



5.9.2022

Dear shorttrackers and their family,

The new season is soon to start and we are happy to give you some good news.

First big thing is that we have the pleasure to inform you that the committee has engaged a new coach, **Kiril Pankov**. Kiril has been coaching in his mother country Bulgaria the national team but also in Slovakia, Lithuania and he was assistant coach for the Italian national team. He has been coaching also juniors and has a licence to do all that. Let's welcome **Kiril** to our team.

The ice-rink opens 8.9.2022 and our **1stLuxSpeedCamp** starts on Friday 9.9 at 18:15 with 30 skaters, 7 from Luxembourg. Camp trainings are on Saturday 8-11 and 15-18 and on Sunday about the same times. Due to the energy saving measures we will not have as many ice preparations as planned, but with that we can live.

Ordinary club training starts 14.9. advanced skaters and for on Sunday 18.9. for beginners.

We will organize two sessions (see below) before the season starts for skaters to fetch boots and other material. This is **obligatory for all skaters missing skates before the training starts**. Kiril will prepare the blades so that they are with right bending and sharp. Please note that we do not want to see any skater walking *without* blade protection outside the ice surface.

Material session in Kockelscheuer and meet-and-greet with our new coach Kiril are on the following days:

8.9.2022 18:00 - 20:00

14.9.2022 18:00 - 20:00

If both sessions are not possible for you, please sent us an e-mail so we arrange a special time for you.

NOTE: *If you do not have skates on the 18.9., you have to hire hockey-skates next door or you can't participate in the training.*

We would also ask for help in checking the material of the skaters, helmet, skin pads, gloves etc. and as before helping with the matts.

Last but not least, please provide Kaj pictures from the Summercamp in Oberstdorf such that he can finish the Newsletter no 1 for Season 2022/2023.

Happy to see you again in Kockelscheuer and hoping to see you Sunday after 15:00 to watch the time attack and afterwards the competition simulation from the second group.

ULPV Committee