



20th ALTA VALTELLINA TROPHY INTERNATIONAL JUNIOR SHORT TRACK LADIES & MEN - open to SENIOR

BORMIO / ITALY November 11th - 13th, 2011

The Organizing Committee on behalf of the Italian Ice Sport Federation has the honour to invite you to participate at the "20th ALTA VALTELLINA TROPHY" (open to Senior) to be held November 11th - 13th, 2011 at the Ice Stadium Bormio / Italy.

The competition is open to all ISU members and their Clubs. There are no restrictions in the number of entries unless we inform you of the contrary.

TRACK

The track is an artificially refrigerated indoor ice surface with the measures of 30x60 meters, protective padding will cover the boards. The standard track is 111,12 meters to the lap with measured curves of 8,50 meters and there will be 7 markers used to establish the curve. The length of the straight is 28,85m. Besides the original track there will be 4 tracks set up to preserve good ice conditions. For all tracks one finish line will be used.

GENERAL REGULATIONS

The competition will be held under the rules of the I.S.U. concerning the paragraphs for Short Track Speed Skating. All distances will be skated according to the **Knock-out system**.

The organizers reserve the right to change the programme due to unforeseen circumstances.

CATEGORIES

Senior	Ladies and Men	up to	30-06-1992		
Junior A	Ladies and Men	from	01-07-1992	to	30-06-1994
Junior B	Ladies and Men	from	01-07-1994	to	30-06-1996
Junior C	Ladies and Men	from	01-07-1996	to	30-06-1998
Novices	Ladies and Men	from	01-07-1998	to	30-06-2001

DISTANCES

Junior A - B	1500m - 500m - 1000m - 1500m final
Junior C	1000m - 500m - 1500m final
Novices	777m - 500m - 1000m final
Senior	1500m - 500m - 1000m - 3000m final
Relay races	Junior A-B 3000m (four skaters)
	Junior C-Novices 2000m (three skaters)
	Senior ladies 3000m
	Senior men heats and semifinal 3000m Final 5000m

RELAY

Each relay must be composed by athletes of the same Nation; so if a Team hasn't so many athletes to compose a relay, this Team can borrow some other athletes from a team (National Team or Club) coming from its same Nation.

Junior C and Novices could compete together; Junior A and Junior B could compete together.

Each Senior relay must be composed by Senior athletes. In case of a lack of Senior athletes, a team (National Team or Club) can enroll in a Senior Relay a maximum of 2 Junior A athletes of its same Nation.



GENERAL PROGRAMME

Thursday, November 10th	08.30 p.m.	team leaders meeting c/o Ice Stadium
Friday, November 11th	07.30 a.m. 09.00 a.m.	Warm up 1500m. Junior A - B and Senior 1000m. Junior C 500m Junior A – B and Senior qualifying rounds
Saturday, November 12th	07.30 a.m. 09.00 a.m.	Warm up 500m. Junior A – B and Senior semifinal – final 500m. Junior C and Novices 1000m Junior A – B and Senior qualifying rounds Relay semifinals
Sunday, November 13th	07.00 a.m. 08.30 a.m.	Warm up 777m. Novices 1000m. Junior A – B and Senior semifinal – final 1500m. final Junior A - B – C 1000m. final Novices 3000m. final Senior Relay finals

This program is subject to change by the organizers.

ENTRIES

Preliminary entries, with provisional names, specifying number of athletes in each category, date and time of arrival and departure, number of accompanying officials, must be submitted by **October 24th, 2011** at the latest via <http://www.shorttrackonline.info>

Final entries must be submitted by **November 6th, 2011** at the latest via <http://www.shorttrackonline.info> and must contain

- Names and categories of the athletes
- Number of athletes in each category
- Date and time of arrival and departure
- Names and number of accompanying officials

ENTRY FEE €. 15,00 per athlete

DEPOSIT FOR HELMET COVERS €. 10,00 PER ATHLETE

AWARD of PRIZES

Prize for the first - second and third classed in the final results for each category - ladies and men.

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During award ceremonies, the skaters should be in club or National track suits.

MEDICAL ASSISTANCE

Doctor and paramedical personnel will be present at the competition days (*also during the warm up*). An ambulance will be on standby in case of need.



MEDICAL INSURANCE

It is the sole responsibility of each Member, on behalf of its participating clubs, to ensure or provide medical and accident insurance for their athletes. Proof of such shall be requested by the Organizing Committee. See Rule 119.

CITIZENSHIP/RESIDENCE REQUIREMENTS AND CLEARANCE PROCEDURE

In accordance with Rule 109 of ISU Communication n° 1117, 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.

LIABILITY

In accordance with Rule 119, the Organizing Committee assumes no responsibility with respect to medical, bodily or personal injury or property loss or damage sustained or caused in connection with this competition.

ACCOMMODATION

All participants should bear their own expenses for accommodation (board & lodging).

The reservations **must** be made **only and directly** through the Organizing Committee within **October 24th, 2011** at the latest and should contain all the information requested in the "ACCOMODATION FORM" here enclosed; After having received all the reservations, the Organizing Committee will communicate the name of the 3 stars hotel assigned.

The Organizing Committee will provide accommodation with full board at the following prices:

Single Room: Euro 90,00

Double Room: Euro 60,00

Three beds Room: Euro 58,00

per day per person (water included) – any other extras are not included

TRANSPORTATION

Transportation from Milan (Linate or Malpensa or other airports) to Bormio and back can be pre-arranged. The cost of the round-trip is € 450,00 for a max. 8 passengers for each minibus. If transportation is requested, the reservations **must** be made **only and directly** through the Organizing Committee within **October 24th, 2011** at the latest and should contain all the information requested in the "TRANSPORTATION FORM" here enclosed.

TRAINING

On request the Organizer provides ice training for three or more days before the competition at the cost of € 90,00, taxes included, for 50 minutes. If training is requested, please send the enclosed "TRAINING ICE REQUEST FORM" duly filled in to the Organizing Committee within **October 24th, 2011** at the latest.

ALL THE EXPENCES CONCERNING BOARD, LODGING (AT THE HOTELS ASSIGNED), TRANSPORTATION AND ICE TRAINING MUST BE PAYED BY CASH (NO CREDIT CARDS OR BANK TRANSFER ARE ACCEPTED) AT THE O.C. AT THE ACCREDITATION.

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