

2[™] OPEN TAEKWONDO TOURNAMENT OF THESSALONIKI 19-20 NOVEMBER, 2011



Dear Taekwondo friends,

It is our great pleasure to invite you to the 2nd Open TAEKWONDO Tournament which is organized by Taekwondo Union of North Greece on November 19 - 20, 2011 in the beautiful town of Thessaloniki.

The big participation of the Greek and foreign teams last year, gave us the strength to conduct a more complete and well-organized Tournament this year.

This year's tournament will take place in Thessaloniki, in a beautiful stadium, suitable for big organizations, 15 minutes far from the airport and only 10 minutes far from the center of the town.

After the request of many teams, Greek and foreigns, we increased the categories. So this year the athletes are going to have the ability to contest to the categories of senior male-female as also of junior male-female.

With this tournament our target is to help to the quick development and spread of Taekwondo as also to the tightening of our relations and handle with the other states that "nourish" Taekwondo.

I wish that you will hug this effort of the Taekwondo Union of North Greece. It would be our great pleasure to welcome you in THESSALONIKI.

Thessaloniki - Greece

With Best regards,

Manolis Christos

President of the Taekwondo Union of North Greece

1 ORGANIZATION



1.1 Promoter	Taekwondo Union of North Greece	
1.2 Organization	Taekwondo Union of North Greece & Municipality Oreokastrou	
1.3 President	Mr. Manolis Christos	
1.4 Organizing Committee	Mrs Anna Papaioannou Mr Manousakidis Nikolaos Mr Georgios Naziris Mr Pantelis Efremidis	
1.5 Information	Mrs Eleana Vlachou Tel. +30 2310 212 350 (08.00-15.00 local time) Fax. +30 2310 212 373 Mobile +30 6984617487 E-mail: <u>info@etabe.gr</u> Website: <u>www.etabe.gr</u>	

2 PLACE AND DATE

2.1 Place	Thessaloniki " KONTAXOPOULIO" Stadium Address: Thessalonikis & Lordu Virona, Oreokastro Tel. +30 2310 694348
2.2 Date	Saturday 19 th and Sunday 20 th November, 2011

3 CONTESTANTS

3.1 Membership	Participants must be member of National Taekwondo Federation, affliated to the W.T.F. Special offer only for <u><i>National Teams</i></u> : FREE accommodation, food and transport from and to the airport (8 athletes, 1 coach, 1 referee and 1 head of the team).
3.2 Categories	Senior Male - Female Junior Male - Female
3.3 Age	Age categories according to WTF categories Junior Male and Female born from 1994 up to1997 (14-17 years old). Senior Male and Female born from 1995 and down (up to 16 years old)
3.4 Graduation	All competitors must hold at least 1 st Dan. Each team can participate in each category with <u>more than one</u> athletes.

4 RULES

4.1 Competition Rules	WTF Competition rules 2011 (ELECTRONIC SYSTEM)
4.2 Mode	Single elimination tournament system Elimination rounds and finals : 3 rounds x 2 minutes (30sec break)
4.3 Doping control	Some contestants chosen at random will be tested. The list of the prohibited products will be equal to the list of the IOC.
4.4 Awards	 100 € on the first place of each category To all winners of 1st, 2nd and 3rd place medals and certificates will be awarded. To the 3 best teams of Junior and Senior Male and Female will be awarded cups and certificates.
4.5 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.
4.6 Equipment	WTF recognized headgear, groin, forearm, shin protector, mouthpiece, gloves and sensing socks will be brought by the contestants <u>compulsory</u> . Electronic System " <i>LA JUST</i> ".
4.7 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 100€ will have to be paid for each protest. The protest amount will not be refunded in any case.

ENTRY

5.1 Applications	By means of enclosed application form. To be sent to the Taekwondo Union of North Greece Kaftatzoglio Stadium, gate 16 Ag. Dimitriou & 3 rd Septemvriou P.C. 54638 Thessaloniki Greece Tel.: +30 2310 212 350 Fax: +30 2310 212 373 Website: www.etabe.gr E-mail: info@etabe.gr
5.2 Deadline	<u>1st of November, 2011</u> Applications received after this date will not be accepted.
5.3 Modifications	Modifications are possible during the registration for an amount of $\underline{10} \notin$ for each modification. After the official weigh-in no further modifications will be made.
5.4 Procedure	Applications will only be valid when payment has been done until 1^{st} November 2011. 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, should confirmation not been received please contact the event manager.

 5.5 Entry & Payment
 For each contestant 50 € (except for National teams – see 3.1) Restitution will never be made.

 Entry fees must be paid in bank in advance until 1st November 2011. Bank Name: ALPHA BANK Place: Thessaloniki Country: Greece IBAN: GR75 0140 4770 4770 0200 2003 197 BIC/SWIFT: CRBAGRAAXXX Payment reference: Thessaloniki 2011 & Team name

6 HOTEL ACCOMMODATIONS

6.1 Charges	Accommodation charges of room and board of the competitors and team officials (except for National Teams, see 3.1) shall be borne by themselves.
6.2 Hotels	For any information may needed we are at your disposal.

7 TRANSPORTATION

The <u>National teams</u>'s transport from the airport to the hotel as also the returning to the airport is a liability of the organizing committee.

8 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 18^{th} November, 2011 (check-in 12:00hrs) till Sunday 20^{th} November, 2011 (check-out 12:00 hrs) will be done by the Organizing Committee. International referees will receive an allowance of $50 \notin$ for each tournament day ($100 \notin$ total).

Referee organizing committee Mrs Kalaidopoulou Emorfili E-mail: info@etabe.gr

9 VISA

All the participants who need visa for entry into Greece should apply for visa at least one (1) month before arrival in Greece.

In case you need support from the Taekwondo Union of North Greece, please contact: <u>info@etabe.gr</u>

10 INFORMATION



*The area of Oreokastro, where the Tournament will take place, is 15km far from the airport.

* From the airport to Oreokastro: By Bus: No.78 (stop at OSE- train/rail station), reboarding at the bus No.56. / or by Taxi.

* From Oreokastro to the center of the town : 15min by car.

SCHEDULE

FRIDAY 18 NOVEMBER 2011	17.00-20.00	Registration & weigh-in for the athletes competing on Saturday 19 Nov 2011 at "KONTAXOPOULIO" Stadium .(Address: Thessalonikis & Lordou Virona, 		
	20.00-21.00	Draw-in for the athletes competing on Saturday.		
	09.00-19.00	Matches		
	14.00-15.00	Break		
SATURDAY 19 NOVEMBER 2011	14.30-17.30	Weigh-in for the athletes competing on Sunday <u>20 November 2011</u> at "KONTAXOPOULIO" Stadium . (Address: Thessalonikis & Lordou Virona, Oreokastro – Thessaloniki, Tel : +302310- 694348).		
	17.30-18.30	Draw-in for the athletes competing on Sunday.		
	19.00-20.30	Finals & Awarding		
	CATEGORIES COMPETING ON SATURDAY			
		kg, 58-63kg, 63-68kg, 68-74kg, Over 87kg.		
		49kg, 53-57kg, 57-62kg, 62-67kg, Over 73kg.		
	Junior Male: 45-48kg,51-55kg,55-59kg, 59-63kg, 63-68kg, 68-73kg. Junior Female :42-44kg,46-49kg,49-52kg,52-55kg,55-59kg,59-63kg.			
	09.00-17.00	Matches		
	13.00-14.00	Break		
	17.00-18.30	Finals & Awarding		
SUNDAY		OMPETING ON SUNDAY		
20 NOVEMBER 2011		Senior Male: Not exceeding 54kg, 74-80kg, 80-87kg.		
		Senior Female: Not exceeding 46kg, 49-53kg, 67-73kg.		
		xceeding 45kg, 48-51kg, 73-78kg, Over 78kg. exceeding 42kg, 44-46kg, 63-68kg, Over 68kg.		