

Shorttrack Groningen invites you for THE AUTUMN TOURNAMENT 2023

An International shorttrack speedskating competition

Open for all, from junior F to Master

Held at Groningen, The Netherlands Kardinge On October 21, 2023

In association with Royal Skating Association of the Netherlands (KNSB) Short Track Groningen (STG)

ANNOUNCEMENT

SHORTTRACK GRONINGEN (STG), the shorttrack speedskating club in Groningen in cooperation with the Koninklijke Nederlandsche Schaatsenrijders Bond (KNSB), Gewest Groningen, invites you to take part in the

AUTUMN TOURNAMENT 2023

The AUTUMN TOURNAMENT is an international shorttrack speed skating competition for junior, senior and master skaters, to be held in Groningen, the Netherlands, on October 21, 2023.

DATE

Saturday, October 21, 2023

PLACE

Sportcentrum Kardinge, Kardingerplein 1, 9735 AA, Groningen, The Netherlands

CONDITIONS OF CONTEST

The competition will be held according to the 2023 I.S.U. Regulations.

MAXIMUM NUMBER OF COMPETITORS

The entry will have a maximum of 125 competitors.

CATEGORIES

Women Junior-F Men Junior-F Women Junior-D Men Junior-D Women Junior-C Men Junior-C Women Junior-B Men Junior-B Women Junior-A Men Junior-A Women Senior Men Senior Women Master Men Master (in competition the categories can be combined if this is necessary because of the number of entered skaters)

DISTANCES

Women Junior-F Men Junior-F 222/333 m. Women Junior-E Men Junior-E 333/500 m. Women Junior-D Men Junior-D 500/777 m. Women Junior-C Men Junior-C 500/1000 m. Women Junior-B Men Junior-B 500/1000 m. Women Senior Men Senior 500/1000 m. Women Master Men Master 500/1000 m. (distances are tentative and subject to change based on available Ice time)

For the two distances in each category an all-finals system will be applied. Depending on the number of entries the program may change. **Thursday prior to the competition, the final program will be announced.**

PROVISIONAL PROGRAM

Saturday, October 21th:

10.00 Warming up 11.00 Start of the competition 18.00 End of competition

CLASSIFICATION

The final classification will be made according to the I.S.U. Regulations. For the lower rankings all final races will be taken into account. The four skaters per club with the highest competition points will be counted for the club classification. Details will be supplied to the team leaders at the check-in.

AWARDS

Awards will be given to the first three places of the final classification in each category, to the winning teams in the relay events and to the winning club.

ENTRY FEE

There is an entry fee of 15 euro per competitor to be paid at the check-in on Saturday. You can pay this in cash or use the provided QR code. Clubs must pay for all participants at once.

CHECK-IN

Team leaders must check in their competitors on Saturday, October 21, between 9.00 and 9.45 h.

LIABILITY

The organizers accept no liability for injury or damage sustained by competitors, substitutes and officials.

ENTRIES

Entries are open to I.S.U. Members and their affiliated clubs. The entry must reach the organizing committee at the latest on **Tuesday**, **October 17**, **2023** and should contain the following: • Name and address of the club making the entry

- · Surname, Christian name and sex of the competitors
- · Date of birth of the competitors
- · Best times on 500 meters in the season 2021-2022 or 2022-2023
- · Names of the accompanying officials

Entries should be made via <u>www.ShorttrackOnline.info</u>. The organizing committee Autumn Tournament 2023 can be reached via e-mail: <u>shorttrack.groningen@gmail.com</u>

Entries of relay teams (mixed teams) are allowed at the check-in on Saturday, October 21, before 13.00. Relay teams with skaters of different clubs are accepted, these mixed teams will not be counted for the club competition.

Address for entry forms and information:

We only accept entry information via <u>www.ShorttrackOnline.info</u> Questions by e-mail to <u>shorttrack.groningen@gmail.com</u>

WELCOME TO THE AUTUMN TOURNAMENT 2023!