAW OR OTHER

Payments must be done by bank transfer to:
Kunstschaats Academie Hivernia Mechelen
IBAN: BE49 0689 0019 3571 BIC: GKCCBEBB

12. Podium

There will be a podium for all categories.
There is a podium for 1st, 2nd and 3rd place. All other skater will receive 4th place.
Each skater receives a memorial.



13. Rules

The Spring Cup is a recreational competition for starters and recreational skaters that don't have experience with regular competition and that want to have the possibility participate in a competition. The competition is for single skaters, duo's and groups. The competition is not for participants that skate in A- or B-competition, nor is it for licensed coaches or assistant coaches.

1) Solo

The participants are divided in 6 categories:

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| 1. Miniemen | - 10 year |
| 2. Novices | + 10 - 15 year |
| 3. Juniors | + 15 - 18 year |
| 4. Young Adults | + 18 - 23 year |
| 5. Adults | + 23 - 35 year |
| 6. Seniors | + 35 year |

The age is determined on the day of the competition.

The choice of music is free (both instrumental and vocal).

The contents of the kür is free, but there are no double jumps allowed.

The duration of the kür is 2:00-2:30 minutes.

The jury consists of 5 volunteers (no official jurors). Each juror judges one element:

1. Expression
2. Use of the ice
3. Interpretation of the music
4. Transitions
5. Choreography

Points are awarded on a scale of 1-5 and are divided into tenths.



2) Duo's mixed age

The choice of music is free (both instrumental and vocal).

The contents of the kür is free, but there are no double jumps allowed.

The duration of the kür is 2:00-2:30 minutes.

The jury consists of 5 volunteers (no official jurors). Each juror judges one element:

1. Expression
2. Use of the ice
3. Interpretation of the music
4. Transitions
5. Choreography

Points are awarded on a scale of 1-5 and are divided into tenths.

3) Groups - showteam: mixed age

The choice of music is free (both instrumental and vocal).

The contents of the kür is free, but there are no double jumps allowed.

The duration of the kür is 2:00-2:30 minutes.

The jury consists of 5 volunteers (no official jurors). Each juror judges one element:

1. Expression
2. Use of the ice
3. Interpretation of the music
4. Transitions
5. Choreography

Points are awarded on a scale of 1-5 and are divided into tenths.



4) Coach battle

This competition is exclusive for licensed coaches and assistant coaches.

The participants are divided in 4 categories:

Juniors	- 18 year
Young Adults	+ 18 – 23 year
Adults	+ 23 – 35 year
Seniors	+ 35 year

The age is determined on the day of the competition.

The choice of music is free (both instrumental and vocal).

The contents of the kür is free.

The duration of the kür is 2:00-2:30 minutes.

The jury consists of 5 volunteers (no official jurors). Each juror judges one element:

1. Expression
2. Use of the ice
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4. Transitions
5. Choreography

Points are awarded on a scale of 1-5 and are divided into tenths.

Summary of deadlines (to be followed for a correct inscription)

- 18/03/2017 14:00 pm: closing date entry forms
- 19/03/2017 20:00 pm: draw for participations (if necessary)
- 31/03/2017: planned elements + music
- 31/03/2017: full payment should be received (if not: withdrawal)
- 30/04/2017 : competition day