



Tallink Hotels CUP 2025

Tallinn, Estonia

ANNOUNCEMENT

International Figure Skating Competition ***In single skating for Senior, Junior, Advanced Novice*** ***(Men and Women)***

Event Time: February 12 - 15, 2025

Organized by: The Estonian Skating Union in cooperation with
Rocca al Mare Skating School (Tallinn, Estonia)

Venue of Competition: **Haabersti Ice Rink**
Size: two arenas of 28 – 58 m each (indoor)
Address: Haabersti 3, Tallinn, Estonia

Website: <http://www.tallinkhotelscup.com/>

Info: **Sportity** App (iOS and Android) using code: **THC2025**

The Tallink Hotels Cup 2025 will be conducted in accordance with the ISU Constitution and General Regulations 2024, the Special Regulations and Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating and Ice Dance 2024 and all respective ISU Communications and the technical requirements of the Estonian Skating Union for the season 2024/2025.

Participation in Tallink Hotels Cup is open to all competitors who belong to an ISU Member, Rule 109, paragraph 1, and qualify with regard to eligibility, according to Rule 102, provided their ages fall within the limits specified in Rule 108, paragraph 3. a) and they meet the participation, citizenship and residency requirements in Rule 109, paragraphs 1 through 5 and ISU Communication 2526 on any update of this communication

In accordance with Rule 109 of the ISU General Regulations and ISU Communication 2526 all Skaters who do not have the nationality of the Member by which they have been entered or who, although having such nationality, have in the past represented another Member, must produce an ISU Clearance Certificate. Passports of all Skaters, as well as the ISU Clearance Certificate, if applicable, must to be presented at the accreditation of the event for verification.

All competitors must be entered through their respective ISU Member Federation.

CATEGORIES AND CLASSES (International Competition)

SENIOR MEN

Short program: The required elements to be skated are those listed in ISU Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating 2024, Rule 611, paragraphs 1 and 3 for 2024/25.

Duration: 2 min., 40 sec. +/- 10 sec.

Free skating: In accordance with ISU Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating 2024, Rule 612 and the respective ISU Communication. Special attention should be paid to the “well balanced program” and the element value.

Duration: 4 min., +/- 10 sec.

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JUNIOR MEN

Short program: The required elements to be skated are those listed in ISU Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating 2024 Rule 611, paragraphs 1 and 3 for 2024/25.

Duration: 2 min., 40 sec. +/- 10 sec.

Free skating: In accordance with ISU Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating 2024, Rule 612 and the respective ISU Communication. Special attention should be paid to the “well balanced program” and the element value.

Duration: 3 min., 30 sec. +/- 10 sec.

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Duration: 2 min., 40 sec. +/- 10 sec.

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Duration: 3 min., 30 sec. +/- 10 sec.

ADVANCED NOVICE MEN

Short program: In accordance with ISU Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating 2024, ISU Communication 2624 and any subsequent updates. Duration: 2 min., 20 sec. +/- 10 sec.

Free skating: In accordance with ISU Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating 2024, ISU Communication 2624 and any subsequent updates. Duration: 3 min. +/- 10 sec

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Short program: In accordance with ISU Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating 2024, ISU Communication 2624 and any subsequent updates. Duration: 2 min., 20 sec. +/- 10 sec.

Free skating: In accordance with ISU Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating 2024, ISU Communication 2624 and any subsequent updates. Duration: 3 min. +/- 10 sec.

- **REGISTRATION OF ENTRIES**

All Entries to the Tallink Hotels Cup 2025 must be done through the **ISU Online Registration System (ORS)** by the deadline indicated.

Each ISU Member Federation may register a maximum of **five (5) competitors** in the **Junior and Advanced Novice categories**. The host member (Estonian Skating Union) may exceed this limit with the confirmation of the OC.

Deadline of entries

Preliminary entry forms must be submitted by **January 6, 2025** at the latest.

Entries that are sent/received after the mentioned deadline will not be accepted.

Entries of Judges

The Member Federation who enters 10 or more skaters is kindly asked to bring a Judge (of at least ISU International level) to the Competition. The Entries of Judges must be made via the ISU Online Registration System (ORS) before **January 6th, 2025**.

The seating order of the Judges will be drawn during the Initial Judges meeting. It is also allowed to bring a Judge if the number of skaters is less than 10.

In case a judge is sent by a member federation, the latter is responsible for the judge's transportation expenses.

Please address any additional questions to **Ms. Anastasia Ischanova** (Event Coordinator)

e-mail: tallinkhotelscup@gmail.com

- **ENTRY FEE :**

105 EUR per skater

Each club has to pay 100% of the total amount for its participant's right after the entry form confirmation, but not later than **January 6, 2025**. The competitor is included in the entry list only after a 100% payment and from that moment can only be substituted by another skater if an emergency cancellation occurs.

Please note that the entry fee is non-refundable after the deadline, regardless of the reason for withdrawal. The Organizing Committee reserves the right to withdraw entries for skaters who have not paid the entry fee by the deadline.

Entry fees must be paid to the following bank account:

MTÜ Haabersti Uisukool (address: 3 Haabersti St., Tallinn, Estonia)
SWEDBANK (address: 8 Liivalaia St., Tallinn 10118, Estonia)
IBAN: EE 932200221055725847
SWIFT/BIC code: HABAE2X

- ✓ We kindly ask the clubs to make **one payment** for all its participants.
- ✓ Please ensure that we receive the net amount of the required payment sum.
- ✓ All registration-related procedures (registration, annulment, changes) must be submitted to the Event Coordinator in written form.
- ✓ In case a skater has been entered in the competition, but cannot participate, she/he can be replaced by another skater **in the same category and class**. Entry fees are not refunded.
- ✓ Participating teams should inform of any changes in their team as soon as possible, but not later than **February 1, 2025**

- **EXPENSES**

Competitors and all other Team Members are responsible for their own travel, accommodation and meal expenses.

- **JUDGES, REFEREES AND TECHNICAL PANEL**

The Organizer will provide accommodation and meals for all Referees, Judges drawn for the panel, Technical Controllers, Technical Specialists, Data and Replay Operators of the International competition.

The **Initial judges meeting** will take place on **February 12** at the ice rink, one hour prior to the beginning of the first event of the international competition. **Round table** will be held at the ice rink half an hour later after the end of the last event of the International competition.

- **MUSIC**

- In accordance with Rule 343 in the ISU Special Regulations Technical Rules Single Pair Skating and Ice Dance, the following method to submit the Competitor's music to the Organizing Committee must be followed. The music files should be sent to the e-mail address: **tallinkhotelscup@gmail.com**
- The participating member is responsible for submitting their Competitor's music as direct attachment to an email to the Organizing Committee (tallinkhotelscup@gmail.com) until **February 1, 2025**. Please note: some music files might exceed the size of a regular email. In this case, an email-based transfer service which allows to send large files could be used to send the file to the OC.
- Each submission shall be labelled with the name of the ISU Member, name of the category, segment and the name(s) of the competitor(s).
Example: EST_SeniorMen_SP_SmithJohn
LAT_JuniorMen_FS_MUSTERMANNMax
- The music files must be sent as WAV or MP3 file formats. Any other format is not acceptable. Please note: Files in MP3 format may have a significant difference in the music quality when reproduced. The Organizing Committee in this case is not responsible if the music quality would be insufficient.
- Each Competitor must have an own back-up drive (USB Stick) for each program in the format of a WAV or MP3 file.
- The exact running time of the music (not skating time) must be communicated to the Organizing Committee when submitting the music and shall be certified by the Competitor/Coach/Team Leader at the time of registration.

- **ACCREDITATION**

Accreditation as a Team Member will be given to all entered Judges, Competitors and one Team Leader per participating team, one Coach per Competitor, a maximum of one Team Officials of ISU Members (including the Member President), provided that they are Council Members, Technical Committee Members or Members of the Head Office of their Federation and a maximum of two medical persons. Accreditation will only be granted to persons in those various functions if officially entered and named through their ISU Member. The ISU Member certifies with the signed entry form the indicated functions within the team of all team members.

Accreditation will take place at the ice rink in the OC Office from February 11 until February 14, 2025. The working hours of the accreditation office will be announced in the Time Schedule, which will available in the Sportity App and on the competition webpage.

- **COMPETITION SCHEDULE**

Starting Order Draws

The draw will be conducted according to the ISU rule 512. The draw will be done at the venue on February 11, 2025, 19:00. Free Skating draw will be done in reverse to result order after publication of Short Program results. The starting orders and the final time schedule shall be published in the Sportity App and on the competition website.

Practice sessions Will be provided for ISU International Competition participants in Junior and Senior categories. The schedule will be available shortly after the Deadline of entries.
Short Program practice session will be provided for Junior and Senior skaters. Music will be played only for Senior category.
Free skating practice will be provided for Senior category only. No music will be played.

Time Schedule will be announced after the deadline of entry forms. Time Schedule will be published on the competition website (www.tallinkhotelscup.com) and Sportity App.

- **LIABILITY**

In accordance with Rule 119, it is the sole responsibility of each Member participating in the Tallink Hotels Cup 2025, to provide medical and accident insurance for their athletes, officials, and all other members of the Member's team. Such insurance must assure full medical attendance and also the return to the home country by air transport or by other expeditious means of the ill or injured person.

The Organizer assumes no responsibility for or liability with respect to bodily or personal injury or property damage incurred in connection with the event mentioned above.

- **AWARDS**

- Three first standings of each category/class shall be awarded with a cup and a special price
- All competitors shall receive a diploma.
- Voucher for photos for each competitor.

- **Accommodation**

Our hotel partner is Tallink Hotels

TALLINK EXPRESS HOTEL, 3*

Location: Sadama 9, 10111 Tallinn, Estonia

- Double room for single use: **61 EUR per night**
- Double room: **68 EUR per night**

Rates include accommodation, buffet breakfast, Wi-Fi, and VAT.

A special accommodation rate applies for the Tallink Hotels Cup 2025 participants during the period 10.-17.02.2025 with the promotional code: **TALLINKCUP**

To book a room please contact reservations department mentioning the promotional code TALLINKCUP via e-mail: hotelbooking@tallink.ee or book via homepage: <https://hotels.tallink.com/>





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www.sportity.com

