



# AMBER CUP 2025

An International Figure Skating Competition for Single  
Skating

**November 21-23, 2025**

**Riga, Latvia**

## ANNOUNCEMENT



Competition organized by the Latvian Skating Association and Society "Latvijas  
sinhronas slidosanas attistibai"

## 1 Event Data

Host and Organizer: Biedrība "Latvijas sinhronās slidošanas attīstībai" (Society "Development of Latvian Synchronized Skating") supported by its club "Amber" and Latvian Skating Association.

Competition Rink: Daugava ice rink - modern indoor skating rink with 2 ice patches, 30 x 60 m and 26 x 60 m, heated. The Competition Rink has a capacity of 750 spectators (500 seats).

Address: Augsiela 1, LV-1009, Riga, Latvia  
<https://www.lnsc.lv/sports/ledus-halle-daugava/>

The Amber Cup 2025 is an international figure skating competition for single skating.

## 2 General Regulations

The Amber Cup 2025 will be conducted in accordance with the ISU Constitution and General Regulations 2025, the Special Regulations and Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating and Ice Dance 2024, and the relevant ISU Communications. Participation in the Amber Cup 2025 is open to all Competitors who belong to an ISU Member, 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 or 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 be presented at the accreditation of the event for verification. All competitors must be entered through their respective ISU Member Federation. The Organizing Committee (OC) has the final decision about the quota for any club/country/federation and the right to refuse to accept the entry (full or partially). All information will be available at the Sportity application, password AMBER2025

## 3 Technical data

All programs will be judged following ISU communications for the season 2025-2026.

## 4 Categories

<b>Men</b>	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 2025/26. 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. Duration: 4 min., +/- 10 sec.
<b>Women</b>	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 2025/26. 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. Duration: 4 min., +/- 10 sec.
<b>Junior Women</b>	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 2025/26. 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. Duration: 3 min., 30 sec. +/- 10 sec.
<b>Junior Men</b>	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 2025/26. 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. Duration: 3 min., 30 sec. +/- 10 sec.
<b>Advance Novice Girls and Boys</b>		Skaters must have reached the age of 10 and have not reached the age of sixteen (16), by 1st July 2025.

Short Program	Duration 2 minutes 20 seconds ( $\pm$ 10 seconds). Factor 1.07 for Girls and 1.20 for Boys. Required elements as per ISU Communication 2699.
Free Skating	Duration 3 minutes ( $\pm$ 10 seconds). Factor 2.13 for Girls and 2.40 for Boys. Required elements as per ISU Communication 2699.

## 5 Entries

Entries for competitions may be submitted by the respective member federation.

All entries for AMBER CUP 2025 must be done through the ISU Online Registration System (ORS) by the deadline indicated.

### 5.1 Preliminary entries

The preliminary entries must reach the Organizing Committee by 20<sup>th</sup> September 2025, by entering the information through **ISU Online Registration System (ORS)**.

### 5.2 Entries of Competitors

Entries in each category for the Amber Cup 2025 must be submitted to the Organizing Committee no later than **Wednesday, October 1st, 2025 at 22:00 (Riga time)**. Entries will be closed once the maximum number of participants has been reached.

The entries must be submitted via the **ISU Online Registration System (ORS)**: <https://fsk-ors.isu.swisstiming.com>.

Each ISU Member may enter competitors in each category. The participation of the host Member is not limited. The Organizing Committee reserves the right to limit the number of participants in case of overcrowding. If such limitations are necessary, priority will be given to countries that have submitted Preliminary Entries.

The Organizing Committee retains the authority to accept entries after the deadline via the ORS, but only if space and scheduling permit.

### 5.3 Entry Fee

Single skating - 100 EUR.

Entry fees must be paid after confirmation of participation.

Entry fees are required at the time of final entries (no later than October 1st, 2025). Entry fees cannot be refunded in case of withdrawals for any reason.

Please direct your payment to:

Bank: "SWEDBANK"

BIC (Swift): HABALV22 IBAN: LV44HABA0551039263273

Account Holder: LATVIJAS SINHRONAS SLIDOSANAS ATTISTIBAI BIEDRIBA,

Reg. No. 40008229504

Address: Sencu iela 1-29, Riga, LV-1012

## 6 Officials

### 6.1 Entries of Judges

Each participating country may nominate one (1) to two (2) judges. The official Judges' Nomination Form must be sent to the OC of the Amber Cup 2025 not later than **October 1st, 2025**.

### 6.2 Referees, Technical Controllers and Technical Specialists

Referees, Technical Controllers, and Technical Specialists will be nominated by the Organizing Committee based on the respective ISU list of Officials and lists of National level.

Travel and accommodation will be covered for the technical panel and judges invited by the Organizing Committee, as well as the accommodation for the judges sent by the members.

Please find the draft of the meeting and competition schedule for the Official Draw (starting order), the Team Leaders Meeting, Initial Judges Meeting, and the Judges Round Table Discussions below in this announcement (preliminary event and meeting schedule).

### 6.3 Meals, Lodging, and Travel Expenses

Travel expenses will be reimbursed for Technical Panel Officials (Technical Specialists and Technical Controllers) and Referees only (economy airfare).

DROs, TSs, TCs, Referees, and Judges will be picked up from the airport Riga if OC receives travel information before October 1st, 2025.

The organizer will provide and cover accommodation for invited Technical Specialists, Technical Controllers, Referees, and nominated Judges from November 20 to November 23. The OC will also provide meals for the Technical Panel, the Referees, and the nominated Judges. Meals will be covered from November 20, starting with dinner, until November 23, ending with breakfast.

The rooms for the Technical Panel and nominated Judges will be reserved by the Organizing Committee upon receipt of the entry in the Official Hotel.

Any extra expense incurred by any Official will be the responsibility of that person.

All Competitors, Coaches, Team Managers, Team Leaders, and Physicians shall bear their own travel, accommodation, and meal expenses.

## 7 Music

### **Music upload and submission:**

Online music submission is the ONLY accepted method to submit program music. The uploaded program music file MUST conform to the following specifications:

- Each program music must be recorded as one single track, in a separate file, and of excellent quality.
- Mandatory music format is .mp3 file format.
- each music file should be labelled <Category> <Name> <program SP or FS> for example JuniorA\_NameSurname\_SP or BasicNovice\_NameSurname\_FS.

Music should be sent to [info@rigaambercup.eu](mailto:info@rigaambercup.eu) . latest until **November 10th. 2025**.

## 8 Planned Program Contents (PPC)

With the entry forms, the "Program Content Sheet" must be returned to the Organizing Committee ([info@rigaambercup.eu](mailto:info@rigaambercup.eu)) deadline **November 10, 2025**.

It is mandatory that the Program Content Sheet is completed precisely for each skater in Novice, Junior, and Senior categories in English using the proper terminology.

## 9 Starting order / Draw

The draw will be done for all categories on Thursday, November 20 at 15:00 (local time) in Daugava ice rink.

Starting order will be published not later than 23:59, November 20, on competition website: <https://www.rigaambercup.eu/> and on Sportity App.

The starting order of Free Skating will be the reverse order of Short Program results.

## 10 Time Schedule

The preliminary schedule will be published after the closing of entries, and it will be available on our website <https://www.rigaambercup.eu/> and the Sportity App. The final schedule will be available after the draw.

## 11 Awards

Awards will take place right after the end of the competition. The three best-placed competitors in each category will be awarded a medal. All competitors will receive a diploma.

## 12 Results

Result information and detailed protocols will be available on the competition website and on the Sportity Application.

## 13 Liability and insurance

In accordance with ISU Rule 119, it is the sole responsibility of each member participating in the Amber Cup 2025, to provide health and accident insurance for their athletes, officials, and all other members. Such insurance must cover full medical attendance and the return to the country of origin of the ill or injured person.

The Organizing Committee of the Amber Cup 2025 shall not be held responsible or liable for any bodily injury, personal injury, or property damage sustained by competitors or officials during the event.

A medical team will be present at the competition rink to provide emergency medical services to all participants during the event, free of charge.

## 14 Publicity Waiver

Each individual waives any rights to financial remuneration or other compensation for the use or reproduction of their image or likeness and grants permission to use them before, during, or following the Amber Cup 2025, in Riga, Latvia.

## 15 Contacts and Information

For any questions or additional information, please contact the Organizing Committee by email: [info@rigaambercup.eu](mailto:info@rigaambercup.eu).

We will be happy to help!

Amber Cup 2025 Organizing Committee:

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For recent updates and more information:

[www.rigaambercup.eu](http://www.rigaambercup.eu)

<https://www.facebook.com/RIGAAMBERCUP/>

Sportity Application, password AMBER2025

# WELCOME TO AMBER CUP 2025!



# Preliminary Competition Timetable

**Subject to Change!**

## **Thursday, November 20, 2025**

- Arrival of Officials
- Extra practice (please contact OC upon availability)
- 15:00 Draws (Daugava ice rink)

## **Friday, November 21, 2025**

- Initial Judges meeting
- Technical Controller and Referees Meeting
- Official practice SP/FS: ISU Men, Women, Junior Men, Women, Advanced Novice Girls, Boys
- **Competition:**
  - o **Short Program:** ISU Men, Women, Junior Men, Women, Advanced Novice Girls, Boys

## **Saturday, November 22, 2025**

- **Competition**
  - o **Free program:** ISU Men, Women, Junior Men, Women, Advanced Novice Girls, Boys
- Awards
- RTD

## **Sunday, November 23, 2025**

- Departures

## Submission Requirements and Deadlines

	<b>Deadline</b>	<b>To be Submitted Via</b>
Preliminary Entries	September 20, 2025	ORS
Entry by Name for Competitors	October 1, 2025	ORS
Entry By Name for Judges	October 1, 2025	<a href="mailto:info@rigaambercup.eu">info@rigaambercup.eu</a>
Payment by Club	October 1, 2025	Bank transfer
Music File Submission	November 10, 2025	<a href="mailto:info@rigaambercup.eu">info@rigaambercup.eu</a>
Planned Program Content	November 10, 2025	<a href="mailto:info@rigaambercup.eu">info@rigaambercup.eu</a>