Promoter: Bulgarian Taekwondo Federation – WT
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Dates: 28th March 2020

Place: Sports hall “Dupnitsa”;
Kokiche str., 2600 Dupnitsa, Bulgaria
Map: https://goo.gl/maps/53pMXi12dXR2

Application Deadline: 23:59 Bulgarian time on 20th March 2020
Application Edit: no latter then 23:59 Bulgarian time on 23rd March 2020

Online Registration: https://tpss.eu GAL/GOL is not required

Entry fee and Payment: 30 € per applied competitor paid at cash at registration;

If an athlete registered online through the Registration system does not take part in the competition for some reason, but he/she has not been removed from the list of participants before the deadline (23.03.2020), his/her team official must fully (100%) pay his/her entry fee for participation. Entry fee is not refundable at any time after the deadline.

Change of category: Change of category – free of charge until 23.03.2020;
Change of category will be possible during the Registration and Weigh-in – against an additional fee of 10 € for each change.

Competition Rules: The last WT Competition rules will apply

PSS: WT approved PSS (Daedo Generation 2) will be used.

The Organizing Committee will provide Protector and Scoring System (PSS) and the head protector to the participating contestants. Participating contestants are required to bring their own groin guards, mouthpieces, gloves, sensor socks, shin and forearm guards for their personal use. All competitors must use WT-approved equipment.

Instant Video Replay will be used for all courts.
Conditions of participation

Proof of membership by valid national Federation passport with WTE/WT membership. All contestants have to proof their age and nationality by presenting national ID or passport at weigh-in.
Those who are not recognized as adults by law in their own country must submit a passport or identification card together with a written consent (liability declaration) of their parents or lawful guardian accepting the participation and all parts of the official invitation.
Registration must be done in advance. Entry fees are obligated at all times.

Method of competition: Single elimination tournament according to WT Competition Rules.

Age Groups:
Seniors: born in 2003 and older;
Children II: born in 2009 and 2010;

Athletes born in 2003 could compete either in Juniors or in Seniors.

Competition classes:

A class – Olympic rules;
B class – Kicks to the head are not allowed;

Categories:

Seniors Male (Class A): -54kg, -58kg, -63kg, -68kg, -74kg, -80kg, -87kg, +87kg;
Seniors Male (Class B): -58kg, -68kg, -80kg, +80kg;
Seniors Female (Class A): -46kg, -49kg, -53kg, -57kg, -62kg, -67kg, -73kg, +73kg;
Seniors Female (Class B): -49kg, -57kg, -67kg, +67kg;
Juniors Male (Class A): -45kg, -48kg, -51kg, -55kg, -59kg, -63kg, -68kg, -73kg, -78kg, +78kg;
Juniors Male (Class B): -48kg, -55kg, -63kg, -73kg, +73kg;
Junior Female (Class A): -42kg, -44kg, -46kg, -49kg, -52kg, -55kg, -59kg, -63kg, -68kg, +68kg;
Junior Female (Class B): -44kg, -49kg, -55kg, -63kg, +63 kg;
Cadets Male (Class A and Class B): -33kg, -37kg, -41kg, -45kg, -49kg, -53kg, -57kg, -61kg, -65kg, +65kg;
Cadets Female (Class A and Class B): -29kg, -33kg, -37kg, -41kg, -44kg, -47kg, -51kg, -55kg, -59kg, +59 kg;
Children II Male and Female (Class A and Class B): -27kg, -30kg, -33kg, -36kg, -40kg, -44kg, -48kg, -52kg, -57kg, +57kg.;
Children I Male and Female (Class A and Class B): -21kg, -23kg, -25kg, -27kg, -29kg, -31g, -33kg, -36kg, -40kg, +40kg.;
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Match duration:
- Seniors and Juniors (Class A): 3 x 1,5 min (30 sec. break);
- Cadets and Children (I and II) (Class A): 2 x 1,5 min (30 sec. break);
- All age classes (Class B): 2 x 1 min (30 sec. break);

The contests duration is subject to change by the Organizing Committee.

Liability

All competitors participate at their own risk. The online registration implies that the competitors agree to assume all responsibility for themselves and to release all other parties from any and all liability which may directly or indirectly result. The organizer is in no way responsible for any damage caused to a person or their belongings.

Awards

Medals for the places 1 to 3 individual results.
Team cups will be awarded to the three best teams in each division.

The team ranking is based on the following point system:

For each Gold Medal – 120 points
For each Silver Medal – 50 points
For each Bronze Medal – 20 points
For each contestant who entered the competition area after passing the general weigh-in – 1 point
For each win – 1 point

Coaches

For every five contestants within the same team, one coach is granted free admission, with a maximum of four coaches. Every additional coach above the maximum allowed number should pay 25 euro admission. Coaches can enter the competition area only with proper sport shoes and proper tracksuit. Before weigh-in all coaches must have the Special ID-Cards for their teams. Weigh-in and entry to the sports hall only with Special ID-Cards. Special ID-Cards for all competitors and coaches. The following accreditations will be provided to team member on request to the OC:

The trainers will not be allowed to the competition area
To register a Doctor – Proof of Medical Doctor/Physio therapist certificate in English.

Protest

Only the official coach is allowed to protest, immediately after the end of the contest. An amount of € 100 (Euro) will have to be paid for each protest. The decision of the referee chairman is final.
Referees
Referees wishing to participate should send an e-mail to office@taekwondo-bulgaria.org no later than 9th March 2020 with their first and last names and their class of qualification (International Referee, National Referee 1 or 2).
Participating teams could suggest 1 referee per every 10 participating athletes. The Organizing Committee will provide accommodation at 4-star hotel near the competition venue and remuneration.

Visa
All teams who require a visa invitation should send written request to the Bulgarian Taekwondo Federation (office@taekwondo-bulgaria.org).

Accommodation
The Organizing Committee offers assistance for the accommodation of teams for the championship at preferential rates for the official hotels of the championship. For accommodation assistance please refer to: hr.mihalchev@abv.bg

EVENT SCHEDULE

27th March 2020 (Friday):
18:00 - 20:00 – Registration and Weigh-in, Sports hall “Dupnitsa”

28th March 2020 (Saturday):
08:00 – Referee meeting
08:30 – Head-of-Team Meeting
08:45 – Inspection area opens and start checking the athletes for the first matches
09:00 – Start of matches
12:30 – 13:30 – Official opening ceremony & Lunch break;
13:30 – 17:00 – Eliminations and Semi-finals;
17:00 – 20:00 – Finals and Award Ceremony

The Organizers reserve the right to make changes in the outline if necessary.
DECLARATION OF CONTEST

As legal guardian I herewith declare my consent that my son/my daughter may participate as an active player at the following championship:

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I do know that Taekwondo is a Full Contact Competition Sport, where injuries cannot be excluded. Neither the organizer nor the promoter of the event can be held responsible for any damages or injuries and therefore I declare that there exists a valid insurance that will cover costs of possible injuries for my son/my daughter or that I will accept all costs in connection with possible injuries or damages by myself.

Name of Guardian          Point of Relationship
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