

EUROPEAN INLINE FREESTYLE LEAGUE

REGULATIONS



WHY HAVING A LEAGUE?

The European Inline Freestyle League (EIFL) is aimed at recognising the clubs' efforts to promote the Inline Freestyle along their disciplines. This recognition favours every aspect of the sport: firstly, the discipline itself, an also the clubs and the competitors, because a League of this category foments the development of the sports both at federative and institutional levels. In that sense, teamwork inside clubs, the sense of belonging to a sports organisation and the recognition of lower levels sports schools' work are enhanced.

This League is not aimed at substituting the European Inline Freestyle Championship, whose participants compete individually with their national teams.

DATES

The European Inline Freestyle League will take place in Pilar Fernández Valderrama Pavilion in Valladolid (Spain), on December 16th, 17th, and 18th.

REGISTRATION

Each country can participate with two club team's maximum per gender- although the host country can have one more spot for the organising club, which will always have a spot for its team. If the organiser club already has a spot, it is up to the organiser's country to decide which of its clubs will get that spot. If any country has few Inline Freestyle clubs, it will only have one spot. Each country is free to choose the clubs it will present to the League in case it does not have a National League or similar, based on sport merits or any other criteria. However, if a country has a National League or similar, the spots will be assigned to its national champion and runner-up. If any of those refuses to participate, the third or fourth ranked teams could participate and take their spots.

RULES

World Skate rulebook will be applied, except for Team Speed Slalom, where rules from the attached annex will be applied.

CATEGORIES

Men's absolute category and Women's absolute category - junior + senior - will be organised.

COMPOSITION OF TEAMS

There is a minimum of 3 skaters and there is no maximum of skaters per team.

There is a maximum of 4 skaters per discipline, but only the first 2 ranked of them will score for the final ranking, and the last 2 ranked will subtract points from the rest of the skaters. This is explained later on. A skater can participate in all the disciplines he wants to. A team has the right to not participate in a specific discipline, but therefore its punctuation there will be 0 points.

Skaters from every team must:

- Wear the same sport uniform code (Classic excluded)
- Have official license in the same club.

REGISTRATION FEES

To participate on the league, teams must pay a registration fee, which will help to cover the organisation costs. The entry fee per team is 400€

All payments are due to World Skate Europe and must be made as following:

- All payments are made in EUROS
- All payments must be made before November, 18th
- All payments are made by Bank Transfer only
- Bank Transfers are to be made without costs to World Skate Europe
- Bank Transfer Proof of payment MUST be sent to World Skate Europe by e-mail, to:
 - vladimir.tkachev@worldskate.org
 - europe@worldskate.org

Failing in comply with this procedure may result in not acceptance of the inscriptions and, consequently, fail to participate in the events.

BANK DETAILS	Payment shall be made in <u>EUROS</u>
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IMPORTANT

ALL PAYMENTS MUST BE MARKED [your country + reason of payment] (Example: SPAIN INLINE FREESTYLE EUROPEAN LEAGUE) A copy of all payments must be sent to europe@worldskate.org



SCORING SYSTEM

The League is an individual competition and the score of each skater is part of a general ranking.

Each team will present up to 4 skaters to each discipline. Every discipline will occur as normal, individually, and the scores will be distributed the following way:

The first ranked of each League (Male or Female) will obtain the points obtained because of the multiplication of the number of teams by 4. The second ranked will obtain one less point and so on.

Therefore, on a European League with six teams, the first ranked of each discipline will obtain: 6 teams by 4 skaters maximum per discipline = 24 points; the second ranked 23, the third one 22, and so on. In this case, the third and fourth ranked skaters of the team will not add points to it but can subtract points from the rest of the teams.

Example: Speed Slalom with 14 skaters. If there are 6 teams, the fist ranked will obtain 6 by 4 = 24 points, and they will be distributed the following way:

- 1st TEAM A: 24 points - 8th TEAM C: 17 points - 2nd TEAM A: 23 points - 9th TEAM D: 16 points - 3rd TEAM B: 22 points - 10th TEAM D: 15 points

- 4th TEAM A: 21 points - 11th TEAM B: 14 points

- 5th TEAM C: 20 points - 12th TEAM E: 13 points

- 6th TEAM B: 19 points - 13th TEAM E: 12 points - 7th TEAM A: 18 points - 14th TEAM D: 11 points

Speed Slalom final scores per teams:

1st - TEAM A: 47 points

2nd - TEAM B: 41 points

3rd - TEAM C: 37 points

4th - TEAM D: 31 points

5th - TEAM E: 25 points

6th - TEAM F: 0 points (no skaters competing in this discipline)

These points would be part of the general rank with the rest of disciplines.



*Not presenting a minimum of 2 skaters per discipline would result on losing almost every chance to win the League against a team which presents this minimum of skaters to every discipline.

Regarding Team Speed Slalom modality, the first classified team will get the points for the first and second classified; the second classified team will get the points for the third and fourth classified; the third classified team will get the points for fifth and sixth classified, and so on.

DISCIPLINES OF THE EUROPEAN LEAGUE

The following disciplines will be organised: Freestyle Slalom Classic - Freestyle Slalom Battle - Speed Slalom - Jump - Slide - Team Speed Slalom.

If the number of teams reaches the maximum, Battle would be organised with 48 participants.

The maximum number of teams in the European Inline Freestyle League will be 12 per gender. For countries that won medals at the last European Inline Freestyle Championship, a maximum of two club teams can be registered per gender - For the other country, there will only be one team by gender. If after a first closing of registrations at the end of September, the maximum number of teams is not reached, an additional place will be offered in order of EIFC ranking. In addition, the host country can register one team for the organizing club per gender.

Having 24 teams (Male and Female together) with the maximum of skaters per discipline - Classic, Battle, Speed Slalom, Jump, Team Speed Slalom and Slide - the competition would be celebrated in three days.

PRIZES

Trophies will be handed to the champion teams, both Male and Female; and medals will be handed to the first, second and third classified.

The second and third classified will also have a token of the European League; and the first ones of each discipline will also have a prize.



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