



Short Track club Kristallijn Gent

Announcement of the

38th EASTER CUP

31 March – 1 April 2018

With the Cooperation of



Dates and Venue

Short Track club Kristallijn Gent has the honour of inviting you to the

38th International EASTER CUP Short Track

For Juniors, Seniors & Masters

Date: 31 March – 1 April 2018

Venue: IJsbaan Kristallijn, Warmoezeniersweg 20, 9000 Gent - Belgium

The competition will be held in accordance with the ISU regulations.

Entries

Entries are open to all clubs and skaters affiliated to an ISU member. The number of entries is not limited.

The Preliminary Entries have to be done by *6 March 2018*; Final Entries must reach the organizing committee by *Tuesday 27th of March 2018*.

Entry fee: an entry fee of € 15 must be paid to the organizers for every athlete.

Clubs can only make entries with approval of their respective ISU Member at:

www.shorttrackonline.info

Age Groups

The competition is open to all junior skaters and to senior & masters.

Junior E + F:	born after 30/06/2006
Junior D:	from 1/07/2004 to 30/06/2006
Junior C:	from 1/07/2002 to 30/06/2004
Junior B:	from 1/07/2000 to 30/06/2002
Junior A + Senior:	from 1/07/1988 to 30/06/2000
Master (Ladies + Men):	age 30 or above (on 1 July 2017)

The equipment of the skaters must be in accordance with the ISU regulations.

Program

The individual competition will follow the *all final system*.

According to the number of entries, there will be a competition over 2 distances and a Super Final A+B.

The total number of points from all distance finals + Super Finals will determine the overall winner of the competition in each category.

Relay races will be held with club teams in 3 categories A/B/S/M, C/D and E/F.

The organizing committee may alter the program should it be deemed necessary.

	1st distance	2nd distance	Super Final A + B
Junior E & F	333 m	222 m	500 m
Junior D	500 m	333 m	777 m
Junior C	777 m	500 m	1000 m
Junior B	1000 m	500 m	1500 m
Junior A & Senior	1000 m	500 m	1500 m
Masters	1000 m	500 m	1500 m

Competition Times

Saturday 31 st of March 2018:	8.30 : Team leaders meeting at the Competition Office 9.00 - 14.00 : Warming Up + Competition 17.00 - 21.30 : Warming Up + Competition
Sunday 1 st of April 2018:	8.00 - 14.00 : Warming Up + Competition

Accreditation

Accreditation and racing numbers will be given at the entrance of the Cafeteria of the Ice Rink, between 8.00 and 9.00 on Saturday 31st of March 2018.

Track and padding

The track is an artificial indoor ice surface of 30 m x 60 m. The competition will be held on a 111,12 m oval track with a measuring curve of 8,50 m. Four (4) other tracks will be laid out which have been moved one and two meters in either direction from the standard track. The starting line will be moved accordingly. For all tracks one finishing line will be used.

Awards

Individual classification: Awards will be given to the first, second and third in the final classification of each category.

Club classification: Awards will be given to the first, second and third in the final club classification (best 5 skaters per club + relay).

Liability

All participants are supposed to be covered by their own national insurance. The organizing committee declines all responsibility or liability for bodily or personal injury or any loss or damage on equipment before, during and after the competition.

Food & drinks

Only drinks that are bought from the cafeteria will be allowed in the cafeteria. In the dressing rooms you are allowed to bring your own drinks. We will also offer sandwiches with different condiments which will be sold in the cafeteria.

Information






Email: info@stkg.be

Website: www.STKG.be

Accommodation

All participating clubs are responsible for meals and accommodation. More information can be found at: <http://www.visitgent.be/>

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EUROPAHOTEL Gordunakaai 59, 9000 Gent Tel.: +32 9 222 60 71 Email: info@europahotel-gent.be Web: www.europahotel-gent.be	 €	13 minutes (icerink <-> hotel) ± € 130 / night (double room)
VAN DER VALK DRONGEN Baarleveldestraat 2, 9031 Drongen Tel.: +32 9 226 74 32 Email: drongen@valk.com Web: www.hoteldrongen.be	 €	12 minutes (icerink <-> hotel) ± € 130 / night (double room)
IBIS SINT NIKLAAS Hemelaerstraat 2, 9100 Sint Niklaas Tel.: +32 3 231 31 41 Fax: +32 3 231 71 91 Email: ibissintniklaas@cgmhotels.com Web: www.accorhotels.com	 €	33 minutes (icerink <-> hotel) ± € 60 / night (double room)
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