



CALL FOR TENDERS for the 61.th European Junior Championships in team and target competition for all classes from 3 to 7 March 2026 in Inzell / GER

Organiser:	INTERNATIONAL FEDERATION ICESTOCKSPORT (IFI)	
Performers:	Icestock-Club Freilassing-Hofham e.V. On behalf of the German Icestock Association	
Patronage:	Ms Michaela Kaniber, Minister of State for Agriculture and Forestry Mr Max Aicher, Dipl.-Ing., Max Aicher Group	
Venue:	Max Aicher Arena, Reichenhaller Str. 79, D-83334 Inzell/Germany	
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Date:	Tuesday, 3 March to Saturday, 7 March 2026	
Schedule:	Please refer to the appendix starting on page 4 for the preliminary schedule. The final schedule will be drawn up and published after the entries have been submitted. Any changes that may then be necessary will be announced at the competition office on site.	
Competitions:	Team competition:	Youth U16, U19 and Juniors U23
	Target competition:	Youth U16, U19 and Juniors U23 (m/f)
	Team target competition:	Youth U16, U19 and Juniors U23 (m/f)
	Team target competition-Mixed:	U23 juniors
Rating:	According to the International Icestock Rules (IER) 2022 and the International Playing Rules (ISpO) 2022 in conjunction with the IFI Implementation Regulations of 18 February 2025 of the IFI.	
Start authorization:	Only active players with a player pass who belong to a club that is a member of one of the national associations affiliated with the IFI.	
Admission:	Per national association:	
	Team competition:	1 team in the U16, U19 and U23 youth categories
	Target competition:	4 individual competitors
	Team target competition:	1 team of the U16, U19, U23 juniors (m/f)
	Team target competition-Mixed:	1 team of U23 juniors (2 boys /2 girls)



Registration deadline:	All registrations must be received by 22 December 2025 at the latest at the IFI (International Federation Icestocksport) office, Otto-Fleck-Schneise 12, D-60528 Frankfurt am Main, E-Mail: office@icestock.sport and alois.bosl@icestock.sport . Entries must contain precise information about the competitions in which the national associations will participate and the number of starters in each class. The enclosed form with the names of all delegation members must be completed and returned by 31 January 2026 .
Entry fee:	€100.00 per team in the team competition Per starter in the target competition €20.00 All entry fees must be paid in cash when submitting player passes at the competition office on site during registration.
Overall management:	Christian Lindner, President of the IFI, or representative E-Mail: christian.lindner@icestock.sport Tel: +49 170 23 33 23 3
Competition director:	Georg Smounig, IFI Vice President of Sport, or representative. E-Mail: georg.smounig@icestock.sport Tel: +43 676 82 04 10 29
Referees:	Referees are appointed by the IFI
Sports equipment - Test protocol:	All sports equipment for the European Championships must be inspected in advance by an A-level referee with an IFI protocol (01.10.25). The inspection of sports equipment is based on the DfB-18.02.2025 for IFI competitions (1.7.1 to 1.7.4) . Competition directors and referees shall inspect the sport equipment before, during and after the competition. Any necessary disciplinary measures shall be taken in accordance with the IER, IspO and VGO of the IFI. General equipment inspection in accordance with the schedule.
Material provision:	This is carried out in accordance with the DfB-18.02.2025 for the IFI competitions (2.2.1 to 2.2.5). The <u>request for the winter soles</u> must be made to the IFI <u>at the time of registration</u> . The requested winter soles must be returned in perfect condition and cleaned. They must not be permanently labelled or marked. All players may only play with the skittles allocated to the individual lanes in team games. These weigh between 3,700 g and 3,730 g (IFI type L) and remain on the lanes. Players may use their own skittles for target competitions if these have been tested and approved for this purpose by the IFI testing commission. These will be provided if required.
Special provision:	<u>Team game and target competition:</u> (all game classes) A phase-out period of 4 years applies to the WLS types IFI No. 26.1 (light blue) to IFI No. 25.3 (broom yellow) inclusive that are used and requested, i.e. WLS with the current + previous JKB are valid.

→ **JKB b (2023-24) & JKB h (2025-26)**



Special provision:	In team competitions for U16, U19 and U23 juniors, if up to five nations (= five teams) are participating, a double round or VR + RR will be played, followed by final matches in a page play-off system (only one match each) for all classes on the cross lanes. If there are 6 or more participating nations (= 6 teams), the second round must be omitted.
Award ceremony:	The winners will be honoured in accordance with ISpO § 422 and IFI implementation regulations.
Anti-doping:	Doping controls may be carried out to ensure compliance with IFI doping regulations.
OK Director:	Gottfried Schacherbauer E-Mail: g_schacherbauer@t-online.de , Mobile: +49 160 911 540 22
Accommodation:	- http://www.inzell.de/ (Plan and book – search for accommodation) - info@inzell.de (direct enquiry via the tourist board)
Medical service:	Dr. Andreas Mohr (IFI doctor) / Medical service provided by BRK
Liability:	The organisers and operators accept no liability or responsibility for any accidents, other damage or disadvantages suffered by participants, or for the condition of the ice surfaces. By registering or participating, you fully accept the terms and conditions of this announcement.
Image rights:	By registering, each participant in the above competition agrees that competition-related and/or personal data (e.g. first and last name, club membership, results achieved) may be made available to the media (e.g. print media, online services, TV and radio stations) by the organiser or operator. This declaration also includes the publication of competition images, winner and team photos, and videos on online platforms.
Streaming service:	The competition will be broadcast live on https://www.fantastic-icestock.tv/ .
Transfer:	The organising committee is responsible for transfers from the airport to the hotel. Please register for the transfer by 31 January 2026 at the latest.



Schedule: Tuesday, 3 March 2026

By 5 p.m.: Registration

From 12:00 noon: Equipment check (depending on arrival) and free practice (all disciplines)

5 p.m.: Draw in the ice rink

6:30 p.m.: Official opening at the Max Aicher Arena

Wednesday, 4 March 2026

Lanes

8:00 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.: Distance competition U23 and U19

12:45 p.m. - 12:55 p.m.: Award ceremony for distance competition, U23 and U19 teams (2 events)

12:30 p.m. - 1:30 p.m.: Ice preparation

1:30 p.m. - 2:00 p.m.: Warm-up time

2:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.: Team match U16 / U19 and U23 1 - 12

Thursday, 5 March 2026

8:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.: Distance competition for women and men

1:15 p.m. - 1:25 p.m.: Award ceremony for women's and men's team distance competition (2 pieces)

11:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.: Ice preparation

12:30 p.m. - 1:00 p.m.: Warming up the target lanes 1 - 12

1:00 p.m. - 1:50 p.m.: Target competition VR (Run 1) 1 - 12

1:50 p.m. - 2:40 p.m.: Target competition VR (Run 2) 1 - 12

2:40 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.: Target competition VR (Run 3) 1 - 12

3:30 p.m. - 4:20 p.m.: Target competition VR (Run 4) 1 - 12

4:20 p.m. - 5:10 p.m.: Target competition VR (Run 5) 1 - 12

5:10 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.: Target competition VR (Run 6) 1 - 12

6:00 p.m. - 6:50 p.m.: Target competition VR (Run 7) 1 - 12

Order: U23m / U23w / U19 / U16

Friday, 6 March 2026

8:00 p.m. - 9:45p.m.: Distance competition - Mixed

10:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.: Distance competition U16

12:15 p.m. - 12:30 p.m.: Award ceremony for mixed and U16 team distance competition (2 pieces)

7:30 a.m. - 8:30 a.m.: Ice preparation

8:30 a.m. - 9:00 a.m.: Warming up the target lanes 1 - 12

9:00 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.: Final target competition U23 (m) 1 - 12



10:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.:	Final target competition U23 (f)	1 - 12
11:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.:	Final target competition U19	1 - 12
12:00 p.m. - 1:00 p.m.:	Final target competition U16	1 - 12
1:00 p.m. - 2:00 p.m.:	Ice preparation	
2:00 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.:	Warm-up Target lanes	1 - 12
2:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.:	Team target competition U23 (m/f)	1 - 12
3:30 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.:	Team target competition U19	1 - 12
4:30 p.m. - 5:30 p.m.:	Team target competition U16	1 - 12
5:30 p.m. - 6:30 p.m.:	Team target competition-Mixed U23	1 - 12
6:45 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.:	Award ceremonies (9 ceremonies, 5 minutes each)	

Saturday, 7 March 2026

8:00 a.m. - 8:40 a.m.:	U16 distance competition final
8:45 a.m. - 9:25 a.m.:	U19 distance competition final
9:30 a.m. - 10:10 a.m.:	U23 distance competition final
10:20 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.:	Women's distance competition final
11:45 a.m. - 12:55 p.m.:	Men's distance competition final
12:00 p.m. - 13:00 p.m.:	Ice preparation
1:00 p.m. - 2:00 p.m.:	Qualification 1 (U16 / U19 / U23) incl. warm-up time
2:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.:	Elimination round (U16, U19 and U23) incl. warm-up time
3:00 p.m. - 3:45 p.m.:	U16 final , including warm-up time
3:45 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.:	U19 final incl. warm-up time
4:30 p.m. - 5:15 p.m.:	U23 final incl. warm-up time
5:30 p.m. - 6:30 p.m.:	Award ceremonies (9 ceremonies, 5 minutes each)
7:30 p.m.:	Closing evening (ballroom of the municipality of Inzell, Schulstr. 2, D-83334 Inzell)

We hope to see many of you there and wish all participants and officials a safe journey, a pleasant stay and every success in the competition.

Christian Lindner
IFI President

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