

Bayerischer Eissport-Verband e.V.



2023

BAVARIAN OPEN 2023

**Single & Pair Skating
and Ice Dance**

International Competition for
Seniors
Juniors
Advanced Novices
Intermediate Novices ID



Oberstdorf

Supported By:



BAVARIAN OPEN 2023

Single & Pair Skating and Ice Dance

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

Oberstdorf, Germany
31 January – 05 February 2023

organized by

BAYERISCHER EISSPORT-VERBAND e.V.



and

Eissport-Club Oberstdorf e.V.



Sportstätten Oberstdorf



sanctioned by

Deutsche Eislauf-Union e.V.



deutsche eislauf-union e.v.



Announcement / Invitation

1. General

The **Bavarian Open Competition** is conducted in accordance with the ISU Constitution and General Regulations 2022, the Special Regulations & Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating and Ice Dance 2022, subsequent updates following der ISU Congress 2022, and the relevant ISU Communications and this Announcement.

The **Bavarian Open Competition** is open to all competitors who belong to an ISU Member and qualify concerning 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.

Following 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.

Covid 19 Measures: the organizer will summarize all necessary information with respect to the restrictions and all required procedures. This information will also include a guideline on tests, documents, etc.

Feedback Sessions supported by ISU Development Program

As a project of the ISU Development Program, Advanced Novice and Junior Pairs and Ice Dance Couples are welcome to sign up for an individual post-competition feedback session and video analysis by ISU Officials. The registered participants will be provided with a USB stick after the discussion for further self-reflection of the comments made. The presence of their coaches is appreciated. Participation is free of charge. Special entry forms are provided **as a special column under Appendix B**. A special schedule will be established and published. These sessions will be conducted in person following the then-present Covid-19 guidelines.

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.

Date: **31 January – 05 February 2023**

Entries: All Members of the International Skating Union are invited to participate in the competition.

Competitors are to be entered by their 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 except for the Advanced Novice category in ID and Intermediate 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. The attached entry forms (Appendix A-D) have to be filled in precisely and have to be sent to the Organizer:

Bayerischer Eissport-Verband e.V.
Georg-Brauchle-Ring 93
80992 München
Fax: +49 89 15799220
Mail to Ms. Barbara Glatz: b.glatz@bev-eissport.de

Entry Deadline is December 15, 2022

Entry Fee: **Seniors, Juniors, Advanced Novices, Intermediate Novice ID**

Single Skater:	€ 90 per person
Pairs / Ice Dance couples:	€ 140 per pair/couple

Intermediate Novice Ice Dance

Ice Dance couples:	€ 100 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
BIC HYVEDEMMXXX

Please Note: **Entries can only be accepted when the Entry Fee has arrived at the Organizers account. Members concerned will receive a confirmation.**

Expenses of Competitors:

The organizer will not cover any expenses of competitors.

Officials:

Members are kindly requested to nominate one International/ISU Judge and/or International/ISU TS/TC Official for Figure Skating and for 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 members 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 is planned to start on January 31, 2023 and will be finished on Sunday, February 05, 2023. Depending on the number of Advanced Novice entries the competition may start already in the afternoon of January 30. 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

Password: “Bavarian Open Figure Skating 2023”

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.**

Practice Ice:

Additional Practice Ice is available, when applicable, by

Thomas-speiser@oberstdorf-sport.de

Phone: +49 8322 700 5006

Fax: +49 8322 700 5099

Draws:

The Initial Draws are conducted prior to the event. Pending the then-present Covid situation the initial draws will be conducted

electronically or in person. We will inform the members accordingly.

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 2022, Rule 352 and 353, and subsequent updates following the ISU Congress 2022

Awards: The first three placed Skaters/Couples in each discipline are awarded Trophies. 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 2023, 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, Officials, or other participating persons.

Live Stream/TV: Live Stream of the Competition is provided. By entering the competition, each person agrees on recordings and/or transmissions (e.g. via the internet, TV) of his/her/their performance, appearance, picture, voice, or other personal characteristics displayed in connection with the event, towards an unrestricted audience and without temporal or geographical limits.

Music: All music must be provided to the Organizing Committee in MP3 or M4A format latest **by 25 January 2023**.

The music must be sent to:

isu.music@cst-music.de

All competitors must be able to provide back-up copies on CD in excellent format on site if requested.

Planned Program Sheet

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

Technical Data Single & Pair Skating

Seniors

Age Requirements: In accordance to ISU Constitution and General Regulations 2022, 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 2022 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 2022 Rule 612.1

Senior Women

Short Program: Duration: 2.40 min +/- 10 sec
Required elements according to ISU Special Regulations & Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating 2022 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 2022 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 2022 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 2022 Rule 621.2

Juniors

Age Requirements: In accordance to ISU Constitution and General Regulations 2022, Rule 108, paragraph 3

Junior Men

Short Program: Duration: 2.40 min +/- 10 sec
Required elements in accordance to ISU Special Regulations & Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating 2022 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 2022 Rule 612.1 and the relevant ISU Communication.

Junior Women

Short Program:

Duration: 2.40 min +/- 10 sec
Required elements in accordance to ISU Special Regulations & Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating 2022 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 2022 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 2022 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 2022 Rule 621.3 and the relevant ISU Communication.

Novices

Age requirements:

In accordance to ISU Constitution and General Regulations 2022, 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. 2489 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. 2489
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. 2489 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. 2489
Guidelines for International Novice Competitions
Pair Skating Advanced Novice B 3.2

Technical Data Ice Dance

Seniors

Age Requirements: In accordance with ISU Constitution and General Regulations 2022, Rule 108, paragraph 3.a)

Rhythm Dance: In accordance with ISU Technical Rules Ice Dance 2022, Rule 709. Rhythms, required elements, and guidelines are those listed in ISU Communications 2468, 2484, 2494, and subsequent updates.

Duration: 2 min., 50 sec. +/- 10 sec

Free Dance In accordance with ISU Technical Rules Ice Dance 2022, Rule 710. The guidelines and required elements to be skated are those listed in ISU Communications 2468, 2484, 2494, and subsequent updates.

Duration: 4 min. +/- 10 sec.

Juniors

Age Requirements: In accordance with ISU Constitution and General Regulations 2022, Rule 108, paragraph 3.b)

Rhythm Dance: In accordance with ISU Technical Rules Ice Dance 2022, Rule 709. Rhythms, required elements, and guidelines are those listed in ISU Communications 2468, 2484, 2494, and subsequent updates.

Duration: 2 min., 50 sec., +/- 10 sec.

Free Dance: In accordance with ISU Technical Rules Ice Dance 2022, Rule 710. The guidelines and required elements to be skated are those listed in ISU Communication 2468, 2484, 2494, and subsequent updates.

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

Advanced Novices

Age Requirements: In accordance with the ISU Communication No. 2463.

Pattern Dances: In accordance with the ISU Communication No. 2463, 2494, and subsequent updates.
The following Two (2) Pattern Dances are to be skated:

- **Westminster Waltz**
- **Argentine Tango**

Couples shall provide their own music for all Pattern Dances.

Free Dance: In accordance with the ISU Communication No. 2463, 2484, 2494, and subsequent updates.

Duration: 3:00 min. +/- 10 sec.

Intermediate Novices

Age Requirements: In accordance with the ISU Communication No. 2463.

Pattern Dances: In accordance with the ISU Communication No. 2463, 2494, and subsequent updates.
One of the two groups announced for the season shall be drawn before the first practice of the competition.

- **Group 3: Rocker Foxtrot and American Waltz**
- **Group 4: Fourteenstep and Tango**

Couples shall provide their own music for all Pattern Dances.

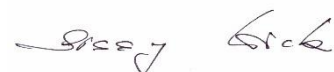
Free Dance: In accordance with the ISU Communication No. 2463, 2484, 2494, and subsequent updates.

Duration: 2:30 min +/- 10 sec

BAYERISCHER EISSPORT-VERBAND e.V.



Vice President
Figure Skating



Chair
OC



BAVARIAN OPEN 2023 Preliminary Schedule (Unofficial)

January 31st, 2023

Advanced Novice Girls – SP
Advanced Novice Boys – SP
Junior Men – SP

February 1st, 2023

Advanced Novice Girls – FS
Advanced Novice Boys – FS
Junior Men – FS

February 2nd, 2023

Junior Women – SP
Intermediate Novice ID – PD
Advanced Novice ID – PD
Advanced Novice Pairs – SP
Junior Pairs – SP
Senior Pairs – SP

February 3rd, 2023

Intermediate Novice ID – FD
Advanced Novice ID – FD
Feedback Sessions Intermediate and Advanced Novice ID Couples

Junior Women – FS
Advanced Novice Pairs – FS
Junior Pairs – FS
Senior Pairs – FS
Feedback Sessions Advanced Novice and Junior Pairs

Junior ID – RD

February 4th, 2023

Junior ID – FD
Feedback Sessions Junior Ice Dance Couples

Senior Women - SP
Senior Men – SP
Senior ID – RD

February 5th, 2023

Senior Women – FS
Senior Men – FS
Senior ID – FD

All meetings, e.g. Initial TP and Judges Meetings and Round Table Discussions will be included according.