

RIGA CUP 2026

Tournament information, registration process, and required documents for participation for Hockey Talent Select Teams at RIGA CUP 2026.

Before Official Registration – Please Read

Position Rotation

All players must be willing to rotate positions if needed:

- Defensemen: must be able to play on both sides
- Forwards: must be able to play both wings or center
- Players who want to play both defense and forward: may rotate through all 5 positions

Our main focus is learning and development through game experience. Players will also have the opportunity to experience a high level of competition and perform to the best of their abilities.

We will have **NO SPECIAL LINES** for power play or penalty kill. However, in specific moments during a game, we may use the strongest available players.

All players should be able to speak basic English.

All participants must have a valid passport and insurance.

We will request all players to show us their travel insurance by April 1, 2026.
(For players, we strongly recommend sports insurance.)

Team Size Limits

18 Players + 2 Goalies

Each goalie is guaranteed at least 3 games or 135 minutes, assuming no injuries or illness plus half of any exhibition game (if played) or an additional practice option.

To Complete the Registration

Please fill out the registration form:

Players – www.hockeytalentagency.com/selected-players

Family Members – www.hockeytalentagency.com/family-members

Please pay the **deposit within 5 days** after submitting the registration. If you change your mind and decide not to travel, please let us know as soon as possible so we can offer your spot to a player on the waiting list.

Free cancellation is available until **January 18, 2026**. After this date, the cancellation policy applies. In case of injury or illness (with appropriate medical documentation), and if your spot is filled by another player from the waiting list, you will receive a full refund minus a processing fee of 50 EUR per person. **Deposit information is listed under the pricing section.**

Travel

We have received interest from many players who prefer to use their own transportation, whether by car, minivan, or plane. This is reasonable given the varying distances (Düsseldorf - Riga, Berlin - Riga, Munich - Riga, Prague - Riga, etc.) and time availability.

OWN TRANSPORT - car / minivan to Riga and during Riga Cup

CARPOOL - with another player's family (we will help you arrange, we have 2 spots on U15 and 4 spots on U13 teams at this moment)

CARPOOL - with us (we will discuss it individually)

BY PLANE

- **you need to rent a car in Riga** (see the end of the file), we might rent a bus (only if bigger group is coming by planes)
- before booking air tickets, please visit: www.rhc.lv/en/flights
- If you're flying, we'll create a WhatsApp group so participants can coordinate group travel and possibly get a group offer

Expected schedule

The exact schedule will be published once the training and game times are confirmed. All changes are reserved at the discretion of the tournament organizer.

The first meeting will be held in **Riga on April 1, 2026.**

Expected Hotel Riga: **Bellevue Park Hotel****** [Slokas iela 1, Riga, LV-1048](#) or similar 4*

- 15:00 April 1, 2026 check in
- Snack including family members
- **60-minute on-ice practice**
- **Dinner** including family members (package with meals)

April 2, 2026

Brekfast

Practice or City Exploration

Lunch in the City (**on your own**) - during the City Exploration

City Exploration or Exhibition Game

Dinner

April 3 - 6, 2026

We will follow the **Tournament's Schedule** - will be annouced at January / February 2026.

[Teams | Riga Hockey Cup](#)

U15: expected 24 teams

U13: expected 32 teams

- The duration of each game is 3 x 15 minutes (running time).

- The last two minutes of the third period will be played with stop time.
- The maximum total duration of a single game is 60 minutes (including warm-up), unless the referee decides otherwise.
- There are no breaks between periods.
- All rules at: www.rhc.lv/en/regulation
- Additional info about the tournament: www.rhc.lv/en/faq

April 6, 2026

Check out from the hotel after breakfast (if you are leaving on April 6)

The tournament is expected to last until 19:30.

Departure

- DINNER at 4* HOTEL (**For those, who are extending their stay until April 7**)

April 7, 2026

Breakfast

Check out from the hotel

Departure

PLAYER PACKAGE

What is Included in the Price

- Professional coach for each team
- 1 practice on April 1
- 1 practice or exhibition game on April 2
- Tournament participation
- 8 tournament games (guaranteed by Riga Cup)
- 4* Hotel (5 nights / 6 nights options are below)
- Meals (see below)
- Team Apparel (see below)

Hotel

- 5 nights at 4* hotel
- April 1 to April 6, 2026
- options: double room (twin room) for 2 people / triple (limited) for 3 people / Family room for 4 people - we will discuss individually
- 1 person per room + € 39,- per night

If you want to extend to April 7, 2026 + € 71,-

- *extra buffet dinner at the hotel*
- *extra night*
- *extra breakfast*
- **6 nights at 4* hotel**
- **April 1 to April 7, 2026**

Meals included

- April 1: Snack and Dinner at the 4* hotel
- April 2: Breakfast & Dinner at the 4* hotel, **lunch in the city on your own**
- April 3-5: Breakfast at the 4* hotel, Lunch & Dinner at the rink
- April 6: Breakfast at the 4* hotel, Lunch at the rink

in case you are staying 1 more day until April 7

- April 6: Dinner at the 4* hotel
- April 7: Breakfast at the 4* hotel

Each player will receive

- **1 Team Hat**
- **2 Team T-shirts**
- **Jersey and hockey socks** (must be returned after the tournament) – **design is coming soon**
- The jersey will come with a number only (you can provide us with a few preferred numbers, and we will do our best to assign one of your choices).
- You also have the option to order a custom jersey and hockey socks, featuring your selected number and name, as well as other merchandise, for an additional cost.

Price does NOT include:

- **Insurance**, we will request all players to show us their travel insurance by April 1
- **Lunch on April 2**
- If coming by plane and you need to rent your own car, see the end of this file
- **Transportation**
- **Custom Merchandise - coming soon**

INFORMATION for all PLAYERS & GOALIES

Each player & goalie must bring

- Whole hockey equipment
- At least 3 hockey sticks (2 sticks for the goalies)
- 1-2 rolls of tape for the stick and 1-2 rolls of tape for the shin guards
- At least 4 sets of hockey underwear
- If possible 2 sets of the blades for the skates
- 1 or 2 water bottles
- Toiletries, including shower sandals
- Individual snacks for the games (we will provide the fruit for each game)

Each player & goalie must follow

- Team Discipline
- Respect all participants
- There will be a team warm up and cool down together
- No cell phones in the locker room (airplane mode and phones should not be visible)
- No cell phone use during team breakfasts, lunches, and dinners – phones should not be visible (If you need to make an important call or send a text, please ask the coach for permission and do so outside the room)
- Rules of the tournament, must read and follow: www.rhc.lv/en/regulation
- Be at the rink at least 60 minutes before the game or practice, and stay for at least 30 minutes afterward

FAMILY MEMBER PACKAGE

What is Included in the Price

The tournament begins on April 3, 2026. We have **added TWO extra days**, which include **TWO additional ice sessions** (one of which could be an exhibition game). The price for family members includes additional meals and apparel. Some team expenses will be shared among all participants, including family members.

Hotel **5 nights at 4* hotel** **April 1 to April 6, 2026**

- options: double room (twin room) for 2 people / triple (limited) for 3 people / Family room for 4 people - we will discuss individually
- 1 person per room + **€ 39,-** per night

If you want to extend to April 7, 2026 **+ € 71,-**

- *extra buffet dinner at the hotel*
- *extra night*
- *extra breakfast*
- **6 nights at 4* hotel**
- **April 1 to April 7, 2026**

Meals

- April 1: Snack and TEAM DINNER
- April 2: Breakfast & Dinner at the 4* hotel, lunch in the city on your own
- April 3-5: Breakfast at the 4* hotel, Lunch & Dinner at the rink
- April 6: Breakfast at the 4* hotel, Lunch at the rink

in case you are staying 1 more day until April 7

- April 6: Dinner at the 4* hotel
- April 7: Breakfast at the 4* hotel

FAMILY MEMBER PACKAGE without the MEALS

- April 2-6 or extension until April 7: include **only BREAKFAST**
- All Lunches and Dinners **on your own**

Each family member will receive

- Team Apparel: 1 Hat & T-shirts
- Feedback from coach: player's strengths & weaknesses, areas to improve

Price DOES NOT include

- Insurance
- Lunch on April 2
- Transportation

PRICING

April 1 - April 6

April 1 arrival in afternoon, snack is the first meal and departure on April 6 after the tournament is over, cca 19:30ish, lunch is the last meal.

- **PLAYER PACKAGE: €799,-**
- FAMILY MEMBER PACKAGE (10+ years old): €499,-
- FAMILY MEMBER PACKAGE without MEALS: €379,-
- Child (6-9 years old): request info

Extended Stay until April 7

(extra **buffet dinner at the hotel, night, breakfast**)

- **Player or Family member: + €71,-**
- **EXTENDED PLAYER PACKAGE: €870,-**
- EXTENDED FAMILY MEMBER PACKAGE: €570,-
- EXTENDED without MEALS: €430,-

Deposit

A deposit of €200 per person must be paid to account listed below **within 5 days** after confirming your spot on the team. **You can also pay the full amount or 50% of the price now.**

- 50% of the price must be paid by February 18, 2026.
- The full amount must be paid by March 15, 2026.

ACCOUNT INFO

NAME: Hockey Talent Agency

IBAN: SK45 8330 0000 0020 0119 2509

BIC/SWIFT: FIOZSKBAXXX

BANK'S ADDRESS: Fio banka, a. s., Dunajská 1, 81108 Bratislava

Cancellation Policy

In the case of injury or illness (with appropriate medical documentation), and if your spot is filled by another player from the waiting list, you will receive a full refund minus a processing fee of 50 EUR per person. If a family member is unable to travel due to the player's injury or illness and their spot is taken by another family member from the waiting list, the same procedure will apply. For all other cases, the cancellation policy is as follows:

- Cancellation by January 18, 2025: Full refund minus a processing fee of 50 EUR per person.
- Cancellation by February 8, 2026: 75% refund of the camp fee.
- Cancellation by March 1, 2026: 50% refund of the camp fee.
- Cancellation by March 15, 2026: 25% refund of the camp fee.
- After March 15, 2026: No refunds.

CAR REANTAL INFO

Try to use some of the online travel agencies for complex offer:

CarJet — <https://www.carjet.com/>

Rentalcars.com — <https://www.rentalcars.com/>

DiscoverCars.com — <https://www.discovercars.com/>

EconomyBookings.com — <https://www.economybookings.com/>

KAYAK (sekcia Car Rentals) — <https://www.kayak.com/Latvia-Car-Rentals.136.crc.html>

Happycar — <https://www.happycar.com/rentalcar-riga>

BookingAuto.com — <https://bookingauto.com/en/latvia>

Or go directly to a rental company you are familiar with:

SIXT — <https://www.sixt.com/car-rental/latvia/> [sixt.com](https://www.sixt.com)

Europcar — <https://www.europcar.lv/en/location/spnija/riga/riga-international-airport>
[Europcar+1](#)

Avis — <https://www.avis.com/pt/locations/lv/riga/rd8> (alebo príslušná pobočka pre Riga) [avis.com+1](https://www.avis.com)

Top Rent a Car — <https://toprent.com/locations/riga-airport-rix/> [skyscanner.net+1](https://www.skyscanner.net)

Hertz / Budget / Enterprise Rent-A-Car / Thrifty / InterRent / Carwiz / Addcar / Green Motion / Carsrent / Auto 5 / Dollar Rent a Car

You make your reservation on your own.