



The 5th Glasgow Open
4th June 2017
Caledonian University



In Association with Scottish Taekwondo

The 5th Glasgow Open - 2017

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Dear Taekwondo Friends,

We are very happy to invite you and your team to once again attend the 5th Glasgow Open international taekwondo championships held in Glasgow City centre.

Caledonian University Sport Hall

Glasgow Caledonian University

Glasgow

G4 0BA

Glasgow is Scotland's largest city and is renowned for its culture, style and the friendliness of its people. Glasgow offers a blend of internationally-acclaimed museums and galleries, stunning architecture, vibrant nightlife, fantastic shopping and a diverse array of restaurants and bars.

This year we will be using Daedo PSS for all categories for fairness and transparency.

Our aim is to provide a WTF style Taekwondo competition of the highest standard and we truly hope you will be able to join us for Glasgow Open taekwondo championships. This event is truly open to anyone from any association from any country.

Glasgow looks forward to welcoming you to the event and wish you every success. Enclosed in this entry pack you will find all the information you will require regarding the event. If you require further information or assistance and we will respond to your request as soon as possible.

GTA Organising Committee

Organisation

Promoters:

Glasgow Taekwondo Association Ltd - 358 Netherton Road, Glasgow, G13 1AX

Organising Committee:

GTA exec - John Haggerty, Laura Sweeney, Robert Robertson and Dale Rhodie

Place:

Glasgow Open, Caledonian University Sport Hall,

Glasgow Caledonian University

Cowcaddens Road

Glasgow

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Date:

Sunday 4th June 2017

Timetable

Saturday 3rd June

Registration and weigh in for local competitors 3-5pm at Caledonian Taekwondo Health & Fitness Centre.

Travelling Teams have the option of weighing in on the morning of the event if arranged in advance or we can come to your hotel. Please note this must be arranged in advance.

Sunday 4th June

Doors Open 9.30am

Matches start at 10.30am

Estimated finish time 5.00pm

Contestants

Eligibility:

All players and coaches must hold a valid WTF style licence issued by their association. This must be presented at the weigh-in. This event is open to anyone from any association from any country.

Contestants must provide proof of age by presenting their passport or identification card at the weigh-in.

WTF GAL licence is not required for this event.

Liability:

All competitors participate at their own risk. The organisers or Glasgow Taekwondo Association Limited will not accept any responsibility for any injuries, damages or losses sustained or incurred.

VISA:

Due to strict border controls in the UK and previous abuses of our hospitality, we are only able to provide teams with a letter stating acceptance of their registration to compete. We will not send out any special invitations to travelling teams. If you have any questions regarding this, please contact

glasgowtkd@gmail.com

Entry:

Entry Fees: £25 / 30 Euros per player. Additional divisions will be half the entry fee.

Registration: Registration for this event can only be made using the online subscription site.

www.tpss.nl

Deadline:

Monday the 29th May at 11pm. No entries will be accepted after this date and no refunds will be given to players who do not turn up to the event. After the closing date all teams will be liable for the entry fees of all players registered online.

Entry Limit:

To provide a high-quality championship, the entries will be limited to no more than 200 entries. If we reach this figure before the deadline the online registration will be closed early

Spectators:

Adults £5 / under 14's £3 per day. Family of 2 adults and 2 children - £12 per

Payment:

Competition entry fees must be paid by bank transfer to the following bank account details no later than Wednesday 31st May 2017. Please note failure to do so will result in teams being withdrawn from the competition. This will help the competition run smoothly.

Account Name: Glasgow Taekwondo Association

Bank Address: Royal Bank of Scotland, 1600 Great Western Road, Glasgow, G13 1HF

Sort Code: 832133

Account: 00125917

Please quote team name in transfer.

Alternatively, we can invoice you team via Paypal if required.

Competition Rules

Rules:

WTF single elimination rules

Scoring:

Daedo PSS in all categories on all days

Management:

TaekoPlan match management will be used. All coaches will receive a list of Management their players' match numbers at the coach meetings.

Equipment:

All players must provide their own Daedo sensor socks.

All players will be provided with a Daedo electronic hogu before each of their matches. Players must provide all other WTF approved protective equipment. Gum shields are compulsory for all players and must be white or clear. Players with any other colours will not be allowed to compete.

Head kicks:

Full contact head kicks are permitted in all categories except veterans.

Awards:

1 Gold, 1 Silver and 2 bronze medals awarded in every division. The two players who reach the final will receive the gold and silver medal regardless if one player retires prior to the match Team 1st, 2nd and 3rd Team trophy will be awarded to the teams with the highest Awards: cumulative

points total across both competition days following the WTF team scoring system of Gold 7pts, Silver 3pts, Bronze 1pt,

matches won (not by withdrawal of opponent) 1pt

Match Times:

Pee Wee 3 x 1 Minute with 30 second rest Children 3 x 1½ Minutes with 30 second rest Cadet 3 x 1½. Minutes with 30 second rest Junior 3 x 2 Minutes with 45 second rest Senior 3 x 2 Minutes with 45 second rest Veteran 3 x 1 ½ Minutes with 30 second rest.

Category Information

It is the responsibility of teams registering their players that each athlete is entered in the correct weight division and not that of the event management team. Divisions with less than 3 entries may be combined where appropriate.

Please note that age division is based the year of birth.

Glasgow Open Categories

Pee Wee – Athletes born in years: 2009 and after

B-Class – 9th -> 6th Kup

A-Class – 5th -> Above

Children – Athletes born in years: 2008, 2007 & 2006

B-Class – 9th -> 3rd Kup

A-Class – 2nd Kup -> Above

Cadets – Athletes born in years: 2005, 2004 & 2003

B-Class – 9th -> 3rd Kup A-Class – 2nd Kup -> Above

Juniors – Athletes born in years: 2002, 2001 & 2000

B-Class – 9th -> 3rd Kup

A-Class – 2nd Kup -> Above

Seniors – Athletes born in years: 2000 and earlier

B-Class – 9th -> 3rd Kup

A-Class – 2nd Kup -> Above

Veteran – Athletes born in years: 1982 and earlier

B-Class – 9th -> 3rd Kup

A-Class 2nd Kup -> Above

Male -68 -80 +80Kgs

Female -57 -67 +67Kg

International Referees

At this event we will be looking to recruit the services of WTF International Referees: referees. The organisers will provide 2 night accommodation on the 3rd and 4th June. Breakfast, lunch and dinner will be provided courtesy of the organising committee on these dates. We will provide return transport from either Glasgow or Edinburgh International airports.

In addition we will pay a per diem £50 to each International referee for each competition day.

Accommodation

The venue is in the city centre where most hotels are located.

Travel

For travel info to Glasgow and Scotland visit the websites

www.visitscotland.com

www.peoplemakeglasgow.com