



Karate Alberta

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Tournament Package

Sunday April 29, 2018



Optimist Arena
5020 26 Ave SW,
Calgary, AB T3E 0R4



Message from the Tournament Director:

The entire team at Karate Alberta is pleased to bring you a one day tournament, open to both KA members and other traditional karate clubs. The tournament will be used for KA members vying for a position on the KA Provincial Team for Nationals 2019.

The Tournament will be opened up to the greater Karate community not currently registered with KA in hopes that they will consider joining KA in the future.

There will be four to five tatamis operating and we are confident that with the help of our dedicated volunteers and officials the day will run smoothly and efficiently.

In order to ensure that our Sportdata team is not overrun with last minute requests there will be a FIRM registration deadline. There will be plenty of reminders before the deadline to ensure the process is reasonable and fair. We cannot accept late registrations and changes (without monetary penalty), exceptions will be only be made for medical reasons, Dr. note required.

As always, we will need volunteers to help marshal competitors, keep score and time the matches at the tables. Each dojo will be required to provide minimum 3 people for table work or officials.

Lastly, we are pleased to offer an Officials Clinic on April 28, 2018 – See separate flyer.

We look forward to seeing you on Sunday April 29, 2018!

Heather Fidyk
Tournament Director for Karate Alberta

Important links:

[WKF RULES Link](#)

Sportdata Tutorials for Table Volunteers

[Sport Data Video #1](#)

[Sport Data Video #2](#)

[Sport Data Video #3](#)

[Sport Data Video #4](#)

[Sport Data Video #5](#)

[Sport Data Video #6](#)

[Sport Data Video #7](#)

[Sport Data Video #8](#)

Volunteer sign up Link [Volunteer Sign Up](#)

Keep in mind that All members of the Karate Alberta Provincial Team for 2019 Nationals will need to have 20 volunteer hours.

Tournament Registration Sport Data Link

[Karate Alberta Open Tournament, Spring 2018](#)

April 28, 2018
9-5pm

- Theory – Sandman Inn 9-2pm
- Practical – Sandman Inn 2-5pm

Evaluations will continue on April 29, 2018 at the KA Open Tournament, Optimist Arena, Calgary, AB

Cost:

- KC Members \$100 for course AND \$50 for written test and practical evaluation
- Non KC Members \$150 for course (must be KC member for test & evaluation)

NOTE: Written Test will be conducted electronically.

Dress: casual and gi

[Online Registration Link](#)

Karate Alberta
Officials Clinic
Co-hosted by Karate Canada and Karate Alberta
Instructing Official, Andreas Kuntze, WKF Official

KARATE CANADA

Officials Clinic - Saturday April 28
Sandman Inn
8001 – 11st SE, Calgary, AB

Tournament - Sunday April 29
Optimist Arena
5020 26 Ave SW, Calgary, AB

For further information contact
Pat Karl
ptrckrl52@gmail.com

DATE	Sunday April 29, 2018 Registration begins at 8 am Tournament begins at 8:30 am sharp
ELIGIBILITY	KA Team prospects must compete in the Advanced Divisions to be eligible for the KA provincial team selection KA Team Prospects must compete in divisions that they will be vying for on the KA Provincial Team for Nationals 2019
REGISTRATION DEADLINE	Saturday April 21, 2018 @ 5PM <i>No registrations will be accepted on the day of the tournament</i>
WAIVER	Club Administrators - please ensure that all competitors have completed and signed the waiver by the <i>Competitor/Guardian and Witness</i> , found below in the Registration Forms. Please <u>bring these forms</u> with you to the Registration Table when you make payment. We do not have extra waivers at the tournament so please print off your own for completion. We cannot accept emailed documents, as original signatures are required.
TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE	Tournament will start with the youngest athletes and finish with the adults in the afternoon. Kumite event will follow immediately after kata event for all youth divisions as much as possible.
MANDATORY KUMITE EQUIPMENT	Refer to Page 6 for details. Athletes without correct equipment will NOT be allowed to compete.
ENTRY FEES Non - KC Members	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • \$40.00/person Single Event – Kata or Kumite • \$35.00/person, For Second Events Kata or Kumite • \$35.00 per Team, Team Kata • Change fee after deadline \$20
ENTRY FEES KC Members	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • \$30.00/person Single Event – Kata or Kumite • \$20.00/person, For Second Events Kata or Kumite • \$21.00 per Team, Team Kata • Change fee after deadline \$10
AWARDS	Four placements for each event – except for flag events (see Rules)
SPORTDATA LINK	Karate Alberta Open Tournament, Spring 2018
VOLUNTEER LINK	Volunteer Sign Up Sunday 7:00am set-up, AND end of day take down - all team prospects – remember to sign in with the Tournament director. Marshals * Time keepers * Score keepers * Registration * Food Room Each dojo must provide minimum 3 volunteers for table work or officials. Team Prospects – If you are planning to be partially funded as a member of the KA Provincial Team you (your family) will need to volunteer at KA events which will include assisting at KA Tournaments (only 2 available), and/or Board of Directors.

Registration Information

- ONE cheque must be submitted from each dojo for payment in its entirety. We cannot accept cash.
 - Receipts will NOT be given out immediately – they will be available by noon.
- a. *Athletes aged 18, 19 and 20 years old may compete in individual U21 as well as Senior individual and Senior team divisions.*

- b. Advanced Divisions Only – 2019 KC Nationals and Jr & Sr Pan American Championships are estimated dates

Youth	12 as of March 8, 2019
Cadet, Junior & U21	14, 16, 18 as of August 23, 2019
Senior Kumite	18 as of May 30, 2019
Senior Kata	16 as of May 30, 2019

- c. *Participants in all Advanced Divisions must be aware that unless they are of age to compete in the said category at the 2018-2019 season's key international events (on the dates of these events, such as the 2019 Cadet & Junior Pan American Karate Championships, the 2019 Senior Pan American Karate Championships, etc.), they may NOT represent Canada (in the said divisions) at these competitions.*
- d. Please ensure you are in the correct division prior to the tournament. Participation and results will not be considered if you compete in the wrong division.
- e. Any questions regarding the provincial team can be directed to the Head Coach.
- Divisions are shown below on pages 7 and 8.
Consolidation or Separation of divisions will

occur at the discretion of the tournament organizers. Please check Sportdata one day before the tournament.

- In the event a competitor must withdraw after the registration deadline an email must be sent to the Tournament Director (SCWKCompetitive@calgarywadokai.com) at least 48 hours prior to the tournament date.
- **Refunds:** will only be given for medical reasons OR when the consolidation of divisions results in the cancellation of a match for the competitor. Refunds are given in the form of a credit to the dojo to be used towards the next tournament. We do not give individual refunds.
- The tournament will be run following the rules established by the WKF with modifications allowed by Karate Alberta.

Officials

- Officials please contact Patricia Karl (ptrckrl52@gmail.com) to indicate your availability.

Ring-side Coaches

- Pre-registration on SportData is MANDATORY for all Coaches
- Coaches shall be in appropriate coaching attire – track suit and closed toe shoes
- Coaches should be trained in Comp Intro
- Coaches cannot interfere with the match

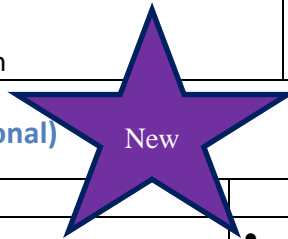
Flag Event 4-6 year old combined

- Kata – athletes will be paired and present their kata simultaneously - Hantei for best kata
- Each participant with two flags, one flag on either side of belt (left/right): blue & red competitors
- Participant who captures both of their opponent’s flags is declared the winner or the most flags after 1.5 minute run time, if tied - Hantei
- 2 matches for everyone: no single winner in Kata or Kumite, everyone receives One Medal

Kata

<i>Novice and Intermediate</i>	<i>Advanced</i>
<p>Rule Supplement</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • May use any kata from their style curriculum. • Novice division may restart a kata once without penalty. • Competitors in Novice divisions may repeat katas as required. Intermediate can repeat after 3rd Round. • Athletes will compete simultaneous kata • Maximum 10 competitors per division for Novice and 12 for Intermediate • Drawsheets will be Single elimination 	<p>Rule Supplement</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • WKF Rules • Drawsheets will be Repechage • Divisions with only 2 or 3 competitors will be single elimination

Para- Karate Athletes (Para Recreational)



Categories	
<p>Intellectual Challenges</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. WKF Para Categories Rules 2. Recreational Categories – athletes with moderate to severe intellectual impairments (Autism, FASD, FXS, etc) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Male Junior & Female Junior (age 12-17) • Male Senior & Female Senior (age 18+)
<p>Physical and Visual Limitations – Athletes with physical limitations: wheelchair user, amputees, Cerebral Palsy*, Multiple Sclerosis* etc. *without cognitive impairments and Athletes with visual limitations: Blindness, severe visual impairment.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Male Junior & Female Junior (age 12-17) • Male Senior & Female Senior (age 18+)
<p>Kata Rules for Persons with Disabilities</p> <p>Criteria:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The technical evaluation with understanding of competitor’s category limitations • The athletic evaluation with understanding of competitor’s category limitations • The overall presentation and understanding of the Kata performed 	<p>Scoring:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hantei or Scoring (tournament director’s discretion) • 5-7 referees judge the Katas in two specified categories, according to the points system:



Kumite

<i>Novice and Intermediate</i>	<i>Advanced</i>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Divisions A, B, and C, D Kumite events shall be 2 minutes run time or first to 8 points. Drawsheet will be Single elimination Maximum 10 competitors per division for Novice and 12 for Intermediate <p>Safety Equipment</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Events A, B - Hand pads and Mouth guard mandatory, addition equipment optional Events C, D, E novice and intermediate - Hand pads and Mouth guard mandatory, addition equipment optional Events C, D, E advanced - Hand Pads, Shin and instep (Blue or Red), Mouth guard mandatory, addition equipment optional Events F & H Advanced - WKF regulation Event H (Masters) - Hand pads and Mouth guard mandatory, addition equipment optional Male groin protection for males 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> All competitors will compete in Kumite by weight Kumite events shall be 2 minutes stop time, and 3 minute stop time for Mens U21 and Senior Drawsheet will be Repechage Divisions with only 2 or 3 competitors will be single elimination <p>Safety Equipment</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Events A, B - Hand pads and Mouth guard mandatory, addition equipment optional Events C, D, E novice and intermediate - Hand pads and Mouth guard mandatory, addition equipment optional Events C, D, E advanced - Hand Pads, Shin and instep (Blue or Red), Mouth guard mandatory, addition equipment optional Events F & H Advanced - WKF regulation Event H (Masters) - Hand pads and Mouth guard mandatory, addition equipment optional Male groin protection for males
<p>Rule Supplement</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Divisions may be consolidated to ensure three or more competitors per event Combining between 18+ and juniors is not allowed Events may be single elimination unless otherwise announced Polycarbonate safety glasses may be worn upon approval by the Chief Official Religious headwear is accepted 	<p>Rule Supplement</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Polycarbonate safety glasses may be worn upon approval by the Chief Official Religious headwear must meet WKF standards

KUMITE Events	
A-B	Hand pads and Mouth guard mandatory, addition equipment optional
Novice & Intermediate C, D, E, G, H	Hand pads and Mouth guard mandatory, addition equipment optional
Advanced C, D, E, H	Hand Pads, Shin & instep (Blue or Red), Mouth guard mandatory, addition equipment optional
F & G Advanced	WKF regulation



Hotel Information

Karate Alberta Block

Sandman Hotel & Suites Calgary South

Booking Number: 204084

ROOM COST: \$129 + taxes

Corporate King

Loft King with Pullout

Executive King Suite

Complimentary Parking on site

ROOM TAX: 9%

Reserved under KARATE ALBERTA

Deadline for Booking – April 2, 2018

Sandman Hotel Calgary City Centre

Booking Number: 870875

ROOM COST: \$110 + taxes

Standard Twin Rooms

Junior Corporate King with Pullout

\$5 Parking per day

ROOM TAX: 9%

Reserved under KARATE ALBERTA

Deadline for Booking – April 2, 2018

Sandman Hotel & Suites Calgary West

Booking Number: 234338

ROOM COST: \$129 / \$139 (Suite) + taxes

Corporate King with Pullout

Family Suite

Complimentary Parking on site

ROOM TAX: 9%

Reserved under KARATE ALBERTA

Deadline for Booking – April 2, 2018

***PLEASE BOOK BY CALLING 1-800-SANDMAN & QUOTING THE BOOKING NUMBER
DEADLINE FOR BOOKING APRIL 2ND, 2018***

TOURNAMENT INDIVIDUAL REGISTRATION

Tournament

Sunday April 29, 2018

Calgary, Alberta

KA# _____

Name: _____

Address: _____

Postal Code: _____ Phone: (____) _____

Alberta Health Care #: _____

Birth Date (mmm/dd/yy) _____ Gender: _____ Weight (kg): _____

Belt Colour (Kyu Only) _____ Club Name _____

Division(s): (e.g. A4) _____

Event: Kata _____ Kumite _____ Team Kata _____

Payment Total: _____

Acknowledgement, Waiver and Release

I, _____, hereby acknowledge that I am aware and understand that the art and sport of karate is potentially hazardous and that a participant is exposed to risks in said activity. I further acknowledge that in the course of doing karate I may receive injuries that may be serious and permanent.

I hereby acknowledge and accept all hazards and risks in the doing of said activity and hereby remise, release and forever discharge the Karate Alberta Association, its officers, servants, employees, successors, agents and assigns from any and all claims and demands whatsoever for damages, loss or injury, however arising which may now or may hereafter be sustained by me in consequence of my participation in the Karate Alberta Tournament of Sunday April 29, 2018 including, without limiting the generality of the foregoing, training, practice, competition, demonstration, traveling to or from any of the foregoing, and any other matter related in any way to the said activity.

I CONSENT THAT ANY PICTURES OR VIDEO FURNISHED BY OR TAKEN OF ME CAN BE USED FOR PUBLICITY, PROMOTION OR TELEVISION SHOWING, AND WAIVE COMPENSATION IN REGARDS THERETO.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand this _____ day of _____, 20__

Competitor/Guardian _____ Witness _____