

OUTLINE

KAZAKHSTAN OPEN TAEKWONDO CHAMPIONSHIPS 2015

WTF G1 Official Ranking Tournament





Исх. № 254
от «26» 08 2015 г.

Dear Mr. President of Taekwondo Association,

On behalf of Kazakhstan Taekwondo Federation, I am proud to invite you and your athletes to participate in Kazakhstan Open Taekwondo Championships 2015, which will be held in Almaty, Kazakhstan, from 25th to 28th of October 2015.

We offer high quality organization and competition with only the best international referees in order to guarantee high-level transparency, fair play and impartiality for the athletes.

The competition will separate into 2 groups. The first group will be for Senior National Teams and the second group will be opened for any Junior athletes who are interested in participating in this event.

The registration will be opened from 10 September 2015 to 10 October 2015. We strongly urge National Teams and any athlete who wish to participate in this event to register early to secure entry into the Kazakhstan Open Taekwondo Championships 2015.

Kazakhstan Taekwondo Federation will be honored to welcome you and your athletes. We hope that you will enjoy the Championship as well as a great stay in Almaty, Kazakhstan.

Yours sincerely,

Maxut Ibrayev
Secretary General
Kazakhstan Taekwondo Federation

00611



Organized by:	PA "Kazakhstan Taekwondo Federation (WTF)" 18 Turan Avenue, Business Center "Turan-18", Office 508, 010000 Astana, Republic of Kazakhstan, Tel: +7 (7172) 27 84 70 Official website : www.kaztkd.kz Email: intl@kaztkd.kz , kaztaekwondo@mail.ru
President:	Vyacheslav Kim
Secretary General:	Maxut Ibrayev
Competition Date:	25-28 October 2015
Venue:	Baluan Sholak Sports Palace 44 Abai Ave. (corner of Baitursynuly St.), 050022 Almaty, Republic of Kazakhstan
Competition Rules:	Competition according to WTF Rules. A single elimination tournament system shall apply.
Sport Equipment:	<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Participating contestants are required to wear WTF-recognized doboks and WTF-recognized protective equipment. The updated list of WTF recognized products can be found at the WTF website: http://www.wtf.org/wtf_eng/site/about_wtf/recognize_d.html▪ Daedo Protector Scoring System (PSS) will be used and provided by the OC.▪ Daedo Electronic Headgear will be used and will be provided by the OC.▪ Sensing Socks, groin/forearm/shin guards and gloves may be brought by the contestants. The equipment will also be sold at the venue. Mouth piece is compulsory!
Contest Time:	2 minutes x 3 rounds with 1 minute break (sudden death round to be held in case of tie after the 3rd round)
Award Presentation :	Medals for the places from 1 to 3 - Individual results.

For Senior National Player Category

Qualifications:

- Holder of the nationality of the participating team
- An athlete must be nominated by the pertinent national taekwondo association that is recognized by the World Taekwondo Federation.
- Holder of the Kukkiwon Poom or Dan Certificate
- An athlete must be 17 years old or older. An athlete who was born in the year of 1997 or before is eligible to participation in the Championships.
- Holder of the WTF Global Athlete License (GAL)

Weight Categories:

Senior Male: -54kg, -58kg, -63kg, -68kg, -74kg, -80kg, -87kg, +87kg

Senior Female: -46kg, -49kg, -53kg, -57kg, -62kg, -67kg, -73kg, +73kg

Entry Fee: US\$50 for each contestant from 10 September before deadline 10 October 2015.

US\$75 for each contestant after deadline 10 October to 15 October 2015.

Changes of weight divisions after the deadline are allowed for additional US\$25.

For Junior Player Category

Qualifications:

- Holder of the nationality of the participating team
- An athlete must be nominated by the pertinent national taekwondo association that is recognized by the World Taekwondo Federation.
- Holder of the Kukkiwon Poom or Dan Certificate
- An athlete must be 15 -17 years old. An athlete who was born in the year of 1997 - 1999 is eligible to participation in the Championships.
- Holder of the WTF Global Athlete License (GAL)

Weight Categories:

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

Junior Female: -42 kg, -44 kg, -46 kg, -49 kg, -52 kg, -55 kg, -59 kg, -63kg, -68 kg, +68kg

Entry Fee: US\$50 for each contestant from 10 September before deadline 10 October 2015.

US\$75 for each contestant after deadline 10 October to 15 October 2015.

Changes of weight divisions after the deadline are allowed for additional US\$25.

Conditions of Participation:

1. All Athletes and Team officials must FIRST be registered with a WTF Global Athlete Licence (GAL) or Global Official Licence (GOL) – <https://www.hangastar.com/WTF/Login.aspx?>
2. *Entry Registration:* Entry will only be accepted through the WTF online registration system – <https://www.hangastar.com/WTF/Login.aspx?>
3. *Entry Fee:* All payments for each contestant should be paid online after registration or in cash to OC at the Accreditation Center in Almaty, Kazakhstan, prior to the start of tournament. Athletes will not be allowed to compete without successful payment of entry fee.

Notice: There will be “NO” WTF Global Licence registration onsite. Please be sure you have valid GAL before you register.

Accommodation and transportation:

1. Round trip airfare shall be covered by each participating team.
2. All the reservations must be made by filling accommodation forms and sending it to the OC. The rates and room options will be send as accommodation guide attachment.
3. Ground transportation will be provided for participants on arrival and departure, only from airport to official hotels and vice versa, as long as the OC will be informed of the date, time, number of team members and flight schedule at the latest by October 15, 2015.
4. All participating teams must submit their hotel and transport reservations to secure their accommodation and ground transportation by no later than October 15, 2015.

Coach: Only competitors, team doctors and coaches have admittance to the competition area. Coaches can enter the competition area only with proper sport shoes and proper tracksuit. All coaches must be 18 years or older.

Protest: Only the official coach is allowed to protest, immediately after the end of the contest. An amount of US\$100 will have to be paid for each protest. The protest amount will not be refunded in any case.

Weigh-in: Weigh-in of the contestants will be completed one day before their scheduled competition day.

Head of Team Meeting & Drawing of Lots:

The Head of Team meeting and the drawing of lots will be conducted one day prior to the first competition in the presence of the representatives of the participating nations.

Insurance: All competitors of Kazakhstan Open Taekwondo Championships 2015 are considered to participate at their own risk. The Kazakhstan Taekwondo Federation and the Organizing Committee assume no responsibility for any damages, injuries or losses directly or indirectly result from Kazakhstan Open Taekwondo Championships 2015.
All contestants must bring their own documents and medical insurance forms for any medical treatment they may need whilst in Kazakhstan.

Anti-Doping Test: Use of drugs or doping by any chemical substances prescribed in the WTF Regulations for Doping Control is strongly prohibited. All participating athletes can be subject to no-advance-notice doping controls throughout the competition. For more information about prohibited drug database, please visit the following website of Anti-doping Switzerland: <http://www.antidoping.ch/en/drugdb>

International Referees:

1. International Referees are required to pay for their own round-trip airfares.
2. The Organizing Committee shall pay for the expenses for seven (7) nights stay of room and board. **Check-in: October 22 (Thursday) / Check-out: October 29 (Thursday)**
3. The Organizing Committee shall pay a per diem of US\$100 to the mentioned International Referees for each competition day.

Entry Visa:

1. The Organizing Committee will send the invitation to participating teams that need Kazakhstan visa, only at the request from the participating teams. A letter of request together with passport copies of all applicants must be submitted to Kazakhstan Taekwondo Federation at intl@kaztkd.kz no later than October 5, 2015. Request for visa invitation letter after October 5, 2015 will not guarantee the issuance of OC invitation letter and visa on time.
2. The Organizing Committee is not issuing arrival visa, in principle. All participating teams must obtain entry visa from Kazakhstan embassies before their departure to Astana.

TV Broadcast All rights of organization, conducting, recording and TV broadcasting of Kazakhstan Open Taekwondo Championships 2015 belongs to PA "Kazakhstan Taekwondo Federation (WTF)".

TIMETABLE
(SUBJECT TO CHANGE)

Date	Time	Event	Place
23-24 October	09.00-18.00	Arrival and registration of Teams	Baluan Sholak Sports Palace
		Trainings	
24 October	09.00-18.00	Trainings	Baluan Sholak Sports Palace
		Referee meeting	Astana International Hotel
	11.00-13.00	Head of Team meeting and drawing of lots	
	13.00-14.30	Lunch break	Baluan Sholak Sports Palace
	15.00-17.00	Weigh in for Senior M-54, M-58 Senior F-46, F-49 Junior M-59, M-63, M-68 Junior F-59, F-63	
25 October	09.00-18.00	Competition for Senior M-54, M-58 Senior F-46, F-49 Junior M-59, M-63, M-68 Junior F-59, F-63	Baluan Sholak Sports Palace
	12.00-13.30	Lunch break	
	13.30-14.00	Opening Ceremony	
	14.00-16.00	Weigh in for Senior M-63, M-68 Senior F-53, F-57 Junior M-45, M-48, Junior F-42, F-44, F-46	
	19.00-20.00	Awarding Ceremony	
26 October	09.00-18.00	Competition for Senior M-63, M-68, Senior F-53, F-57 Junior M-45, M-48 Junior F-42, F-44, F-46	Baluan Sholak Sports Palace
	12.00-13.30	Lunch break	
	14.00-16.00	Weigh in for Senior M-74, M-80 Senior F-62, F-67 Junior M-51, M-55, M-73 Junior F-49, F-52	
	19.00-20.00	Awarding Ceremony	
27 October	09.00-18.00	Competition for Senior M-74, M-80 Senior F-62, F-67 Junior M-51, M-55, M-73 Junior F-49, F-52	Baluan Sholak Sports Palace

KAZAKHSTAN OPEN TAEKWONDO CHAMPIONSHIPS 2015

	12.00-13.30	Lunch break	
	14.00-16.00	Weigh in for Senior M-87, M+87 Senior F-73, F+73 Junior M-78, M+78 Junior F-55, F-68, F+68	
	19.00-20.00	Awarding Ceremony	
28 October	09.00-18.00	Competition for Senior M-87, M+87 Senior F-73, F+73 Junior M-78, M+78 Junior F-55, F-68, F+68	Baluan Sholak Sports Palace
	12.00-13.30	Lunch break	
	19.00-20.00	Awarding Ceremony	
29 October		Departure of Teams	

DECLARATION OF CONSENT

As legal guardian, I herewith declare my consent that my son/my daughter
_____ may participate as an active player at the following championship:
(name & surname)

KAZAKHSTAN OPEN TAEKWONDO CHAMPIONSHIPS 2015, ASTANA, KAZAKHSTAN

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

Date

Signature