



**NOVEMBER 14-16/ 2014**

## **ANNOUNCEMENT**

*The Italian Figure Skating Federation FISG and  
the Ice Club Merano are honored to welcome you*

*to the 17<sup>th</sup> MERANO CUP - NOVEMBER 14-16/2014*

*ISU International Competition*

*for Advanced Novice - Junior – Senior (Ladies/Men)*



### **General Regulation**

The 17th Merano Cup will be conducted in accordance with the ISU Constitution and General Regulations 2014, the ISU Special Regulations and Technical Rules for Figure Skating as well as all pertinent ISU Communications.

### **Place and date**

The Merano Cup will be held in Merano at the Ice Rink Meranarena-Via Palade 74- Merano from 14th to 16th of November 2014

### **Technical Data**

All competition events and practice sessions will be held in Merano at the Ice Rink Meranarena. The Ice Rink (30mx60m) is indoor and heated.

### **Categories:**

**Senior ladies/men – Short and Free Program**

**Junior ladies/men – Short and Free Program**

**Advanced Novice Girls/Boys – Short and Free Program**

Requirements according to the ISU Technical Rules Single Skating 2014

and all pertinent ISU Communications and **ISU communication 1886 for Advanced Novice**

### **Entries:**

each **National Association** may entry up to two (2) competitors for the Novice, Junior and Senior categories After the deadline of entries, the organizing committee may decide if more than the allowed skaters could be accepted. Therefore substitute skaters should be nominated.

In order to allow all categories to compete the FP the day after the short program, the organizing committee decided to limit the amount of entries to 72 athletes and 12 athletes for each category.

Entries must be sent by October 6<sup>th</sup> to:

**Federazione Italiana Sport Ghiaccio (F.I.S.G.)** Via Piranesi 44b – 20137 Milano

**Email: [figura@fisg.it](mailto:figura@fisg.it) Fax 0039 02 701 41 360**

and to:

**Ice Club Merano- Via Palade 74 – 39012 MERANO**

**E-mail: [iceclubmerano@gmail.com](mailto:iceclubmerano@gmail.com) Fax 0039 0473 442329 - Mobile:: 0039-348-7612740 (Stefan)**

The organizing committee reserves the right to close entries already before this deadline, if the limit of 12 athletes for a category has reached.

### **Entry fee:**

€ 70,00 per participant to be paid together with the entries to the following bank account:

**Bank name: Cassa Rurale di Merano**

**Address: Corso Libertà 40, 39012 Merano**

**IBAN: IT 81 Q 08133 58591 0000 1010 5613**

**SWIFT: ICR AIT RR3 P0**

Entries are only accepted if payment confirmation is sent together with entries!



**Expenses:**

Travel, board and accommodation expenses have to be paid by the participants.

**Panels of Judges:**

Each invited Member entering the competitors is entitled to nominate one (1) Judge.  
The panel of Judges will consist of five (5) Judges (in the list of the international Judges).  
The Organizer will draw the panel of Judges after the closing of entries.  
The concerned Member will then be notified of the result of draw.  
The organizer club will pay board and accommodation expenses for all Judges.  
For all invited TS,TC,video op. the organizer will pay Travel, board and accommodation

**Accommodation:**

Participants, coaches and other Team members have to book accommodation individually.

The organizing Committee will make the room arrangements only for invited TS, TC, DRO Referees and Judges at the Hotel Torre-Siegler im Thurm or Hotel Gruberhof just 5 minutes walking distance to the Meranarena ice rink.

Hotel Alla Torre  
Siegler im Thurm\*\*\*  
Via Parrocchia 6  
39012 Merano  
Tel. +39 0473 231133  
[www.thurm.it](http://www.thurm.it)

Hotel Gruberhof  
Via Parrocchia, 22  
39012 Merano  
Tel. +39 0473 236511  
[www.hotelgruberhof.com](http://www.hotelgruberhof.com)

Hotel Aurora\*\*\*\*  
Passegg. L.P. 38  
39012 Merano  
Tel. +39 0473 211800  
[www.hotelaurora.bz](http://www.hotelaurora.bz)

Hotel Cavallino\*\*\*  
Via Palade 105  
39012 Merano  
Tel. +39 0473 442211  
[www.cavallino-merano.com](http://www.cavallino-merano.com)

**Music and Planned Program Content Sheet:**

All Competitors shall furnish competition music of excellent quality on CD format and all discs must show competitor's name, nation and the exact running time of the music (not skating time) and must be submitted at the time of accreditation. Each program (short program, free skating) must be recorded on one track and on a separate disc. In addition, competitors must provide a back-up disc for each program.

The "Program Content Sheet" must be returned with the entry forms to the Organizing Committee in time and it must be filled in precisely by each skater in English using the Terminology for the elements listed in the respective ISU Communication.

**Accreditation:**

Accreditation will take place at the Ice Rink Meranarena-Via Palade, 74- Merano  
On Thursday 13th at 02.00 p.m. to 05.00 p.m. and on Friday 14<sup>th</sup> at 08.00 a.m. to 05.00 p.m.



**Judges and Technical Panel Meetings:**

The Judges and Technical Panel Meetings will be held on Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> at 06.00 p.m. to 07.30 p.m. at the: Sala Civica/Bürgersaal – Via O.Huberstr.8-Merano

**Draws:**

The draw for the starting order of the Short Program will take place on Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> at 08.00 pm to 09.00 pm at the Sala Civica/Bürgersaal – Via O.Huberstr.8-Merano

**Results:**

Judging and calculations will be done according to ISU Special Regulations

**Prizes:**

1. Place: Cup, medal, Souvenir
2. Place: Cup, medal, Souvenir
3. Place: Cup, medal, Souvenir

All participants: Souvenir

Association: MERANO CUP

Place: 1. 2. 3. 4. 5. 6.

points: 7 5 4 3 2 1

**Liability:**

In accordance with ISU Rule 119, the Organizer and the ISU accept no liability for bodily or personal injury, or for property loss or damage incurred by Competitors and Officials.

Each ISU Member is expected to provide its own insurance protection.

The Organizing Committee will provide emergency medical service for all invited Officials and Competitors during the Competition period.



**Preliminary Schedule :**  
(subject to change)

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| <b>13.11.2014</b> | <b>14.00 – 17.00</b> | <b>accreditation Ice Rink Meranarena – Via Palade, 74 – Merano</b>                                       |
| <b>13.11.2014</b> | <b>18.00 – 19.30</b> | <b>Initial Judges and technical panel meeting –<br/>Sala Civica/Bürgersaal – Via O.Huberstr.8-Merano</b> |
| <b>13.11.2014</b> | <b>20.00 – 21.00</b> | <b>Opening draw – Sala Civica/Bürgersaal – Via O.Huberstr.8- Merano</b>                                  |
| <b>14.11.2014</b> | <b>08.00 – 17.00</b> | <b>accreditation Ice Rink Meranarena – Via Palade, 74-Merano</b>   |
| <b>14.11.2014</b> | <b>06.00 – 13.30</b> | <b>practice SP Novice G/B, Junior L/M, Senior L/M</b>  |
| <b>14.11.2014</b> | <b>13.40 – 20.00</b> | <b>competition SP Novice G/B, Junior L/M</b>   |
| <b>15.11.2014</b> | <b>06.00 – 13.30</b> | <b>practice FP Novice G/B, FP Junior L/M, SP Senior L/M</b>  |
| <b>15.11.2014</b> | <b>13.40 – 23.00</b> | <b>competition FP Novice G/B, SP Senior L/M, FP Junior L/M</b>   |
|                   | <b>17:00</b>         | Prize awarding Novice categories   |
|                   | <b>23:30</b>         | Prize awarding Junior categories   |
| <b>16.11.2014</b> | <b>08.00</b>         | Judges round table discussion Novice Ladies  |
| <b>16.11.2014</b> | <b>09.00</b>         | Judges round table discussion Novice Men   |
| <b>16.11.2014</b> | <b>10.00</b>         | Judges round table discussion Junior Ladies  |
| <b>16.11.2014</b> | <b>11.00</b>         | Judges round table discussion Junior Men   |
| <b>16.11.2014</b> | <b>09.00 – 11.30</b> | <b>practice FP Senior L/M</b>  |
| <b>16.11.2014</b> | <b>12.00 – 15.30</b> | <b>competition FP Senior L/M</b>   |
|                   | <b>16:00</b>         | Prize awarding Senior categories   |
|                   | <b>16:30</b>         | Judges round table discussion Senior Ladies  |
|                   | <b>17:30</b>         | Judges round table discussion Senior Men   |

All time indications are approximate.

The final program will be sent to all participant members as soon as the entries are completed