



Invitation



Reykjavík International Games

18. - 20. january 2013



The organizing committee of the Reykjavík International Games, invites you to take part in the RIG 2013.

The city of Reykjavík will for the sixth time welcome sports participants to a multisport competition in Laugardalur, the Valley of Sport, taking place January 17-27.

Athletes compete at a high level in various sports in world class facilities. The venue of the games will be the recently refurbished sport area of Laugardalur which will provide a magnificent setting for the games.

The figure skating competition starts Friday January 18th and ends Sunday January 20th.

Events will include track and field, swimming, fencing, gymnastics, dance, archery, table tennis, powerlifting, badminton, figure skating, karate, bowling, skvass, weight lifting, triathlon and judo. In the competition the disabled compete in swimming, table tennis and archery. Some are a part of international circuits and/or give points to world ranking lists. Reykjavik Sports Union and the sports clubs in Reykjavik are the organizers of Reykjavik International Games supported by the city of Reykjavik.

Exciting lectures in collaboration with the Olympic and Sports federation related to elite sport have become an important part of the schedule of the games along with training camps in some sports. Opening and closing ceremonies among other things will keep the athletes happy and entertained and they will also have the opportunity to visit Reykjavík, the Capital of Iceland, with all its sights and sounds. If lucky you might also see the northern lights.

We anticipate that the Games will draw around 2400 participants including 450 foreigners from over 20 countries and many of them among the best. All further information about participating are to be found on our website: www.rig.is



"The official airline of the Reykjavík International Games"





Introduction

On behalf of the Reykjavik Figure Skating Club, we would like to invite you and your club to participate in Reykjavik International Games 2013.

It is a pleasure to welcome figure skaters from figure skating clubs and national figure skating federations associated with the ISU to participate in this international figure skating competition. This will be the 5th year that the Reykjavik Figure Skating Club hosts this competition as part of the Reykjavik International Games.

Organizer

Reykjavík Figure Skating Club

Date: 18. – 20. January 2013

Place of competition: Skautahöllin in Laugardalur
Múlavegi 1
104 Reykjavík

The ice rink size is 30x60 meters, located in the center of Reykjavik, about 40 minutes from Keflavik International Airport.

Entry

All ISU members and clubs, members of National Figure Skating Federations associated with ISU, are invited to take part in the competition. The organizer reserves the right to limit the number of participants in case the number of competitors is too high. The organizing club reserves the right to enter more competitors. The clubs are asked to list the skaters in the order in which they wish to be accepted to the competition.

Categories: All detailed technical data see www.skautafelag.is/list RIG - Technical Data document.

SENIOR, age and requirements according to ISU Rules
Ladies and Men, Short program and Free program

SENIOR B requirements according to Icelandic Skating Association Rules
Competition only in Free Program: 4 min (+/- 10 sec.)

JUNIOR, age and requirements according to ISU Rules
Ladies and Men, Short program and Free program

JUNIOR B requirements according to Icelandic Skating Association Rules
Competition only in Free Program: 3 min 30 sec (+/- 10 sec.)





**NOVICE Advanced, age and requirements according to ISU Rules
Boys and Girls Short program and Free program**

14 year and younger B, girls requirements according to Icelandic Skating Association Rules

Competition only in Free Program: 3 min (+/- 10 sec.)

14 year and younger B, boys requirements according to Icelandic Skating Association Rules

Competition only in Free program, 3 min +/-10 sec

12 YEARS AND YOUNGER A, girls born after June 30, 1999 and younger requirements according to Icelandic Skating Association Rules

Competition only in Free program, 3 min +/-10 sec

11 YEARS AND YOUNGER A, boys born after June 30, 2000 and younger requirements according to Icelandic Skating Association Rules

Competition only in Free program, 2 min 30 sec +/- 10 sec

10 YEARS AND YOUNGER A, girls born after June 30, 2001 and younger requirements according to Icelandic Skating Association Rules

Competition only in Free program, 2 min 30 sec +/- 10 sec

9 YEARS AND YOUNGER A, boys born after June 30, 2002 and younger requirements according to Icelandic Skating Association Rules

Competition only in Free program, 2 min 30 sec +/- 10 sec

8 YEARS AND YOUNGER A, girls born after June 30, 2003 and younger requirements according to Icelandic Skating Association Rules

Competition only in Free program, 2 min 30 sec +/- 10 sec

Evaluation: All categories ISU Judging System

Deadline for entry

All entries (competitors, team leaders, coaches, other attendants) are expected to be e-mailed and received at organizer's address no later than **December 5, 2012**. Enclosed entry form must be used.

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104 Reykjavik
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Important information

Expenses: The organizer covers the expenses of competition, awards and presents. Transfer expenses to and from Reykjavik and accommodation will not be covered by the organizer.

Liability: The organizing committee accepts no responsibility or liability with respect to bodily or personal injury, property loss or damage suffered by the competitors or officials during the competition.

Language: All information will be given in English during the competition.

Music: Music will be played from a CD only. CDs must be handed over to the organizer at the point of registration. The music media must be of good quality and must clearly state the full name of the competitor, program (i.e. long or short), as well as country, name of club and the category in which the skater is entered. All music is returned to the team leader by the end of the competition.

Judges: The participating clubs may propose a judge for the competition. The proposed judge has to be a qualified judge for national championships. Suggestions of judges should be sent to rig@skautafelag.is. Please state name, address/e-mail of judge, club/federation. The panel of judges will be set soon after the closing of entries. The members concerned will then be notified. The organizer will arrange accommodation and meals for judges during the competition. In case of too many nominations the first entered will have the priority. The officials nominated will be posted after the closing date of entries.

Meals: It is possible to buy meals, snacks and drinks at the rink throughout the competition.

Calculation of results: ISU Judging system all categories.

Awards: The three best placed competitors in each category will be awarded special presents, all others diplomas.

Charges: 85 EUR for 2 programs, 60 EUR for 1 program, is to be paid for each competitor. Payments are to be made in advance, no later than December 10, 2012:

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Social events: An award ceremony and a swimming pool party will be held for all participating athletes with unexpected happenings to make the games even more memorable. This is included in the entry fee. Please state number of participants in these events on the entry form. Dinner will be available on Sunday night, before the award ceremony, Cost approx. EUR 20.





Preliminary schedule

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| Tuesday, January 15 | 18:00 | Draw for competitors, random, supervised by the Icelandic federation. |
| Friday, January 18 | 09:00 | Official practice – Novice, Junior, Senior. According to competition schedule. |
| | 19:15 | Open practice session for those who ask for it. |
| Saturday, January 19 | 08:00 | Competition Victory Ceremony |
| Sunday, January 20 | 08:00 | Competition Victory Ceremony |
| | 20.00 | Social Event |

Detailed time schedule for the competition will be sent out with the confirmation.

Depending on the number of participants we might have to adjust the preliminary schedule and start the competition on Friday.

Additional information

1. Office of Organizing Committee will be located in the Ice Rink and will be at your disposal from Friday, January 18, to Sunday, January 20, during the competition and practice time.
2. Planned Program Content form must be sent in by December 20, 2012.
3. If you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact us: E-mail rig@skautafelag.is
4. Confirmation will be sent out after the deadline.
5. Definite timetable and list of participants will be announced to all entered clubs in December 2012.
6. All information about last year's competition is to be found at our website www.skautafelag.is/list, look for Reykjavík International.
7. For those who arrive early in the week, ice-time can be bought on Monday – Thursday mornings between 08:00-13:00, at price per hour EUR 80.





Accommodations

HOTELS and AIRLINES

All participants, except invited judges, pay for their accommodation and travel cost. All participants make their own reservations with the hotel and airline. Please check the official homepage of the games for important information for deals on hotels and flights www.RIG.is

Accommodation : <http://rig.is/accommodation->

Flights : <http://rig.is/flights>

If you need any assistance please do not hesitate to send questions to rig@skautafelag.is .

Additional information can be found at the Reykjavik International website: www.rig.is

Check out last years competition : <http://www.skautafelag.is/list/?pageid=474> photos, info about skaters, results etc.

We hope to see you in Reykjavík!

On behalf of the Reykjavík Figure Skating Club

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