TALLINK HOTELS CUP 2027

INTERNATIONAL FIGURE SKATING COMPETITION

Senior • Junior

18–21 February 2027

Tallinn, Estonia

Organized by
Rocca al Mare Skating School
&
Estonian Skating Union

ANNOUNCEMENT

International
Figure Skating Competition

Single skating: Senior, Junior (Men & Women)

Event Time:	**February 18-21, 2027**
Organized by:	Rocca al Mare Skating School and Estonian Skating Union (Tallinn, Estonia)
Venue of Competition:	**Haabersti Ice Rink** Size: ice arena of 28 – 58 m (indoor) Address: Haabersti 3, Tallinn, Estonia
Website:	http://www.tallinkhotelscup.com
Info:	Sportity App, using code **THC2027**

The Tallink Hotels Cup 2027 will be conducted in accordance with the ISU Constitution 2025, Competition & Event Regulations 2026, Sports Rules Single & Pair Skating and Ice Dance 2026, and the relevant ISU Communications.

Participation in Tallink Hotels Cup 2027 is open to all Competitors who belong to an ISU Member, and qualify with regard to eligibility according to Competition & Event Regulations 2026, Article 7.2, provided their ages fall within the limits specified in Article 9.3.1, and they meet the participation, citizenship and residency requirement in Article 8 and ISU Communication 2526 or any update of this Communication.

In accordance with Article 8 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.

CATEGORIES AND CLASSES

SINGLE SKATING

SENIOR MEN:

In accordance with ISU Sports Rules Single & Pair Skating and Ice Dance 2026.

Short program duration: 2 min., 40 sec. +/- 10 sec.
Free skating duration: 4 min., +/- 10 sec.

SENIOR WOMEN:

In accordance with ISU Sports Rules Single & Pair Skating and Ice Dance 2026.

Short Program duration: 2 min., 40 sec. +/- 10 sec.
Free skating duration: 4 min., +/- 10 sec.

JUNIOR MEN

In accordance with ISU Sports Rules Single & Pair Skating and Ice Dance 2026.

Short program duration: 2 min., 40 sec. +/- 10 sec.
Free skating duration: 4 min., +/- 10 sec.

JUNIOR WOMEN

In accordance with ISU Sports Rules Single & Pair Skating and Ice Dance 2026.

Short program duration: 2 min., 40 sec. +/- 10 sec.
Free skating duration: 4 min., +/- 10 sec.

REGISTRATION OF ENTRIES

All entries for the International categories, must be done through the **ISU Online Registration System** (ORS) by the deadline indicated. Declarations will need to be uploaded to the ORS as well.

Registration deadlines

Final entry forms, Competitors and Judges entries must be submitted by **January 10, 2027** at the latest.

Entries that are sent/received after the mentioned deadline will not be accepted.

Entries of Judges

Participating ISU Members are invited to nominate Judges whose qualification category is suitable for this level of competition.

Entries of Judges must be made together with the entries for Competitors. In case a judge is sent by an ISU Member, the latter is responsible for the judge's transportation expenses.

Please address any additional questions to **Mrs. Anastassia Ischanova** (Event Coordinator)

e-mail: tallinkhotelscup@gmail.com

ENTRY FEE

ENTRY FEE (paid before January 15, 2027):

115 EUR for the skaters with short and free program

Late Entry fee (paid after January 15, 2027):

135 EUR for the skaters with short and free program

Each ISU Member has to pay 100% of the total amount for its participants right after the entry form confirmation, but not later than January 20, 2027. The competitor is included in the entry list only after a 100% payment and from that moment can only be substituted by another skater if an emergency cancellation occurs. Entry fees are not refunded.

Entry fees must be paid to the following bank account:

MTÜ Haabersti Uisukool (address: 3 Haabersti St., Tallinn, Estonia)
SWEDBANK (address: 8 Liivalaia St., Tallinn 10118, Estonia)
IBAN: EE 932200221055725847
SWIFT/BIC code: HABAEE2X

- ✓ We kindly ask the Members to make one payment for all its participants.
- ✓ Please ensure that we receive the net amount of the required payment sum.
- ✓ Please add the Members name and number of skaters to transfer explanation
- ✓ All registration-related procedures (registration, annulment, changes) must be submitted to the Event Coordinator in written form.
- ✓ 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.
- ✓ Participating teams should inform of any changes in their team as soon as possible, but not later than **February 10, 2027**
- ✓ **Please note that the entry fee is non-refundable after the deadline, regardless of the reason for withdrawal.** The Organizing Committee reserves the right to withdraw entries for skaters who have not paid the entry fee by the deadline.

AWARDS

Three first standings of each category/class shall be awarded with a cup and a special prize

All award ceremonies will be held at the ice rink approx. 1 hour after the end of their respective segments. First, second and third places are invited to the Award ceremony.

MUSIC

Music will be reproduced from computer.

All Competitors shall furnish competition music of excellent quality on USB drive in any other approved format, in accordance with Rule 343, paragraph 2. A list of titles, composers and orchestras of the music to be used for the Short Program and Free Skating Program for Single and Pairs, must be entered on the ISU Portal. Members can download the entered information to send to the Organizing Committee.

The following method to submit the Competitor's music to the Organizing Committee must be followed:

- the ISU Member is responsible for submitting their Competitor's music as direct attachment to an email to the Organizing Committee (tallinkhotelscup@gmail.com) until February 10, 2027. Please note: some music files might exceed the size of a regular email. In this case, an email-based transfer service which allows to send large files could be used to send the file to the OC.

- Each submission shall be labelled with the name of the ISU Member, name of the category, segment and the name(s) of the competitor(s).

Example: EST_SeniorMen_SP_SmithJohn

LAT_JuniorMen_FS_MUSTERMANNMax

- The music files must be sent as WAV or MP3 file formats. Any other format is not acceptable. Please note: Files in MP3 format may have a significant difference in the music quality when reproduced. The Organizing Committee in this case is not responsible if the music quality would be insufficient. Each Competitor must have an own back-up drive (USB Stick) for each program in the format of a WAV or MP3 file.

- The exact running time of the music (not skating time) must be communicated to the Organizing Committee when submitting the music and shall be certified by the Competitor/Coach/Team Leader at the time of registration.

- The rights in the music and choreography presented and used by the Competitor for their performance should be fully cleared and acquired on a transferable basis from the individual rights owners for public use.

RESULTS

The marking system (ISU Judging System) as described in ISU Sports Rules Single & Pair Skating and Ice Dance 2026, Rule 352 and Rule 353 be used.

COMPETITION SCHEDULE

Preliminary Schedule

18.02.2027

Junior Men, Junior Women **Practice**

Senior Men, Senior Women **Practice**

Junior Men, Junior Women **Short Program**

Senior Men, Senior Women **Short Program**

19.02.2027

Senior Men, Senior Women **Practice**

Junior Men, Junior Women **Free Skating**

Senior Men, Senior Women **Free Skating**

More detailed preliminary schedule will be available after January 18th, 2027 in the Sportity App

Starting Order Draws

The draw will be conducted according to the ISU rule 512. The draw will be done at the venue on February 17, 2027, 18:00. Free Skating draw will be done in reverse to result order after publication of Short Program results. The starting orders and the final time schedule shall be published in the Sportity App and on the competition website.

RESPONSIBILITY

In accordance with the ISU Competition and Event Regulations, Rule 16.2, all participants act at their own Responsibility.

PROTESTS

A protest must be submitted in writing to the category referee. If the referee is not available, the protest should be submitted via email to the competition office, who will forward it to the referee. (ISU Competition and Event Regulations, Rule 15.1). Protests based on an alleged violation of rules may be lodged provided they are not excluded by this or any other rule. The Referee decides upon all protests. Protests must be filed with the Referee in writing and within the stated time limit.

No protests against evaluations by Referees, Judges and the Technical Panel (Technical Controller, Technical Specialists) of Skaters' performances are permitted.

Protests against results are permitted only in the case of incorrect mathematical calculation. A wrong identification of an element or of a level of difficulty, although it results in a lower or higher score is not an incorrect mathematical calculation

The cost of submitting a protest is €50, which must be paid at the time of submission. If the protest is upheld, the fee will be refunded. Otherwise, the protest fee will remain with the competition organizer.

EXPENSES

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

Judges, Referees and Technical Panel
The Organizer will provide accommodation and travel expenses compensation for all invited Referees, Judges drawn for the panel, Technical Controllers, Technical Specialists, Data and Replay Operators.

LIABILITY

In accordance with Article 17.3, it is the sole obligation of each Member participating in ISU Events, 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 of the ill or injured person to the home country by air transport or by other expeditious. It is an internal matter of each ISU Member to decide the issue who shall pay the premium for such insurance.

ACCOMMODATION

Our main sponsor, Tallink Hotels, is pleased to offer special accommodation rates for competition participants at the 3★ **Tallink Express Hotel**.

Special rates with promo code: TALLINKCUP

Standard Room (single occupancy): €59 per night
Standard Room (double occupancy): €67 per night

Room rates include buffet breakfast, Wi-Fi and VAT.

Participants are responsible for booking and paying for their accommodation directly with the hotel.