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# **2026 Chuncheon Korea Open International Taekwondo Championships**

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## **OUTLINE (G2)**



**Chuncheon Leisure · Taekwondo Organizing Committee**

# OVERVIEW

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## □ INFORMATION

- Date : July 18 – 22, 2026 (5 days)
  - Korea Open : July 18(Sat) – 19(Sun), 2026
  - G2 Kyorugi : July 20(Mon) – 21(Tue), 2026
  - G2 Poomsae : July 22(Wed), 2026
- Venue : Songam Sports Town Air Dome, Chuncheon City, Gangwon State
- Sanctioned by : World Taekwondo
- Hosted by : Chuncheon City / Korea Taekwondo Association
- Organized by : Chuncheon Leisure·Taekwondo Organizing Committee
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WT Calendar

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## TIME TABLE (SUBJECT TO CHANGE)

Date		Detail	Remarks
July 16-22, 2026	09:00 – 18:00	• AD Card Pickup	Registration Center
July 17, 2026	10:00 – 12:00	• 7. 18.(Sat) Competition Weigh-in	Air Dome
	13:00 – 14:00	• International Referee Training (Theory)	TBD
	14:30 – 15:30	• International Referee Training (Practical)	Air Dome
	15:00 – 16:00	• Head of Team meeting (OPEN)	TBD
	16:00 – 18:00	• 7. 18.(Sat) Competition Weigh-in	TBD
July 18, 2026	09:00 – 18:00	• Cadet Kyorugi • Senior Kyorugi (OPEN) • Color Belts Kyorugi • Recognized Poomsae : Individual – Under 8, Under 11, Junior	Air Dome
	10:00 – 12:00	• 7. 19.(Sun) Competition Weigh-in	
	14:00 – 16:00		
July 19, 2026	09:00 – 18:00	• Under 9 Kyorugi • Under 11 Kyorugi • Junior Kyorugi • Recognized Poomsae : Individual – Cadet, Senior (III,IV,V) • Recognized Poomsae : Pair & Team	Air Dome
	10:00 – 12:00	• 7. 20.(Mon) Competition Weigh-in	
	14:00 – 16:00	• Head of Team meeting (G2)	TBD
July 20, 2026 (G2 Event)	07:30 – 08:30	• Random Weigh-in	Air Dome
	09:00 – 12:00	• Senior Kyorugi (G2) / Men	
	10:00 – 12:00	• 7. 21.(Tue) Competition Weigh-in	
	13:00 – 16:00	• Senior Kyorugi (G2) / Men	
	17:00	• Awarding	
July 21, 2026 (G2 Event)	07:30 – 08:30	• Random Weigh-in	Air Dome
	10:00 – 12:00	• Senior Kyorugi (G2) / Women	
	13:00 – 16:00	• Senior Kyorugi (G2) / Women	
	17:00	• Awarding	
July 22, 2026 (G2 Event)	09:00 – 12:00	• Recognized Poomsae (G2) : Individual	Air Dome
	13:00 – 17:00	• Free Style Poomsae (G2) – Individual / Pair / Mixed Team	
	18:00	• Awarding	

※ Awarding Ceremonies on the 18th (Sat.) ~ 19th (Sun.) will be conducted immediately following each final match.

※ The above schedule is based on the 2025 participation data, and it is subject to change depending on the final registration numbers for 2026.

# I OUTLINE / KYORUGI (G2)

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN
7/20	7/21					
SENIOR KYORUGI(G2)						
Male	Female					

1. DATE : July 20 – 21, 2026

## 2. COMPETITIONS (Men's & Women's)

- Born in 2009 or before (17 years and over) / 8 weight categories

## 3. QUALIFICATIONS

- Holder of Taekwondo Dan(Poom) certificate issued by the Kukkiwon
- Competitors who registered on the GMS(Global Membership System)

## 4. WEIGHT CATEGORIES

Senior (G2)			
Men's division		Women's division	
Under 54kg	Not exceeding 54kg	Under 46kg	Not exceeding 46kg
Under 58kg	Over 54kg Not exceeding 58kg	Under 49kg	Over 46kg Not exceeding 49kg
Under 63kg	Over 58kg Not exceeding 63kg	Under 53kg	Over 49kg Not exceeding 53kg
Under 68kg	Over 63kg Not exceeding 68kg	Under 57kg	Over 53kg Not exceeding 57kg
Under 74kg	Over 68kg Not exceeding 74kg	Under 62kg	Over 57kg Not exceeding 62kg
Under 80kg	Over 74kg Not exceeding 80kg	Under 67kg	Over 62kg Not exceeding 67kg
Under 87kg	Over 80kg Not exceeding 87kg	Under 73kg	Over 67kg Not exceeding 73kg
Over 87kg	Over 87kg	Over 73kg	Over 73kg

## 5. METHODS OF COMPETITION

- The best of three (3) system
- Men's / Women's : (Respectively) Single elimination tournament system for each weight category.
- Each match allows for one video replay request
- All competitors must wear WT-approved competition uniform and protective equipment.
- Senior division seeded according to the published July 1<sup>st</sup> 2026 World Taekwondo rankings.  
**30% of contestants shall be seeded.**

**(Changed during Head of team meeting at the discretion of the TD.)**

- Protector and Scoring System (PSS) will be used in Kyorugi competition.  
The Organizing Committee will provide Protector and Scoring System (PSS) to the participating contestants. Participating contestants are required to bring their own groin guards, mouthpieces, gloves, sensing socks and shin and forearm guards for their personal use.

※ The PSS will be informed later.

## 6. COMPETITION RULES

- WT Competition Rules shall be applied(January 1, 2026.)

## 7. DURATION OF COMPETITION

- Senior: 2 minutes x 3 rounds (1 minute break time)

## 8. WEIGH-IN

- General Weigh-in for the contestants shall be completed one day before their scheduled competition day.
- Weigh-in shall be made once, however, in case of under or exceeding, one more chance will be given within the weigh-in time. (approximately two hours)
- All contestants should bring their AD cards when they weigh-in, otherwise disqualification.
- The random weigh-in will take place at the venue in the morning of the competition. All contestants who pass the general weigh-in must be present for random weigh-in maximum two (2) hours before the start of the competition. Should a contestant fail to appear for the random weigh-in, he/she will be disqualified. The random weigh-in must be completed maximum thirty (30) minutes before the start of the competition each day.
- The list of athletes selected for the random weigh-in will be announced on the O.C Website on the morning of the competition day.
- It may be subject to change at the discretion of the TD during the head of team meeting.

## 9. OTHERS

- Matters not specified in the regulation shall be decided after deliberation by the Organizing Committee of Chuncheon Leisure·Taekwondo.
- All officials including Head and coaches of each team must complete the registration as officials and hold an AD card to enter the stadium. And must have completed WT Coach Certification Course LV1.
- If the competitor is called 3 times 30 minutes before the start of the game and do not participate after declaring the participation, the competitor will be disqualified.
- In cases of clear system errors(such as changes in participant categories or missing participants), the athlete will be added to the last match number of their category
- It may be subject to change at the discretion of the TD during the head of team meeting.

## II OUTLINE / POOMSAE (G2)

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN
		July 22 RECOGNIZED POOMSAE (G2)				
		FREE STYLE POOMSAE (G2)				

### 1. DATE : July 22(Wed), 2026

- A. Recognized Poomsae : 09:00 – 12:00
- B. Free Style Poomsae : 13:00 – 18:00

### 2. QUALIFICATIONS

- Holder of Taekwondo Dan certificate issued by Kukkiwon.
- Recognized Poomsae : Competitor who participates in the **individual categories UNDER 30 (Senior I) and UNDER 40 (Senior II)** should be registered on the GMS. (Global Membership System)
- Free Style Poomsae : Competitor who participates in the **Individual, Pair and Mixed Team divisions of OVER 17 (18 years old or older)** should be registered on the GMS. (Global Memberships System)

### 3. COMPETITIONS (Men's & Women's)

- A. Recognized Poomsae(Senior)
  - 1) Senior I : Born 1996 – 2008 (18 – 30 years old)
  - 2) Senior II : Born 1986 – 1995 (31 – 40 years old)
- B. Free Style Poomsae : Born in 2008 or before (18 years old or older)

### 4. DURATION OF CONTEST

- A. Recognized Poomsae : up to 90 seconds
- B. Free Style Poomsae : 90 seconds to 100 seconds
- ※ Break time : within 30sec to 60sec / Exceeding the time, deduction shall be applied.

### 5. COMPETITION RULES

- WT Competition Rules shall be applied (September 30, 2024)

## 6. DETAILS OF EACH COMPETITIONS

### A. Recognized Poomsae(G2)

Division (Recognized Poomsae)	Senior I	Senior II
	Under 30 (1996 – 2008)	Under 40 (1986 – 1995)
Compulsory Poomsae	Taegeuk 6,7,8 Jang, Koryo, Keumgang, Taeback, Pyongwon, Shipjin	

#### 1) Methods Of Competition

- Single elimination tournament System shall be applied to the Recognized Poomsae Competition.
- In case of an insufficient number of Competitors in each category, a demonstration shall be carried out.
- Competitors should be wearing WT-recognized Poomsae uniform(Dobok).
- Seeds will be assigned, but the ratio will be determined by the TD during the head of team meeting.

#### 2) The competition area for Recognized Poomsae : 10m×10m

#### 3) Scoring of Recognized Poomsae

- Poomsae(Individual)
  - Composition of refereeing official shall be a five-judge system.
  - Final score shall be the average point of the total points summed up except the highest and lowest points scored by 5 judges.
  - In case of a tied score, the winner shall be the one who has scored higher points in order of Presentation, and total points(total points of all judges including highest and lowest points).
  - If it is still tied in Presentation, and total points, then a rematch shall be conducted to determine the winner.
  - In case of a tied score after the rematch, the winner shall be the contestant who is awarded more points in total, including the highest and lowest scores that were not included in collection of scores.

#### 4) Designation of Recognized Poomsae and the drawing of lots

- Two (2) Poomsae from the designated Compulsory Poomsae decided by Technical Delegate for each division must be performed for all the preliminary, semi final and final rounds for all competitions.

※ The regulation articles above are subject to change in the Head of Team meeting.

B. Free Style Poomsae(G2)

Division		Over 17
Age		18 Years Old and Over
INDIV.	Male	1
	Female	1
Pair		2
Mixed Team		5 (+1 Substitute max.)

1) Methods Of Competition

- Cut-off System shall be applied to the Free Style Poomsae Competition.
- Free Style Poomsae is the performance based on Taekwondo techniques with composition of music and choreography.
- Composition of Free Style Poomsae
  - Yeon-mu line shall choice of contestant.
  - Music and choreography shall be the choice of contestants.
  - Performed techniques must be within boundary of Taekwondo. The definition of Taekwondo techniques shall be determined by WT Poomsae Committee, when contestant submits performance plan.
- Competitors should be wearing WT-recognized Poomsae uniform(Dobok).
- Seeds will be assigned, but the ratio will be determined by the TD during the head of team meeting.

2) The competition area for Free Style Poomsae

- Individual & Pair 10m × 10m
- Mixed Team 12m × 12m

3) Scoring of Free Style Poomsae

- Allotted Scoring Chart for Free Style Poomsae : WT Poomsae scoring criteria and procedures shall be applied.

- ※ Freestyle music should be submitted at the Competition Headquarters by July 21, 17:00 on a USB with the following details. (On the USB, each digital file should contain)
  - Name of the country
  - Name of the category
  - Name of the athlete / athletes
- ※ The USB itself should be marked with the name of the country and should be submitted in an envelope or a bag, with a list of contents of the USB in the same way as described above. Please see the attached picture below.
- ※ All music should be submitted in USB (CD is not acceptable) and will be returned.



- ※ Note : Music in USB (Music without lyrics) and choreography shall be choice of a contestant, it should NOT contain any political, social, and religious and any contents that may harm, discriminate or offend other.

## 7. OTHERS

- The regulation articles above are subject to change in the Head of Team meeting.
- All officials including Head and coaches of each team must complete the registration as officials and hold an AD card to enter the stadium. And All Poomsae Coaches participating in WT recognized/promoted competitions must hold the valid WT Poomsae Coach Certificate.
- If the competitor is called 3 times 30 minutes before the start of the game and do not participate after declaring the participation, the competitor will be disqualified.
- Matters not specified in the regulation shall be decided after deliberation by the Organizing Committee of Chuncheon Leisure·Taekwondo.
- In cases of clear system errors (such as changes in participant categories or missing participants), the athlete will be added to the last match number of their category.
- It may be subject to change at the discretion of the TD during the head of team meeting.

## III REGISTRATION

### 1. DEADLINE

- A. Early Registration : April 6, 2026 – May 1, 2026 (18:00 Korean Standard Time)
- B. Regular Registration : May 4, 2026 – June 12, 2026 (18:00 Korean Standard Time)

### 2. REGISTRATION : GMS

### 3. ENTRY FEES

Category		Early Registration (4.6. – 5.1.)	Regular Registration (5.4. – 6.12.)	On-site Registration
G2 (Kyorugi)		US \$ 60	US \$ 70	On-site not accepted
G2 (Poomsae)	Individual	US \$ 60	US \$ 70	
	Pair	US \$120	US \$140	
	Mixed Team	US \$150	US \$200	
G2 (Coach)		FREE		

- ※ Bank transfer is the only accepted payment method.
- ※ After payment of the registration fee, refunds will not be issued for any reason other than the following:
  - Submission of a medical certificate due to injury(Must be submitted in English)
  - Duplicate registration fee

### 4. BANK ACCOUNT

- A. Koreans : SHINHAN BANK / 100-037-008570 / O.C of Chuncheon Leisure·Taekwondo
- B. Foreigners : SHINHAN BANK / 100-037-008774 / O.C of Chuncheon Leisure·Taekwondo
- \* SWIFT CODE : SHBKCRSE

## IV HEAD OF TEAM MEETING & DRAWING OF LOTS

### 1. Date

- A. Head of Team Meeting
  - Date : July 19(Sun), 2026, 14:00
  - Place : TBD
- B. Drawing of Lots
  - Drawing of lots will take place each day following the completion of General Weigh-in. Draw will be published on O.C website within two hours after the Weigh-in.
  - Poomsae draw sheet will be posted on the website after the drawing of lots at the Head of Team Meeting.
- ※ At least one representative from each team must attend the Head of Team Meeting. Teams that fail to attend may not raise objections to the decisions made during the meeting.

### 2. Place : TBD

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# OFFICIALS AND COMPETITORS REGISTRATION

## (AD CARD PICK-UP)

1. Period : July 16(Thu) – 22(Wed), 2026
2. Place : Registration Center in Air Dome

## VI OTHERS

## 1. AWARD

Category	AWARD		
	1 <sup>st</sup>	2 <sup>nd</sup>	3 <sup>rd</sup> (two persons)
Individual (Kyorugi & Poomsae)	Certificate, Medal, Doll		
Pair(Poomsae)			
Team(Poomsae)			

Category		Award Name	Gender	Quantity	Criteria for Overall Award	
G2	Kyorugi	Indiv.	Best Athlete	Male/ Female	2	Highest scorer among the 1 <sup>st</sup> place winners in each weight category (calculated from the round of 32)
			Best Coach	Male/ Female	2	Coach of the best athlete
	Recognized Poomsae	Indiv.	Best Athlete	Male/ Female	2	Highest scorer among the 1 <sup>st</sup> place winners in each category
			Best Coach	Male/ Female	2	Coach of the best athlete
	Freestyle Poomsae	Overall	Best Athlete (Team)	Mixed	1	Highest scorer among the 1 <sup>st</sup> place winners in each competition event /category
			Best Coach	Mixed	1	Coach of the best athlete

Category		Award Name	Gender	Quantity	Criteria for Overall Award	
Open	Kyorugi	Indiv.	Best Athlete	Male/ Female	2	Highest scorer among the 1 <sup>st</sup> place winners in each weight/competition category (calculated from the round of 32)
		Team	Best Team	Mixed	1	Highest total score based on gold, silver, and bronze medals
			Best Coach	Mixed	1	Coach of the best team
	Recognized Poomsae	Indiv.	Best Athlete	Male/ Female	2	Highest scorer among the 1 <sup>st</sup> place winners in each category
			Best Coach	Male/ Female	2	Coach of the best team
		Mixed Pairs	Best Team	Mixed	1	Highest scored team among the 1 <sup>st</sup> place winners in each category
			Best Coach	Mixed	1	Coach of the best team
		Team	Best Team	Mixed	1	Highest scored team among the 1 <sup>st</sup> place winners in each category
			Best Coach	Mixed	1	Coach of the best team

– Individual Awards (Bonus Points)

Category	1 <sup>st</sup> Round	2 <sup>nd</sup> Round	3 <sup>rd</sup> Round
Win by Referee Stops Contest(RSC)	3	2	1
Win by withdrawal(WDR)	3	2	1
KO	12	10	8

Category	1 Time	2 Times
Win by point gap(PTG)	X	1

※ If there is a tie,

- The athlete who has participated in the most matches will be prioritized.
- Unproceeded matches(Opponents' disqualification during the weigh-in, abstention match due to submission of a memorandum of abandonment) are not counted.
- If the above is still tied: the athlete of a weight class who participated in the most games is prioritized.
- If the above is still tied: the athlete with the most points will be prioritized.
- If the above is still tied: the athlete with the fewer lost points will be prioritized.
- If the above is still no decision: The competition management team will make the final decision.

## - Team Awards

- “Gold” takes priority over “Silver”, and “Silver” takes priority over “Bronze”.
- If there is a tie, the team with the most medals in the most games will be prioritized.
- Overall competition awards will only be given to teams that participate in 4 or more weight classes.
- For cases of failure to weigh-in or disqualification due to weight-related issues, the team’s composition and the total number of participants will be excluded from the final count.
- If the above is still a tie, the team with the most athletes advancing to the Top 8 or Top 16 will be prioritized, but still tied then the ranking will be determined by weight class.

## 2. INDEMNITY

- A. Organizing Committee effects accident insurance for all competitors during the competition only.
- B. Only first-aid treatment is available for wounds from the competition.

## 3. PARTICIPATION SUPPORT

- GROUND TRANSPORTATION : The O.C. will provide ground transportation between Incheon airport and Chuncheon.
- ※ A detailed schedule will be announced in due course.
- ※ The O.C. will also provide shuttle bus between accommodations and venue during the Championships.
- ※ Except for those who participating through other travel agencies or regions.

## 4. NOTICE

- Round trip airfare and accommodation expenses(room and board) shall be the sole responsibility of the participants.
- The decision of the Review Referee is final; no further appeals during the contest or protest after the contest will be accepted.
- Details not specified in this outline can be modified or added at the Head of Team Meeting.
- In cases of clear system errors(such as changes in participant categories or missing participants), the athlete will be added to the last match number of their category.
  - It may be subject to change at the discretion of the TD during the head of team meeting.
- All athletes, coaches and managers participating in this competition are considered to have agreed to the collection and use of their personal information. They are considered to have agreed to the use of their portrait rights in broadcasted videos, YouTube, social media, etc.



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