



Tournament Regulations

2nd Young Rebels Cup

Organizer

Young Rebels Stuttgart – Stuttgarter Eishockeyclub e.V.

Tournament Management

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Date

Friday, May 1, 2026 – Sunday, May 3, 2026

Venue

Eiswelt Stuttgart, Keßlerweg 8, 70597 Stuttgart, Germany

Entry Fee

EUR 700

No VAT is charged on the participation fee in accordance with §4 No. 22b German VAT Act

Additional Costs

Lunch can be booked for EUR 12.50 per day per player, coach, and team staff (maximum 4 adults).
The total amount must be paid **in cash on the tournament day**

A locker room deposit of EUR 100 will be charged. If the locker rooms are left in proper condition, the money will be refunded upon departure. Locker room inspection for ALL teams takes place after the award ceremony by the tournament management.

Player Eligibility

Players born in 2015 or younger (two female players/goalkeepers born in 2014 are permitted).

Players must present a valid player ID from their club. If no player ID is available, the age must be verified with an official photo ID. Player ID checks are carried out by the organizer.

All player IDs must be submitted to the tournament management before the tournament begins.

All teams should bring two different sets of jerseys. In case of a conflict, the team listed first in the game schedule has the right to choose.

International teams must submit approval from their national federation in advance.

Game Format

5 vs. 5 on full ice according to IIHF and DEB rules with tournament-specific additions

Team Roster

Minimum 13 players + 1 goalkeeper / Maximum 17 players + 2 goalkeepers

Tournament Format

10 teams participate in the tournament, divided into 2 groups of 5 teams each. Referees will be provided by the organizing club.

Preliminary Round

Games consist of 2 × 15 minutes running time. The final minute of each half is stopped time. Each half counts as a separate game.

Points System:

Win: 3 points Draw: 1 point Loss: 0 points

Ranking Criteria:

1. Points
2. Head-to-head result
3. Goal difference
4. Goals scored

Placement Round

Games are played with 23 minutes stopped time.

Semi-finals:

1A vs 2B

1B vs 2A

Placement Games:

9th place: 5A vs 5B

7th place: 4A vs 4B

5th place: 3A vs 3B

Final Games

3rd place game: Losers of the semi-finals (23 minutes stopped time)

Final: Winners of the semi-finals (2 × 13 minutes stopped time)



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Game Rules

The tournament follows IHF and DEB rules, supplemented by tournament-specific regulations.

If a game is tied after regular time in the preliminary round, it is recorded as a draw.

In the final, a 5-minute sudden-death overtime will be played, followed by a penalty shootout if necessary.

Special Rules

Ice Resurfacing **After every second game**

Game Start **Teams must be ready 10 minutes before the scheduled start time.**

Line Changes **Flying substitutions**

Penalties **Minor penalty: 2 minutes**
Major penalty: 5 minutes

A game misconduct results in suspension for the next game. A match penalty may result in exclusion from the entire tournament after consultation with the tournament management.

Organizational matters

Game Schedule The game schedule will be sent to the teams before the tournament.

Liability The organizer assumes no liability for damages or injuries.

Insurance All teams must have valid health insurance.

Medical Service Medical staff will be available on site.

Catering Teams will receive locker room snacks (fruit, vegetables, pastries).
In addition, teams will receive a warm lunch on both tournament days.

Awards Ceremony The awards ceremony will take place immediately after the final game on the ice. Players from the final game remain in their equipment. All other teams come onto the ice wearing their team jerseys.

Code of Conduct Playing ball or shooting pucks outside the ice surface inside the arena is prohibited.
By confirming participation in the tournament, the participating club accepts these regulations.