



WORLD TRADITIONAL KARATE-DO FEDERATION

World Traditional Karate-Do Federation

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To: WTKF Member Federations
Re: Traditional Karate-Do World Children's Cup 2018
October 22-28, 2018
St. John's, Newfoundland (Canada)

On behalf of the World Traditional Karate-Do Federation we are proud and honoured to invite all WTKF Member Federations to take part in the Traditional Karate-Do World Children's Cup 2018 to be held on October 22-28, 2018 in St. John's, Newfoundland (Canada).

Sincerely Yours,

Włodzimierz Kwieciński
WTKF President



TRADITIONAL KARATE-DO WORLD CHILDREN'S CUP 2018

I. GENERAL INFORMATION

Title:	World Traditional Karate-do Championships 2018
Sanctioned by:	World Traditional Karate-Do Federation (WTKF)
Organised by:	National Traditional Karate Federation of Canada
Tournament venue:	Mile One Centre, St. John's, Newfoundland (Canada)

II. PARTICIPANTS

1. Participants are children who practice Traditional Karate-Do and respect the rules of competition (Cup) based on WTKF Competition Rules.
2. There are no limits of participating athletes / teams from one country / clubs.
3. In case of insufficient number of contestants for a particular category (minimum is 8 athletes in category), they will be incorporated in another group of similar age and grade.
4. All countries must bring their national flag.
5. National Federation must grant each registered participant or visitor his or her own insurance.

**III. CATEGORIES**

Group A (7 years old and younger) born in 2011 and later	Group B (8, 9 years old) born in 2010, 2009	Group C (10, 11 years old) born in. 2008, 2007	Group D (12, 13 years old) born in 2006, 2005
Boy's Ind. Kata Girl's Ind. Kata in 3 groups: 9-8 kyu 7 kyu 6 kyu and higher kyu	Boy's Ind. Kata Girl's Ind. Kata in 5 groups: 9-8 kyu 7 kyu 6 kyu 5 kyu 4 kyu and higher kyu	Boy's Ind. Kata Girl's Ind. Kata in 6 groups: 9-8 kyu 7 kyu 6 kyu 5 kyu 4 kyu 3-1 kyu	Boy's Ind. Kata Girl's Ind. Kata in 6 groups: 9-8 kyu 7 kyu 6 kyu 5 kyu 4 kyu 3-1 kyu
Group A-& Group B (9 years old and younger)		Group C & Group D (10-11-12-13 years old)	
<p style="text-align: center;">Kids' Team Kata</p> <p>The team may be homogenous (girls or boys) or of mixed sex)</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Mixed En-bu Boys' En-bu</p> <p>in 2 groups: 9-7 kyu 6-1 kyu</p> <p><i>Remark:</i></p> <p><i>Athlete with lowest rank can be included to the group with higher rank.</i></p>		<p style="text-align: center;">Girl's Team Kata Boy's Team Kata Mixed En-bu Boys' En-bu</p> <p>in 3 groups: 9-7 kyu 6-4 kyu 3-1 kyu</p> <p><i>Remark:</i></p> <p><i>Athlete with lowest rank can be included to the group with higher rank.</i></p>	



Competition rules:

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Ind. Kata: performed in pairs; Aka draws lots - flag system judging Group 3-1 kyu (C and D) in the semi-finals and finals of the point system evaluation.			
Elimination: HEIAN 1 Semi-finals: HEIAN 2 Finals: HEIAN 3	<u>Rank 9-7 kyu:</u> Elimination: HEIAN 1 Semi-finals and finals: HEIAN 2 <u>Rank 6-1 kyu:</u> Elimination: HEIAN 1-3 Semi-finals and finals: HEIAN 4-5	<u>Rank 9-7 kyu:</u> Elimination: HEIAN 1 Semi-finals and finals: HEIAN 2 <u>Rank 6-4 kyu:</u> Elimination: HEIAN 1-3 Semi-finals and finals: HEIAN 4-5 <u>Rank 3-1 kyu:</u> Elimination: HEIAN 1-5 Semi-finals and finals: Bassai Dai, Ji-On, Kan-Ku Dai (different kata in semi-final and final)	
Group A + B		Group C + D	
<p style="text-align: center;">Kids' Team Kata: HEIAN 1-5 only one kata is required, in final with bunkai will be applied, elimination – flag system judging finals (place I-IV) – evaluation of the point system</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Mixed En-bu & Boys' En-bu: (gong in 55th second and in 65th second; penalty for passing the time limit) elimination – flag system judging finals (place I-IV) – evaluation of the point system</p>		<p style="text-align: center;">Girls' Team Kata, Boys' Team Kata: optional: HEIAN 1-5, Bassai Dai, Ji-On, Kan-Ku Dai only one kata is required, in final with bunkai will be applied, elimination – flag system judging finals (place I-IV) – evaluation of the point system</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Mixed En-bu & Boys' En-bu: (gong in 55th second and in 65th second; penalty for passing the time limit) elimination – flag system judging finals (place I-IV) – evaluation of the point system</p>	



IV. APPLICATIONS & REGISTRATION

A. Registration

The detailed information of registration will be announce later.

B. Participation Fee

Athletes

US Dollar 50 for athlete (only one fee, and athlete can participate in all competitions)

Coaches

One coach per 15 kids is free of charge. Extra coach for a team is 50 US Dollar.

Photographer

One photographer per national federation is free of charge. Extra photographer is 50 US Dollar.

V. JUDGES

All Judges must bring their own HAKAMA (black), whistle and clean KARATEGI including navy blue (recommended) or white KARATEGI top.

VI. ACCOMMODATION and TRANSPORTATION

The Tournament Organizing Committee **will not** provide shuttles and hotel accommodation.

All national teams are responsible for their accommodation and transport from/to the airport or the sports hall.

VII. VISA

Please contact your local embassy for visa procedure.

In case of you need invitation, please contact our T.O.C. Director, Ms. Michelle Critch at mcritch@nf.sympatico.ca

Thank you in advance for your cooperation! We are looking forward to seeing you in St, John's.