

**Dear MNA Presidents and Secretary Generals,**

**Warm Greetings from I.R. Iran Taekwondo Federation,**

It is our great honor to inform you that I.R. Iran Taekwondo Federation is hosting the 27<sup>th</sup> Fajr Open, G-1, which is the oldest Asian Tournament and the most powerful teams and athletes from all over the world participate in it. Please add this event to your calendar that will be held on **6-8 May** 2016 in 8 senior male and female weight divisions. Each country is allowed to have **maximum 4 athletes** in each weight category. We hope to have a successful and well organized tournament and look forward to welcoming your delegation in Tehran.

Sincerely Yours,

Seyed Mohammad Pouladgar

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**Date** May, 6-8, 2016

**Venue** Taekwondo House, Tehran

**Qualifications:**

-Holder of WTF or Kukkiwon Dan Certificate

-Recommendation letter by the National Taekwondo Association

-2016 Approved WTF Global License for all athletes and team officials

Note: Member National Associations and application should be made **at least 2 months** before the Tournament starts to ensure the WTF license can be processed and approved in time. There will be **NO** WTF Global License registration onsite.

- Holder of the nationality of the participating team

**Registration:**

Registration is only accepted through the WTF Event Registration system <https://www.hangastar.com/WTF/> and registration is only possible with a valid 2016 WTF Global Licence. The following documents are required for all participants to be uploaded and approved by the National Federation and WTF before you are able to register your team through the WTF Event Registration System.

For **ALL participants** (athletes and officials)

1. Valid National ID or Passport of the National Federations you are registering for a WTF Global License.
2. WTF Signed Event Liability Waiver (page 3 only) – valid for 5 years
3. Color Portrait ID picture.

Additional documents required for:

5. To register a Doctor – Proof of Medical Doctor/Physiotherapist certificate in English

### **WTF Ranking**

Seeding of Senior Athletes will be based on the May 2016 Rankings (including events until end of April 2016)

### **Entry Fees**

The Organizing Committee shall collect the entry fees from the participating teams cash in US\$ only.

Athletes shall not be allowed to compete without successful payment of entry fee to the Organizing Committee.

**EARLY BIRD REGISTRATION FEES:** A discount will be given to participants that complete their registration during this period.

- | 40 USD per athlete
- | Discounted entry fee period will **begin** on March 5, 2016, 17:00 local time in Tehran).
- | Discounted entry fee period will **end** on March 15, 2016, 17:00 local time in Tehran).

**REGULAR REGISTRATION FEES:** The participants completing their registration during this period will be charged the regular registration fee.

- | 50 USD per athlete.
- | Regular entry fee period will **begin** on March 16, 2016, 17:00 local time in Tehran).
- | Regular entry fee period will **end** on April 10, 2016, 17:00 local time in Tehran).

**LATE REGISTRATION FEES:** In the case a late registration period is opened the participants completing their registration during this period will be charged this fee.

- | 70 USD per athlete.
- | Late registration fee period would **begin** on April 11, 17:00, 2016 local time in Tehran).
- | Late registration fee period will **end** on April 22, 2016, 17:00 local time in Tehran).

**Competition Rules** WTF Competition Rules (Single Elimination)

KP&P Electronic Protectors

**Method of Competition**

-Single Elimination Open Tournament System

-Each country can have up to 4 players in each weight

**Important Note**

**1- Coach and Referee for the Female Competitions should be Females.**

**2- Please observe Islamic dress code.**

**3- Each team can have 1 Head of Team, 1 Manager, 2 Coaches, 1 Trainer and 1 doctor**

**Weight Divisions (individual)**

Male	Female
Under 54 Kg (-54 Kg)	Under 46 Kg (-46 Kg)
Under 58 Kg (-58 Kg)	Under 49 Kg (-49 Kg)
Under 63 Kg (-63 Kg)	Under 53 Kg (-53 Kg)
Under 68 Kg (-68Kg)	Under 57 Kg (-57 Kg)
Under 74 Kg (-74 Kg)	Under 62 Kg (-62 Kg)
Under 58 Kg (-80 Kg)	Under 67 Kg (-67 Kg)
Under 58 Kg (-87 Kg)	Under 73 Kg (-73 Kg)
Over 87 Kg (+87 Kg)	Over 73 Kg (+73 Kg)

**Age:** All competitors must be 17 and above

**Awards**

Individual awards: Medals for 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup>-3<sup>rd</sup> Places

Team awards: Trophies for 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> Places

Special awards: Team Fair Play, Athlete Fair Play, Best Coach, Best Head of Team, Best Referees

**Point System:** Gold 7, Silver 3, Bronze 1, Win 1, Weigh in 1

### **International Referees**

The following conditions shall apply:

- International Referees are required to pay for their own round trip airfare
- The OC will pay for accommodations **from May 5 to May 8 (4 nights)**.
- The OC shall pay a per diem of **\$ 100** for each competition day (**2 days for male competitions and 1 day for female competitions**)

### **Drawing of Lots**

- The drawing of lots shall be conducted one day prior to the competitions with the presence of officials and representatives of participating countries. If a team officials are not present an OC official will draw in the place of the absent team official.

### **Weigh-in**

- Weigh-in of the contestant is one day prior to the competition of that weight category

### **National Flag and Anthem**

- Each participating team must provide the organizing committee a flag (90 \* 130 cm) and a CD of National Anthem

### **Transportation**

- Transportation will only be provided if the hotel is reserved through the OC.
- Transportation will be provided by the OC Airport-Hotel-Venue and return.

### **Arrival / Departure**

Please send your flight details to [taekwondo\\_iri@hotmail.com](mailto:taekwondo_iri@hotmail.com) for airport transportation arrangements.

### **Medical Control**

- The WTF Anti-Doping Rules and where necessary the World Anti-Doping Agency shall apply throughout the competition.
- Compulsory anti-doping test will apply to all medalists while random tests will be conducted for other athletes.

**Accommodation: (Breakfast included)**

Hotel name	Level	Single room	Double room	Triple room	Distance from venue
Laleh Hotel	5*	\$103	\$140	\$170	7 km
Hoveizeh Hotel	5*	\$110	\$142	\$183	5 km
Grand Hotel	4*	\$78	\$103	\$134	5 km
Grand Hotel (VIP)	4*	\$112	\$151	\$182	5 km
Eram Hotel	4*	-	\$110	\$135	4 km
Morvarid Hotel	3*	\$53	\$72	\$120	6 km
Alborz Hotel	3*	\$60	\$80	\$115	6 km

## Application for Accommodation

Please inform the OC of the exact number of people on your team and the exact number of rooms required.

Name of Hotel	Arrival: date, time, flight no.	Departure: date, time, flight no.	Number and type of Rooms for Males	Number and type of Rooms for Females

**Note:** If the teams book their hotel through the organizing committee, they will be provided with transportation, otherwise the teams are responsible for their transportation. Please send your accommodation request form to [taekwondo\\_iri@hotmail.com](mailto:taekwondo_iri@hotmail.com) for arrangements.

**VISA**

Please fill out this form completely and send it to Iran Taekwondo Federation with passport copies by no later than 25 April 2016.

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**Note:** Please put the name of the city and country where your team will apply for visa (location of Iran Embassy) in 'place of visa issuance' below.

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**Time Table (Male Event) - Subject to change**

<b>Date</b>	<b>Time</b>	<b>Program</b>	<b>Place</b>
6 May 2016	8:00-15:00	Teams arrival and registration	TKD House
6 May 2016	15:00-16:30	Referees meeting (theoretical)	TKD House
6 May 2016	17:30-18:30	Referees meeting (practical)	TKD House
6 May 2016	15:00-17:00	Weigh-in (-54 kg, -74 kg and +87 kg)	TKD House
6 May 2016	17:00-18:30	Head of teams meeting and drawing of lots	TKD House
7 May 2016	12-13:30	lunch	TKD House
7 May 2016	14:30-17:00	Competitions (-54 kg, -74 kg and +87 kg)	TKD House
7 May 2016	13:00-14:00	Weigh-in (-58 kg, -63 kg, -68 kg, -80 kg and -87 kg)	TKD House
7 May 2016	14:30-16:00	Competitions	TKD House
7 May 2016	17:00-18:30	Opening ceremony	TKD House
7 May 2016	18:30-20:00	Competitions and final round	TKD House
7 May 2016	20:00	Award ceremony	TKD House
8 May 2016	9:00-12:30	Competitions (-58 kg, -63 kg, -68 kg, -80 kg and -87 kg)	TKD House
8 May 2016	12:30-14:00	Rest and lunch	TKD House
8 May 2016	14:00-19:00	Competitions and final round	TKD House
8 May 2016	19:00	Award ceremony	TKD House
9 May 2016	-	Teams departure	TKD House

**Time Table (Female Event) - Subject to change**

<b>Date</b>	<b>Time</b>	<b>Program</b>	<b>Place</b>
6 May 2016	8:00-15:00	Teams arrival and registration	TKD House
6 May 2016	15:00-16:30	Referees meeting (theoretical)	TKD House
6 May 2016	17:30-18:30	Referees meeting (practical)	TKD House
6 May 2016	15:00-17:00	Weigh-in (All weight categories)	TKD House
6 May 2016	17:00-18:30	Head of teams meeting and drawing of lots	TKD House
7 May 2016	9:00-13:30	Competitions	TKD House
7 May 2016	13:30-14:00	Medal ceremony	TKD House
7 May 2016	13:00-14:30	Rest and lunch	TKD House
7 May 2016	17:00-18:30	Opening ceremony	TKD House
8-9 May 2016	-	Teams departure	TKD House