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British Taekwondo 2018 National Championships

WELCOME

It is my pleasure to invite all British Taekwondo Members to take part in the Kyorugi National Championships for 2018 which are to be held over the weekend of 27th & 28th October 2018, at the English Institute of Sport, Sheffield for the first time.

We are in the middle of an exciting time for Taekwondo competition within Great Britain with these Championships following close on the heels of the Manchester Grand Prix, which itself will be a spectacle for all to enjoy.

We will be continuing with the same competition timetable used over the past two years with novice categories running on Saturday, and advanced categories on Sunday. We have also extended the weigh-in session for all categories on Friday whilst continuing with additional sessions on Saturday for those competitors who are unable to make it on Friday.

The competition will be run using Daedo Electronic Body Protector systems and headguards with Video Review for all categories bringing this championships to an international standard for all competitors.

We look forward to seeing everyone in Sheffield in October and hope your training and preparation in the run up to the competition goes well.

Good luck

Shirley Stapleton

CEO British Taekwondo



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1 **EVENT OVERVIEW**

COMPETITION HALL

English Institute of Sport – Sheffield

Coleridge Rd

Sheffield

S9 5DA

To find the English Institute of Sport – Sheffield, please visit:

www.siv.org.uk/page/eis-sheffield

COMPETITION DATE

Saturday 27th October & Sunday 28th October 2018

2 **CONTESTANT ELIGIBILITY**

All participants must be members of British Taekwondo.

All competitors must be a UK resident.

Advanced athletes wishing to be considered for the Great Britain national team must also be a UK passport holder.

MEMBERSHIP

All competitors and coaches must have an up to date membership record on The Hub which will be used to validate all entries. Any competitor or coach who fails the membership audit cannot take part in the competition. Any entry fees cannot be refunded in this case.

We urge all participants to make arrangements to ensure their memberships are up to date before the closing date.

If you have any questions about membership, please ask your club coach/instructor or contact British Taekwondo membership services by email membership.services@britishtaekwondo.org

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3 **WEIGHT DIVISIONS** **SATURDAY 27th OCTOBER 2018**

PEE WEE 8th KUP to 3rd KUP **BORN IN 2010 OR LATER**

Pee Wee Male: -18kg -20kg -22kg -24kg -26kg +26kg
Pee Wee Female: -18kg -20kg -22kg -24kg -26kg +26kg

CHILD 8th KUP to 3rd KUP **BORN IN 2007, 2008, 2009**

Child Male: -24kg -26kg -29kg -32kg -36kg -40kg -44kg -48kg +48kg
Child Female: -24kg -26kg -29kg -32kg -36kg -40kg -44kg -48kg +48kg

CADETS 8th KUP to 3rd KUP **BORN IN 2004, 2005, 2006**

Cadet Male: -33kg -37kg -41 kg -45kg -49kg -53kg -57kg -61kg -65kg +65kg
Cadet Female: -29kg -33kg -37kg -41kg -44kg -47kg -51kg -55kg -59kg +59kg

JUNIORS 8th KUP to 3rd KUP **BORN IN 2001, 2002, 2003**

Junior Male: -45kg -48kg -51kg -55kg -59kg -63kg -68kg -73kg -78kg +78kg
Junior Female: -42kg -44kg -46kg -49kg -52kg -55kg -59kg -63kg -68kg +68kg

SENIORS 8th KUP to 3rd KUP **BORN 2001 OR BEFORE**

Senior Male: -54kg -58kg -63kg -68kg -74kg -80kg -87kg +87kg
Senior Female: -46kg -49kg -53kg -57kg -62kg -67kg -73kg +73kg

Juniors born in 2001 may also compete in the Senior event in addition to the Junior group.

In the above case, an additional online entry and fee should be submitted.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

Daedo Electronic Body Protector systems and headguards will be used for **all** athletes competing.

ATHLETES MUST BRING THEIR OWN DAEDO SOCKS.

If you do not have these socks, please contact: www.daedo.co.uk

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3 **WEIGHT DIVISIONS** **SUNDAY 28th OCTOBER 2018**

PARA-TAEKWONDO ATHLETES

Kyorugi is contested in two WTF Para-Classes, K40 for athletes with upper limb deficiency and K60 for deaf/hearing impaired athletes.

SENIORS 8th KUP and above

BORN 2001 OR BEFORE

Senior Male: -61kg -75kg +75kg

Senior Female: -49kg -58kg +58kg

In the case of insufficient numbers of athletes, classes and divisions may be combined - Para Groups Only - all other groups will not be combined.

Classification of para athletes will take place on the Saturday morning during the weigh-in. The competition will take place under WTF Para Taekwondo rules & regulations.

ALL MATCHES TO BE 3 x 1 1/2 MINUTE ROUNDS

ADVANCED PEE WEE 2nd KUP & above

BORN IN 2010 OR LATER

Pee Wee Male: -18kg -20kg -22kg -24kg -26kg +26kg

Pee Wee Female: -18kg -20kg -22kg -24kg -26kg +26kg

ADVANCED CHILD 2nd KUP & above

BORN IN 2007, 2008, 2009

Child Male: -24kg -26kg -29kg -32kg -36kg -40kg -44kg -48kg +48kg Child

Female: -24kg -26kg -29kg -32kg -36kg -40kg -"kg -48kg +48kg

ADVANCED CADETS 2nd KUP & above

BORN IN 2004, 2005, 2006

Cadet Male: -33kg -37kg -41kg -45kg -49kg -53kg -57kg -61kg -65kg +65kg

Cadet Female: -29kg -33kg -37kg -41 kg -"kg -47kg -51kg -55kg -59kg +59kg

ADVANCED JUNIORS 2nd KUP and above

BORN IN 2001, 2002, 2003

Junior Male: -45kg -48kg -51kg -55kg -59kg -63kg -68kg -73kg -78kg +78kg

Junior Female: -42kg -44kg -"kg -49kg -52kg -55kg -59kg -63kg -68kg +68kg

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3 **WEIGHT DIVISIONS** **SUNDAY 28TH OCTOBER 2018 - continued**

ADVANCED SENIORS 2nd KUP and above **BORN 2001 OR BEFORE**

Senior Male: -54kg -58kg -63kg -68kg -74kg -80kg -87kg +87kg
Senior Female: -46kg -49kg -53kg -57kg -62kg -67kg -73kg +73kg

VETERANS 8th KUP and above **BORN 1983 or before**

Senior Male: -58kg -68kg -80kg +80kg
Senior Female: -49kg -57kg -67kg +67kg

MATCHES WILL BE 3 X 1 1/2 MINUTE ROUNDS - FOR CHILD, CADET AND VETERAN CATEGORIES

MATCHES WILL BE 3 X 2 MINUTE ROUNDS - FOR JUNIOR & SENIOR CATEGORIES

Juniors born in 2001 may also compete in the Senior event in addition to the Junior group. An additional online entry and fee should be submitted.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

Daedo Electronic Body Protector systems and headguards will be used for **all** athletes competing.

ATHLETES MUST BRING THEIR OWN DAEDO SOCKS.

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4 APPLICATIONS

All applications are to be made online at TaekoPlan Subscription Site www.tpss.eu

Please note: we will allow changes in competitor weight groups should a player fail the weigh-in (subject to an administration fee of £20.00 payable at the time of the weigh-in).

In addition, Any group with 1 competitor will not be merged and the single competitor shall be declared British Champion in that weight/age category.

All coaches are responsible for ensuring their players weight and entry details are correct as no refunds will be given should any player be disqualified or not wish to pay the administration fee to move weight groups. All information must be entered when registering players. Any player found not to have entered membership numbers and all other requested information will be removed from the system.

Any players remaining in the online system at the deadline will be responsible for paying the full entry fee even if that player does not compete. Following the entry deadline, any changes may only be made at registration/weigh-in.

5 CLOSING DATE

The closing date for applications is 21.00 on Friday 19th October 2018. Payment must be received by the closing date.

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6 COACH ACCREDITATION

One (1) coach will be accredited for every five (5) competitors entered and granted free admission. There can be a maximum of 8 coaches per team. Additional coaching passes may be purchased for £20 by completing a coach application online for each additional pass required. This must be done at the same time as you pay entry fees. The minimum age for a coach must be 18 years. Coaches will only be permitted at ringside in appropriate sportswear, no shorts.

All coaches must have a current British Taekwondo membership, Instructors Indemnity Insurance and valid Criminal Records Check document (DBS) recorded in the Hub.

Coach passes will only be issued if the coach membership information is completed in full online. All coaches will be asked to present photo ID at registration and must collect their passes personally. Unfortunately, we cannot issue passes to any coach who does not have up to date membership and indemnity recorded in The Hub.

All coaches must register online prior to the deadline date. Once this deadline has passed no further coaches will be added. All information must be given online or coaches will be removed from the system.

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7 REGISTRATION, WEIGH IN & DRAW

REGISTRATION & WEIGH-IN

For all competitors competing on Saturday 27th October & Sunday 28th October, registration & weigh-in will be on Friday 26th October from 11am until 9pm.

There will be a further weigh-in for Saturday competitors between 7:30am & 9am on the Saturday morning. No Sunday competitors can weigh-in at this time.

For competitors competing on Sunday 28th October, a further registration & weigh-in will be held on Saturday 27th October from 4pm until 7pm.

Athletes are advised to consult British Taekwondo's Policy on Making Weight for Training and Competition.

DRAWING OF LOTS

The drawing of lots for Saturday weight groups will take place immediately after the weigh-in closes at 9am on Saturday, and coaches will be issued with match number sheets for their team.

A further drawing of lots for Sunday weight groups will take place at the venue on Saturday at approximately 7.30pm following the completion of the weigh-in.

A full set of draw sheets will be made available for any coaches and will be posted online at www.TPSS.eu websites.

8 COMPETITION RULES

Full WTF Competition Rules will be applied.

All players on both days of competition will be provided with a Daedo Electronic body protector and e-headguard. All contestants will be required to proceed to the inspection desk for officials to check their dobok before entering the competition area.

Video replay will be used in all groups.

9 DOPING CONTROL

Doping Control at the National Championships may be conducted according to the World Anti-Doping Code and the list of Prohibited Substances and Methods in force at the time of the event.

The Organising Committee may carry out doping tests among the participating athletes at random. Any athlete who refuses to undergo testing or who proves to have committed a breach of this regulation shall be removed from the final standings and shall be subject to a disciplinary action.

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10 AWARDS

Awards will be presented to all tournament Champions, 2nd Place and 2 x 3rd places per category. Team trophies will also be presented for the 1st, 2nd and 3rd Place teams each day and an overall 1st, 2nd and 3rd place Team Award will be presented at the end of the second day.

11 LIABILITY

All competitors are considered to be participating at their own risk. British Taekwondo assumes no responsibility for any damages, injuries or losses.

By submitting a competitor or coach application you are confirming that you are fit and able to take part in this WT Taekwondo competition and do not suffer from any illness or condition that would prevent you from taking part. You also agree to be bound by the rules and regulations of British Taekwondo.

12 IDENTIFICATION

All competitors and coaches must bring & show photo ID which matches entry details at registration. Unfortunately, any competitor or coach who fails to confirm their identity cannot take part in the competition.

13 ENTRY & PAYMENT

The entry fee for each contestant competing in the novice categories on Saturday 27th October 2018 is £45.00.

The entry fee for each contestant competing on Sunday 28th October 2018 is £50.00.

Entry fees must be paid in advance to the following bank account:

Account Name: British Taekwondo
Bank: HSBC
Sort Code: 40-24-32
Account Number: 11465503

Please ensure that all payments are made on or before Friday 19th October 2018 by bank transfer. Please provide competitor or club name in the reference section of the payment. Cheques will not be accepted.

No refunds will be provided for non-competing athletes for whom payment has been made. Any team or individual that fails to make payment before the deadline will be removed from the system on Friday 19th October 2018 and will not be permitted to reapply.

Payment will not be accepted at registration.

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14 REFEREES

If you would like to register an expression of interest please email to referees@britishtaekwondo.org by no later than 29 August 2018. All selected referees will receive confirmation of their appointment via email by 31 August 2018.

15 VOLUNTEERING

If you would like to contribute to the success of this event, there are many volunteering opportunities available. Volunteers may contact events@britishtaekwondo.org to obtain more information and request application forms to register interest.

16 QUESTIONS

If you have a question that is not covered in this invitation please email the Organising Committee at events@britishtaekwondo.org.

17 CONTACT

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