# **ANNOUNCEMENT**

# "8th.STEZ CUP - Olympic Hopes 2018"

# **In Short Track Speed Skating**

SEPTEMBER, 08. – 09. 2018 – Spisska Nova Ves

The SLOVAK SPEED SKATING UNION has the honour to invite you to participate in the "Olympic Hopes 2018" competition for Season 2018/19, under the following conditions:

### **PARTICIPATION**

Only registered competitors of the ISU Member are allowed to participate.

## **AGE GROUPS and DISTANCES**

Age categories	Individual Ladies/Men		
Lades + Men +A+B +C2 ( age 15 "C2" to no limit )	1500m	500m	1000m
Junior "C 1"+"D"	1000m	500m	777m
Junior "E"	500m	222m	333m
Junior "F" and younger to no limit	333m	111m	222m

## **PRELIMINARY PROGRAM**

September 08. 2018 Saturday	Team Leaders Meeting	12:00
September 08. 2018 Saturday	Warm up 13:00	
	Competitions	13:45 - 21:00
	Warm up	08:00 - 08:30
September 09. 2018 Sunday	Competitions	08:45 - 13:00
	Awarding Ceremony	13:00

#### **COMPETITION SITE**

The competitions will be carried out in "Ice STEZ" – Spišská Nová Ves, Slovakia measuring 30x60 m. The compass of the track is 111.12 m, according to ISU Rules with curves of 8m. During the competitions there will be used 7 tracks with displacement of 0.7m each.

#### **EQUIPMENTS**

Only equipments, which are in accordance with the ISU rules, can be used in the competitions. The compulsory rounding of the corners of the blades will be controlled.

#### **ENTRIES**

The entries must be according to:

- a) <u>Individual entries:</u> each ISU Member and/or their Clubs have the right to enter skaters without limitation according to ISU Regulations.
- b) <u>ENTRY FEE: EUR 10, -</u>

The fully filled up <u>Preliminary Entries</u> must send the OC to August 25. 2018 at the latest!

These entries should contain the following dates:

- the name of Member Association or Club
- the number of the team members and the list of names (full names),
- the date of birth.

The <u>Final Entry Forms</u> must be sent to the Competition Office not later than <u>September 3. 2018.</u>

## •PLEASE USE THE OFFICIAL FORM!

You are kindly requested to send the Entry Forms to the following address:

www.shorttracklive.info,

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## **AWARDS**

The first three-placed competitors of the individual competition in the overall ranking will receive medals accordingly.

The skaters of the first three-placed relay teams of each category will be awarded with medals respectively.

#### LIABILITY

Each competitor participating in the competition at his/her own risk and assurance. The competition is completely open for all ISU Members.

# **ACCOMODATION**

All participating skaters or Teams are responsible for their board and lodging expenses.

# **IMPORTANT!**

Please indicate your intention of participation as soon as possible in order to enable us to prepare the competition in the best conditions.

Spisska Nova Ves, Jul 29th, 2018

STOVAKIA SPEED SKATING UNOS

Jan Magdosko President of Slovak Speed Skating Union