



**WORLD TAEKWONDO
MALAYSIA OPEN ^{G1}**
CHAMPIONSHIP 2018
1 - 4 MARCH 2018
PUTRAJAYA INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION CENTRE, MALAYSIA



INVITATION

We take great pleasure to cordially invite you and your member to participate in the World Taekwondo Malaysia Open G1 Championship 2018.

Our Main Objective is to promote friendship and enhance good will among the Taekwondo Fraternity and to exchange views on the latest development in Taekwondo. We want to provide our young Taekwondo athletes exposure to the International arena, where they can compete and interact among the top Taekwondo athletes from around the world

We are inviting Clubs, States, National and International team to participate. We expect a total participation of 1000-1200 participants

This championship is a platform to increase and enhance the World Taekwondo movement in Malaysia as well as to showcase our rich Malaysian culture and heritage to the world. I hope that you will extend our invitation to all clubs/academy under your respective Member National Association.

Kindly confirm your participant via Email, Fax or to the organizing committee to ensure us to organize this event successfully.

Kindly find attached information and application forms for your convenience

“WE LOOK FORWARD TO SEEING YOU IN MALAYSIA”

Yours sincerely,

H.E. YB Senator Tan Sri Dato' Sri SA Vigneswaran
President
Taekwondo Malaysia



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CHAMPIONSHIP INFORMATION

1.	DATE	1-4 March 2018
2.	VENUE	Putrajaya Convention Centre, Putrajaya Malaysia
3.	ORGANISING Committee	Taekwondo Malaysia Address: Suite 1.15, Wisma OCM, Jalan Hang Jebat 51500 Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia Telephone: (60.3) 20240288, 20240298 Fax: (6.03) 20310299 E-mail: tkdmas@gmail.com Website: www.tkdmaswtf.com.my
4.	SANCTIONED BY	WORLD TAEKWONDO Address: 5th Fl., Kolon Bldg, 15 Hyoja-ro, Jongno-gu, Seoul, Korea (03044) Telephone: (82.2) 566 2505 / 557 5446 Fax: (82.2) 553 4728 E-mail: sport@wtf.org (Sport Department) Website: www.worldtaekwondo.org
5.	COMPETITION RULES	WT Competition Rules.
6	TYPE OF COMPETITION	Kyorugi and Poomsae
7	COMPETITION SYSTEM	Single Elimination
8.	Qualifications	All the participants (Athletes, Coaches, Officials) must have WT Global Licence and WT Event Pass to participate at this Event. Please contact your National Taekwondo Federation to get/renew your licence and WT Event Pass. Please Note NO ONSITE REGISTRATION FOR WT GLOBAL LICENCE AND WT EVENT PASS.
9.	METHOD OF CONTEST	SPARRING: Full Contact Knock-Out Sparring System. Age Group and competition duration : Juniors (15 – 17 Years) (born between Jan 1, 2001 and Dec 31, 2003) 2 minutes x 3 rounds x 1 minute rest. Seniors (17 years old and above) Born before 1 st January 2001 2 minutes x 3 rounds x 1 minute rest. Each team may send as many participants in each

		<p>weight category/individual/pair/team event.</p> <p>POOMSAE EVENT:</p> <p>Cadet / U14 (12 – 14 Years) (born between Jan 1, 2004 and Dec 31, 2006)</p> <p>Junior (15 – 17 Years) (born between Jan 1, 2001 and Dec 31, 2003)</p> <p>Under 30 (18 years old – 30 years old) (born between Jan 1, 1988 and Dec 31, 2000)</p> <p>Under 40 (31 years old – 40 years old) (born between Jan 1, 1978 and Dec 31, 1987)</p> <p>Over 40 (40 years old & Above) (born before Jan 1, 1978)</p>
	POOMSAE	<p>RECOGNIZED POOMSAE</p> <p>1) Two (2) Poomsae from designated Compulsory Poomsae decided for each division must be performed for the first and final rounds for all competitions.</p> <p>2) Cut-off system</p> <p>a. First round: in case 9 or more contestants/pairs/teams are participating, the competition shall start from the first round. After performing two (2) assigned Compulsory Poomsae, the top 8 shall advance to final based on the points.</p> <p>b. Final round: when 8 or less contestants/pairs/teams are participating, competition shall start from final round. Contestants shall perform two assigned Compulsory Poomsae, and top four (4) contestants/pairs/teams shall be awarded based on the points. Bronze medals shall be given to the 3rd and the 4th contestants/pairs/teams.</p>



		<p>NEW POOMSAE</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">· Competition System : Cut-off system shall be applied for Individual, Pair, Team· Designation of Poomsae and the drawing of lots<ul style="list-style-type: none">• One New Poomsae shall be randomly designated for preliminary, semi-final, and final competitions among the four new Poomsae-Himchari, Saebyeol, Bigak, Nareusya. However, the above is subject to change after the representatives' Meeting• The drawing of lots for cut-off system shall be conducted electronically at the representatives' meeting to determine the order of competition. The competition shall start from preliminary competitions, and 20 contestants(or teams) shall advance to semi-final. If there are 20 or less contestants(or teams) present at the beginning, the semi-final shall be carried out without preliminary competitions.• Top eight of the contestants(or teams) shall advance to final.• The finalists shall compete in the order of ranking(lowest to highest).• Scoring of New Poomsae(Individual, Team, Pair)· Composition of refereeing officials shall be either a five-judge system or a seven-judge system.· Final score shall be the average point of the total points summed up except the highest and lowest points.· In case of a tied score, the winner shall be the one who has higher total points except the highest and the lowest point.· If it's still tied then a rematch shall be conducted to determine the winner. One New poomsae shall be randomly designated for the rematch.· WT Poomsae scoring criteria and procedures shall be applied.
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10.	DISCIPLINE	All officials and participants should strictly observe the decorum of World Taekwondo and the rules & regulations of competition.
11.	TECHNICAL OFFICIALS	Shall be appointed by Taekwondo Malaysia (WTF) in consultation with World Taekwondo. All participating countries are allowed to nominate one IR. IR shall receive board and food as well as an allowance of USD 100 per day for competition days.
12.	NATIONAL FLAGS.	All participating countries are requested to bring along their national flags for the opening/closing ceremony.
13.	AWARD PRESENTATIONS	MEDAL & TROPHIES :- i. Medals will be awarded to the winners of each weight category - 1 gold, 1 silver & 2 bronze medals ii. Overall trophies shall be awarded for each age group iii. Grand Champions:- The Grand Champion Trophy will be awarded to the overall champion. The Grand Champions shall be the team who win the most number of gold medals (Only categories with a minimum of four participants will be included in the various medal tallies). iv. Certificate of participation will be given to each participant and a certificate of achievement will be awarded to each winner.
14.	INDEMNITIES	It shall be the responsibility of the participants and teams to have validly completed the participation forms, indemnifying, World Taekwondo, Taekwondo Malaysia (WTF), the Sponsors, the Organizing Committee, its officials and other contestants from any claims of injuries, losses, fatal or otherwise, arising in the course of participation in these championships. All participants under the age of 18 must have

		<p>the consent form signed by their parents / guardians.</p> <p>Taekwondo Malaysia (WTF) deems that all participants and officials are covered with insurance coverage (the responsibility will be borne by the respective Countries / Club / Team Manager & Coach.)</p>
15.	PARTICIPATION FEE	USD 50 per person per event.
16.	ACCOMODATION PACKAGES	<p>Package A (4 Star Hotel) USD 300</p> <p>Package includes Accommodation for 4 nights (1-5 March 2018) Breakfast for 4 days Airport Transfer and Venue to Hotel transfer</p>
17.	CHANGE OF WEIGHT CATEGORIES	Change of weight category shall be allowed before official weigh in. A penalty of USD 20 shall be imposed for any weight change.
18.	PROTECTIVE APPARELS	<p>Approved head gears, body vests, shin and forearm guards, clear mouth guards & groin guards are Compulsory.</p> <p>Exponents are encouraged to use hand gloves.</p>
19.	PSS EQUIPMENT	Either Daedo or KP&P. To be decided by 31 st Jan 2018
20.	PROTEST FEE	Non-refundable protest fee of USD 200.00 per protest
21.	ONLINE REGISTRATION	Online registration will only be through WT GMS Online Registration System at https://worldtkd.simplycompete.com and will only be possible with Valid 2018 Global Licence and WT Event Pass.
22.	ONSITE REGISTRATION	<p>Registration will be held at the competition venue as follows:-</p> <p>Date: 1 March 2018 Time: 8.00 am-3.00 pm Team Manager Meeting: 4.30 pm</p> <p>Drawing of lots will be computerized</p>

23.	TRIAL WEIGH-IN / OFFICIAL WEIGH-IN	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Official Weigh in will be held from 10.00 am to 3.00 pm on the 1st of March 2018. 2. Trial weigh-in will commence from 8.00am till 9.59am. 3. The weigh in shall be conducted in the same competition venue.
24.	ENTRIES CLOSING DATE	<p>Entries will close at 5.00 pm (Kuala Lumpur time +8 GMT), 23rd of February or when the maximum of 1500 entries is reached, whichever comes first.</p> <p>Teams are also advised that there will be no refunds should there be any cancellations / withdrawals / disqualifications.</p>
23.	VISA CLAUSE	All teams requiring Visa for entry into MALAYSIA are required to submit their request for Visa letters not later than 10th February 2018 . The Organizer does not guarantee or liable for Visa approval.
24.	ENQUIRIES	<p>For further information and enquiries, contact :-</p> <p>Master Yeoh Teik Beng +6012 – 613 7060</p> <p>Mr. Jaya Karthigaiyan +6016 – 286 8864</p> <p>Mr Wong Kang Woon +6019 - 669 9907</p> <p>TM Secretariat +603 – 2024 0288</p>

TENTATIVE PROGRAMME(SUBJECT TO CHANGES)

NO	DATE	TIME	EVENT	PLACE
1	1 st March 2018 (Thursday)	8.00AM – 3.00 PM	REGISTRATION	Putrajaya Convention Centre, Putrajaya Malaysia
		8.00 A.M – 9.59 AM	TRIAL WEIGH IN	
		10.00 AM – 3.00 PM	OFFICIAL WEIGH IN	
		4.30 PM	TEAM MANAGERS MEETING	
2	2 March 2018 (Friday)	7.30 AM – 8.30 AM	REFEREE REFRESHER	
		8.00AM – 8.30 AM	TEAM BRIEFING	
		8.30 AM-12.30 PM	COMPETITION BEGINS	
		12.30PM – 3.30PM	LUNCH AND FRIDAY PRAYERS	
		2.30PM – 6.00PM	COMPETITION RESUMES	
		6.00PM – 7.00PM	MEDAL PRESENTATION	
3	3 rd March 2018 (Saturday)	8.00AM – 8.30AM	TEAM BRIEFING	
		8.30AM – 12.30PM	COMPETITION BEGINS	
		12.30PM – 1.30PM	LUNCH	
		1.30PM – 3.00PM	COMPETITION RESUMES	
		3.00PM – 7.00PM	MEDAL PRESENTATION AND PRESS CONFERENCE	
3	4 th March 2018 (Sunday)	8.00AM – 8.30AM	TEAM BRIEFING	
		8.30AM – 12.30PM	COMPETITION BEGINS	
		12.30PM – 1.30PM	LUNCH	
		1.30PM – 3.00PM	COMPETITION RESUMES	
		3.00PM – 7.00PM	MEDAL PRESENTATION AND PRESS CONFERENCE	

WEIGHT CATEGORY

CATEGORY C - 15 – 17 YEARS (JUNIORS)			
MALE		FEMALE	
FIN	Under45 KG	FIN	Under 42KG
FLY	45KG – 48 KG	FLY	42KG – 44 KG
BANTAM	48 KG – 51 KG	BANTAM	44 KG – 46 KG
FEATHER	51 KG – 55 KG	FEATHER	46 KG – 49 KG
LIGHT	55 KG – 59 KG	LIGHT	49 KG – 52 KG
WELTER	59KG – 63KG	WELTER	52KG – 55KG
L / MIDDLE	63 KG – 68KG	L / MIDDLE	55 KG – 59 KG
MIDDLE	68 KG – 73 KG	MIDDLE	59 KG – 63 KG
L / HEAVY	73 KG – 78 KG	L / HEAVY	63KG – 68KG
HEAVY	78 KG & ABOVE	HEAVY	68KG & ABOVE

CATEGORY A - 17 YEARS & ABOVE (Seniors)			
MALE		FEMALE	
FIN	Under 54 KG	FIN	Under 46 KG
FLY	54 KG – 58 KG	FLY	46 KG – 49 KG
BANTAM	58 KG – 63 KG	BANTAM	49 KG – 53 KG
FEATHER	63 KG – 68 KG	FEATHER	53 KG – 57 KG
LIGHT	68 KG – 74 KG	LIGHT	57 KG – 62 KG
WELTER	74 KG – 80 KG	WELTER	62 KG – 67 KG
MIDDLE	80 KG – 87 KG	MIDDLE	67 KG – 73 KG
HEAVY	87 KG & ABOVE	HEAVY	73 KG & ABOVE

RECOGNIZED POOMSAE

Competition	Division	Compulsory Poomsae
Individual	Cadet Division	Taegeuk 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 Jang, Koryo, Keumgang
	Junior Division	Taegeuk 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 Jang, Koryo, Keumgang, Taebak
	Under 30	Taegeuk 6, 7, 8 Jang, Koryo, Keumgang, Taebak, Pyongwon, Shipjin
	Under 40	
	Over 40	Taegeuk 8 Jang, Koryo, Keumgang, Taebak, Pyongwon, Shipjin, Jitae, Chonkwon
Pair	Cadet Division	Taegeuk 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 Jang, Koryo, Keumgang
	Junior Division	Taegeuk 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 Jang, Koryo, Keumgang, Taebak
	Under 30	Taegeuk 6, 7, 8 Jang, Koryo, Keumgang, Taebak, Pyongwon, Shipjin
	Under 40	Taegeuk 8 Jang, Koryo, Keumgang, Taebak, Pyongwon, Shipjin, Jitae, Chonkwon
	Team	Cadet Division
Team	Junior Division	Taegeuk 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 Jang, Koryo, Keumgang, Taebak
	Under 30	Taegeuk 6, 7, 8 Jang, Koryo, Keumgang, Taebak, Pyongwon, Shipjin
	Under 40	Taegeuk 8 Jang, Koryo, Keumgang, Taebak, Pyongwon, Shipjin, Jitae, Chonkwon

Competition	New Poomsae	
Individual	Under 17 and Over 17 divisions	Himchari, Saebyeol, Bigak, Nareusya.
Pair		
Team (Male & Female)		