

**Announcement of the International Adult Figure Skating Competition Easter Skate 2026**

The figure skating club Riihimäen Taitoluistelijat, of Riihimäki, Finland, has the pleasure of inviting adult skaters to participate in an international figure skating competition.

<b>Competition</b>	Easter Skate
<b>Date</b>	March 27 <sup>th</sup> – 29 <sup>th</sup> 2026
<b>Venue</b>	Riihimäki Ice Rink, HJ.Elomaankatu 4, 11130 Riihimäki
<b>Organiser</b>	Riihimäen Taitoluistelijat ry
<b>Website</b>	<a href="https://rtl.sporttisaitti.com/easter-skate/easter-skate-2026/">https://rtl.sporttisaitti.com/easter-skate/easter-skate-2026/</a>

**The adult competition will be held in the following disciplines:**

**Single Ladies and Men**

- **Free Skating (Bronze, Silver, Gold, Masters, Masters Elite)**
- **Artistic Free Skating (Bronze, Silver, Gold, Masters)**

**Pair Skating**

- **Free Skating (Adult, Intermediate, Masters, Masters Elite)**
- **Artistic Free Skating (Adult, Intermediate, Masters)**

**Couples Ice Dance**

- **Pattern Dance (Bronze, Silver, Gold, Masters, Masters Elite)**
- **Free Dance (Bronze, Silver, Gold, Masters, Masters Elite)**

**Solo Ice Dance**

- **Pattern Dance (Bronze, Silver, Gold)**
- **Free Dance (Bronze, Silver, Gold)**

The organizer has the right to split categories into age groups if there are more than six participants in the category.

Age categories for Women and Men Skating events:

Young adults (YA) participants born between	1 <sup>st</sup> July 1997 and 31 <sup>st</sup> December 2004
Class I participants born between	1 <sup>st</sup> July 1987 and 30 <sup>th</sup> June 1997
Class II participants born between	1 <sup>st</sup> July 1977 and 30 <sup>th</sup> June 1987
Class III participants born between	1 <sup>st</sup> July 1967 and 30 <sup>th</sup> June 1977
Class IV participants born between	1 <sup>st</sup> July 1957 and 30 <sup>th</sup> June 1967
Class V participants born on or before	30 <sup>th</sup> June 1957



## **Entries**

All clubs and members of national figure skating federations associated with the ISU are invited to take part in the competition.

Entry form for Easter Skate 2026 will be available from January 7<sup>th</sup> to February 20<sup>th</sup> on our website <https://rtl.sporttisaitti.com/easter-skate/easter-skate-2026/>

Please note that all skaters who register on time are guaranteed entry.

## **Confirmation and preliminary schedule**

Confirmation and the final schedule with details will be published on March 1st, 2026.

### **Preliminary schedule**

Friday March 27 <sup>th</sup>	Pairs Artistic Skating Single Artistic Skating
Saturday March 28 <sup>th</sup>	Solo Ice Dance, Pattern Dance Couples Ice Dance, Pattern Dance Single Free Skating Pairs Free Skating
Sunday March 29 <sup>th</sup>	Solo Ice Dance, Free Dance Couples Ice Dance, Free Dance

## **Rules**

Easter Skate 2026 will be conducted according to ISU rules, annexed on the competition website.

## **Entry Fees**

Single skating one program 66 €, two programs 100€

Pair skating and Ice dance one program 77€, two programs 110€

The entry fee should be paid by March 7<sup>th</sup>, 2026. The payment details:

SWIFT/BIC:

**OKOYFIHH**

Bank account IBAN:

**FI77 5396 0240 0856 71**

Payee :

**Riihimäen Taitoluistelijat**

Please use reference: Easter Skate



## **Planned Program Components and music**

Skaters are required to submit their planned program content and clearly named music files via the form on our website: <https://rtl.sporttisaitti.com/easter-skate/easter-skate-2026/>

Please note that the Finnish Figure Skating Associations agreement with the Finnish copyright organizations fully covers music usage at competitions and as such we do not require music clearances from skaters or clubs.

## **Cancellations**

According to Finnish Figure Skating Associations regulations (chapter 15.7).

## **Draw**

The draw will be held at 18 pm on March 20<sup>th</sup>. The draw will be made by FSM program. The result of the draw will be published on the competition website by latest on March 21<sup>st</sup>, 2026.

## **Awarding**

The first three standings of each category/class will be awarded with a cup. All participants will receive a diploma. Award ceremonies will be held as soon as the results are confirmed. ISU protocols will be posted on the organizers' website and will not be mailed to participants after the event.

## **Judges**

The Organizer will invite the judges and the other officials and pay their expenses. The names of the judges and technical panel will be published on the competition website.

## **Expenses**

The Organizer cannot pay any expenses for the participants.

## **Protests**

Protest must be submitted to the Referee of the category at the latest immediately after the category. The protest fee is 15 €. The Referee's decision is final.

## **Protocol**

The protocol/list of results in each category shall be published on the competition website. The organizer shall not provide print-outs after the event.



## **Liability**

According to the ISU Regulations, Rule 119, the organizer accepts no liability.

## **First Aid**

Qualified first aiders will be present at the competition

## **Transportation and accommodation**

Skaters, coaches and other team members may book accommodation individually. The organizer will make room reservations for invited officials only.

Organiser recommends:



### **Teatterihotelli Riihimäki**

Hämeenaukio 1, 11100 Riihimäki, located 1,5 km from the rink.

+358 100 7721

<https://teatterihotelli.fi/>

[myynti@teatterihotelli.fi](mailto:myynti@teatterihotelli.fi)

### **Prices for skaters / coaches**

1 person room 115 €/ night

2 person room 135 €/ night

including breakfast

Discount code: "TAITO26"

### **Hotel Seurahuone Riihimäki**

Hämeenkatu 29, 11100 Riihimäki, located 950m from the rink. Please note that the hotel is located above a nightclub.

+358 19 716 270

[www.seurahuone.fi](http://www.seurahuone.fi)

[myynti@seurahuone.fi](mailto:myynti@seurahuone.fi)

### **Hotel Sveitsi**

Härkävehmaankatu 4, 05900 Hyvinkää, located 15km from the rink.

<https://www.hotelsveitsi.fi>

There are several holiday rentals available close to the rink on booking sites such as booking.com. Should you require assistance with travel arrangements to/from the competition venue please don't hesitate to contact us by email [easterskate2026@gmail.com](mailto:easterskate2026@gmail.com).



Riihimäki Ice Rink is easily reached by car, has free parking and is conveniently located within a short walk from the train and bus stations.

**Heads of the Competition Organization**

Should you have any questions or require additional information, please do not hesitate to contact us.

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**You are warmly welcome to Riihimäki!**

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