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PRESIDENT'S CUP AFRICA

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7th WT PRESIDENT'S CUP – AFRICA [G3]

SENIOR KYORUGI

Brazzaville/Republic of Congo

December 4th 2026

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(draw, random weight in list, event schedule, event information, etc)

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3. COMPETITION DATE

- **DAY 1 (SENIOR ONLY)**: December 4th, 2026

4. GRADE OF THE EVENT

- The WT President's Cup - Africa Kyorugi Championships is a G3 event; Ranking points earned by athletes shall be reflected in the December 2026 Rankings;

5. VENUE

- **Name**: Gymnase Henri Elende/**Address**: Quartier Diata, Arrondissement 1, Brazzavile

6. INFORMATION ABOUT VISA

Visa-exempt nationalities: Citizens holding a biometric passport from Cameroon, the Central African Republic, Chad, Equatorial Guinea, or Gabon are exempt from visa requirements for visits to Congo lasting less than 90 days. **Nationalities eligible for visa-on-arrival**: Citizens holding a passport from Benin, Burkina Faso, Côte d'Ivoire, Mauritania, Morocco, Niger, Senegal, or Togo may obtain a visa upon arrival at Brazzaville's Maya-Maya Airport. **Nationalities requiring a visa**: Nationals of all other countries must obtain a visa from Congolese embassies or consulates. **Special passports**: Chinese citizens do not require a visa if their passport bears the inscription "For Public Affairs." Holders of diplomatic or official passports from China, Brazil, Russia, Angola, or Portugal also do not require a visa. **Special case**: **Holders of an official letter of invitation do not require a visa to travel to Congo.**

To get an invitation, letter, please complete this google before November 5th November 2026:
https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLScoWcd3q99feclgXYAjuuUYjmaVlzx_CGGFjkQJMNzbKkbeQ/viewform?usp=publish-editor

For all cases, an accommodation confirmation letter is requested at the airport.

7. INFORMATION ABOUT VACCINE

Yellow fever vaccination certificate is mandatory.

8. COMPETITION DATES & SCHEDULE (subject to change)

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Arrival & Training			
Nov 30th – Dec 3rd 2026	09:00 – 18:00	Team arrival & training	Hotels
Accreditation			
Dec 1st – 3rd 2026	09:00 – 18:00	Registration & Accreditation	Venue
Meetings			
Dec 3rd 2026	16:00 – 17:00	Head of team technical meeting (participation of coach is mandatory) https://meet.google.com/cwk-cnty-hse	Online
General Weigh-in			
Dec 3rd 2026	11:00 – 13:00	ALL	Venue
Random Weigh-in			
Dec 4th 2026	08:00	ALL (except heavy weight division)	Venue
Competition			
Dec 4th 2026	09:00–13:00	Preliminary rounds	Venue
	13:00–14:00	Lunch break	
	14:00–16:30	Quarterfinals	
	16:30–18:00	Semifinals	
	18:30–20:00	Finals & victory ceremony	

Join Head Of Team meeting - 7th WT President's Cup – Africa [G3] & Solidarity Open Center Open [G2]
Thursday 26th 2026 · 4:00 to 5:00pm
Local time : Brazzaville
Google Meet link : https://meet.google.com/cwk-cnty-hse

Random weigh in will start at 08:00.
Random weigh-in list will be published at 07:00.
At least one representative from each team must attend the head of team meeting.
In case of no representative can be at the meeting, the team must designate a proxy.

9. ATHLETE ELIGIBILTY

- Holder of a valid 2026 WT athlete Global license;
- Member of the National team of a pertinent MNAs recognized by the African Taekwondo Union and the WT[1] and/or member of a club recognized by a pertinent MNA;
- Holder of **Kukkiwon Dan certificate**[2];
- Age: for Senior, 17 year or older[3] (2009 and before)

10. COACH ELIGIBILITY

- Minimum age of 18 years;
- Holder of a valid 2026 WT Global Official License;
- WT Coach Certificate Level I or above is required. **Only certified coach I or above will receive their accreditation card.**

All coaches are required to wear formal suits such as tie, jacket, dress shirt (long or short), and trousers from semi-final matches. If any coach refuses to wear abovementioned attire, he or she won't be allowed to coach.

11. COMPETITION RULES & METHOD

WT Competition Rules & Interpretation, In Force as of June 1st, 2026, shall be applied.

11.1. METHOD OF COMPETITION

- Single Elimination system;
- Video Replay (1 quota per match);
- Contest time: best of 3 system (2 minutes x 3 rounds with 1 minute break);
- Seeding: for every weight category, regardless of contestant's number, 100% of the athletes will be seeded based on the latest WT Ranking;
- Win by point gap shall not be applied in semi- finals & finals;
- **In accordance with the WT rules & interpretation, the decision of the Review Jury is final; no further appeals during the contest or protest after the contest will be accepted except errors in the calculation of scoring as explained in article 21.8.1 of the World Taekwondo rules & interpretations.**

[1] There will not be onsite registration for WT Global License. For any matters on GAL, including application, please contact the WT GMS Team.

[2] A copy of the Dan certificate should be uploaded to GMS when registering for the event. In case a contestant has applied for a Kukkiwon Dan certificate but has not received it yet, a copy of the Dan application form and the remittance certificate sent to the Kukkiwon must be uploaded to GMS when registering for the event. Please refer to the Kukkiwon Web site (www.kukkiwon.or.kr) for more information.

[3] Juniors born in 2008 can compete as a senior.

11.2. WEIGHT CATEGORIES

- **Senior Female**: -F46, -F49, -F53, -F57, -F62, -F67, -F73, +F73;
- **Senior Male**: -M54, -M58, -M63, -M68, -M74, -M80, -M87, +M87;

11.3. WEIGH-IN & RANDOM WEIGH-IN

- General weigh-in of the contestants shall take place on the day before their respective weight category (**see schedule**);
- During the weigh-in, male contestants shall wear underpants and female contestants shall wear underpants and brassieres. However, contestants may weigh-in in nude if they want;
- Random weigh-in selection shall apply with 5% allowance.

Category	5% allowance	Category	5% allowance
M-54	≤ 56.7kg	W-46	≤ 48.3kg
M-58	≤ 60.9kg	W-49	≤ 51.5kg
M-63	≤ 66.2kg	W-53	≤ 55.7kg
M-68	≤ 71.4kg	W-57	≤ 59.9kg
M-74	≤ 77.7kg	W-63	≤ 66.2kg
M-80	≤ 84kg	W-67	≤ 70.4kg
M-87	≤ 91.4kg	W-73	≤ 76.7kg

11.4. EQUIPMENT

- KPNP PSS will be used for the competition (KPNP Head & body protectors & **E-gloves** will be brought in by the Organizing committee);
- Groin/forearm/shin guards and gloves, mouthpiece, PSS sensing socks, are compulsory and must be brought by the contestant for their personal use;
- **Contestants are required to wear new WT recognized** Competition uniforms and WT recognized protective equipment.
- Any contestant who wears unofficial competition uniform or protective equipment will not be permitted to compete.

11.5. MEDICAL & DOPING CONTROL

- The WT Anti-Doping Rules, and where necessary the Code of the World Anti-Doping Agency, shall apply throughout the competitions.
- TUE (Therapeutic Use Exemption): For more details, please see the following page of the WT
- website: http://www.worldtaekwondo.org/anti_doping-wt/therapeutic.html
- WT Mouth guard, Taping and Bracing Rules : http://www.worldtaekwondo.org/viewer_pdf/external/pdfjs-2.1.266-dist/web/viewer.html?file=http://www.worldtaekwondo.org/att_file/documents/WT-Mouthguard-brace-taping-and-padding-rules_FINAL_Feb-10-2020.pdf

- All participating athletes, coaches, team officials, technical officials and participants at AFTU events shall have **mandatorily an international medical insurance** that covers medical care and in case of emergency, repatriation to the country of origin, valid on the days present in the host country of the event. AFTU nor the Organizing Committee shall be responsible to cover any medical costs incurred for medical treatment before or during the competition or repatriation in the broadest sense of the word. All relevant documents proving that such an insurance is present, including insurance policy papers, should be taken to the event in case a medical situation occurs.

The Organizing Committee will acquire general Public Liability event insurance.

11.6. REGISTRATION

- Round trip airfare and accommodation charges of room and board shall be borne by the participating athlete or Member National Association. Team entries will only be accepted through the WT GMS online registration system Simply Compete.

Registration deadline is October 25th 2026.
https://worldtkd.simplycompete.com/events

The number of athletes per country is not limited.

11.7. PAYMENT OF ENTRY FEES

The LOC shall collect the entry fees from the participating national teams. The national team/club shall pay the entry fee to the LOC at the time of registration at the accreditation center(s) prior to the start of the competition. Athletes shall not be allowed to compete without successful payment of entry fee.

All fees must be paid in DOLLAR at the registration desk and please ensure you pay any additional currency charges.

ENTRY FEES:

- € 150 EURO per athlete.
- Entry fee period will begin on **September 1st 2026,** and will end on **October 25th 2026.**

Onsite registration is allowed with € 100 EURO as penalty in addition to the registration fees. Changing category after publication of the registration list will be charged € 100 EURO penalty in addition to the registration fees.

12. AWARDS

INDIVIDUAL AWARDS BY RANK: Medals will be awarded to the top four athletes in the respective weight divisions.

- **1ST PLACE:** GOLD MEDAL & CERTIFICATE
- **2ND PLACE:** SILVER MEDAL & CERTIFICATE
- **3RD PLACE:** 2 BRONZE MEDALS & CERTIFICATE

13. ACCOMODATION & TRANSPORTATION

Please refer the hotel booking form attached in GMS. Reservation must be sent to: **events2026.congobrazza@gmail.com** before **November 5th 2026.**

Prices are as follows for bed and breakfast at the event hotel

Hotel Name	Stars	Distance from venue to hotel	Price for single room €	Price for double room €
OLYMPIC PLACE	5 stars	**6 minutes**	170	110
KING MAYA	3 stars	**3 minutes**	100	70
EDMOND HOTEL	3 stars	**6 minutes**	95	65

Transportation (airport-hotel-airport & hotel-venue-hotel) is included in the provided rates when the reservation is made through the LOC at: **events2026.congobrazza@gmail.com**

Please refer the accommodation/ transportation booking on form attached in GMS.

For more information according accommodation and transportation, please contact: **events2026.congobrazza@gmail.com**

LIVESTRAMING OF THE EVENT ON	YouTube	http://www.youtube.com/@africantaekwondounion4138
DRAW & EVENT LIVE INFORMATION		https://whatsapp.com/channel/0029VazO1S5LdQeUR9a0lw1m
VIDEOS & PHOTOS CAPTION		https://www.instagram.com/african_taekwondo_union/ https://www.facebook.com/Africantaekwondounion/

LIABILITY DECLARATION
(Only for under 18 year old athletes)

My name:
I live in:
I am the parent/guardian of:
Date of birth (competitor): _____/_____ /_____
I declare that I accept the participation of at the 2026 WT President's Cup and that I accept all parts of the official invitation of this tournament.
For physical reasons nothing speaks against the participation of the aforementioned athlete, and I understand that all competitors are considered to participate at their own risk. The African Taekwondo Union, the FECOTAE and the Organizing Committee assume no responsibility for any damages, injuries or losses. All athletes must bring their own documents and the forms or any medical insurance in Mali.

Place:_____
Date:_____

Signature of the parents/legal guardian:

Please, send this form to e-mail: ndiayemamadoucamara@gmail.com

PERSONAL INDEMNIFICATION FORM

I, the undersigned, certify that I will indemnify, hold harmless and release the African Taekwondo Union, the FECOTAE the Organizing Committee, its executive board members, directors, officers, members, employees, consultants, agents, attorneys, contractors (including without limitation sponsors, suppliers, licensees and other representatives (each, an "Indemnitee" and, collectively, "Indemnitees"), from and against any and all damages, injuries, penalties, fines, claims, suits, liabilities, costs, attorneys' fees court costs and expenses of every kind and nature suffered by or asserted against the Indemnitee as a direct or indirect result of participating in the 2026 WT President's Cup in the broadest sense of the word.
By signing and submitting the form below, I accept and agree to the terms and covenants contained in this Indemnification, hold harmless, release and consent not to sue.
I verify that by signing and submitting this form, that I have read and agreed to all the terms and conditions provided above.

Name:_____
Date:_____
Signature:_____

In case the person involved is a minor, the legal guardian must sign:
Name:_____
Relation towards the minor:_____
Date:_____
Signature:_____

Please, send this form to e-mail: ndiayemamadoucamara@gmail.com

14. Hotel & Transportation booking form

Hotel & Transportation booking form

Name of MNA	
Contact name	
Email	
Phone	

OLYMPIC PALACE						
Room Type	Arrival Date	Departure Date	No. of NIGHTS	Number of Rooms	Pricing Per Night Per Person	Total Amount
Single					170 €	
Double					110 €	
TOTAL						

EDMOND HOTEL						
Room Type	Arrival Date	Departure Date	No. of NIGHTS	Number of Rooms	Pricing Per Night Per Person	Total Amount
Single					95€	
Double					65€	
TOTAL						

KING MAYA HOTEL						
Room Type	Arrival Date	Departure Date	No. of NIGHTS	Number of Rooms	Pricing Per Night Per Person	Total Amount
Single					100€	
Double					70€	
TOTAL						

Important Notice: This document must be returned to the Organizing Committee NO LATER THAN 5th of November 2026 to ensure appropriate transportation arrangements for your team.

Date	*Signature*

Complete this table and submit it with passport copies of each participant (you can add lore participants if needed)

N°	Name of Participant	Position (Athlete, Coach, Official, Trainer and etc.)	Date of Arrival	Time of Arrival	Flight n°/ company name	Date of departure	Time of departure
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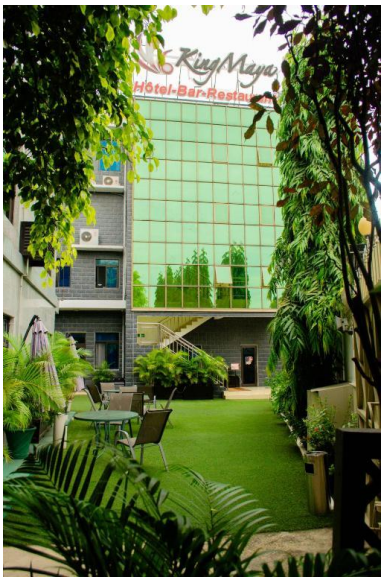
Olympic place hotel

Edmond Hotel

King Maya Hotel