

**Bayerischer Eissport-Verband e.V.**



**2020**

# **BAVARIAN OPEN 2020**

Single & Pair Skating  
and Ice Dance

International Competition for  
Seniors  
Juniors  
Advanced Novices  
Intermediate Novices  
Basic Novices



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# BAVARIAN OPEN 2020

## Single & Pair Skating and Ice Dance

*International Competition*  
*for Seniors, Juniors, Advanced Novices, Intermediate*  
*Novices and Basic Novices (Ice Dance and Pairs)*

**Oberstdorf, Germany**  
03 – 09, February 2020

organized by

**BAYERISCHER EISSPORT-VERBAND e.V.**



and

**Eissport-Club Oberstdorf e.V.**



**Sportstätten Oberstdorf**



sanctioned by

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# Announcement / Invitation

## 1. General

The **Bavarian Open Competition** is conducted in accordance with the ISU Constitution and General Regulations 2018, the Special Regulations & Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating and Ice Dance 2018, the relevant ISU Communications and this Announcement.

The **Bavarian Open Competition** is open to all competitors who belong to an ISU Member and qualify with regard to eligibility according to ISU Rule 102, provided their ages fall within the limits specified in ISU Rule 108, paragraph 3 and they meet the participation, citizenship and residency requirements in ISU Rule 109, paragraphs 1 through 5 and ISU Communication 2030 or any update of this Communication.

In accordance with ISU Rule 109 and ISU Communication 2030 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, have to be presented at the accreditation of the event for verification.

**Organizer:**            **Bayerischer Eissport-Verband e.V.**

**Place:**                Bundesleistungszentrum Oberstdorf  
Roßbichlstraße 2 - 6  
D- 87561 Oberstdorf

The main arena and the practice rink are side by side in the same building with the ice surface of 60m x 30m, heated, air-conditioned and closed.

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**Date:**                 **February 03 – 09, 2020**

**Entries:**            Members of the International Skating Union and their respective Member Clubs are invited to participate in the competition.

Competitors are to enter by their respective Member Federation. The OC will only accept entries from Member Clubs if they are stamped by the respective Member Federation.

Entries into Pair Categories are not limited.

Single and Ice Dance Categories:

Members may enter into each category up to three individual Skaters/ Ice Dance couples with the exception of the Advanced Novice category in ID, Intermediate Novice category in ID and Basic Novice category in ID, in which up to four couples will be

accepted. Members are welcome to add names of substitute skaters. Due to the total number of entries in each category the OC will decide, how many substitute Skaters/ Couples are accepted. The entry of the host member is not limited. Please note that the organizer may divide categories with too many entries into subgroups formed by age. Attached entry forms (Appendix A-C) have to be filled in precisely and have to be sent to the Organizer:

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80992 München  
Fax: +49 89 15799220  
Mail to Ms. Barbara Glatz: [b.glatz@bev-eissport.de](mailto:b.glatz@bev-eissport.de)

### **Entry Deadline is January 10, 2020**

**Entry Fee:**

<b>Seniors, Juniors, Advanced Novices, Intermediate Novice ID</b>	
Single Skater:	€ 70 per person
Pairs / Ice Dance couples:	€ 90 per pair/couple
<b>Intermediate Novice Singles, Basic Novice Pairs/ Ice Dance</b>	
Single Skater:	€ 50 per person
Pairs / Ice Dance couples:	€ 60 per pair/couple

By Entry Deadline the Entry Fees must have been transferred to the following bank account:

Bayerischer Eissport-Verband e.V.  
HypoVereinsbank/UniCredit Bank AG  
Konto 1640035028 BLZ 700 202 70  
IBAN DE80 7002 0270 1640 0350 28  
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**Please Note:** **Entries can only be accepted when the Entry Fee has arrived at the Organizers account. Members/Clubs concerned will receive a confirmation.**

**Expenses:**  
**Competitors:** The organizer will not cover any expenses of competitors.

**Officials:** Members are kindly requested to nominate one International/ISU Judge or International/ISU TS/TC Official for Figure Skating and/or Ice Dance. Judges or TS/TC Officials qualified for both disciplines are very welcome. The nomination of a substitute is appreciated, but the Organizer reserves the right to reduce the number of Judges/Technical Officials in case of too many nominations. The composition of the panels will be finalised after the Entry deadline. It will be published to the participating Member in time. The organizer will cover accommodation for accepted Judges/Technical Officials. Meals are provided for them at the ice-rink during the days of competition.

**Time-Schedule:** The competition starts on February 03, 2020 and will be finished on Sunday, February 09, 2020. A detailed Time Schedule is sent to all participating Members soon after the Entry deadline.

**Accommodation:** The organizer will care about the hotel arrangements for accepted Judges and Technical Officials only.

Skaters, coaches and other team members may book accommodation individually through:

**Tourismus Oberstdorf**  
Vertriebsservice  
Prinzregenten-Platz 1  
87561 Oberstdorf  
Phone: +49 8322 / 700 – 2797  
Fax: +49 8322 / 700 – 1399  
Email: [reservierung@oberstdorf.de](mailto:reservierung@oberstdorf.de)

**Password: “Bavarian Open Figure Skating 2020”**

**Accreditation:** The official accreditation is located at the main entrance of the Ice Rink. Accreditation will be given to Competitors/Coaches, Judges, as well as to Team Officials, as long as they are officially entered with the respective entry form.

**Draws:** The Initial Draws are conducted prior to the respective events. A special Draw Schedule will be published together with the Official Time Schedule.  
There will be no Intermediate Draws. The starting order of FS/FD is the reverse order of the result of SP/RD/PD.

**Results:** The determination and publication of the results will be done according to ISU Technical Rules for Single & Pair Skating and Ice Dance 2018, Rule 352 and 353.

**Awards:** The first three placed Skaters/Couples in each discipline are awarded with Trophies. Diplomas and small memory gifts will be provided for all participants. A special Award Ceremony Schedule will be published with the Official Time Schedule.

**Liability:** In accordance with ISU Rule 119, it is the sole responsibility of each Member participating in the Bavarian Open Figure Skating and Ice Dance 2020, 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 by Competitors and Officials.

**Live Stream:** Live Stream of the Competition is provided.

## Technical Data Single & Pair Skating

### Seniors

**Age Requirements:** In accordance to ISU Constitution and General Regulations 2018, Rule 108, paragraph 3

### Senior Men

**Short Program:** Duration: 2.40 min +/- 10 sec  
Required elements according to ISU Special Regulations & Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating 2018 Rule 611.1 and 2 and the relevant ISU Communication.

**Free Skating:** Duration: 4 min +/- 10 sec

#### **Well balanced Program**

In accordance to ISU Special Regulations & Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating 2018 Rule 612.1

### Senior Ladies

**Short Program:** Duration: 2.40 min +/- 10 sec  
Required elements according to ISU Special Regulations & Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating 2018 Rule 611.1 and 2 and the relevant ISU Communication

**Free Skating:** Duration: 4 min +/- 10 sec

#### **Well balanced Program**

In accordance to ISU Special Regulations & Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating 2018 Rule 612.1

### Senior Pairs

**Short Program:** Duration: 2.40 min +/- 10 sec  
Required elements according to ISU Special Regulations & Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating 2018 Rule 620.1 and 2 and the relevant ISU Communication.

**Free Skating:** Duration: 4 min +/- 10 sec

#### **Well balanced Program**

In accordance to ISU Special Regulations & Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating 2018 Rule 621.2

### Juniors

**Age Requirements:** In accordance to ISU Constitution and General Regulations 2018, Rule 108, paragraph 3

### Junior Men

**Short Program:** Duration: 2.40 min +/- 10 sec

**Free Skating:** Required elements in accordance to ISU Special Regulations & Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating 2018 Rule 611.1 and 3 and the relevant ISU Communication.  
Duration: 3 ½ min +/- 10 sec  
**Well balanced Program**  
In accordance to ISU Special Regulations & Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating 2018 Rule 612.1 and the relevant ISU Communication.

### **Junior Ladies**

**Short Program:** Duration: 2.40 min +/- 10 sec  
Required elements in accordance to ISU Special Regulations & Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating 2018 Rule 611.1 and 3 and the relevant ISU Communication.  
**Free Skating:** Duration: 3 ½ min +/- 10 sec  
**Well balanced Program**  
In accordance to ISU Special Regulations & Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating 2018 Rule 612.1 and the relevant ISU Communication.

### **Junior Pairs**

**Short Program:** Duration: 2.40 min +/- 10 sec  
Required elements according to ISU Special Regulations & Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating 2018 Rule 620. 1 and 3 and the relevant ISU Communication.  
**Free Skating:** Duration: 3 ½ min +/- 10 sec  
**Well balanced Program**  
In accordance to ISU Special Regulations & Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating 2018 Rule 621.3 and the relevant ISU Communication.

### **Novices**

**Age requirements:** In accordance to ISU Constitution and General Regulations 2018, Rule 108. Paragraph 3.c)

### **Advanced Novice Girls and Boys**

**Short Program:** Duration: 2.20 min +/- 10 sec  
Required elements in accordance to ISU Communication No. 2242 Guidelines for International Novice Competitions Single Skating Advanced Novice Girls and Boys B 2.3  
**Free Skating:** Duration: Girls: 3 min +/- 10 sec  
Boys: 3 min +/- 10 sec  
**Well balanced program**  
In accordance to ISU Communication No. 2242  
**Guidelines for International Novice Competitions**  
Single Skating Girls and Boys B 2.3

## **Advanced Novice Pairs**

**Short Program:** Duration: 2.20 min +/- 10 sec  
Required elements in accordance to ISU Communication No. 2242 Guidelines for International Novice Competitions Pair Skating Advanced Novice B 3.2

**Free Skating:** Duration: 3 min +/- 10 sec  
**Well balanced program**  
In accordance to ISU Communication No. 2242  
**Guidelines for International Novice Competitions**  
Pair Skating Advanced Novice B 3.2

## **Intermediate Novice Girls and Boys**

**Free Skating:** Duration: Girls: 3 min +/- 10 sec  
Boys: 3 min +/- 10 sec

**Well balanced program**  
In accordance to ISU Communication No. 2242  
**Guidelines for International Novice Competitions**  
Single Skating Girls and Boys B 2.2

## **Basic Novice Pairs**

**Free Skating:** Duration: 3 min +/- 10 sec  
**Well balanced program**  
In accordance to ISU Communication No. 2242  
**Guidelines for International Novice Competitions**  
Pair Skating basic Novice B 3.1

# **Technical Data Ice Dance**

## **Seniors**

**Age Requirements:** In accordance with ISU Constitution and General Regulations 2018, Rule 108, paragraph 3.a)

**Rhythm Dance:** In accordance with ISU Technical Rules Ice Dance 2018, Rule 709.  
Rhythms, required elements and guidelines are those listed in ISU Communications 2239, 2257 and subsequent updates.  
Duration: 2 min 50 sec +/- 10 sec

**Free Dance:** In accordance with ISU Technical Rules Ice Dance 2018, Rule 710. The required elements to be skated and guidelines are those listed in ISU Communications 2239, 2257 and subsequent updates.  
Duration: 4 min. +/- 10 sec



## **Juniors**

- Age Requirements:** In accordance to ISU Constitution and General Regulations 2018, Rule 108, paragraph 3.b).
- Rhythm Dance:** In accordance with ISU Technical Rules Ice Dance 2016, Rule 709 and all pertinent ISU Communications. Rhythms, required elements and guidelines are those listed in ISU Communication 2239, 2241, 2257 and subsequent updates.  
Duration: 2 min 50 sec +/- 10 sec
- Free Dance:** In accordance with ISU Technical Rules Ice Dance 2018, Rule 710. The required elements to be skated and guidelines are those listed in ISU Communications 2239, 2257 and subsequent updates.  
Duration: 3 min 30 sec +/- 10 sec

## **Advanced Novices**

- Age Requirements:** both partners have reached the age of ten (10) and have not reached the age of fifteen (15) for girls and seventeen (17) for boys
- Pattern Dance:** In accordance with ISU Communications No. 2242, 2257 and subsequent updates.  
The following two **Pattern Dances** are to be skated:  
Group 3:  
**#13 Starlight Waltz**  
**#19 Quickstep**  
Couples shall provide their own music for all Pattern Dances.  
Levels explanation:  
For Pattern Dances, there will be 2 Key Points described and up to Level 3 will be evaluated.  
Calling specifications and Key Point features for Pattern Dances according to ISU Communications 2242, 2257 and subsequent updates.
- Free Dance:** In accordance with ISU Technical Rules Ice Dance 2018 Rule 710 and ISU Communications No. 2239, 2242, 2257 and subsequent updates.  
Duration: 3 min +/- 10 sec  
Levels explanation:  
In all Required Elements (except Choreographic Element), Level 3 is the maximum level the Advance Novice couple may receive. Only features up to Level 3 will be counted. Any additional features the couple chooses to perform will not count for Level requirements and will be ignored by the Technical Panel.

## **Intermediate Novices**

- Age requirements:** by July 1, preceding the competition both partners have not reached the age of fifteen (15)
- Pattern Dance:** In accordance with ISU Communications 2239, 2242, 2257 and subsequent updates. One of the two groups announced for the season shall be drawn before the first practice of the competition.
- ◇ **Group 2: Fourteenstep and Tango**  
◇ **Group 3: Foxtrot and European Waltz**
- Couples shall provide their own music for all Pattern Dances.
- Levels explanation:  
For Pattern Dances, there will be 1 Key Point described and up to Level 2 will be evaluated. Calling specifications and Key Point features for Pattern Dances according to ISU Communications 2242, 2257 and subsequent updates.

- Free Dance:** Duration: 2:30 min +/- 10 sec In accordance with ISU Technical Rules Ice Dance 2018, Rule 710 and ISU Communications 2239, 2242, 2257 and subsequent updates of this ISU Communication.
- Levels explanation:  
In all required elements (except Choreographic Element), Level 2 is the maximum level the Intermediate Novice couple may receive. Only features up to Level 2 will be counted. Any additional features the couple chooses to perform will not count for Level requirements and will be ignored by the Technical Panel.

## **Basic Novices**

- Age requirements:** by July 1. preceding the competition both partners have not reached the age of fifteen (13)
- Free Dance:** Duration: 2 min. +/- 10 sec  
In accordance with ISU Technical Rules Ice Dance 2018, Rule 710 and ISU Communication 2239, 2242, 2257 and subsequent updates
- Levels explanation:  
In all required elements (except Choreographic Element), Level 1 is the maximum level the Basic Novice couple may receive. Only features up to Level 1 will be counted. Any additional features the couple chooses to perform will not count for Level requirements and will be ignored by the Technical Panel.
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## **Music**

All Competitors shall furnish competition music of excellent quality on CD or MP3 format. In accordance with Rule 343 all units must show the Competition event, the Competitors name, the Members name and the exact running time of the Music (not skating time) including any starting signal, and must be submitted at the time of registration.

## **Planned Program Sheet**

Attached "Planned Program Sheets" (Appendix B) have to be filled in precisely and must return together with the entry forms (Appendix A) to the Organizing Committee in time.

## **Program Monitoring**

### **for Advanced Novice, Intermediate Novice and Basic Novice Categories**

As a project of the ISU Development Program it is planned that after conclusion of the respective events ISU Officials give Feedback to Advanced Novices of all disciplines, to Intermediate Novices in Singles and Ice Dance and to Basic Novice Pair- and Ice Dance couples, by evaluating their programs via video in presence of their coaches. Special entry forms are provided under **Appendix C**. A special schedule will be established and published. The participation is free of charge.

## **Coaches Seminar**

### **for Advanced, Intermediate and Basic Novice Skaters**

As an additional project of the ISU Development Program seminars for coaches of all Novice single and pair skaters and ice dancers are planned ahead of the respective competitions. The main focus of these seminars is to explain to the coaches, what judges and officials are looking for, when they evaluate the programs of Novice skaters. Entry forms are provided under **Appendix C**. A special schedule will be published. The participation is free of charge.

## **BAYERISCHER EISSPORT- VERBAND e.V.**

Sissy Krick  
*Chair Figure Skating*

Judith Verständig  
*Chair Ice Dance*



## **BAVARIAN OPEN 2020 Preliminary Schedule (Unofficial)**

### ***February 3, 2020***

#### **Coaches Seminar “Judging of Novice Skaters “ (GOE + PC)**

FS Intermediate Boys

FS Intermediate Girls

SP Advanced Novice Girls

SP Advanced Novice Boys

### ***February 4, 2020***

#### **Program Monitoring of Intermediate Novice Single Skaters**

FS Advanced Novice Girls

FS Advanced Novice Boys

SP Junior Ladies

#### **Coaches Seminar “Judging of Novice Pairs “ (GOE + PC)**

### ***February 5, 2020***

#### **Program Monitoring of Advanced Novice Single Skaters**

SP Advanced Novice Pairs

SP Junior Pairs

FS Junior Ladies

SP Junior Men

### ***February 6, 2020***

FS Basic Novice Pairs

FS Advanced Novice Pairs

FS Junior Pairs

FS Junior Men

SP Senior Ladies

SP Senior Pairs

#### **Coaches Seminar “Judging Novice Ice Dance” (GOE + PC)**

### ***February 7, 2020***

#### **Program Monitoring of Novice Pair Skaters**

FD Basic Novice Ice Dance

PD Intermediate Novice Ice Dance

PD Advanced Novice Dance

RD Junior Dance

FS Senior Ladies

FS Senior Pairs

### ***February 08, 2020***

FD Intermediate Novice Ice Dance

FD Advanced Novice Dance

#### **Program Monitoring of Novice Ice Dancers**

FD Junior Dance

SP Senior Men

RD Senior Dance

### ***February 09, 2020***

FS Senior Men

FD Senior Dance