

**INTERNATIONAL COMPETITION OF FIGURE  
SKATING AND ICE DANCE**

**18<sup>th</sup> INTERNATIONAL CUP  
OF  
NICE  
2013**

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**OFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENT**

**OCTOBER 23<sup>rd</sup> / 27<sup>th</sup>, 2013**

**FEDERATION FRANÇAISE DES SPORTS DE GLACE**

## **ANNOUNCEMENT**

The French Figure Skating Union and Nice Baie des Anges Association are pleased to announce the International Cup of Nice 2013, an international competition in figure skating for Senior Ladies and Men, Junior Ladies and Men, Senior Pairs Skating and Ice Dance.

The international Cup of Nice, as all international ISU calendar competitions will provide athletes opportunities to improve their world standing by addition of points according to ISU rules.

## **GENERAL REGULATIONS**

The competition will be conducted in accordance with ISU Regulations 2014, and all pertinent communications for figure skating and Ice Dance.

All competitors must be eligible persons in accordance with ISU Rule 102 and must meet the participation, citizenship and residency requirements in ISU rule 109 and communication n°1117. All skaters who do not have 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.

In accordance with the request of the International Skating Union, it will be practiced, before competition, a passport control of all participants with a verification of clearance certificates validated by the ISU..

## **PLACE AND DATES**

**The competition will be held in Nice, from October 23<sup>rd</sup> till 27<sup>th</sup>, 2013.**

All competition events and practice sessions will take place in the rink 60 X 30 meters of the Sports Palace Jean Bouin - Esplanade de Lattre de Tassigny - 06000 NICE

## **ENTRIES**

### **Single skating**

Every ISU member can enter a maximum of 6 skaters distributed in categories senior, junior, ladies and men with or without any participation in pairs skating and ice dance.

### **Pairs Skating**

Every ISU member can enter pairs with or without any participation at singles and Ice dance categories.

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Every ISU members can enter dancers, with or without any participation in singles and pairs skating categories.  
No more than 2 couples of dancers by member

Entries of competitors and of nominated judges must be made by national associations on the designated form.

The French figure skating association reserves the right to limit the number of competitors and judges, if need be, and to enter more competitors in every category.

**All members participate in the classification by team, if they are represented in, at least, 4 categories amongst Senior Ladies and Men, Junior Ladies and Men, Senior Pairs Skating and Ice Dance.**

A fee for each skater has requested of 40 euros.

A fee for each pair, figure skating and Ice dance has requested of 80 euros

All entries must contain:

- full name of competitors / judge / team leader
- dates of arrival and departure (car ; train ; flight...)

**Entries have to reach organizers not later than September 11<sup>th</sup>, 2013.**

**The registration fees are to pay to NICE BAIE DES ANGES ASSOCIATION, at the banking address of which is indicated below:**

**Crédit Agricole Provence Côte d'Azur NICE REPUBLIQUE**

**IBAN FR 76 1910 6006 6600 1134 3770 707 GRIFRPP 891**

### **ID-CARD**

Your ID-Card is valid for the free entry to the Skating Sports Palace Jean Bouin for the duration of the event. Please wear the Id –Card visible at all the times.

### **ENTRIES OF JUDGES**

An entry of competitor(s) is not automatically followed by an entry of a judge. Participating members may be invited by the Organizing Committee to nominate one or more international or ISU judge, experimented and formed at the ISU Judging System.

The judges proposed by each of the participating ISU members will be subjected to the acceptance of the French Figure Skating Association which reserves the right to limit the number of the invited judges if necessary.

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Any substitution or changes for any of the nominated judges need the approval of the organizers.

The panel of judges in each event of the competition will consist of 7 judges of different ISU members if possible, but not less than 5 judges, drawn among all nominated judges.

The draw will take place immediately after the closing of the entries. The concerned Members will then be notified of the result of the draw.

The Referees, Technical Controllers, Technical Specialists and DVRO will be appointed by the French Figure Skating Association only on official invitations.

Organizers will provide rooms and meals for all Judges, Referees, Technical Controllers, Technical Specialists and DVRO participating, beginning with dinner on Tuesday October 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2013 until breakfast on Monday October 28<sup>th</sup>, 2013. Should any of them arrive at the hotel before or stay longer than the period described above, their room costs and meals will be the responsibility of the individual and must be paid by themselves, except if an arrangement has been made with the organizers.

Referees, TC, TS and DVRO expenses will be refunded by organizers on the site.

### **ACCREDITATIONS**

Accreditations will begin at the ice rink on Tuesday October, 22<sup>nd</sup> 2013, at 16.00; and Wednesday to Friday at 9.00 a.m.

### **MUSIC**

Music must be recorded on CDS or MDS and must be handed over to organizers at registration. The music must be of a good quality and labelled clearly with the name of competitors, their category and country. All music will be returned to the team leader by the end of the competition at the ice rink.

### **COMPETITORS EXPENSES**

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Organizers will provide meals for all competitors participating, during the competition and in accordance with flight opportunities before and after the event, if necessary.

Organizers will provide meals for team leaders (leading a team of at least 6 skaters) during the competition and in accordance with flight opportunities before and after the event, if necessary.

Each member invited, covers the travel and the hotel (bed and breakfast) for their own competitors.

Each member invited, covers the travel of their own judges and Organizing Committee will provide hotel accommodations and meals for all judges.

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## HOTELS

### **NOVOTEL HOTEL\*\*\* (cross the street) 8 /10 Parvis de l'Europe 06300-NICE**

Tel : +33 493 13 30 93 Fax : +33 493 13 09 04

email : [h1103-RE@accor.com](mailto:h1103-RE@accor.com)

Prizes negotiated: room for one person:	97 € B&B	+ taxes 1.50 €
for two persons:	97 €	+ taxes 3.00 €
for three persons:	116 €	+ taxes 4.50 €

### **HOTEL APOGIA\*\*\* 10 mn walk 26, rue Smolett 06300 NICE**

Tel: + 33 493 89 18 88 Fax: + 33 493 89 19 06

email : [isabelle@apogiahotels.com](mailto:isabelle@apogiahotels.com)

Prizes negotiated: room for one person:	71 € B&B	taxes included
for two persons	79 € B&B	“ “
for three persons	89 € B&B	“ “

### **RELAIS ACROPOLIS\*\*\* (5mn walk) 20, Boulevard Risso 06300-NICE**

Tel + 33 492 00 14 50 Fax + 33 492 00 14 51

email : [contact@hotel-relais-acropolis.com](mailto:contact@hotel-relais-acropolis.com)

prizes negotiated: room for one persons:	72 € B&B	Taxes included
For two persons:	82 € B&B	“ “
Three persons:	93 € B&B	“ “

**HI PARK Résidences \*\* (6 mn walk) 22, Bd Général Louis Delfino 06300-NICE**

Tel: +33 492 00 92 10 Fax: +33 492 00 92 11 email : Julie.durbas@hipark-residences.com

Prizes negotiated for Studio single: 77 € Studio twin: 87 €  
Studio executive single: 86 € Studio executive twin 92 €  
Suite twin : 114 € Suite triple 124 € Suite 4 persons 134 €  
Bed and breakfast all taxes included

**HOTEL IBIS CONGRES \*\* (10mn walk ) 38 rue Barberis 06300- Nice**

Tel : +33 492 00 21 21 Fax : +33 492 00 21 22 email : [H7495@accor.com](mailto:H7495@accor.com)

Prizes negotiated for one person: 99 € B & B + taxes 1,00 €  
for two person: 108 € B & B + taxes 2,00 €

Teams are requested to make all booking directly to the hotel and in order to obtain negotiated prizes, please, kindly refer to participating in Nice International Cup when placing your booking. Hotels only accept written reservations.

**NOTA BENE**

**Because of a significant number of congress, in our city during October, it is recommended to reserve at the earliest in the aforementioned hotels.**

**ARRIVAL OF PARTICIPANTS**

The Organizing Committee provides a bus shuttle to meet the teams on arrival at the International airport of Nice.

All Officials, Competitors, Team Leaders, Team Officials and Coaches taking part in the competition are requested to announce to the Organizing Committee as soon as possible the information concerning transportation and arrivals.

**AWARDS**

The three best placed competitors in each event will be awarded with cups (singles categories only). Others competitors will receive a medal.

Pairs skating and Ice Dance medals for all competitors.

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## PRIZES MONEY

### Singles Figure Skating

<b>Seniors</b>	<b>1<sup>st</sup> place</b>	<b>500 € Prize money.</b>
	<b>2<sup>nd</sup></b>	<b>300</b>
	<b>3<sup>rd</sup></b>	<b>100</b>
<b>Juniors</b>	<b>1<sup>st</sup> place</b>	<b>300 €</b>
	<b>2<sup>nd</sup></b>	<b>200</b>
	<b>3<sup>rd</sup></b>	<b>100</b>

### Pairs Figure Skating

All participants receive a medal. Prizes money for pairs in senior category will be as indicated below.

<b>1<sup>st</sup> place</b>	<b>1000 €</b>
<b>2<sup>nd</sup></b>	<b>700</b>
<b>3<sup>rd</sup></b>	<b>300</b>

### Ice dance

All participants receive a medal. Prizes money for Ice dance in senior category will be as indicated below.

<b>1<sup>st</sup> place</b>	<b>1000 €</b>
<b>2<sup>nd</sup></b>	<b>700</b>
<b>3<sup>rd</sup></b>	<b>300</b>

### **NICE BAIE DES ANGES TROPHY**

The team placed first by addition of points will receive a metal plate "Nice Baie des Anges Trophy" and a **prize money of 3000 €**. Results will be calculated as follows: For each team, the best placed skaters in singles categories, pairs and Ice dance will score some points which are added to make the ranking.

For each category :

1 <sup>st</sup> place	12 pts	2 <sup>nd</sup> place	10 pts
3 <sup>rd</sup> place	8 pts	4 <sup>th</sup> place	6 pts
5 <sup>th</sup> place	5 pts	6 <sup>th</sup> place	4 pts
7 <sup>th</sup> place	3 pts	8 <sup>th</sup> place	2 pts
9 <sup>th</sup> place	1 pt	the next	0 pt

Two bonus points are added for the team which won the senior men and senior ladies.

In case of equality, the winner will be the team counting more first places and so one.

## **JUDGES MEETINGS**

Initial Judges meeting will take place at the Ice rink, in the morning the day of the short program for each category.

The event review meetings will take place as soon as possible after the conclusion of the competition for each category, but not later than noon the following day.

## **INFORMATION**

The information boxes for each participating nation are placed in the rink, close the way in.

All results, news and others information are placed there

## **TEAM LEADER MEETING**

If necessary a team leaders meeting will take place at the ice rink. In the event of such a meeting, time and place will be confirmed during accreditations and by information boxes.

## **DRAWS**

Draws will take place, by computer, at the French Federation's offices after the closing of the entries. No draw after short programs. Starting/order, for free programs will be according the inverse of the results of short programs.

## **LIABILITY**

In accordance with ISU Rule 119 the organizer accepts no liability for injury or damages incurred by competitors or officials. The organizer will provide medical emergency aid during the competition.

## **ANTI DOPING**

Anti doping tests may be carried out in accordance with the valid ISU anti-doping code (ISU communication n° 1193 or any further update of the communication) and French Ministry.

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## SCHEDULE

**October 23rd**  
Wednesday

07h 00 Practices  
08h 00 Accreditations  
08h 00 IJM Juniors Ladies  
IJM Juniors Men  
12h 00 Opening ceremony  
13h 45 Juniors ladies short program  
19h 00 Juniors men short program  
22h 00 Practices

**October 24<sup>th</sup>**  
Thursday

06h 00 Practices  
14h 00 Juniors men free program  
16h 30 Juniors ladies free program  
Victory Ceremony juniors  
19h 00 Practices  
19h 00 RTD Juniors Men  
20h 00 RTD Juniors Ladies

**October 25<sup>th</sup>**  
Friday

07h 00 Practices  
09h 00 IJM Ice Dance  
10h 00 IJM pairs  
IJM Seniors Men  
14h 30 Pairs short program  
15h 40 Seniors men short program  
19h 40 Short Dance

**October 26<sup>th</sup>**  
Saturday

07h 00 Practices  
09h 00 IJM Seniors Ladies  
12h 20 Seniors ladies short program  
17h 00 Seniors men free program  
21h 00 Free Dance  
Victory ceremony  
21h 00 RTD Seniors Men

**October 27<sup>th</sup>**  
Sunday

07h 00 Practices  
08h 00 RTD Dance  
09h 30 Seniors ladies free program  
13h 00 pairs free Program  
Victory ceremony  
14h 30 RTD Seniors Ladies  
RTD Pairs  
16h 00 Practices for show  
**18h 30 CLOSING SHOW**

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### TECHNICAL DATA

**JUNIORS CATEGORIES: Ladies and Men**

According to categories of ages for 2013 / 2014  
Short Program and Free Skating

**SENIORS CATEGORIES: Ladies and Men**

According to categories of ages for 2013 / 2014  
Short Program and Free Skating

For categories seniors, juniors, ladies and men, only 24 best placed skaters of the short program will participate at the free skating.

### PAIRS

**SENIORS CATEGORY:**

According to categories of ages for 2013 / 2014  
Short Program and Free Skating

### ICE DANCE

**SENIORS CATEGORY:**

According to categories of ages for 2013 / 2014.  
Short Program and Free Dance according ISU rules 2013 / 2014

**All categories in accordance with ISU**  
**rules**  
**2013 / 2014**

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