



BASILEA TROPHY

Basel – Switzerland
Saturday, 21 March 2026

Synchronized Skating
Interclub Competition

ANNOUNCEMENT - Basilea Trophy Interclub Competition Basel, 21 March 2026

The skating Club of Basel invites your teams to participate at the BASILEA TROPHY, Synchronized Skating Competition, upon approval by Swiss Ice Skating. The competition will be conducted in accordance with Swiss and ISU rules and is open to all eligible team skaters according to ISU rule 102.

PLACE

St. Jakobs-Arena (30 m x 60 m)
Mittlere Allee 18
4052 Basel, Switzerland

Localisation GPS: N 47° 32'23''
O 07° 37'03''

INVITED MEMBERS

All ISU-Members are invited to enter teams at the Basilea Trophy in Basel 2026. The competition will be conducted in accordance with the rules of the ISU and is open to all eligible Team Skaters according to ISU Rule 102.

TECHNICAL REGULATIONS AND CONDITIONS

The Basilea Trophy will be held according to the current ISU General Regulations, the applicable ISU Special Regulations & Technical Rules Synchronized Skating, as well as the Technical Guidelines for Competitions in Switzerland 2025/2026 ([see annex](#)) for above mentioned competition.

Teams which have participated in the ongoing season in a competition of a certain category are not allowed to take part in another category at the Basilea Trophy.

CATEGORIES

This competition is open to the following categories:

ISU

Senior ISU	only free skating
Senior Elite 12	only free skating
Junior ISU	only free skating
Advanced Novice	free skating

Non ISU

Senior B	free skating
Junior B	free skating
Mixed Age	free skating
Basic Novice	free skating
Juvenile	free skating
Adult	free skating
Masters	free skating

JUDGING SYSTEM

The competition will be judged with the ISU Judging System.

ENTRIES

Date of preliminary entry: **06 December 2025**
Final date of entry: **12 January 2026**

Please let us know until 12.01.2026 if you have skaters who are skating in two teams. We will try to take your wishes into consideration. However, we cannot give any guarantees.

The entry fee is CHF 380.00 for each participating team. The payment must be done to the Eislauf Club beider Basel by credit transfer no later than **12 January 2026**. The bank draft expenses will be charged to the registering teams and not to the organizer of the competition. All bank charges and currency differences shall be borne by the teams.

Beneficiary	Eislauf Club beider Basel - SYS Basilea Trophy
Bank	PostFinance AG, Mingerstrasse 20, 3030 Bern (Switzerland)
IBAN	CH52 0900 0000 1576 7222 5
Account No	15-767222-5
BIC (SWIFT-Code)	POFICHBEXXX

If you do a bank transfer, please send an e-mail of confirmation to the following address: finance.basileatrophy@gmail.com

The entry fee and/or bookings are not refundable.

PANEL OF JUDGES

Each participating ISU member entering at least one (1) team may enter one (1) international judge or ISU judge for Synchronized Skating from the official ISU list of judges of the current season. National championship judges may also be entered.

The organizer will pay board and lodging, if necessary, from Friday, 20 March 2026 to Sunday 22 March 2026. All other expenses shall be the responsibility of each official, the entering association or club.

The judges meeting will take place Saturday, 21 March 2026 before lunch, at the ice rink. The round table discussion will be held after the competition at the ice rink.

Hotel for officials:	Hotel Coop Tagungszentrum Seminarstrasse 12-22 CH - 4132 Muttenz, Switzerland Tel: +41 61 466 11 11 Homepage: https://www.cooptagungszentrum.ch/de.html E-Mail: tagungszentrum@coop.ch
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OFFICIAL PRACTICE

For the official practice, each team will have the following time:

- 12 minutes official practice for free skating - Senior ISU, Senior Elite 12, Senior B
- 11 minutes official practice for free skating - Junior ISU, Junior B, Mixed Age
- 10 minutes official practice for free skating - Advanced Novice, Basic Novice, Juvenile, Adult, Masters

DRAW

The draw will be made by the referee in accordance with ISU regulations in advance.

REGISTRATION

Every participating team, officials, referees, judges, technical controller, technical specialists, and accountant are invited to register upon arrival at the ice rink.

An information desk will be in place at the ice rink throughout the entire duration of the competition.

At the information desk payments in cash (Swiss Francs) are possible.

Payments by credit card are subject to a 2% fee.

MUSIC

All teams are requested to provide their competition music in advance by sending an MP3-file to the following upload portal:

Upload Link: <https://upload.kuermusik.ch/e/kmbt26>

Support: mail@kuermusik.ch



Teams must send their music no later than **12 January 2026**.

Upon accreditation all teams shall bring their competition music of excellent quality on CD/USB Stick (no mp3 cd) as a backup. The CD/USB Stick must be properly inserted in its original case, must clearly show the name of the team as well as the exact running time of the music (not skating time). Only one program in one track per CD/USB Stick is permitted.

CLOSING CEREMONY - PODIUMS

All participants will be present on the ice in their competition costumes for the announcement of the results and for the prize awarding ceremony.

All participants will be part of the closing ceremony and are asked to follow the instructions of the organizer.

ORGANIZATION

The responsibility for organizing the competition is in the hands of the organizer. The organizers always retain the right to take the necessary measures to ensure a smooth running of the event. All decisions concerning such measures will be taken with the agreement of the referee.

PUBLICITY WAIVER

Each individual and/or team, waive all rights to financial remuneration or other compensation for the use or reproduction of their image or likeness, or that of their synchronized skating team, and grant permission to use same, as or in publicity prior to, during or following the Basilea Trophy 2026, in Basel, Switzerland.

MEDICAL SERVICE / LIABILITY

In accordance with rule 119, it is the sole obligation of each ISU member participating in the competition, as defined in rule 107, to provide medical and accident insurance for their athletes, officials and all other members of the ISU member's team(s). Such insurance must provide full medical coverage and also the return journey of the ill or injured person to the home country by air transport or by other expeditious means.

Swiss Ice Skating and the organizer assume no responsibility for or liability with respect to bodily or personal injury or property damage incurred in connection with the event by competitors and officials.

The organizer will not provide participant insurance coverage for the event.
The organizer will provide emergency medical services for all competitors during the competition and official practice sessions at the official ice rink.
The local hospital is within a 15-minute car drive from the ice rink.

Each team manager should be able to give important medical information for each skater for use in case of an emergency or accident.

Such information should include but is not limited to the following, and will greatly help local medical and emergency personnel:

- allergies;
- existing medical conditions (i.e. asthma);
- current medications;
- immunizations;
- blood type; and
- use of glasses, contact lenses, dental appliances.

DOPING

If an anti-doping test is carried out it will be conducted in accordance with the current ISU Anti-Doping Rules & Procedures (Rule 139 ISU General Regulations and ISU Communications No. 2344 or any further update of this Communication).

TEAM ACCOMMODATION / TRANSPORTATION

Official hotel for teams:

IBIS Budget Basel City
Grosspeterstrasse 12
CH-4052 Basel, Switzerland

Email: h8211-re@accor.com

Homepage: <https://www.accorhotels.com/de/hotel-8211-ibis-budget-basel-city/index.shtml>

Good to know: all public transport is free of charge if you book in a hotel in Basel City!

You will get the Mobility Tickets at the Check-in in the hotel. If you arrive by plane or by train, your public transport from the airport or railway station to the hotel is free of charge, provided you show the booking confirmation of the hotel.

The team bus can remain parked at the ice rink for a fee.

The organizer will make proposals for accommodation and meals; however, the organizer takes no responsibility for any bookings made by any participant. Any bookings, changes to bookings or cancellations of bookings are in the sole responsibility of the respective participant.

TEAM PHOTO

In order to prepare the event program, the organizer is requesting the teams to submit one (1) team photo (width: 1500 pixels, height: 1000 pixels, resolution: 200 dpi, 300 to 800kb) by e-mail at info.basileatrophy@gmail.com at latest **12 January 2026**.

INFORMATION

For any general information:

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For any financial questions:

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Website: <https://basilea-trophy.ch>

Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/basileatrophy/>

Instagram: <https://www.instagram.com/basileatrophy/>

PRELIMINARY EVENT SCHEDULE

Saturday, 21 March 2026

07.00 - 10.00	Arrival and registration of participants and Officials at the ice rink
08.00 - 12.00	Official practice
Morning	Judges Meeting
14.00 - 18.00	Competition
18.30	Award Ceremony
After Competition	Technical panel final meeting / round table discussion

Important information and modifications concerning the Basilea Trophy will be updated ongoing on the homepage: <https://www.basilea-trophy.ch>

or on the Sportity App. Access code: **“SYSBA26”**



Basel, September 2025

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LIST OF FORMS

Form	Object	Return before
0	Preliminary Entry	06 December 2025
1	Team Contact	12 January 2026
2	Team Entry	12 January 2026
3	Program Content Sheet	12 January 2026
4	Music Information - Team Photo	12 January 2026
5	Judges and Officials Entry Form	12 January 2026
6	Bus parking	23 February 2026
7	Meal Reservation	23 February 2026
8	Summary Fees	23 February 2026

Synchronized Skating

Technical Guidelines for Competitions in Switzerland 2025/2026 - according to ISU Communication 2692

SENIOR ISU					
AGE	17 - X >> Must have reached the age of 17 before July 1st preceding the competition.				
COMPETITORS	16 + 4				
SHORT PROGRAM	DURATION	Max. 2.50 min.	FREE PROGRAM	DURATION	4.00 min. +/- 10 sec.
	COMPONENT FACTOR	1.33		COMPONENT FACTOR	2.67
	ELEMENTS (5)	1 Angled Intersection + pi 1 Move Element (Block feature) 1 No Hold Element (ss required) 1 Synchronized Spin Element 1 Traveling Element		ELEMENTS (09)	1 Creative Element - Intersection 1 Creative Element - Lift(s) 1 Group Lift Element 1 Intersection Element 1 Move Element 1 No Hold Element (features req.) 1 Pair Element 1 Pivoting Element 1 Twizzle Element
	FALLS	1.0		FALLS	1.0

SENIOR Elite 12 - Senior Elite 12 and Senior ISU may be combined into one category if there are insufficient registrations.					
AGE	17 - X >> Must have reached the age of 17 before July 1st preceding the competition.				
COMPETITORS	12 + 4				
SHORT PROGRAM	DURATION	Max. 2.50 min.	FREE PROGRAM	DURATION	4.00 min. +/- 10 sec.
	COMPONENT FACTOR	1.33		COMPONENT FACTOR	2.67
	ELEMENTS (5)	1 Angled Intersection + pi 1 Move Element (Block feature) 1 No Hold Element (ss required) 1 Synchronized Spin Element 1 Traveling Element		ELEMENTS (09)	1 Creative Element - Intersection 1 Creative Element - Lift(s) 1 Group Lift Element 1 Intersection Element 1 Move Element 1 No Hold Element (features req.) 1 Pair Element 1 Pivoting Element 1 Twizzle Element
	FALLS	1.0		FALLS	1.0

The Joker Rule does not apply for Senior ISU and Senior Elite 12

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JUNIOR ISU					
AGE	13 - 19 >> Must have reached the age of 13 but must not have reached the age of 19 before July 1st preceding the competition.				
COMPETITORS	12-16 + 4				
SHORT PROGRAM	DURATION	Max. 2.50 min.	FREE PROGRAM	DURATION	3.30 min. +/- 10 sec.
	COMPONENT FACTOR	1.33		COMPONENT FACTOR	2.67
	ELEMENTS (5)	1 Whip Intersection + pi 1 Move Element (Block feature) 1 No Hold Element (features req.) 1 Pivoting Element - Block 1 Twizzle Element		ELEMENTS (8)	1 Artistic Element - Block or Line 1 Creative Element - Group Lift(s) 2 different Intersection Elements 1 No Hold Element (ss required) 1 Synchronized Spin Element 1 Traveling Element <i>Plus a choice of 1 Element:</i> - 1 Move Element <i>or</i> - 1 Pair Element
	FALLS	1.0		FALLS	1.0

ADVANCED NOVICE					
AGE	10 - 16 >> Must have reached the age of 10 but must not have reached the age of 16 before July 1st preceding the competition.				
COMPETITORS	12-16 + 4				
			FREE PROGRAM	DURATION	3.00 min. +/- 10 sec.
				COMPONENT FACTOR	2.67
				ELEMENTS (6)	1 Intersection Element 1 Move Element 1 No Hold Element (ss + features) 1 Synchronized Spin Element 1 Traveling Element 1 Pivoting Element - Block
				FALLS	0.5

The Joker Rule does not apply for Junior ISU and Advanced Novice

Synchronized Skating
Technical Guidelines for Competitions in Switzerland
2025/2026 - according to ISU Communication 2692

CATEGORIE	SENIOR B	JUNIOR B	MIXED AGE	BASIC NOVICE	JUVENILE	ADULT	MASTERS
AGE **	17 - X	13 - 19	all ages	X - 16	X - 13	18/25 - X	18/25 - X
COMPETITORS	12 - 16 + 4 alternates	12 - 16 + 4 alternates	12 - 16 + 4 alternates	8 - 16 + 4 alternates	8 - 16 + 4 alternates	12 - 16 + 4 alternates	12 - 16 + 4 alternates
DURATION	4.00 min. +/- 10 sec.	3.30 min. +/- 10 sec.	3.30 min. +/- 10 sec.	3.00 min. +/- 10 sec.	3.00 min. +/- 10 sec.	3.00 min. +/- 10 sec.	3.00 min. +/- 10 sec.
MAX. CALL	4	4	4 - except Step Level - max. L2	2* - except SySp max. L1	2* - except SySp max. L1	4	4
COMPONENT FACTOR	2.67	2.67	2.67	2.67	2.67	1.67	2.00
ELEMENTS	7 Elements 1 Creative Element - Intersection 1 Intersection Element 1 Move Element 1 No Hold Element (features req.) 1 Pair Element 1 Pivoting Element 1 Twizzle Element Not mandatory in Switzerland: 1 Creative Element - Lift 1 Group Lift Element	8 Elements 1 Artistic Element - Block or Line 1 Creative Element - Group Lift(s) 2 different Intersection Elements 1 No Hold Element (ss required) 1 Synchronized Spin Element 1 Traveling Element <i>Plus a choice of 1 Element:</i> - 1 Move Element <i>or</i> - 1 Pair Element	7 Elements 1 Artistic Element - Circle or Wheel 1 Intersection Element 1 Move Element 1 No Hold Element (ss + features) 1 Pivoting Element - Block 1 Pair Element 1 Twizzle Element	6 Elements 1 Artistic Element - Line 1 Intersection Element 1 Linear Element - Block 1 Move Element 1 Synchronized Spin Element 1 Traveling Element	6 Elements 1 Artistic Element - Line 1 Intersection Element + pi opt. 1 Linear Element - Block 1 Move Element 1 Synchronized Spin Element 1 Traveling Element	5 Elements 1 Intersection Element 1 Pivoting Element - Block 1 Traveling Element 1 Rotating Element <i>Plus a choice of 1 Element:</i> - 1 Mixed Element <i>or</i> - 1 Artistic Element (B,C,L,W) Not permitted: Vaults, lifts and Un-sustained lifts	6 Elements 1 Intersection Element 1 Pivoting Element - Line 1 Traveling Element 1 Move Element 1 No Hold Element (ss + features) <i>Plus a choice of 1 Element:</i> - 1 Mixed Element <i>or</i> - 1 Artistic Element (B,C,L,W) Permitted: Vaults and Un-sustained lifts
FALLS	1.0	1.0	1.0	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5

Additional information:

Senior B **Group Lift Element and Creative Element - Lift - only for Teams planning to start at international competitions - In Switzerland these elements are considered as connections**

Mixed Age **Follows the General rules for Junior category > Illegal Elements are following the restriction of Rule 992 para 2. c)**

Max. Call * **Maximum element levels can be skated but the level awarded will be one or two level/s lower than the maximum defined in the ISU Technical Rules.**

AGE ** **Must have reached the age of before July 1st but must not have reached the age of before July 1st preceding the competition**
Must have reached the age of 18 by July 1st and the average age of the registered team must be at least 25 years. The joker rule does not apply for adult and master categories.
 X = No age limit

Joker Rule: At least 75 % actually performing the program must meet the age criteria of the category - 25 % or less may be outside the age criteria of the category

Total involved	16	15	14	13	12	11	10	9	8
Correct age (75%)	12	12	11	10	9	9	8	7	6
Free age (25%)	4	3	3	3	3	2	2	2	2

Alterslimiten Synchronized Skating / Limites d'âge patinage synchronisé
2025/2026 - according to ISU Communication 2692

Mindestalter / Age minimum

Der Läufer muss das ... Altersjahr erreicht haben

Le patineur doit avoir atteint l'âge de....

Stichtag / Datum

25	Jahre alt sein
24	être agé
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Master + Adult 18	
Senior B + Senior ISU + Elite 12 17	
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Junior B + Junior ISU 13	
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Advanced Novice 10	
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01.07.2022	
01.07.2023	
01.07.2024	

Maximales Alter / Age maximum

Der Läufer darf **noch nicht** das ... Altersjahr erreicht haben

Le patineur n'a pas encore atteint l'âge de

Stichtag / Datum:

20	Jahre alt sein
Junior ISU 19	
18	être agé de
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Basic Novice + Advanced Novice 16	
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Juvenile 13	
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01.07.2023	
01.07.2024	