

# *Open d'Andorra* 2014

*ISU International Figure Skating Competition for  
Singles, Pairs and Ice Dance*

**Canillo (AND)**  
19/23 November 2014

*Organized by*



## General

The Open d'Andorra 2014 is an ISU International Competition. It will be conducted in accordance with the ISU Constitution and General Regulations 2014, the ISU Special Regulations and Technical Rules for Singles & Pair Skating and Ice Dance 2014 as well as all pertinent ISU Communications.

Participation in the Open d'Andorra is open to all competitors who belong to an ISU Member, Rule 109, paragraph 1, and qualify with regard to eligibility, according to Rule 102, provided their ages fall within the limits specified in Rule 108, paragraph 3. and they meet the participation, citizenship and residency requirements in Rule 109, paragraphs 1 through 5 and ISU Communication 1420.

Passports of the skaters, as well as the ISU Clearance Certificate, if applicable, must be presented at the accreditation.

### Organizer:

Federació Andorrana d'Esports de Gel

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### Place:

All competition events and practice sessions will be held in Canillo at the Ice Rink "Palau de Gel".

The Ice Rink (30mx60m) is indoor and heated.

Palau de Gel de Canillo

Crta. General, AD 100 – Canillo (Principat d'Andorra)

[www.palaudegel.ad](http://www.palaudegel.ad)



Categories:

In accordance with the ISU Technical Rules Single and Pair Skating 2014:

- Senior Ladies/Men/Pairs / Ice Dance– Short and Free Program or Short Dance and Free Dance.
- Junior Ladies/Men/Pairs / Ice Dance – Short and Free Program or Short Dance and Free Dance.
- Novice Advanced Girls/Men – Short and Free Program (Rules as ISU Communication 1886)

Entries:

Each National Association may entry up to two (2) competitors for the, Junior and Senior categories, and three (3) for Advanced Novice Categories.

Number maximum of entries by category, in order to entries received:

Advanced Novice Ladies - 24 participants.

Advanced Novice Men – 18 participants.

Junior Ladies – 18 participants.

Junior Men – 18 participants.

Junior Pairs – 12 Couples.

Junior Ice dance - 12 Couples.

Senior Ladies – 18 participants.

Senior Men – 18 participants.

Senior Pairs – 12 couples.

Senior Ice Dance – 12 couples.

The OC reserves the right to allow more than the allowed total skaters in each category.

Entries must be sent by October 16th to:

Ms. Anna Macias (Technical Secretary)

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Entry Fees:

€ 70,00 per participant.

€ 120,00 per Pairs and Ice dance couples.

The entry fee will be returned only the case the withdrawal of the athlete happens within the date of closing of the registration.

Expenses of Competitors and Teams:

The OC will not cover any expenses for competitors, coaches and/or Team Leaders.

Travel, board and accommodation expenses have to be paid by each participant.

Entries of Officials: Each participating ISU Member is allowed to nominate a Judge with at least the qualification of International Judge. Ice Dance judges will be accepted preferably if they have the qualification of Singles and Pairs as well. The

acceptance of the entries of the judges will be communicated to all participating ISU Members before 20 October 2014.

Costs of Officials: The OC will cover accommodation and meals for all the participating Officials, beginning with dinner on Wednesday, November 19<sup>th</sup>, 2014 until breakfast on Monday, November 24<sup>th</sup>, 2014.

Should any Judge arrive at the Hotel before or stay longer than the period described above, their room costs and expenses will be the responsibility of the individual and must be paid on arrival.

Travel cost will be covered by the OC only for invited Referees, TC, TS, Data/Replay operator and Judges.

#### Accommodation:

The Organizing Committee will make the room arrangements for Referees, TC, TS, officials, Judges, skaters, coaches and Team members.

Hotel reservations can be done by the OC.

Price for Skaters, coaches and Team Members:

104€ per person with full board (water included for skaters, and water and wine for adults) in singles room.

65€ per person with full board (water included for skaters, and water and wine for adults) in twins rooms.

Bank Account for payments: (Entries, Hotel and transport)

FEDERACIÓ ANDORRANA D'ESPORTS DE GEL

BANC: BANCA MORA , SAU  
AVD. SANT JOAN DE CASELLES, S/N –  
CANILLO

IBAN Number: AD48 0004 0029 0000 6166 2011  
Swift Code: BINAADAD

#### Official Hotel:

Hotel Ski Plaza (In front of the Ice Rink)  
Ctra. General s/n. AD100 Canillo (Andorra)  
T. (+376) 739 444 / F. (+376) 739 445

[www.plazandorra.com](http://www.plazandorra.com) / Check in: 14 hrs / Check out: 12 hrs



#### Airport:

The nearest airport to Canillo is El Prat de Llobregat International Airport, Barcelona (BCN) Spain, with a distance of 3 hours to the official hotel. The OC provides a Bus Shuttle to meet the teams on arrival, also for departures. The transportation fee for all persons participating in this shuttle service is 30€ per transfer.

This service will be operative for arrivals on Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup>, November before 6:00 pm and on Friday 21<sup>th</sup> before 6:00 pm, for arrivals later than this, please consult de regular bus service in the follow links;

Novatel: (Barcelona – Canillo)  
<http://www.andorrabybus.com>

Andorra Direct Bus: (Barcelona – Canillo)  
<http://www.andorradirectbus.es/>

#### Music and Planned Program:

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.

It is not permitted to hand over the "Program Content Sheets" directly to the acting Officials.

Accreditation: The official accreditation point will be at the Ice Rink, from morning of November 20<sup>th</sup> 2014. Accreditation will be given to all Competitors, Coaches, Officials, Team Leaders and other Team Members.

Results: The calculation of results will be done according to ISU Special Regulations and Technical Rules Singles & Pair Skating and Ice Dance 2014. The competition results must be calculated according to the valid ISU Special Regulations Single & Pair Skating/Ice Dance, currently Rules 352 and 353.

Draws:

Draws will take place, by computer, at the OC office 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.

Awards: The first three best placed competitors in each event will be awarded by Medals at the end of the competition.

Liability:

According to the rule 119 the Organizing Committee accepts no liability for bodily and personal injury, or for property loss or damage incurred by competitors and Officials. Each ISU Members expected to provide its own insurance protection. The O.C. will provide emergency medical services for all invited Officials and Competitors during the competition.

Technical Data:

Advanced Novice:

Short Program max. 2:30

Free Skating 3:00 min, +/- 10 sec. for girls

Free Skating 3:30 min, +/- 10 sec. for boys

Short Program:

Boys

The Short Program for Boys' Singles shall consist of the following elements:

- a) Axel Paulsen or double Axel Paulsen
- b) Double or triple jump immediately preceded by connecting steps, may not repeat jump in a)
- c) One jump combination consisting of two double jumps or one double and one triple jump, both jumps may not repeat jump in a) or b)
- d) Camel or sit spin (minimum of six (6) revolutions) with change of foot and no flying entrance.
- e) Spin combination with only one change of foot (minimum of five (5) revolutions on each foot). Flying entry is allowed.
- f) One step sequence fully utilizing the ice surface.

Girls

The Short Program for Girls' Singles shall consist of the following elements:

- a) Axel Paulsen or double Axel Paulsen
- b) Double or triple jump immediately preceded by connecting steps, may not repeat jump in a)
- c) One jump combination consisting of two double jumps or one double and one triple jump, both jumps may not repeat jump in a) or b)
- d) Layback or sideways leaning spin (minimum of six (6) revolutions)
- e) Spin combination with only one change of foot (minimum of five (5) revolutions on each foot). Flying entry is allowed.

f) One step sequence fully utilizing the ice surface.

Jumps not according to Short Program requirements (wrong number of revolutions) will receive no value.

FP Girls & Boys:

A well balanced Free Skating program for Singles must contain:

a) Maximum 6 jump elements for Girls and 7 jump elements for Boys one of which must be an Axel type jump. There may be up to two (2) jump combinations or sequences. A jump combination can contain only two (2) jumps. A jump sequence can contain any number of jumps, but only two most difficult jumps will be counted.

Only two (2) jumps with three (3) or more revolutions can be repeated either in a jump combination or in a jump sequence. Any single and double jump (including Double Axel) cannot be executed more than twice in total.

b) There must be a maximum of two (2) spins of a different nature, one of which must be a spin combination (minimum of ten (10) revolutions) and one a flying spin or a spin with a flying entrance (minimum of six (6) revolutions).

c) There must be a maximum of one (1) step sequence

Levels explanations:

For Advanced Novice Singles, in all elements that are subject to Levels, only features up to Level 3 will be counted. Any additional features will not count for Level requirements and will be ignored by the Technical Panel.

The Program Components are only judged in

- Skating Skills
- Transitions
- Performance/Execution
- Interpretation

The factors for the Program Components are;

a) Short Program

- for boys 0.9
- for girls 0.8

b) Free Skating

- for boys 1.8
- for girls 1.6

Junior Categories:

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Short Program

The required elements to be skated are those listed in ISU Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating 2014 Rule 611, paragraphs 1 and 3 for 2014/15.

Duration: 2 min., 50 sec. maximum, but may be less

Free Skating

In accordance with ISU Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating 2014, Rule 612 and the respective ISU Communication. Special attention should be paid to the "well balanced program" and the element value.

Duration: 4 min., +/- 10 sec.

## Junior LADIES

### Short Program

The required elements to be skated are those listed in ISU Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating 2014 Rule 611, paragraphs 1 and 3 for 2014/15.

Duration: 2 min., 50 sec. maximum, but may be less

### Free Skating

In accordance with ISU Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating 2014, Rule 612 and the respective ISU Communication. Special attention should be paid to the "well balanced program" and the element value.

Duration: 3 min., 30 sec., +/- 10 sec.

## Junior PAIRS

### Short Program

The required elements to be skated are those listed in ISU Technical Rules Single & Pair Skating 2014, Rule 620, paragraphs 1 and 3 for 2014/15.

Duration: 2 min., 50 sec. maximum, but may be less

### Free Skating

In accordance with ISU Technical Rules Figure Skating & Pairs Skating 2014, Rule 621 and the respective ISU Communication. Special attention should be paid to the "well balanced program" and the element value.

Duration: 4 min., +/- 10 sec.

## Junior ICE DANCE

### Short Dance

In accordance with ISU Technical Rules Ice Dance 2014, Rule 709.

Rhythms, required elements and guidelines are those listed in ISU Communication 1857 and subsequent updates.

Duration: 2 min., 50 sec., +/- 10 sec

### Free Dance

In accordance with ISU Technical Rules Ice Dance 2014, Rule 710. The required elements to be skated are those listed in ISU Communication 1857 and subsequent updates.

Duration: 3 min., 30 sec., +/- 10 sec.

## Senior categories:

### Men:

#### Short Program

The prescribed elements to be skated are those listed in ISU Technical Rule Single and Pair Skating 2014, Rule 611, para 1 and 2 and the respective ISU Communication.

Duration: max. 2 min., 50 sec., but may be less

#### Free Skating

In accordance with ISU Technical Rules Single and Pair Skating 2014, Rule 612 and the respective ISU Communication.

Duration: 4 min., 30 sec., +/- 10 sec.



Ladies:

#### Short Program

The prescribed elements to be skated are those listed in ISU Technical Rules Single and Pair Skating 2014, Rule 611, para 1 and 2 and the respective ISU Communication.

Duration: max. 2 min., 50 sec., but may be less

#### Free Skating

In accordance with ISU Technical Rules Single and Pair Skating 2014, Rule 612 and the respective ISU Communication.

Duration: 4 min., +/- 10 sec.

Pairs:

#### Short Program

The prescribed elements to be skated are those listed in ISU Technical Rules Single and Pair Skating 2014, Rule 620, para 1 and 2, group for 2014/15 and the respective ISU Communication.

Duration: max. 2 min., 50 sec., but may be less;

#### Free Skating

In accordance with ISU Technical Rules Single and Pair Skating 2014, Rule 621 and the respective ISU Communication.

Duration: 4 min., 30 sec., +/- 10 sec.

Ice Dance:

#### Short Dance

In accordance with ISU Technical Rules Ice Dance 2014, Rule 709.

Rhythms, required elements and guidelines are those listed in ISU Communication 1857 and subsequent updates.

Duration: 2 min., 50 sec., +/- 10 sec

#### Free Dance

In accordance with ISU Technical Rules Ice Dance 2014, Rule 710, The required elements to be skated are those listed in ISU Communication 1857 and subsequent updates.

Duration: 4 min. +/- 10 sec.

PROVISIONAL SCHEDULE:

WEDNESDAY, 19

- Accreditation.
- Non Official Practice.
- Officials Dinner.

THURSDAY, 20

- Official Practice
- Initial judges meeting S&P.
- Technical Panel Meeting S&P.

Competition:

- Advanced Novice Ladies, Short Program.
- Advanced Novice Men, Short Program.
- Official Practice.

FRIDAY, 21

- Official Practice.
- Initial judges meeting ID.
- Technical Panel meeting ID.

Competition:

- Advanced Novice Ladies FP
- Advanced Novice Men FP
- Junior Ladies SP.
- Junior Men SP.
- Official Practice.
- Awards Ceremony for Advanced Novice Girls and Boys. (off Ice)
- Round Table Discussion Advanced Novice.

SATURDAY, 22

- Official Practice

Competition:

- Junior Pairs SP.
- Senior Pairs SP.
- Junior Ice Dance SD.
- Senior Ice Dance SD.
- Junior Ladies FP
- Junior Men FP
- Senior Ladies SP
- Senior Ladies SP
- Awards Ceremony for Junior Ladies and Men. (off Ice)
- Round Table Discussion Junior.

SUNDAY, 23

- Official Practice

Competition:

- Junior Pairs FP
  - Senior Pairs FP
  - Senior Ladies FP
  - Senior Men FP
  - Junior Ice dance FD
  - Senior Ice dance FD
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- Awards ceremony.
  - Round Table Discussion Senior S&P
  - Round Table Discussion Junior and Senior ID.

