



December 1st, 2023

Dear Taekwondo Friends,

It is our pleasure to extend this formal invitation to you and your students to take part in the

4th Lanarkshire Open Championship

This is to be held at the Wishaw Sports Centre, Alexander Street, Wishaw ML2 0HQ, Scotland on Saturday the 9th of March 2024

The competition shall adopt a World Taekwondo (WT) model, in both format and official rules. In order that everyone from complete novice to experienced competitor gets an opportunity to compete to their full potential, the organizing body has included Dan, K1, K2, K3, Para and Family Divisions.

To ensure the smooth running of this event, the organizers would welcome applications from suitably qualified individuals to act as competition judges and officials. Judges must have attended and passed a national level Poomsae judging, and corner/center referee course conducted by the National Federation. Invitations shall be made by the JudgesDirectors to selected judges. Please contact us if you would be interested in judging at the event.

If you require any further information, please do not hesitate to contact me for assistance. I look forward to seeing both you and your students.

Best Regards

Master Kambiz Ramzan Ali

Competition Director











1. PROMOTOR & ORGANISER

Governing Body

Organisers

BRITISH TAEKWONDO

Event Classification Silver





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Under auspices of Grandmaster Ik Pil Kang



2. EVENT TIMELINE

| Prior to Event | | |
|-------------------------|---|--|
| Registration Deadline | Saturday 2 nd of March 2024 at 21:00 | |
| Payment Deadline | Sunday 3 rd of March 2024 at 21:00 | |
| Compulsory Poomsae Draw | Monday 4 th of March 2024 at 9:00 | |

| Day of Event | | |
|---|-------------------------|--|
| 08:00 – 08:45 | Registration | |
| 8:30 – 9:00 | Judge/official briefing | |
| 9:10 - 9:20 | Coaches meeting | |
| 9:30 – 13.00 | Competition | |
| 13:00 – 14:00 Lunch Break | Lunch break | |
| 14.00 – 16.30 | Competition | |
| 16.30 – 16.45 | Closing Ceremony | |
| All times are approximate, please follow the updates at the venue | | |

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3. VENUE

Wishaw Sports Centre, Alexander Street, Wishaw ML2 0HQ, Scotland

4. PAYMENT

| Individual | £50 per athlete |
|-------------|---------------------|
| Pair | £48 per pair |
| Team/Family | £48 per team/family |

Payment to be done by bank transfer to:

HSBC Bank

Account name: KTA TKD Sort code: 040075

Account number: 45783195

When sending your online payment, please state club name/comp fees.

Any changes to the entries on the day of the competition will encore a £30 admin fee per. If the competition cannot take place due to unforeseen circumstances out of the control of the organizer, the payment shall immediately be valid for the next physical taekwondo event the organizer creates.

Spectators: Tickets are available on the door only. (Cash only)

* Adults: £10.00

* Children: (under 16): £5.00

*5 years and under will be admitted for free.

*Spectators are requested to wear suitable footwear (no high heels) for a sport hall.

Officials: two coaches per team

5. ELIGIBILITY FOR PARTICIPATION

Athletes must be members of a national federation affiliated to the WT. Proof of membership by means of a valid license, insurance and grade will be required at registration. All athletes/clubs must have their own insurance as governing body or organizers and any of its representatives will not be responsible for any injury cost.

Divisions DAN: 1st Dan / Poom and higher, Kukkiwon Holder (A Class: Competitors must be minimum 1st Dan/Poom grade & Kukkiwon or National holder.)

K1: 2nd Kup (Red Belt) - 1st Kup (Black Tag)
K2: 6th Kup (Green Belt) - 3rd Kup (Red Tag)
K3: 10th Kup (White Belt) - 7th Kup (Green Tag)

Maximum 250 total entries.

Kup divisions may be combined if less than 3 competitors in a division.

Cut-Off System will be used.

1st Round: If there are 21 competitors or more in a division then the competition will start in this round. Two assigned compulsory Poomsae will be required to be performed with a one-minute rest period in between













2nd Round: The top 50% of the competitors with the highest scores from the first round will qualify. for this 2nd round (including competitors with equal scores). Two assigned compulsory Poomsae will be required to be performed with a one-minute rest periodin between.

Final Round: The top 8 competitors (with the highest scores) from the 2nd round will qualify for this round. Two assigned compulsory Poomsae will be required to be performed with a one-minute rest period in between.

Final: Divisions may start in the final if there are 10 entrants or less. 11 entrants or more will start in the 2nd Round.

Compulsory Poomsae

All competitors must perform the set Poomsae and if they cannot, they will be disqualified.
All compulsory Poomsae shall be drawn, set and announced by the organizing through social media channels 3 days before the start of the competition.

6.1 CLASS A (DAN/POOM)

DIVISION Individual (Contestants can only enter a division once)

| n/Poom Grades 2023 | Compulsory Poomsae | |
|-------------------------------------|--|--|
| e 9yrs – 11 yrs. (born 2015 - 2013) | Tangauk 4 E 6 7 9 Karua Kaumgang | |
| 12yrs - 14yrs (born 2012 – 2010) | Taegeuk 4,5,6,7,8, Koryo, Keumgang | |
| 15yrs – 17yrs (born 2009 - 2007) | Taegeuk 4,5,6,7,8, Koryo, Keumgang, Taebaek | |
| 0yrs (born 2006 – 1994) | Taegeuk 6,7,8, Koryo, Keumgang, Taebaek, | |
| 10yrs (born 1993 – 1984) | Pyongwon, Shipjin | |
| 50yrs (born 1983 – 1974) | Taegeuk 8, Koryo, Keumgang, Taebaek, | |
| | Pyongwon, Shipjin, Jitae, Chonkwon | |
| 60yrs (born 1973 – 1964) | | |
| 5yrs (born 1963 – 1959) | Koryo, Keumgang, Taebaek, Pyongwon, | |
| rs (born 1958 – 1954) | Shipjin, Jitae, Chonkwon, Hansu | |
| orn 1953 or before) | | |
| | e 9yrs – 11 yrs. (born 2015 - 2013) 12yrs - 14yrs (born 2012 – 2010) 15yrs – 17yrs (born 2009 - 2007) 0yrs (born 2006 – 1994) 40yrs (born 1993 – 1984) 50yrs (born 1983 – 1974) 50yrs (born 1973 – 1964) 5yrs (born 1963 – 1959) rs (born 1958 – 1954) | |

Division Pair (male/female athlete) // Division Team (3 male / 3 female)

| Dan/Poom Grades 2023 | Compulsory Poomsae |
|--|--------------------------------------|
| U11 (Peewee) Age 9yrs – 11 yrs. (born 2015 - 2013) | Taegeuk 4,5,6,7,8, |
| U14 (Cadet) Age 12yrs - 14yrs (born 2012 – 2010) | Koryo, Keumgang |
| U17 (Junior) Age 15yrs – 17yrs (born 2009 - 2010) | Taegeuk 4,5,6,7,8, |
| | Koryo, Keumgang, Taebaek |
| U30 Age 18yrs - 30yrs (born 2006 – 1994) | Taegeuk 6,7,8, Koryo, |
| | Keumgang, Taebaek, Pyongwon, Shipjin |
| U31+ Age 31yrs + (born 1993 or before) | Taegeuk 8, Koryo, Keumgang, Taebaek, |
| | Pyongwon, Shipjin |
| | Jitae, Chonkwon |
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6.2 KUP GRADES

| Belt Division | | |
|--|-------------------------|--|
| K1 = 2 nd KUP & 1 st KUP | Red belt & black tag | |
| $K2 = 6^{th} KUP - 3^{rd} KUP$ | Green belt to red tag | |
| $K3 = 10^{th} KUP - 7^{Th} KUP$ | White belt to green tag | |

Age Division (Male/Female) U9 (Mini Peewee) Age 8yrs and younger (born later then 2015) U11 (Peewee) Age 9yrs – 11yrs (born 2015 - 2013) U14 (Cadet) Age 12yrs - 14yrs (born 2012 – 2010) U17 (Junior) Age 15yrs – 17yrs (born 2009 - 2007) 1st Senior Age 18yrs – 35yrs (born 2006 – 1989) 2nd Senior Age 36+ (Born 1988 or before)

| | KUP Rules | | | | |
|------------|-----------|-------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|--|
| | | Individual | Pair | Team | |
| | K1 | Compulsory Poomsae | Compulsory Poomsae | Compulsory Poomsae | |
| | | (Taegeuk 4,5,6,7,8) | (Taegeuk 4,5,6,7,8) | (Taegeuk 4,5,6,7,8) | |
| S. | K2 | Competitor's Choice | Competitor's Choice | Competitor's Choice | |
| i, | | (Taegeuk 3,4,5,6) | (Taegeuk 3,4,5,6) | (Taegeuk 3,4,5,6) | |
| | | Must do two | Must do two | Must do two different | |
| | | different poomsae | different poomsae | poomsae in1 round | |
| in 1 round | | in 1 round | in 1 round | | |
| N | К3 | Competitor's Choice | Competitor's Choice | Competitor's Choice | |
| | | (Taegeuk 1,2,3) | (Taegeuk 1,2,3) | (Taegeuk 1,2,3) | |
| | | Can repeat same Poomsae | Can repeat same Poomsae | Can repeat same Poomsae | |

It is allowed to make a combination of pair/team between K2&K3 athletes.

613 FAMILY POOMSAE

One parent, parents, or grandparents together with their child or children or grandchildren. The number of familymembers is unlimited. At least two generations are required for a family team. Examples: Father and son or daughter, mother, and father together with son and daughter, father with three sons, grandmother with grandchildren, grandfather, mother, and grandchildren. One participation per family is allowed. There is no age limit or graduation restriction for Family Poomsae. The Poomsae can be freely selected. All families go directly to finals. Two poomsae must be performed, selected from the recognized poomsae.

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| Classification | Grade | Selection | Recognized Poomsae | Division | Age |
| Family Poomsae (unlimited members but minimum 2) | No belt restriction | Competitor Choice of poomsae | Free of Choice | One family | No age limit |













6.4 PARA CATEGORY

Para Event Para Categories will also be split into Male / Female and Kup / Dan Grades. Para competitors should enter the Para category online and e-mail full details and reasons for Para qualification to the event. management to: rangesportsuk@gmail.com

| Categories | | | |
|-------------------------------|---|--|--|
| P10 – Visual Impairments | Competitor's choice any WT recognized poomsae | | |
| P20 – Intellectually Impaired | Competitor's choice any WT recognized poomsae | | |
| P30 – Physical Impairments | Compulsory poomsae to be performed | | |
| P40 – Limb Deficiency | Competitor's choice any WT recognized poomsae | | |
| P50 – Wheelchair Classes | Competitor's choice any WT recognized poomsae | | |
| P60 – Deaf | Competitor's choice any WT recognized poomsae | | |
| P70 – Short Stature | Competitor's choice any WT recognized poomsae | | |

| | Male | U17 (17yrs or younger) |
|-----|--------|------------------------|
| Dan | | 18+ (18yrs or older) |
| | Female | U17 (17yrs or younger) |
| | | 18+ (18yrs or older) |
| | Male | U17 (17yrs or younger) |
| Kup | | 18+ (18yrs or older) |
| | Female | U17 (17yrs or younger) |
| | | 18+ (18yrs or older) |

7. ARBITRATION

Procedure of Protest

Only the official head coach is allowed to protest to the Competition Director. This must be done within 10 minutes of the end of the contest. A protest fee of £75 will be payable immediately to the competition board. This will be refunded if the protest is accepted and won.

Situation not covered by the rules.

Where any situation not covered by this outline arises, it shall be dealt with by the competition chairman and referee director. This decision is final.

8. AWARDS

 $\mathbf{1}^{\text{st}},\,\mathbf{2}^{\text{nd}}$ and two 3rd place medals shall be awarded in each category.

There shall also be 1st, 2nd and 3rd place overall team trophies based on number of medals won by each team: 9pts Gold, 6pts Silver, 3pts Bronze/2pts Bronze

9. UNIFORM

A Class division: Competitors may compete wearing WT recognized Poomsae uniform.

Kup Divisions: Competitors may only compete wearing WT recognized uniform.

Any contestant wearing unofficial uniform will not be permitted to compete.

Jewelry is strictly not permitted.

By registering to compete at the event you agree to have your image taken whilst in the venue by both the press and members of the public. In addition, you are agreeing to have your image shown on video, TV andonline.











Hotel stay, please consult:

https://www.tripadvisor.co.uk/Hotels-g1147565-Wishaw_North_Lanarkshire_Scotland-Hotels.html

Wishaw train station

Please consult https://www.scotrail.co.uk/plan-your-journey/stations-and-facilities/wsh

(0.3 Miles from the venue only 6 minutes' walk)

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Glasgow Airport

Address: Victoria Ave, Yeadon, Leeds LS19 7AW (12 Miles from the venue, 22 minutes' drive by car)

12. COVID MEASURES

The organizer takes all necessary measures, following the local and national guidelines. 3 days before the event the organizer will send out separate information regarding the practical applications of these guidelines.

Please consult https://www.gov.uk/coronavirus for updates and measures to be taken as public/athlete in an effort to keep sporting a safe and healthy place.

13. SPONSORS

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