

4TH OPEN TAEKWONDO TOURNAMENT OF THESSALONIKI 19-20 OCTOBER, 2013



Dear President,

The 3rd Open Tournament crowned with total success. Both the participation from foreign countries, bigger than any other year, - between them the best Korean team from the University of Yong In which participated with 8 athletes, the most of them world champions - and the flawless and perfect organization, admittedly participants, guaranteed an impressive tournament.

The 4th Open Taekwondo Tournament of Thessaloniki is going to take place on October 19th and 20th, 2013. In this year's tournament will be two important changes.

The first one is that the tournament will be held in a new wonderful stadium in the center of the town, beside the port and the historic White Tower and the second one is that this year are going to participate also the CADETS.

Every year our tournament is getting more and more recognized from the foreign countries. The perfect organization and the hospitality of Thessaloniki have already won the sympathy of the participants.

We are sure that this year's tournament will be better from all the sides. You will combine a high level Tournament with the participation of many European countries and countries as Korea and Thailand. You can visit the archaeological monuments of Thessaloniki as also you can go for shopping in the center of the town.

With the Hellenic Taekwondo Federation's support, we are almost ready for having a successful Tournament. It would be our great pleasure and honor to welcome you to our beautiful town.

Thessaloniki - Preece Manolis Christos President of the Taekwondo Union of Northern Greece



19-20 October, 2013

4. Place:

YMCA Stadium, 137 Tsimiski str, tel. 2310241007.

5. Qualifications:

Participants must be member of National Taekwondo Federation, affiliated to the W.T.F.

6. Categories / Age

Age categories according to WTF categories Cadets: 1999, 2000 and 2001 (-1st Kup- red belt) Juniors: from 1996 – 1999 (-Poom or Dan certificate) Seniors: from age 16 and upward (from 1997 or before) - Dan certificate

All competitors have to prove their age by presenting their passport or identification card at the weigh-in. For those athletes **that are not adults** must submit along with passport a written consent (pls download the document from our website: <u>www.etabe.gr</u>) at registration signed by parents or lawful guardians, accepting their participation and all parts of the official invitation.

Each team can participate in each category with more than one athletes.

7. Competition Rules - Method

The WTF Competition rules – ETU Rules (ELECTRONIC SYSTEM) DAEDO DAEDO electronic Body Protectors (Please bring your own Sensor socks and Head Gear (organization will provide ONLY trunk protectors) Video Replay System

Single elimination tournament system

Elimination rounds and finals : 3 rounds x 2 minutes (30sec break) Senior/Junior male-female Elimination rounds and finals: 2 rounds x 2 minutes (30 sec break) Cadets male-female

8. Weight Divisions

Cadets male: (-33,-37,-41,-45,-49,-53,-57,-61,-65,+65) **Cadets female:** (-29,-33,-37,-41,-44,-47,-51,-55,-59,+59) **Juniors male:** (-45,-48,-51,-55,-59,-63,-68,-73,-78,+78) **Juniors female:** (-42,-44,-46,-49,-52,-55,-59,-63,-68,+68) **Senior male:** (-54,-58,-63,-68,-74,-80,-87,+87) **Senior female:** (-46,-49,-53,-57,-62,-67,-73, +73)

9. Awards

1st place - One gold medal & certificate

2nd place – One silver medal & certificate

3rd place – One bronze medal to each & certificate (two 3rd places)

- The 3 best teams of Cadets, Junior and Senior Male and Female will be awarded with cups and certificates.

10. Entry & Payment

For Junior and Senior categories: 45 € per athlete. UNION TAE KNON DO OF NORTH DREECE For Cadet categories: 40€ per athlete.

The entry fee shall be enclosed in the List of Team Members forms for participation. Restitution will never be made.

11. Applications

Team and officials registration is only online.

No registration per e-mail is allowed.

For registration please go to: <u>www.etabe.gr</u>

If you have any problems registering please contact <u>register@etabe.gr</u>

Applications will only be valid when payment has been done until **14th October 2013**.

The receipt must be sent to the Taekwondo Union of North Greece by mail: <u>info@etabe.gr</u> or by fax: +30 2310212373.

Incomplete application forms or applications without entry fees are considered not being received. The organization will confirm all received applications.

If confirmation not been received please contact to: <u>register@etabe.gr</u> or <u>info@etabe.gr</u>. **NOTE:** Registrations are only valid when payments have been received and can be confirmed by the Bank.

12. Payments

Bank Name: ALPHA BANK Name: E.TA.B.E. Account number: 477 002 002 003 197 Currency: EUR IBAN: GR75 0140 4770 4770 0200 2003 197 BIC/SWIFT: CRBAGRAAXXX Payment reference: (*Team name*)

Deadline Closing date for entries is <u>**14**th of October, 2013</u> Applications received after this date will not be accepted.

13. Hall Rules

Only the competitors and their coaches will have admittance with registration and coach cards to the contest areas. One (1) coach for every five (5) competitors has free admission. The minimum age for a coach must be 18 years and is only allowed in sportswear.

Electronic System "DAEDO".

14.Protest

Only the Head of the Team is allowed to protest to the protest committee, immediately after the end of the contest. An amount of 150€ will have to be paid for each protest. The protest amount will not be refunded in any case.

15. Accomodation

Round trip airfare and accommodation of room and board shall be borne by the participating Athletic Clubs.

For any information may needed about the hotels, we are at your disposal.

Special offer for National Teams :

FREE accommodation, food and transport from and to the airport (14 athletes, 2 coaches, 1 referee and 1 head of the team). 10.00 1

Special offer for Clubs:

OF NORTH BREECE FREE accommodation & food (6 athletes, 1 coach and 1 head of the team). *The above is only valid, keeping strictly the number of the athletes.

16. Indemnities

It is the responsibility of each Athletic Club to ensure that their contestants have filled in the participation forms (on-line) correctly and have signed them thereby indemnifying the organizers, the officials and other contestants from any claims of injuries, losses or otherwise arising in the course of participation in these championships or any activities linked therewith.

It is the responsibility of each Athletic Club to ensure that sufficient insurance coverage has been taken out for all officials and participants.

All competitors of the 4TH OPEN TAEKWONDO TOURNAMENT participate at their own risk. The registration - application implies that the contestant agree to assume all responsibility for themselves and to release all others from all and any liability which may directly or indirectly result from the 4TH OPEN TAEKWONDO TOURNAMENT of Thessaloniki.

(pls download the application from our website: www.etabe.gr)

17. Medical Control

Use of drugs or doping by any chemical substances prescribed in the WTF Regulations for Doping Control is strongly prohibited.

18. Weigh-in

The weigh-in of the contestants takes place on the previous day of the weight – division they compete. However, whoever wish to be weighed on Friday, he can do so.

19. Visa

If your Team needs Greek visa, please send completely filled-out Visa Details Form (pls download the document from our website: www.etabe.gr) and passport copies of all your team members to the Organizing Committee (email: info@etabe.gr) informing the Organizing Committee of the location of the Greek Embassy to which your team will apply for visa at least one (1) month before your arrival in Greece.

20. International Referees

Invitations and participating of all referees will be made by the Organizing Committee of the Taekwondo Union of North Greece. The invitation will be completed only with the confirmation of the Organizing Committee.

Accommodation and full board from Friday 18th October, 2013 (check-in 12:00hrs) till Sunday 20th October, 2013 (check-out 12:00 hrs) will be done by the Organizing Committee. International referees will receive an allowance of $50 \in$ for each tournament day (100 \in total).

SCHEDULE



FRIDAY 18 OCTOBER 2013	16.00-19.00	Registration & electronic weigh-in for the athletes competing on <u>Saturday 19 Oct</u> 2013 at YMCA Stadium.
	20.00-21.00	Electronic draw-in for the athletes competing on Saturday.
SATURDAY 19 OCTOBER 2013	09.00-19.00	Matches
	14.00-15.00	Break
	15.00-17.00	Electronic weigh-in for the athletes competing on Sunday <u>20 October 2013.</u>
	17.45-18.45	Electronic draw-in for the athletes competing on Sunday at <u>YMCA</u> Stadium.
	19.00-20.30	Finals & Awarding
	CATEGORIES COMPETING ON SATURDAY	
	Senior Male: Not exceeding 54kg,-58kg,-63kg,-68kg,-74kg,	
	Senior Female: Not exceeding 46kg,-49kg,-53kg,-57kg,-62kg,	
	Junior Male: Not exceeding 45kg,-48kg,-51kg,-55kg,-59kg,-63kg,	
	Junior Female: Not exceeding 42kg,-44kg,-46kg,-49kg,-52kg,-55kg,	
	Cadets Male: Not exceeding 33kg,-37kg,-41kg,-45kg,-49kg,-53kg	
	Cadets Female: Not exceeding 29kg,-33kg,-37kg,-41kg,-44kg,-47kg	
SUNDAY 20 OCTOBER 2013	09.00-17.00	Matches
	13.00-14.00	Break
	17.00-18.30	Finals & Awarding
	CATEGORIES COMPETING ON SUNDAY	
	Senior Male:-80kg,-87kg, Over 87kg.	
	Senior Female: -67kg,-73kg, Over 73kg.	
	Junior Male: -68kg, -73kg, -78kg, Over 78kg.	
	Junior Female: -59kg,-63kg,-68kg, Over 68kg.	
	Cadets Male: -57kg,-61kg,-65kg, Over 65kg	
	Cadets Female: -51kg,-55kg,-59kg, Over 59kg	



