

Announcement

ISU Junior Challenge Series 1, Bialystok, POL

International Short Track Speed Skating Competition
for the ISU Junior Challenge Series



Białystok, Poland

November 18-20, 2022

ORGANIZER OF THE COMPETITION

The organizer of the competition is ŁKS Juwenia Białystok, acting under the authority of the Polish Speed Skating Association.

LOCATION: Ice Rink, Białystok ul. 11 Listopada 28

The competition will be held in the covered Ice Rink with an indoor ice rink measuring 30x60 metres and traditional rink board Padding System. The compass of the track is 111.12 metres with curves of 8 metres as per the ISU Rules. There will be seven (7) tracks with a displacement of 0,7 metre each, while the finish line for all distances is the same and only the starting place of distances 500 metres and 1500 metres will be changed.

DATE: November 18-20, 2022

AGE GROUPS | DISTANCES

ISU Junior Challenge Series (ISU Repechage system with Ranking Finals)

Seniors	born before 30.06.2003
Junior "A"	born between 01.07.2003 – 30.06.2005
Junior "B"	born between 01.07.2005 – 30.06.2007

DISTANCES:

Senior	1500m	1000m	500m
Junior A & B	1500m	1000m	500m

RELAY:

Ladies	3000 m	Senior, Junior A+B	4 skaters
Men	3000 m	Senior, Junior A+B	4 skaters
Mixed Gender	2000 m	Senior, Junior A+B	4 skaters (2 ladies, 2 men)

GENERAL REGULATIONS

The Competition will be held in accordance with actual ISU Short Track Speed Skating Regulations and the Memorandum 2022/2023.

PARTICIPATION

Only those competitors who have submitted their entries and paid the entry fee by the given deadline are allowed to participate.

Participation in the Competition is only open to ISU members and affiliated clubs. Entries can be made only through the respective members.

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

ENTRIES

By submitting an entry the competitor clearly agrees to all terms set in this Announcement.

Preliminary Entries must reach the OC by 1st of November at the latest!

The application rules included in **MEMORANDUM JUNIOR CHALLENGE SERIES IN SHORT TRACK SPEED SKATING 2022-2023** point 2.04 and are the following:

1. For the combined category Junior A and B the total number of entries shall not exceed 70 for Women and 70 for Men. If either in the Category Women or Men there are less entries than in the other Category more entries might be possible.
2. For the purpose of controlling the number of entries the participating field the Organizing Committee, together with the respective Coordinator, may make a reduction in the field of participants in order to maintain the competition format.
3. At the moment of the closing of entries (10 days before the Competition) the Organizing Committee will immediately inform all involved whether or not any reduction has been made. This message will be addressed to the person who made the original entry.
4. In principle entries can only be made by a Member of the International Skating Union. With the approval of the respective ISU Member, Clubs belonging to this Member may take care of the actual administrative process to make the entries.
5. All entries must be made online through the website as specified in the announcement of the respective competition.
6. Only in exceptional cases entries can be made by letter, fax or electronic mail to the body or person and within the time limit (closing date) designated in the Announcement for the competition. Such Entries must be confirmed by return of mail, email or fax by the Organizers.
7. The skaters will represent the Member or the Club that they are entered by and the name or abbreviation of their country or club will be listed with their name.
8. The entry must fulfil all requirements of the ISU Rules (insurance etc.)
9. The number of competitors, substitutes, coaches and team leaders shall be entered 30 days before the first day of the competition. See ISU Rules.

The Final Entry must be electronically (www.shorttracklive.info) entered not later than November 9th 2022 and should include the following:

- the given name (first) and surname of each competitor;
- date of birth of each competitor;
- data requested for seeding purposes (personal bests) for all entered competitors;
- the International Registration Numbers (UPID);
- participation in Relay;
- participation in Mixed Team Relay;
- the date and time of arrival and departure of competitors and those accompanying them;
- a financial statement by the respective ISU Member and/or Club that all costs incurred will be covered.

In case of exceeding 70 entries in the main categories Women, Men (JUN A & JUN B), the organizer together with the coordinator, reserves the right to reduce the entries per member, focusing on diversity, regionality (Danubia Region) and performance. Members with high entries will be reduced first based on 500m times or in accordance with the respective Member. The members concerned will be informed at the same time.

If you have further questions on this subject (username, password etc.), please do not hesitate to contact Mr. Hermann Filipic, e-mail: hermann@filipic1.at

PRELIMINARY PROGRAM

November 17, 2022 Thursday	Official Training	5.00 p.m. – 8.00 p.m
	Technical meeting – Hotel Hampton by Hilton Bialystok [TBA*]	8.30 p.m.
November 18, 2022 Friday	Women/Men Heats, Quarter-Finals 1500 m; Preliminaries/Heats 500 m; Preliminaries/Heats 1000 m; Heats/ Quarter-Finals Mixed Team Relay; Heats/Quarter-Finals Relay	8:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.
November 19. 2012 Saturday	Repechage 1500 m Women/Men Repechage 500 m Women/Men Main Program: Semi-Finals 1500 m Women/Men Finals 1500 m Women/Men Quarter-Finals 500 m Women/Men Semi-Finals 500 m Women/Men Finals 500 m Women/Men Semi-Finals Mixed Team Relay Finals Semi-Finals Relay Women/Men	8:00 a.m. – 7:00 p.m.
November 20, 2022 Sunday	Repechage 1000 m Women/Men Main Program: Quarter-Finals 1000 m Women/Men Semi-Finals 1000 m Women/Men Finals 1000 m Women/Men Final B, A Mixed Team Relay Final B, A Relay Women/Men	8:00 a.m – 2:00 p.m.
	Award Ceremony	2.15 p.m.

ENTRY FEE

The **entry fee is 50,- EUR/person** – (paid only in cash) or PLN 245 payable in cash or to our bank account PEKAO SA account numer **1240 5211 1111 0010 4322 9649**

- The entry fee must be paid before the start of the Technical Meeting. Please note transponders will only be handed over at the Technical Meeting if payment is fulfilled!
- the deposit for transponders is 50,- EUR/team

EQUIPMENT:

Only that equipment which are in accordance with the ISU Rules can be used in the competitions.

AWARDS:

The first three placed competitors of each distance and category receive a medals, trophies or gifes.

ACCOMMODATION:

All costs of food and accommodation are covered by the teams participating in the competition. OC recommends Hotel Hampton by Hilton Białystok the hotels listed in the Attachment, which has agreed to give special prices for accommodation and meals. It is a new and one of the best hotels in Białystok. (Attachment).

For teams with a smaller budget, I suggest Hotel Turkus (offer also in the Attachment).

It is possible to order only lunches during the lunch break during the competition in the restaurant next to the ice rink about 300 m from it. Price for lunch - 35 PLN or 7 euros. Contact Justyna Nowik-Gajewska phone+48 517 120 711 email amgreg@wp.pl,

MISCELLANEOUS:

- each competitor participates in the competition at his/her own risk and insurance; the organizers do not take responsibility for any possible injuries or accidents
- by entering all participants accept and agree that they might be subject to recording (audio and picture), and might appear in the media content created about the competition
- by entering all participants accept that personal data are collected by the Organizing Committee (OC) and such data are stored and used by the OC, and when necessary, third parties, for the purposes only of, and to the extent necessary only in relation to facilitate their participation in the competition; personal data may include but will not be limited to full legal name as per national identity documents, address, date of birth, nationality, sex
- the OC provides medical service (ambulance) during the competition

ACCESS FROM THE AIRPORT

We can arrange transport from the airport in Warsaw to Białystok. The cost of the 8-person bus ride is 1000 PLN = 200 Euro.

LIABILITY AND MEDICAL INSURANCE

Polish Speed Skating Federation and the Organizing Committee assume no responsibility for or liability with respect to bodily or personal injury or property damage incurred in connection with the competition. Each Member is solely responsible for providing insurance (medical and accident) coverage for their athletes.

RESULTS

- All results of the competition series will be published on the website as follows: Danubia Series: www.shorttracklive.info

Note: You can contact us in all matters related to the organization of your stay in Białystok with miss Krystyna Bielawska, tel +48 604 412 397, e-mail kersteen@wp.pl

Białystok , Październik 10, 2022



Mr. Bielawski Janusz
President ŁKS Juwenia Białystok



Mr. Tataruch Rafał
President PZŁS

ATTACHMENT

Hampton by Hilton Białystok

Wisławy Szymborskiej 2 15-424 Białystok Poland

Email: reservation@hamptonbialystok.pl, Tel: +48 85 777 00 00



- 2,3 km from the ice rink

Single room with breakfast -200 PLN = approx 41,5 Euro

Double room with breakfast -240 PLN = about 25 Euro per person

Triple room with breakfast -290 PLN = about 20 Euro per person

In addition, the hotel offers lunch for PLN 30 (about EUR 6.5) and dinner also for PLN 30 (EUR 6.5)

Dinner in the form of a "buffet" after 7 p.m. - 11 Euro

To get the rooms in special price you need to enter a password which is YUVENIA and book the rooms via the following email address: m.urbiel@hamptonbialystok.pl. Without this password the discount is not available.

Hotel Turkus

15-703 Białystok Al. Jana Pawła II 54 poLAND

tel: +48 85 66 28 100, email: turkus@jard.pl



- 4.4 km from the ice rink

single room + 3 meals (dinner, breakfast, lunch) -180 PLN per room per night=37,5E

double and triple room + 3 meals (dinner, breakfast, lunch) PLN 135 per person=28 E

PRELIMINARY ENTRY FORM

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Name of Team: _____

List of Participants:

Men: _____

Ladies: _____

No. of Officials: _____

Relay participation: **Men: Yes** **No** **Ladies: Yes** **No**

Relay MIX participation: **Men: Yes** **No** **Ladies: Yes** **No**

Arrival _____

Departure _____

Name of the hotel booked _____

Contact person:

Name _____ **Date** _____

Function _____

FINAL ENTRY FORM

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Name of Team: _____

List of Participants:

	Name	Date of birth	Category	Sex	Best result at 500m	Best result at 1000m	Best result at 1500m
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2.							
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No of Team Officials _____

No of Participants _____

Arrival _____ Departure _____

Name of the hotel booked _____

Contact person:

Name _____ Date _____