



1<sup>st</sup> World Taekwondo Europe  
Open Multi European Games

31 may – 10 june 2018

Plovdiv | Bulgaria



**Dear Taekwondo Family,**

It is with great pleasure that I welcome you and your teams for the first edition of the 1<sup>st</sup> WTE Open Multi European Games 2018.

The inaugural event will be enchanted by the elite of European Taekwondo, who will have the chance to join the multi-benefit championships that take place for first time in Taekwondo history. Hence, I am filled with gratitude that you and your teams are coming to compete in the innovative and massive event in Europe.

The Organizing Committee is determined in endeavouring to deliver an ultimate event in the city of Plovdiv. Thus, I am convinced that these championships will be a memorable experience for all the participants, since Bulgarian Taekwondo Federation proved to be both effective and efficient in hosting events and Bulgaria evolves into a massive Taekwondo hosting country.

On the occasion, allow me to thank Mr. Slavi Binev, President of the BTF, for the excellent work that has been done already to make this event a great success.

Together we can continue building on the Taekwondo we have dreamt, embracing and passing its value to the next generations and make one step towards expanding the Taekwondo horizons.

I would like to convey my warmest wishes to all of you, the best of luck in the preparations and to our athletes concerning this event and hope to see you soon in the city of Plovdiv.

WTE President

Sakis Pragalos





**Dear beloved global taekwondo family members,**

It is an honor and pleasure for me to invite all members of the world taekwondo family from all over the world to the first in the taekwondo history WTE Open Multi European Taekwon-DO IT Games 2018, which will be held from 31st May until 10th June in Plovdiv, Bulgaria. Plovdiv is a city with a thousand-year history and I am convinced that it will contribute for the uniqueness of the event and will leave unforgettable memories to the participants and guests.

For us it will be great pleasure to host that unique taekwondo adventure, which will coincide with the Presidency of Bulgaria of the Council of the EU. For that reason and my positions as former member of the European Union, many European authorities and members of the European Parliament will make an official visit for the championship. This will be great opportunity to promote and peak our beloved sport – taekwondo even more. All the media interest from all over Europe will be focused in Bulgaria at that time and your presence at WTE Open Multi European Taekwon-DO IT Games 2018 will help make this event to become one of the largest in the world of sports media covered.

I would like once again to welcome warmly all the athletes, coaches, international referees, officials, as well as honored guests and taekwondo friends from around the world to participate and attend this event.

I would like to thank the President of World Taekwondo-Europe - Mr. Sakis Pragalos for the opportunity to host this unique event that will entry both in Taekwondo history and GUINNESS WORLD RECORDS.

I am confident that the Organizing committee will do its best to ensure the success of the WTE Open Multi European Championships and will make your visit and participation an unforgettable experience.

We are looking forward to seeing you all in Plovdiv.

Best regards,

Slavi Binev,  
President of the Bulgarian Taekwondo Federation  
Vice-president of the World Taekwondo Europe





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### Sports hall "Kolodruma"

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Map: <https://goo.gl/maps/w8sxE2nTgZK2>

## Competition dates

31<sup>st</sup> May – 10<sup>th</sup> Jun 2018

## Qualification Requirements

1. Holder of the nationality of the participating team
2. A participant must be nominated by the pertinent Club and/or National Taekwondo Association that is recognized by the World Taekwondo and/or by their National Olympic Committee.
3. Holder of Taekwondo 1<sup>st</sup> Poom/Dan or higher certificate (required for Juniors and Seniors).
4. Holder of Taekwondo 4<sup>th</sup> or heighten Gup certificate (required for Children, Cadets, Masters).
5. Holder of Taekwondo 1<sup>st</sup> Poom/Dan or higher certificate for Poomsae A- category.
6. Holder of Taekwondo 4<sup>th</sup> (blue) until with 1<sup>st</sup> Gup (red/black belt) certificate for Poomsae B- category.
7. Holder of a Para Taekwondo Dan issued by the WT or a MNA recognized 5-1 Gup (required for Para-Kyorugi)
8. Holder of a Para Taekwondo Poom/Dan issued by the WT or MNA recognized 8<sup>th</sup> until with 1<sup>st</sup> Gup for Poomsae events (required for Para-Poomsae)
9. *All Athletes who wish to participate in any World Taekwondo (WT) recognized event must have WT*





*Global Athlete License (GAL) & WT Event Pass and for Kyorugi or Poomsae Coaches must have Global Official License (GOL) & WT Event Pass.*

*\*\*The WT Event Pass is a mandatory requirement for all athletes and officials (Coach, Referee, Official, Doctor, Physio & Executives) who wish to participate in any World Taekwondo (WT) recognized event.*

**10.** An athlete must be born to be eligible for participation as follows:

**Children I** (7-8 years old) – 2011, 2010;  
**Children II** (9-11 years old) – 2009, 2008, 2007;  
**Cadets (12-14 years old)** – 2006, 2005, 2004;  
**Juniors (15-17 years old)** – 2003, 2002, 2001;  
**U21 (16-20 years old)** – 2002-1998;  
**Seniors (17-34 years old)** – 2001-1984;  
**Masters I (35-39 years old)** – 1984-1979;  
**Masters II (40-44 years old)** – 1978-1974;  
**Masters III (45-49)** – 1973-1969;  
**Masters IV (50 and above)** – 1968 and earlier  
**Poomsae** – 2011 and earlier  
**Para-Kyorugi\*** – 2002 and earlier  
**Para-Poomsae\*** – 2006 and earlier

*\*Athlete must go through International Classification in accordance with the WT Athlete Classification Rules and be assigned a Sport Class and Sport Class Status prior to the tournament (for PARA). Athletes in the P20 Sport Class require INAS Provisional Eligibility.*

**Athletes found Not Eligible (NE) or with a Classification Not Complete (CNC) will not be able to compete.**

The age limits for each division is based on the year, not on the date, when the Championships are held.

All competitors must prove their age by presenting their passport or identification card at the official weigh-in. Membership to an MNA will be checked by the organizer.

For those athletes that are not adults, a written consent must be submitted (please find enclosed on the last pages) at the registration, signed by parents or legal guardians, accepting their participation and all parts of the official invitation.

## **Qualification details for WTE events**

The top four (4) ranked male and female European athletes of each weight category in the following divisions will qualify directly for the following events:





**Cadets:** top four (4) European Medallists qualify directly for the WTE Cadet Championships 2018.

**Juniors:** top four (4) European Medallists qualify directly for the WTE Under 21 Championships 2018 /If the age criteria of the athletes are met.

**U21:** top four (4) European Medallists qualify directly for the WTE Under 21 Championships 2018

**Seniors:** top four (4) European Medallists qualify directly for the WTE European Olympic Weight Categories Senior Championships 2018.

## KYORUGI CONTEST

### System of competition

Single elimination tournament system.

### Contest time

**Children I & II** – 1,5 minutes x 2 rounds with 30 second break between each round;

**Cadets, Juniors, U21, Seniors and Masters I-IV** – 1,5 minutes x 3 rounds with 30 second break between each round;

*The contest time per round is a subject to change, depending on participation*

### Contest classes

**A** (Advanced) **class:** Olympic rules;

**B** (Beginners) **class:** **No kicks to the head are allowed**

### Weight divisions

**Children I (Male and Female):** -22 kg.; -24 kg.; -26 kg.; -29 kg.; -32 kg.; -35 kg.; -38 kg.; -41 kg.; -45 kg.; +45 kg.

**Children II (Male and Female):** -27 kg.; -29 kg.; -32 kg.; -35 kg.; -39 kg.; -43 kg.; -47 kg.; -52 kg.; -57 kg.; +57 kg.

#### **Cadets:**

**Male:** -33 kg.; -37 kg.; -41 kg.; -45 kg.; -49 kg.; -53 kg.; -57 kg.; -61 kg.; -65 kg.; +65 kg.

**Female:** -29 kg.; -33 kg.; -37 kg.; -41 kg.; -44 kg.; -47 kg.; -51 kg.; -55 kg.; -59 kg.; +59 kg.

#### **Juniors:**

**Male:** -45 kg.; -48 kg.; -51 kg.; -55 kg.; -59 kg.; -63 kg.; -68 kg.; -73 kg.; -78 kg.; +78 kg.;







**Female:** -42 kg.; -44 kg.; -46 kg.; -49 kg.; -52 kg.; -55 kg.; -59 kg.; -63 kg.; -68 kg.; +68 kg.

**Juniors (Class B):**

**Male:** -48 kg.; -55 kg.; -63 kg.; -73 kg.; +73 kg.;

**Female (Class B):** -44 kg.; -49 kg.; -55 kg.; -63 +63 kg.

**U21:**

**Male:** -54 kg.; -58 kg.; -63 kg.; -68 kg.; -74 kg.; -80 kg.; -87 kg.; +87 kg.;

**Female:** -46 kg.; -49 kg.; -53 kg.; -57 kg.; -62 kg.; -67 kg.; -73 kg.; +73 kg.

**Seniors:**

**Male:** -54 kg.; -58 kg.; -63 kg.; -68 kg.; -74 kg.; -80 kg.; -87 kg.; +87 kg.;

**Female:** -46 kg.; -49 kg.; -53 kg.; -57 kg.; -62 kg.; -67 kg.; -73 kg.; +73 kg.

**Seniors (Class B):**

**Male:** -58 kg.; -68 kg.; -80 kg.; +80 kg.;

**Female:** -49 kg.; -57 kg.; -67 kg.; +67 kg.

**Masters I-IV:**

**Male:** -58 kg.; -68 kg.; -80 kg.; +80 kg.;

**Female:** -49 kg.; -57 kg.; -67 kg.; +67 kg.

**Individual awards:**

- 1<sup>st</sup> place – gold medal and certificate
- 2<sup>nd</sup> place – silver medal and certificate
- 3<sup>rd</sup> place – bronze medal and certificate
- 3<sup>rd</sup> place – bronze medal and certificate

## POOMSAE & FREESTYLE CONTEST

**Contestants**

**Age**

The age category is based on the year of birth. For example: if the athlete will be 18 years old in 2018, but on the day of the competition he/she is still 17 years old, then he/she must compete in the category 18-30 years old (U30).

**Graduation A- category**

**A) 1<sup>st</sup> DAN/POOM and higher – WT regulations.**





## Graduation B- category

**B)** 4<sup>th</sup> (blue belt) until with 1<sup>st</sup> Gup (red/black belt).

## Uniform

WT approved poomsae competition uniforms:

**1) Division (Ages until 11 yrs):** White uniform.

**2) Cadet Division (Ages 12-14):** White top with red and black collar, plus blue pants for males; the same top, but with red pants, for females.

**3) Junior and Senior Division (Ages 15-49):** White top with dark blue pants for males; white top with light blue pants for females.

**4) Master Division (Ages 50 and up):** Yellow top and dark blue pants for both males and females.

## Program A & B- categories

### RECOGNIZED POOMSAE COMPETITION:

#### INDIVIDUAL:

Until 8 yrs  
9-11 yrs  
12-14 yrs  
15-17 yrs  
18-30 yrs : U30  
31-40 yrs: U40  
41-50 yrs  
51+ yrs

#### PAIR:

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Until 11 yrs  
12-14 yrs  
15-17 yrs  
18-30 yrs  
31+ yrs

#### TEAM:

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Until 11 yrs  
12-14 yrs  
15-17 yrs  
18-30 yrs  
31+ yrs

### FREESTYLE COMPETITION:

#### FS INDIVIDUAL:

Until 11 yrs  
12-17 yrs  
17+ yrs

#### FS PAIR:

Until 11 yrs  
12-17 yrs  
17+ yrs

#### FS MIXED TEAM:

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12+ yrs

**\* Note: Contestants may compete in maximum four (4) categories (Recognized Poomsae max. 2 & Freestyle Poomsae max 2) of competition unless he or she is limited by gender or age.**

## COMPETITION RULES

### Competition Rules

WT Poomsae Competition Rules in force as of June 24, 2017 shall apply.

### Ranking Bylaw

**WT Poomsae World Ranking Bylaw in force as of November 14, 2016 shall apply.**

### Tournament system (KO)

**U30 and U40:** Single elimination tournament system.

### Cut-off system

-All other A- categories .

### Cut-off system

-All B- categories (4<sup>th</sup> until with 1<sup>st</sup> Gup).

### Cut-off system

-All Freestyle- categories (single Final Round)





The organization is allowed to change this due to organizational matters.

## Music freestyle

Athletes must bring their music in **MP3 format on USB-stick**. Apple audio format is not allowed. The music shall be the choice of the contestant, however any political, social and religious content is **not** allowed.

## Compulsory poomsae

Two (2) Poomsae from designated Compulsory Poomsae decided for each division must be performed for all the preliminarily, semi-final and final rounds for all competitions.  
The organization is allowed to reduce this due to organizational matters (with exception of U30-U40).

## Awards and Certification

1<sup>st</sup> place – gold medal and certificate  
2<sup>nd</sup> place – silver medal and certificate  
3<sup>rd</sup> place – bronze medal and certificate  
3<sup>rd</sup> place – bronze medal and certificate

## Compulsory A- List of taegeuk/poomsae to be Performed

| Division A- category | INDIVIDUAL  |
|----------------------|---|
| Until 8 yrs          | <u>Taegeuk 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6</u>   |
| 9-11 yrs             | <u>Taegeuk 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8</u>  |
| Cadet: 12-14 yrs     | <u>6, 7, 8, Koryo, Keumgang, Taebaek, Pyongwon</u>                          |
| Junior: 15-17 yrs    | <u>6, 7, 8, Koryo, Keumgang, Taebaek, Pyongwon, Sipjin</u>                  |
| Under 30: 18-30 yrs  | <u>Koryo, Keumgang, Taebaek, Pyongwon, Sipjin, Jitae, Cheonkwon, Hansoo</u> |
| Under 40: 31-40 yrs  | <u>Koryo, Keumgang, Taebaek, Pyongwon, Sipjin, Jitae, Cheonkwon, Hansoo</u> |
| Under 50: 41-50 yrs  | <u>Koryo, Keumgang, Taebaek, Pyongwon, Sipjin, Jitae, Cheonkwon, Hansoo</u> |
| Over 50: 51+ yrs     | <u>Koryo, Keumgang, Taebaek, Pyongwon, Sipjin, Jitae, Cheonkwon, Hansoo</u> |

| Division A- category | PAIR & TEAM   |
|----------------------|---|
| Until 11 yrs         | <u>Taegeuk 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6</u>   |
| Cadet: 12-14 yrs     | <u>6, 7, 8, Koryo, Keumgang, Taebaek, Pyongwon</u>                          |
| Junior: 15-17 yrs    | <u>6, 7, 8, Koryo, Keumgang, Taebaek, Pyongwon, Sipjin</u>                  |
| Under 30: 18-30 yrs  | <u>Koryo, Keumgang, Taebaek, Pyongwon, Sipjin, Jitae, Cheonkwon, Hansoo</u> |
| Over 30: 31+ yrs     | <u>Koryo, Keumgang, Taebaek, Pyongwon, Sipjin, Jitae, Cheonkwon, Hansoo</u> |

## Compulsory B- List of taegeuk/poomsae to be Performed

| Division B- category | INDIVIDUAL                     |
|----------------------|--------------------------------|
| Until 8 yrs          | Taegeuk 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6       |
| 9-11 yrs             | Taegeuk 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 |
| Cadet: 12-14 yrs     | Taegeuk 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 |
| Junior: 15-17 yrs    | Taegeuk 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 |
| Under 30: 18-30 yrs  | Taegeuk 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 |
| Under 40: 31-40 yrs  | Taegeuk 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 |
| Under 50: 41-50 yrs  | Taegeuk 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 |
| Over 50: 51+ yrs     | Taegeuk 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 |

| Division B- category | PAIR & TEAM                    |
|----------------------|--------------------------------|
| Until 11 yrs         | Taegeuk 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6       |
| Cadet: 12-14 yrs     | Taegeuk 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 |
| Junior: 15-17 yrs    | Taegeuk 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 |
| Under 30: 18-30 yrs  | Taegeuk 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 |
| Over 30: 31+ yrs     | Taegeuk 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 |

### Team Members

The following accreditations will be provided to team members, on request to the OC.

| Officials     | Members | Remarks  |
|---------------|---------|--|
| Head of Team  | 1       | Male & Female (total 1) for Head of Team and Manager                     |
| Manager       | 1       |  |
| Coach         | 2       | Recognized Poomsae (1) & Free Style Poomsae (1) for coaches and trainers |
| Trainer       | 2       |  |
| Team Doctor   | 1       |  |
| MNA Officials | 3       |  |
| Total         | 10      |  |

## PARA-TAEKWONDO CONTEST

### Events

#### Kyorugi K40 Sport Classes

The Para Taekwondo Kyorugi K40 Sport Classes (K41, K42, K43 & K44) are for athletes with a physical impairment. The 1st WTE Open Multi European Games 2018\* is a **G4/G2** ranking event for Para Taekwondo Kyorugi, **Poomsae P20 and P30 Sport Classes**

**\*The Para Taekwondo Competitions of the 1<sup>st</sup> WTE Open Multi European Games counts as the 7<sup>th</sup> European Para Taekwondo Open Championships**

*NOTICE: The event will be open to participation from all WT MNAs. G4 World Ranking points will be awarded to WTE athletes while athletes from other continents will be awarded G2 World Ranking points.*



| SPORT CLASSES (4) |
|-------------------|
| K41               |
| K42               |
| K43               |
| K44               |

| MEN'S EVENTS (3)                         | WOMEN'S EVENTS (3)                       |
|--|--|
| UNDER 61 KG<br>UNDER 75 KG<br>OVER 75 KG | UNDER 49 KG<br>UNDER 58 KG<br>OVER 58 KG |

## Contestants

Each team may enter as many athletes into each Sport Class and weight division as they like.

### Poomsae P20 Sport Class

The Para Taekwondo Poomsae P20 Sport Class competitions for Intellectually Impaired athletes is recognized by INAS, the international sports federation for para-athletes with an intellectually impairment. The **7<sup>th</sup> European Para Taekwondo Open Championships within** the 1st WTE Open Multi European Games 2018 is a G2/G4 ranking event for the P20 under 30 and over 30 events. The Junior P20 events will not be world ranking events.

*NOTICE: The event will be open to participation from all WT MNAs. G4 World Ranking points will be awarded to WTE athletes while athletes from other continents will be awarded G2 World Ranking points.*

| SPORT CLASS (1) |
|-----------------|
| P20             |

| MEN'S EVENTS (3)           | WOMEN'S EVENTS (3)         |
|----------------------------|----------------------------|
| Junior (12-15 years old)   | Junior (12-15 years old)   |
| Under 30 (16-29 years old) | Under 30 (16-29 years old) |
| Over 30 (30 or older)      | Over 30 (30 or older)      |

### Poomsae P30 Sport Class

The Para Taekwondo Poomsae P30 Sport Classes (P31, P32, P33 & P34) competitions for athletes with a motor impairment.

*NOTICE: the event will give G4/G2 World Ranking points in the P30 Sport Classes*





| SPORT CLASSES (4) |
|-------------------|
| P31               |
| P32               |
| P33               |
| P34               |

| MEN'S EVENTS (3) |                   | WOMEN'S EVENTS (3) |                   |
|------------------|-------------------|--------------------|-------------------|
| Junior           | (12-15 years old) | Junior             | (12-15 years old) |
| Under 30         | (16-29 years old) | Under 30           | (16-29 years old) |
| Over 30          | (30 or older)     | Over 30            | (30 or older)     |

**\* WT reserves the right to combine classes and age categories**

### Contestants

Each team may enter as many athletes into each Sport Class and age category as they like

### Competition Rules

#### KYORUGI RULES

The WT Para Taekwondo Competition Rules as of June 23, 2017 will be implemented for the Para Taekwondo competitions of the K40 Sport Classes at 7<sup>th</sup> European Para Taekwondo Open Championships within the 1st WTE Open Multi European Games 2018. Please note that Article 10.5 of the WT Para Taekwondo Competition Rules will be in effect. Athletes that fail weigh-in shall be disqualified. All athletes are required to be registered in the correct weight division by the end of registration deadline. Weight division will not be changed in the case the athlete does not pass weigh in!

#### POOMSAE RULES

The WT Para Taekwondo Poomsae Competition Rules will be implemented for the Para Taekwondo Poomsae competitions of the P20 and P30 Sport Classes at the 7<sup>th</sup> European Para Taekwondo Open Championships within 1st WTE Open Multi European Games 2018.

### International Classification

#### Kyorugi (K40) & Poomsae (P30)

International Classification of all Kyorugi (K40 Sport Classes) and Poomsae (P30 Sport Classes) athletes will take place on 9<sup>th</sup> June, 2018. A schedule for International Classification for all teams and athletes will be set up by the WTE/OC and communicated to all teams following the close of registration on May 15<sup>th</sup> ,





2018. All teams should prepare their travel for their athletes to be available for International Classification on 8<sup>th</sup> June, 2018.

The details on each sport class can be found in the WT Athlete Classification Rules on the WT website.

#### Medical Diagnostics Form (MDF)

All athletes old and NEW in the K40 and P30 Sport Classes will be required to fill out the attached Medical Diagnostics Form (MDF). The completed forms shall be sent to the WT Para Taekwondo Department at [classification@wtf.org](mailto:classification@wtf.org).

The MDF will be provided to all NEW athletes who register for the event.

#### **Poomsae (P20)**

Intellectually Impaired (II) athletes require INAS provisional eligibility as seen on the INAS Master list [https://inas.sport80.com/public\\_reports/master\\_list/provisional](https://inas.sport80.com/public_reports/master_list/provisional). Applications for INAS provisional eligibility shall be made through the INAS member organizations which can be found on the following link: <http://www.inas.org/member-services/affiliation-andfees/member-organisations>. In the case that a WT MNA does not have an INAS member organization the application for provisional eligibility can be processed through WT. We ask that you get this process started as soon as possible as it can take INAS up to 30 days to process your applications. For more information see the following links:

Application information: [http://www.inas.org/wp-content/uploads/2010/11/Reg\\_form\\_Guidance\\_Notes\\_Jul16.pdf](http://www.inas.org/wp-content/uploads/2010/11/Reg_form_Guidance_Notes_Jul16.pdf)

Application form: [http://www.inas.org/wp-content/uploads/2013/01/Reg\\_form\\_Mar14.pdf](http://www.inas.org/wp-content/uploads/2013/01/Reg_form_Mar14.pdf)

#### Multiple Sport Classes

Athletes with a double classification in K40 and P30 will be allowed to participate in both Kyorugi and Poomsae.

#### **Combination of Classes and divisions**

WTE reserves the right to combine classes and divisions in the case of insufficient participation. Combination of classes and or divisions will be made by the Technical Delegate in consultation with the WT Head of Classification in accordance with the WT Para Taekwondo Competition Rules and the WT Para Taekwondo Poomsae Competition Rules.





Kyorugi Classes will be combined as follows:

K41 → K42

K42 → K43

K43 → K44

Poomsae P30 Classes may be consolidated as follows:

P31 → P34

P32 → P34

P33 → P34

**IMPORTANT**

*Consolidated athletes will be awarded the gold medal in the Sport Class and weight division or age category where they are consolidated from and will have the chance to compete for medals in the Sport Class they are consolidated into.*

## World Ranking & Seeding

The Kyorugi (K40 Sport Classes) competitions of the 7<sup>th</sup> European Para Taekwondo Open Championships within the 1st WTE Open Multi European Games 2018 will award G2/G4 World Para Taekwondo Ranking points. Athletes who are consolidated from a lower Sport Class into a higher Sport Class will be given ranking points as the winner of the Sport Class they are consolidated from. Consolidated athletes can also earn ranking points in the higher division.

The Poomsae P20 Sport Class competitions of the event will award G2/G4 World Para Taekwondo Poomsae Ranking points.

Athletes will be seeded in accordance with World Para Taekwondo Ranking.

\*NOTE World ranking will not apply to the Junior division of the P20 & P30 Sport Classes.

## Method of Competition

### Kyorugi

The competitions in the K40 Sport Classes at this event will be held in single elimination tournament system.

One round duration of contest will be implemented during the event.

### Poomsae







The Poomsae competitions in the P20 and P30 Sport Classes will be held in a single elimination tournament system.

Two (2) Poomsae from the designated Compulsory Poomsae shall be randomly drawn for each Sport Class and Age Category for each round of the competition in the P30 Sport Classes.

Article 8.1 of the WT Para Taekwondo Poomsae Competition Rules shall apply to the P20 Poomsae competitions.

### Research

WT will conduct research in para taekwondo kyorugi competition performance factors. Injury surveillance research as well as research into athlete classification will also be conducted during the 1st WTE Open Multi European Games 2018.

If you have any questions or concerns related to research at the **7<sup>th</sup> European Para Taekwondo Open Championships** within the 1st WTE Open Multi European Games 2018 please contact the WT Para Taekwondo Department at [para-tkd@wtf.org](mailto:para-tkd@wtf.org).

### Individual awards:

- 1<sup>st</sup> place – gold medal and certificate
- 2<sup>nd</sup> place – silver medal and certificate
- 3<sup>rd</sup> place – bronze medal and certificate
- 3<sup>rd</sup> place – bronze medal and certificate

### Team Members

The following accreditations will be provided to team members, on request to the OC.

| POSITION           | MAX. NO. OF MEMBERS<br>MEN'S TEAM | MAX. NO. OF MEMBERS<br>WOMEN'S TEAM |
|--------------------|-----------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| HEAD OF TEAM:      |                                   | 1                                   |
| MANAGER:           | 1                                 | 1                                   |
| MANAGER POOMSAE    | 1                                 | 1                                   |
| COACH:             | 2                                 | 2                                   |
| POOMSAE COACH:     | 2                                 | 2                                   |
| TRAINER:           | 1                                 | 1                                   |
| POOMSAE TRAINER:   | 2                                 | 2                                   |
| TEAM DOCTOR:       | 2                                 | 2                                   |
| ATHLETE ASSISTANT: | 1/5 Athletes                      | 1/5 Athletes                        |
| ATHLETE ASSISTANT: | 1/1 P20 Athlete                   | 1/1 P20 Athlete                     |
| ATHLETE ASSISTANT: | 1/3 P30 athletes                  | 1/3 P30 athletes                    |

### Participation Support

MNAs may apply for support for participation through the WT Development Program or through the 2017 Booyoung Para Taekwondo Development Program.

Please contact [para-tkd@wtf.org](mailto:para-tkd@wtf.org) for further information.





# GENERAL INFO

## Protests

Protests must be made as per competition rules by the official coach within 10 minutes after the end of the pertinent contest to the Technical Delegate. Protest fee is € 200 and non-refundable. The decision on the protest shall be announced after 30 minutes.

## Qualification coaches

The minimum qualification requirements for coaches are as follows:

- All coaches must be at least 18 years of age.
- All Coaches / Trainers must be holders of the World Taekwondo Europe Coach License or the respective CU Coach License (granted by participation in a CU Coach Seminar). Coaches / Trainers that do not have the **CU Coach License** shall pay a € 200, - (euro paid on spot) penalty at the registration desk.
- Coaching is not allowed wearing dobok

## Dress code coaches

During the preliminaries, quarter-finals, coaches shall wear sportswear. During semi-finals and finals coaches must wear a **formal outfit**. During the Head of Team meeting, more information about the dress code shall be provided to the teams. Coaches that do not follow the dress code cannot enter into the field of play.

## Sport entry

Team entries will only be accepted through the WT online registration system (<https://worldtkd.simplycompete.com>) and registration is only possible with a valid WT Global Licence & WT Event Pass. The GMS administrator will be notified via e-mail once the online registration is open.

**For the registration system of Kyorugi Contest Class B you will be informed in due time with a separate announcement.**

All qualified athletes from the 1<sup>st</sup> European President's Cup for Children (*Sindelfingen, 3-4Feb2018*) and the 3<sup>rd</sup> WT President's Cup (*Athens, 25-29Apr2018*) are welcomed to register at the 1<sup>st</sup> WTE Open Multi European Games at the same division and category that they were qualified from.

Please follow the World Taekwondo Europe website for more information.





## Entry fee

### KYORUGI

The entry fee is amounted to €100 euro per registered athlete participating in one competition division.

The entry fee is amounted to €150 euro per registered athlete participating in two competition kyorugi division.

The entry fee is amounted to €190 euro per registered athlete participating in three competition kyorugi division.

### POOMSAE

The entry-fee is amounted to €100 per athlete per individual event.

The entry-fee is amounted to €150 for each team and pair.

### PARA

The entry-fee is amounted to €80 per athlete per individual event.

### GENERAL:

Additional registration of officials requested at the registration desk is subject of an administrative fee of €50 *which shall be paid on spot* (new accreditation requests).

Each request for a weight category change is subject of an administrative fee of €25.

Entry fees must be paid in advance to the following bank account:

|                           |  |
|---------------------------|--|
| <b>Name:</b>              | <b>European Taekwondo Union</b>                      |
| <b>Bank name:</b>         | <b>Volksbank Bigge Lenne eG</b>                      |
| <b>Country :</b>          | <b>GERMANY</b>                                       |
| <b>IBAN:</b>              | <b>DE72 4606 2817 2751 1257 00</b>                   |
| <b>BIC:</b>               | <b>GENODEM1SMA</b>                                   |
| <b>Bank address:</b>      | <b>Nieder Str. 22; 2457439<br/>Attendorn GERMANY</b> |
| <b>Payment reference:</b> | <b>MEC2018 &amp; Team Name</b>                       |

**YOU MUST SEND A COPY OF THE BANK STATEMENT TO THE FOLLOWING E-MAIL:**

[info@worldtaekwondo.org](mailto:info@worldtaekwondo.org)





## Deadline

The deadline to register athletes for participation and to send in all relevant forms is set at **15<sup>th</sup> May 2018, 23:59 CET. Registration must be done via WT GMS System.**  
(<https://worldtkd.simplycompete.com>).

## Registration NOTICE

Registration of a contestant is only valid once the World Taekwondo Europe Bank Account has received the entry-fee payment in full. Any athlete registering on-line who does not take part in the competition and who has not been removed from the entry list before the deadline (15<sup>th</sup> May 2018), **is liable for paying his/her entry-fee in full.** (For any athlete not presenting at registration, his/her team or official will be liable for ensuring **full payment** has been received, prior to the team's participation). The entry fee is non-refundable. Each National Team is required to present a copy of the bank transaction, as proof of entry-fee payment at the Registration Centre. Any team unable to present a copy of the Bank transaction will be required to pay in cash to the WT Europe official responsible on-site. If a team does not show up at the event and has not requested a participation cancellation before the deadline, it will be requested to settle the payment of the entry fees in full(100%).

## Protector & Scoring System

At the championships PSS DAEDO (GEN2) will be used. The Organizing Committee will provide DAEDO trunk protector and DAEDO E-headgear. Participating contestants are required to bring their own groin guards, forearm guards, shin guards, mouthpieces, gloves and sensing socks for their personal use.

## Recognized brands

Participating contestants are required to wear WT-recognized doboks and WT-recognized protective equipment, otherwise access to the field of play will be rejected. The latest version of WT-recognized manufacturers' list is available at the website of WT: <http://www.worldtaekwondo.org/wtf-partners/recognized/>

## Anti-doping regulations

The WT Anti-Doping Rules, and where necessary the Code of the World Anti-Doping Agency, shall apply throughout the competitions.

Compulsory anti-doping tests will be carried out for all finalists, while random tests will be conducted among the quarter- and semi-finalists who failed to advance to the (semi-)final. The WT and/or WADA may carry out random out-of-competition testing prior to the championship. Therefore, all participating contestants are required to submit their latest and most accurate Athlete Location (Whereabouts Info) Forms to the WT.





The 2018 List of Prohibited Substances and Methods available at:

<https://www.wada-ama.org/en/resources/sciencemedicine/prohibited-list>

### **TUE (Therapeutic Use Exemption)**

Athletes who take any substance or medicine listed in the "Prohibited List" of the WT Anti-Doping Rules and Anti-Doping Code of World Anti-Doping Agency (WADA) for therapeutic purposes are requested to visit the website of WADA and make online filing of their TUE applications on ADAMS <http://www.wada-ama.org/en/ADAMS/> and report to the WT Sport Department at [marcoienna@wtf.org](mailto:marcoienna@wtf.org) by no later than 1<sup>st</sup> April 2018. For more details, please see the following page of the WTF website:

<http://www.worldtaekwondo.org/medical-anti-doping/anti-doping/therapeutic-use-exemptions-tues/>

For ADAMS login, please contact National Anti-Doping Organization (NADO) in your country or WT Sport Department at [marcoienna@wtf.org](mailto:marcoienna@wtf.org)

### **Indemnities**

It is the responsibility of each registering team to ensure that their athletes and team officials have filled out the indemnification forms correctly and have duly signed them, thereby indemnifying WT, WT Europe, the Organizing Committee and all other officials and athletes from any claims of injuries, losses or otherwise arising in the course of participation at the WTE Open Multi European Championships 2018 or any activities linked therewith.

It is the responsibility of each registered team to ensure and guarantee that all competitors have an Athletic Insurance (specially for participation in sports events) which has to be presented during the onsite registration. Without sufficient insurance coverage, national teams will not be allowed to compete.

Please fill out the Personal Indemnity Forms and return them to the Organization Committee before 15<sup>th</sup> of May 2018. Each participant (athletes, team officials, etc.) has to fill out the indemnification form.

### **Head of Team Meeting**

The Head of Team meeting shall be conducted by World Taekwondo Europe officials. Exact date, time and place for all divisions & categories will be communicated forthwith.

### **Draw of lots**

The draw sheets and brackets will be available one (1) day before the start of the competition of the respective category. The drawing of lots will be





conducted by World Taekwondo Europe officials prior to the competition in the presence of officials and representatives of the participating nations. The draw will be carried out for all weight categories electronically (after the weigh-in is completed).

All athletes recognized as Seniors will be seeded according to the WT Global Ranking as per the 30 April 2018 ranking.

### **Weigh-in**

The weigh-in of the athletes takes place one (1) day prior to the start of the respective weight category they compete in. During the weigh-in, the male athlete shall wear underpants and the female athlete shall wear underpants and brassiere. However, the athlete may weigh in nude if he/she wishes to do so.

### **Transportation & Accommodation**

Round trip airfare shall be borne by the participating teams. The Organizing Committee will arrange transportation from Plovdiv's and Sofia's airports to the official hotels and back.

Transportation will be only organized for the teams that have made hotel reservations through the Organizing Committee.

Please review the **Appendix 1 – Accommodation form** for the information about the official hotels. Please send Appendix 1 to: [accommodationbtf@gmail.com](mailto:accommodationbtf@gmail.com) **Until 15<sup>th</sup> April 2018.**

Please review and fill-in the **Appendix 2 – Transportation form** to inform us the exact travel details of represented team. Please send Appendix 2 to: [zaprianov\\_tr@abv.bg](mailto:zaprianov_tr@abv.bg) **Until 15<sup>th</sup> April 2018.**

Accommodation charges for room and board of the teams shall be borne by the participating MNA.

The payment for accommodation shall be paid by bank transfer before the deadline for hotel reservations.

As room allotment is limited, your room reservation request will be treated according to the space availability at the hotel.

### **Visa**

If your National Team Members need visa to enter Bulgaria, please return the completely filled-in **Appendix 3 – Visa Details form** to the Organizing Committee ([event@taekwondo-bulgaria.org](mailto:event@taekwondo-bulgaria.org)) **until 30<sup>th</sup> April 2018** and be sure to inform the OC of the







location of the Bulgarian Embassy to which your team will apply for visa. The Organizing Committee cannot guarantee entry into Bulgaria and can only offer assistance. It is the responsibility of each MNA to apply for and secure the correct entry visa for Bulgaria.

### **National Flag & Anthem**

Every participating MNA is required to provide the following items **for use during the Opening ceremony**:

1. Two (2) IOC-recognized national flags – Size: 90cm x 130cm
  2. A CD of the pertinent IOC-recognized national anthem
- Items mentioned in 1 & 2 must be submitted to the Organizing Committee during registration at the Registration Centre.



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## EVENT TIMETABLE\*

|  | May   |                      |                      |                      |                      | June                 |                                      |   |                      |                      |                      |   |  |
|--|---|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|--------------------------------------|---|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|---|--|
|  | Wed   | Thu                  | Fri                  | Sat                  | Sun                  | Mon                  | Tue                                  | Wed   | Thu                  | Fri                  | Sat                  | Sun   |  |
|  | 30  | 31                   | 1                    | 2                    | 3                    | 4                    | 5                                    | 6   | 7                    | 8                    | 9                    | 10  |  |
| <b>Team Registration/<br/>Accreditation Centre</b>                       | 10.00-14.00<br>&<br>15.00-20.00<br>Official Hotel | 10.00-13.00<br>Venue | 10.00-13.00<br>Venue | 10.00-13.00<br>Venue | 10.00-13.00<br>Venue | 10.00-13.00<br>Venue | 10.00-13.00<br>Venue                 | 10.00-14.00<br>&<br>15.00-20.00<br>Official Hotel | 10.00-13.00<br>Venue | 10.00-13.00<br>Venue | 10.00-13.00<br>Venue | 10.00-13.00<br>Venue                          |  |
| <b>Weigh-in</b>  | 16.00-18.00<br>Official Hotel                     | 11.00-13.00<br>Venue | 11.00-13.00<br>Venue | 11.00-13.00<br>Venue | 11.00-13.00<br>Venue |                      | 11.00-13.00<br>Official Hotel        | 11.00-13.00<br>Venue                              | 11.00-13.00<br>Venue | 11.00-13.00<br>Venue | 11.00-13.00<br>Venue | 11.00-13.00<br>Venue<br>*11.00-14.00<br>*Para |  |
| <b>Opening<br/>Ceremony</b>  |   |                      |                      |                      |                      |                      |                                      |   |                      |                      |                      |   |  |
| <b>7<sup>th</sup> European Para<br/>Taekwondo Open<br/>Championships</b> |   |                      |                      |                      |                      |                      |                                      |   |                      |                      |                      | 19.00-20.00<br>Official Hotel<br>HTM          |  |
| <b>Children</b>  | 19.00-20.00<br>HTM<br>Official Hotel              |                      |                      |                      | F                    | F                    |                                      |   |                      |                      |                      |   |  |
| <b>Cadets</b>  | 19.00-20.00<br>HTM<br>Official Hotel              |                      |                      |                      |                      | F                    |                                      |   |                      |                      |                      |   |  |
| <b>Juniors</b>   |   |                      |                      |                      |                      |                      | 19.00-20.00<br>HTM<br>Official Hotel |   | F                    | F                    |                      |   |  |
| <b>U21</b>   | 19.00-20.00<br>HTM<br>Official Hotel              |                      | F                    | F                    |                      |                      |                                      |   |                      |                      |                      |   |  |
| <b>Seniors</b>   |   |                      |                      |                      |                      |                      | 19.00-20.00<br>HTM<br>Official Hotel |   |                      |                      | F                    | F   |  |
| <b>Masters</b>   | 19.00-20.00<br>HTM<br>Official Hotel              |                      | F                    | F                    |                      |                      |                                      |   |                      |                      |                      |   |  |
| <b>Poomsae</b>   |   |                      |                      |                      |                      |                      | 17.00-18.00<br>HTM<br>Official Hotel |   |                      |                      |                      |   |  |
| <b>Poomsae<br/>Coach Seminar</b>   |   |                      |                      |                      |                      |                      |                                      |   |                      |                      |                      |   |  |
| <b>Kyorugi Coach<br/>Seminar</b>   |   |                      |                      |                      |                      |                      |                                      |   |                      |                      |                      |   |  |

\* Time table is subject to change  
Detailed time schedule per division and per category will be released in due time.

F= SemiFinals & Finals \*all Kyorugi semifinals & finals will take place the day after the respective day of the same category preliminaries & quarterfinals

HTM=Head of Team Meeting

CLS= Classification

WEIGH-IN for each category will be the previous day of the respective competition day



## PERSONAL INDEMNIFICATION FORM

THIS INDEMNIFICATION, HOLD HARMLESS, RELEASE AND CONSENT NOT TO SUE executed this on: \_\_\_\_\_ (insert date of signing).

I, the undersigned, certify that I will indemnify, hold harmless and release the World Taekwondo Europe, the Organizing Committee and the Bulgarian Taekwondo Federation, its executive board members, directors, officers, members, employees, consultants, agents, attorneys, contractors (including without limitation sponsors, suppliers, licensees and other representatives (each, an "Indemnatee" 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 Indemnatee as a direct or indirect result of participating in the 1<sup>st</sup> WTE Open Multi European Games 2018 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 agree to all of the terms and conditions provided above.

**Name:**

\_\_\_\_\_

**Date:**

\_\_\_\_\_

**Signature:**

In case the person involved is a minor, the legal guardian has to sign:

**Name:**

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**Relation towards the minor:**

\_\_\_\_\_

**Date:**

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**Signature:**

\_\_\_\_\_

Please send this form to: [event@taekwondo-bulgaria.org](mailto:event@taekwondo-bulgaria.org)





## **LIABILITY DECLARATION**

(only for under aged competitors)

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 **1<sup>st</sup> WTE Open Multi European Games 2018, May 31<sup>st</sup>- June 10<sup>th</sup>, Plovdiv, Bulgaria** and that I accept all parts of the **official invitation** of this tournament.

For physical reasons nothing speaks against a **participation and** I understand that all competitors are considered to participate at their own **risk**. World Taekwondo Europe, the Organizing Committee and the Bulgarian Taekwondo Federation assume **no responsibility** for any damages, injuries or losses. All contestants **must bring their own documents** and the forms or any medical insurance **in Bulgaria**.

Place: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of the parents/legal guardian:

Please, send this form to e-mail: [event@taekwondo-bulgaria.org](mailto:event@taekwondo-bulgaria.org)

