International Figure Skating Competition Single Skating for Senior and Junior Men and Women



30.01.2026-01.02.2026

Kaunas, Lithuania

ANNOUNCEMENT / INVITATION

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WELCOME

The Organizing Committee are glad to invite you and your club to participate in the SILVER SKATE WINTER CUP 2026 International Competition.

GENERAL REGULATIONS

The SILVER SKATE WINTER CUP 2026 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 the relevant ISU Communications.

Participation in the SILVER SKATE WINTER CUP 2026 is open to all Competitors who belong to an ISU Member, and its member Clubs, 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. Clubs registered at ISU Members Federations can participate in competitions or Invited clubs ONLY. The OC can have a final design about over quota for any club/country/federation or refuse to accept the entry (full or partially). All the regarding info will be available at Sportity application, password WINTER2026

TECHNICAL DATA

PLACE

Venue: Kauno Ledo Rūmai, Kovo 11-osios g. 26, Kaunas, Lithuania.

(an indoor ice-rink with ice surface of 27 x 60 m, air-conditioned and heated)

Main and Practice Rink are in the same complex / building

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 2025/26.

Duration: 2 minutes 40 seconds ±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 element values.

Duration: 4 minutes ±10 sec.

WOMEN

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 minutes 40 seconds ±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 element values.

Duration: 4 minutes ±10 sec.

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 2025/26.

Duration: 2 minutes 40 seconds ±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 element values.

Duration: 3 minutes 30 seconds ±10 sec.

JUNIOR WOMEN

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 minutes 40 seconds ±10 sec.

Free Skating

In accordance with **ISU Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating 2022**, Rule 612 and the respective ISU Communication. Special attention should be paid to the "well-balanced program" and element values.

Duration: 3 minutes 30 seconds ±10 sec.

ENTRIES OF COMPETITORS

Members can enter any quantity of Skaters into each category. Organizers have the right to refuse or limit participation in competition.

The Entries by names must be made via the ISU Online Registration System (ORS) not later than Tuesday, 5th January 2026 21.00 h. (local time Lithuania)

ENTRY FEE

95 EUR per skater (Men, Women, Junior)

ENTRY FEE PAYMENT

Entry fees must be paid after confirmation of member participation. Bill must be paid with one (1) transaction for all the country/member participants.

The entry fee will not be refunded after the deadline in case of withdrawals for any reason.

The entry fees must be transferred to following bank account:

Bank account holder: SIDABRINĖ PAČIŪŽA

Bank: AB SEB Bankas

Bank code: 70440

Account No: LT44 7044 0600 0821 3169

SWIFT code: CBVILT2X

Purpose of payment: Country and name of skater (skaters)

PRACTISE

Extra fee: 30.- Euro / 30 min. person. The detailed schedule will be available in a week after entries deadline.

APPOINTED EVENT OFFICIALS / ENTRYIES OF JUDGES

This Silver Skate Cup 2026 event will follow the principles of International Skating Union for appointing the event officials. The members of each individual Technical Panel, Referee and Judges will have at least the qualification "International". Each participating ISU Member may nominate one (1) Judge with the qualification "Judge for International competitions" or "ISU Judge" per discipline, double. We cover hotel's/meal/pocket money ONLY for Judges who are acting in several panels except those where own federation skaters are presented. The Panels of Judges will consist of five (5) Judges in all panels. In case of too many nominated judges the organizer will draw the panel of judges immediately after the closing date for the entries. The result of such draw will be communicated to all ISU Members involved in writing immediately after the conclusion of such draw.

MUSIC

All competitors shall furnish by January 20th, 2026 competition music of excellent quality via email to hello@silverskkate.lt. The music files must be sent as MP3, M4A or WAV format. Any other format is not acceptable. In accordance with Rule 343 paragraph 2. must have Competitor's name, Member's 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. Each Competitor must have an own back-up drive (USB Stick) in the format of a MP3, M4A or WAV format. If music information is not complete and music not provided, accreditation will not be given. In accordance to the ISU Constitution and General Regulations 2024 the Special Regulations Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating and Ice Dance 2024 each skater and his/her lawful representative is solely responsible for the music rights and licenses for their program's music. The OC will take no responsibility for licensing the program/performance music.

DRAW

The Starting orders will be drawn by the representative of 2 Team Leaders for the short program. Starting orders for the second segment FS will be reverse order of the result of SP.

EXPENSES

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

ARRIVAL OF PARTICIPANTS / TEAMS

The nearest airport to the official hotel is Kaunas International Airport (KUN), located 16 km from the hotel and 11 km from the competition venue. Please note that the Organizing Committee does not provide transportation from the airport for participating teams.

A larger airport option is Vilnius International Airport (VNO), located approximately 100 km from Kaunas. If you choose to arrive in Vilnius, you can travel to Kaunas by:

Bus: Vilnius \rightarrow Kaunas Travel time: \sim 1 hour

Tickets available at: https://www.autobusubilietai.lt/en

Train: Vilnius \rightarrow Kaunas Travel time: \sim 1 hour

Tickets available at: https://ltglink.lt/en

Car sharing/ Taxi

Services available via Bolt or CityBee mobile applications.

OFFICIAL HOTEL

IBIS KAUNAS CENTRE – hotel for officials and teams, (5 km. 10 min. from icerink by car/bus) Vytauto av 28, 44328 Kaunas, Lithuania

Special prices for hotel reservation using code: Silver Skate 2026.

Contact for reservations: <u>Greta.DAMBRAUSKIENE@accor.com</u>

Single room - 50 euro + 2 euro city tax

Double room - 60 euro + 2 euro city tax

Parking – 10 euro per day or 1 euro for 1 hour.

ACCOMODATION

The Organizer will make the room arrangements for INVITED officials only. Skaters, coaches and other team members can book accommodation them selves

TRANSFER

Transfer between IBIS KAUNAS CENTRE and the venue NOT PROVIDED. But Taxi (Bolt) is available all the time, the cost of 1 trip is about 5-7 euro/car.

ACCREDITATION

At the venue - Kauno Ledo rumai, OC office during competition days.

In accordance with the ISU Directive please note that at the time of registration we have to copy and file the passport of the Skaters (in case you happen to bring it with you or send it by e-mail beforehand it will make us very happy).

RESULTS

The marking system (ISU Judging System) as described in ISU Technical Rule Single & Pair Skating 2024, Rule 352 and Rule 353 (Determination and publication of results) will be used.

Result information and detailed protocols will be avaliable on the website: and Sportity application

AWARDS

The top three competitors in each event (Final results) will be honored and awarded by Trophies, special presents and diplomas; others will receive memory presents.

The exact time of the Awarding Ceremonies will be announced in the detailed schedule in due time. Please make sure that all skaters are represented at the Ceremony.

INSURANCE / LIABILITY

In accordance with Rule 119, it is the sole responsibility of each Member participating in the Silver Skate Winter Cup 2026, 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.

Please note – livestream video and photography is provided during all the event.

THE CODE OF ETHICS

All the skaters, coaches, judges, chaperons should follow the ISU Communication 2702, (or any update of this Communication). Action against this rule conducts by itself the disqualification of the skater.

TIMETABLE

Detailed time schedule will be sent to all members soon after the close of entries. Preliminary Schedule

ISU events: 30.01.2026 - 01.02.2026

Interclub events: 30.01.2026 - 01.02.2026

Preliminary Judge Meeting: 30.01.2026 (morning)

RTD - same day after each event or next morning

MISCELLANIOUS

Please note livestream video provided during all the competition long Professional photographers are working at both ice rinks and organizers have the right to use any photo for commercial purposes

GDPR

By entering all participants accept that personal data are collected by the Organizing Committee (OC) such data are stored and used by the OC, and when necessary, third parties,

for the purposes only of, and to the extant necessary only in relation to facilitate their participation in the competition; personal data may include but will not be limited to full legal name as per national identity documents, address, date of birth, nationality, sex.

