Nottinghamshire Ice Racing Club

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THE 20th NOTTINGHAMSHIRE JUNIOR BRITISH OPEN COMPETITION

The Nottingham Ice Racing Club has the honour to invite you to participate at the 20th Junior British Open at the National Ice Centre in Nottingham. Great Britain.

General Programme

Sunday 28th December 2008 09:15 to 10:15 Registration

11:00 to 21:00 Competition

Monday 29th December 2008 08:00 to 13:30 Competition

13:30 to 14:00 Presentation (On Ice)

Venue:

National Ice Centre - Nottingham Lower Parliament Street, Nottingham. NG1 1LA England Web site: http://www.nottingham-arena.com/

Organisers:

Nottinghamshire Ice Racing Club

Rules:

The event is to be held under I.S.U. Regulations. The qualifying schedule is based on the "All Finals System" Some categories may be mixed together if numbers require it for better racing, but the Super-finals will be skated by each category skates only. The total number of points from all distance finals + the Super Final will determine the overall winner of the competition in each category.

The competition is open to all skaters who did not reach the age of nineteen years on 1st. July 2008. All competitors must be a member of a club recognised by their own National Association. An entry fee of £10.00 will be made for each British competitor. (Entry is <u>FREE</u> for any Non British skater).

The Organisers reserve the right to change the programme due to any unforeseen circumstances.

Track & Padding:

The competition will be held on a 60m x 30m Ice Pad with a Standard 111.12m oval track. Four other tracks will be laid out which are moved one meter from the standard track. Safety padding of barrier height will completely cover the rink board surface.

Age Categories:

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Junior "E" - Born after 30<sup>th</sup> June 1997
Junior "D" - Born between 1st July 1995 & 30th June 1997.
Junior "C" - Born between 1st July 1993 & 30th June 1995.
Junior "B" - Born between 1st July 1991 & 30th June 1993.
Junior "A" - Born between 1st July 1989 & 30th June 1991.
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Distances:

Junior "E" - 333m, and 500m.	500m Super Final (4 Skaters)
Junior "D" - 333m, and 500m.	1000m Super Final (4 Skaters)
Junior "C" - 500m, and 1000m.	1500m Super Final (6 Skaters)
Junior "B" - 500m, and 1000m,	1500m Super Final (6 Skaters)
Junior "A" - 500m, and 1000m,	1500m Super Final (6 Skaters)

Relays:

There will be a session of Relays, which all skaters will be given a chance to take part in. Make up will depend on entry.

Award of Prizes

Prizes will be presented to the winner in each age category (male & female) and for 2nd and 3rd. During award ceremonies, the skaters should be in club or National suits.

Accreditation:

Accreditation and racing numbers will be given in the Club Office which is on level 1 of the Arena opposite the Away changing room, between 09:00 and 10:15 on Sunday 28th December. There will be a Team Leaders meeting in the "Green Room" at 10.30.

Insurance and Liability:

The National Ice Skating Association of U.K. Ltd., and the NIRC organizers assumes no responsibility with respect to medical, bodily or personal injury or property loss or damage sustained or caused in connection with this competition. All participants should be covered by their own National or regional medical and accident insurance.

Medical Facilities:

In accordance with I.S.U. Regulations.

Equipment:

Must be in accordance with ISU Rule 291

Entries:

Entries are preferably made via: http://www.shorttrackonline.info/

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Closing Date:

Preliminary entries to be entered by the 8th December 2008 Final entries must reach the organizing committee at the latest on 16th December 2008

HOTEL ACCOMMODATION

The participating teams/Skaters are responsible for their own subsistence and accommodation.

These are hotels that are within walking distance of the National Ice Centre, which is in the center of Nottingham.

Premier Inn, Island Site, London Road, Nottingham, NG2 4UU

Tel: (0)870 990 6574 Fax: (0)870 990 6575

http://www.premierinn.com/pti/home.do

Jurys Inn, Waterfront Plaza, Station Street, Nottingham, UK, NG2 3BJ

Tel: +44(0)115 901 6700 Fax: +44 (0)115 901 6777 http://www.jurysinns.com/ Travelodge Hotel, Nottingham Central, New City House, Maid Marian Way, Nottingham, NG1_6DD

Tel: +44 (0) 871 984 6280 http://www.travelodge.co.uk/

Ibis Hotel, 16 Fletcher Gate, NG1 2FS, Nottingham

Tel: (+44) 871 6630631

http://www.ibishotel.com/ibis/fichehotel/gb/ibi/6160/fiche_hotel.shtml

More Hotels can be found at the link below

http://www.trentfmarenanottingham.com/arena/venue/5_hotel_booking/