



# ***Announcement***

## ***III International Figure Skating Competition***

# **TARTU TRITSUTAJATE TROPHY 2009**

**Event Time:** **May 1-3, 2009**

**Organized by:** **Figure Skating Club Tritsutajad**

**Venue of Competition:** **Tartu Ice Rink (heated)**  
Address: Ringtee 75, Tartu, Estonia

TARTU TRITSUTAJATE TROPHY 2009 will be conducted for **invited clubs only** in accordance with the ISU Constitution and General Regulations, the ISU Special Regulations for Figure Skating as well as all pertinent ISU Communications for Figure Skating and the regulations and classification of the Estonian Skating Union.

In the B-class, judging shall be done in the 6.0 system. All A-class categories shall be judged according to the new ISU judging system.

### **Competition will be held in the following single skating categories and classes:**

<b>CHICKS</b>	A and B class born in 2001/2002 and younger Free Program: Boys and Girls 2 min. (+/-10 sec.)
<b>CUBS</b>	A and B class born in 1999/2000 and younger Free Program: Boys 2.30 min. (+/-10 sec.), Girls 2 min. (+/-10 sec.)
<b>SPRINGS</b>	A and B class born in 1997/98 Free Program: Boys 3 min. (+/-10 sec), Girls 2.30 min. (+/-10 sec.)
<b>DEBS</b>	A and B class born in 1995/96 Free Program: Boys 3.30 min. (+/-10 sec.), Girls 3 min. (+/-10 sec.)
<b>NOVICE</b>	A and B class in compliance with Comm. <b>1397</b> born in 1993/94 and younger

Short Program: max 2.30 min.  
Free Program: Boys 3.30 min. (+/-10 sec.), Girls 3 min. (+/-10 sec.)

**JUNIORS** According to the ISU regulations 310, 320 and Communications No. 1494, 1504. No lower age limit (i.e. may be younger than 13).

**BEGINNERS** born in 1997/1998/1999  
Short Program: max 2min (+/-10 sec).

**BEGINNERS** born in 1994/1995/1996  
Short Program: max 2.30 min(+/-10sec).

**BEGINNERS** born in 1983-1993  
Short Program: max 2 min

**BEGINNERS** born from 1983  
Short Program: max 2 min

**SYNCHRONIZED SKATING** Free program 2.00(+/-10 sec)

- ✓ The Organizers have the right to split categories if the number of participants requires that.
- ✓ If the competitor fails to finish the program within the time limit, deductions shall be made according to the ISU regulations.

## **REGISTRATION OF ENTRIES**

Each **invited club** has the right to enter competitors in any category and class. *However, the Organizer shall have a right to limit the number of skaters from invited clubs and shall apply the "first come, first serve" principle.* Entries must be submitted in a written form (see Annex 1). Please note your contact information (e-mail, phone) on the entry form.

Preliminary entry forms must be submitted by **March 15, 2009 (12.00)** at the latest.  
**Entries that are sent/received after the mentioned deadline will not be accepted.**

Entries can be sent by e-mail on the following address:

Please address your entry form to **Mrs. Heidi Andersson** (Organizer)

**e-mail:** [heidy@tritsutajad.ee](mailto:heidy@tritsutajad.ee)

**Phone:** +372 53 490 747

**ENTRY FEE:** 40 EUR for B-class skaters,  
55 EUR for A-class skaters and Juniors. Entry fee must be paid **upon preliminary registration** (i.e. right after you have received a confirmation on participation) to the following bank account:

Recipient: **MTÜ Tartu Uisuklubi** (address: Pohla 13-3, 51110, Tartu, Estonia)

**SAMPOPANK**

**Account:** 334655730006

**IBAN:** EE313300334655730006

**SWIFT/BIC** code: FORE EE 2X

- ✓ We kindly ask the clubs to make one payment for all its participants.
- ✓ All registration-related procedures ( annulment, changes) must be submitted to the Main Judge in written form.

Main Judge:

Mr. Raimo Reinsalu

E mail: [raimo.skate@hotmail.com](mailto:raimo.skate@hotmail.com)

Phone: +372 51 09 849

- ✓ In case a skater has been entered in the competition, but cannot participate, she/he can be replaced by another skater in the same category and class. Entry fees are not refunded.
- ✓ Participating teams should inform of any changes in their team as soon as possible, but not later than **April 15, 2009**.

**AWARDING** Three first standings of each category/class will be awarded with a cup and diploma. All other competitors receive a diploma and medal at the awarding ceremony

**PROTESTS** Each team has the right to submit protest against the judges' decision. Protests must be submitted to the Referee of the relevant event at the latest immediately after the event. Upon the submission of the protest a protest fee of 30 EUR must be paid. The referee's decision is final. In the new ISU judging systems no protests can be filed against the judges, but against the right determination of the executed element.

**MUSIC** CD-s can be used. Music (equipped with the full name of the competitor, club and category) must be submitted to the announcer's desk before the relevant event and picked up from the same place after the event.

#### **PLANNED PROGRAM CONTENT**

All A-class competitors are asked to send their planned elements (*Annex 2*) by e-mail to Mrs. Heidi Andersson (see contact information above) by **April 03, 2009** at the latest. The Sheet must be completed in English using the terminology listed in ISU Communication 1494 or any update.

#### **DRAWING**

**Drawing time:** May 30, 2009 from 16:00 at Lõunakeskus Ice Rink

**NB! A detailed time schedule will be delivered 1 week before the competition to the e-mail address indicated on your earlier submitted list of entries. Time schedule will be also on web site [www.tritsutajad.ee](http://www.tritsutajad.ee)**

**EXPENSES** The Organizer does not pay any expenses of the teams. Travel expenses, board and accommodation will be borne by the participants.

**PROTOCOL** Protocol shall be available at the Figure Skating Club Tritsutajad website: [www.tritsutajad.ee](http://www.tritsutajad.ee)  
The Organizers shall not provide print-outs or CD-s.

**ACCOMMODATION:**

**NB!** The Organizers shall not arrange accommodation. We recommend:

**REHE HOTELL**

5 minutes by car to the ice rink. Discount for competitors and their teams -15%. When you make the reservation, please write for explanation TRITSUTAJAD.

Reservation and information:

Web: [www.rehehotell.ee](http://www.rehehotell.ee)

e-mail: [rehehotell@rehehotell.ee](mailto:rehehotell@rehehotell.ee)

Tel: (+372) 7307 287

**HOTELL TARTU**

The location of this hotel is center of Tartu. Discount for competitors and their teams is following:

**Single room 400 EEK/per night**

**Double room 700 EEK/per night**

**Triple family room 900 EEK/per night**

**Four bedded family room 1000 EEK /per night**

When you make the reservation, please write for explanation TRITSUTAJAD.

Reservation and information:

Web: [www.tartuhotell.ee](http://www.tartuhotell.ee)

e-mail: [info@tartuhotell.ee](mailto:info@tartuhotell.ee)

Tel: (+372) 7314 302

**KANTRI HOTELL**

The hotel is from the ice arena by walk. Discount for competitors and their teams is following:

**Double 620.-EEK/per night**

**Single room 480.-EEK/per night**

**An extra bed 200.-EEK/per night**

When you make the reservation, please write for explanation TRITSUTAJAD.

Reservation and information:

Web: [www.kantri.ee](http://www.kantri.ee)

e-mail: [info@kantri.ee](mailto:info@kantri.ee)

Tel: (+372) 7383 044

**NB! There is no shuttle-bus service at this competition.**

**LIABILITY**

In accordance with ISU Rule 119, the Organizer accepts no liability for injury or for property loss or damage incurred by Competitors or Officials. Each club is expected