



7TH ASIAN TAEKWONDO CLUBS CHAMPIONSHIPS

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Dear Presidents and Secretary Generals,

Warm Greetings from I.R. Iran Taekwondo Federation,

We are proud to announce that 7th Asian Clubs Championships, G-1, will be held in the beautiful coastal city of Sari on April 13-14, 2017. As the Chairman of the Organizing Committee, I have the pleasure of inviting **2 Male Teams** from each country to take part in this event. The host country, however, may have 3 teams. We hope to have a successful and well organized event and look forward to welcoming your delegation in Iran.

Seyed Mohammad Pouladgar

President of I.R. Iran TKD Federation





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Organizer I. R. Iran taekwondo Federation

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Date April 13-15, 2017

Venue Sari, Iran

Qualifications:

- Holder of National black belt or Kukkiwon Dan Certificate
- Recommendation letter by the National Taekwondo Association
- 2017 Approved WTF Global License for all athletes and team officials

Note: Member National Associations' application should be made **at least 2 months** before the Tournament starts to ensure the WTF license can be processed and approved in time. There will be **NO** WTF Global License registration onsite.

- Holder of the nationality of the participating team

Registration:

Registration is only accepted through the new Global Membership System and it is only possible with a valid 2017 WTF Global Licence. The following documents are required for all participants to be uploaded and approved by the National Federation and WTF before you are able to register your team through the WTF Event Registration System.

For **ALL participants** (athletes and officials)

1. Valid National ID or Passport of the National Federations you are registering for a WTF Global License.
 2. Color Portrait ID picture.
- Additional documents required for:
3. To register a Doctor – Proof of Medical Doctor/Physiotherapist certificate in English

Entry Fees

The Organizing Committee shall collect the entry fees from the participating teams cash in US\$ only.



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Athletes shall not be allowed to compete without successful payment of entry fee to the Organizing Committee.

EARLY BIRD REGISTRATION FEES: A discount will be given to participants that complete their registration during this period.

- 350 USD per team
- Discounted entry fee period will **begin** on February 27, 2017, 17:00 local time in Tehran).
- Discounted entry fee period will **end** on March 4, 2017, 17:00 local time in Tehran).

REGULAR REGISTRATION FEES: The participants completing their registration during this period will be charged the regular registration fee.

- 400 USD per athlete.
- Regular entry fee period will **begin** on March 4, 2017, 17:01 local time in Tehran).
- Regular entry fee period will **end** on March 18, 2017, 17:00 local time in Tehran).

LATE REGISTRATION FEES: In the case a late registration period is opened the participants completing their registration during this period will be charged this fee.

- 450 USD per athlete.
- Late registration fee period would **begin** on March 18, 17:01, 2017 local time in Tehran).
- Late registration fee period will **end** on March 25, 2017, 17:00 local time in Tehran).



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Competition Rules WTF Competition Rules

KP&P Electronic Protectors will be used

Method of Competition Round Robin Tournament system

Competition Format

- 1- 7th Asian Clubs Championships will be held in the five weight categories announced by the WTF as a team competition and not individually.
- 2- Each team can have 2 athletes in each announced weight category. The players' names for each match should be submitted one hour before the beginning of the match.
- 3- The competition is held in 3 rounds.
- 4- Each country can have 2 teams but the host may have 3 teams.

A- The Preliminary Round

- In this round teams will compete in groups of 3 to five 5 teams.
- Each team will compete with the other teams in its group.
- The top team in each group will be based on their standings in the last Asian Clubs Championships or the latest ATU ranking and the other teams in the groups will be chosen by drawing.
- At the end of the preliminary round, the top eight teams will advance to the next round.
- Each win would give the winning team three (3) points.

In case two teams tie in the preliminary round, the winning team will be decided by result of the head to head competition in this round and will be announced as the winning team.

B- The Quarter Finals

In this round the competition will be continued in the following order:

Pool 1- First team in group A vs. Second team in group B

Pool 2- First team in group B vs. second team in group C

Pool 3- First team in group C vs. second team in group D

Pool 4- First team in group D vs. second team in group A

Starting this round the tournament will be single elimination and the losing teams will automatically be out of the competition.

C- Semifinals and Final

In this round, the matches will continue in the following order:

- Winner of Pool 1 against Winner of Pool 3
- Winner of Pool 2 against Winner of Pool 4



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- The winners will advance to the final and the losers will play for 3rd place.
- The reigning champion will enter the competition and will be added to the draw automatically.

Weight Categories

- Not exceeding 54kg
- Over 54 kg & not exceeding 63kg
- Over 63 kg & not exceeding 72kg
- Over 72 kg & not exceeding 82kg
- Over 82 kg

Age: All competitors must be 17 and above

Team Entries:

Team	No. of members	Remarks
Head of Team	1	
Team Club's Manager	1	
Coach	2	
Team Doctor	1	
Contestants	10	
Total	14	A maximum of 10 athletes per team may participate in the championships

Team Awards:

1st place: Gold Medal

2nd place: Silver Medal

3rd place: Bronze Medal

Special Award: Team Fair Play, Most Technical Athlete, Best Coach, Best Head of Team, Best Referees

NOTE: 1st, 2nd and 3rd teams will also receive CASH Prize.



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International Referees

The following conditions shall apply:

- International Referees are required to pay for their own round trip airfare
- The OC will pay for accommodations **from April 11-15 (4 nights)**.
- The OC shall pay a per diem of \$ **100** for each competition day.

Group Drawing:

The drawing of lots shall be conducted one day prior to the competitions with the presence of officials and representatives of participating countries.

Weigh-in:

Weigh-in will be conducted one day before the pertinent matches, and will be done once only

National Flag and Anthem:

Each participating team must provide the organizing committee two flags (size of 90 cm *140 cm) and the CD of National Anthem.

Transportation:

Please send your flight details to the OC no later than 18 March 2017 to enable us to arrange your transportation. The OC will provide transportation from Tehran's Imam Khomeini Airport to Sari and vice versa.

Arrival / Departure

Please send your flight details to intl@irantaekwondo.com for airport transportation arrangements.

Medical Control

- The WTF Anti-Doping Rules and where necessary the World Anti-Doping Agency shall apply throughout the competition.
- Compulsory anti-doping test will apply to all medalists while random tests will be conducted for other athletes.



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Accommodation:

The Organizing Committee will provide free accommodation and board for all the participating teams.

VISA

Please fill out the following form completely and send it to Iran Taekwondo Federation with passport copies by no later than 1 March 2017.

Contact Person: Ms. ShimaBabapour

Tel.: +98 21 22247744

E-mail: intl@irantaekwondo.com

Note: Please put the name of the city and country where your team will apply for visa (location of IranEmbassy) in ‘place of visa issuance’ below.

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Time Table

Subject to change

No	Date	Time	Program	Place
1	April 11		- Teams Arrival	Conference Hall
2	April 12	8:00-15:00	- Registration	Conference Hall
3	April 12	13:30-17:00	- Referee Meeting & Training	Conference Hall
4	April 12	15:00-16:30	- Official Weigh in (-54, -63, -72, -82,+82)	Conference Hall
5	April 12	16:30-18:30	- Head of Teams Meeting & Drawing of Lots	Conference Hall
6	April 13	9:00-13:30	- Preliminary Competitions	Sari Venue
7	April 13	13:30-14:30	- Lunch	Sari Venue
8	April 13	14:30-16:00	- Competitions	Sari Venue
9	April 13	16:30- 18:00	- Opening Ceremony	Sari Venue
10	April 13	18:00- 20:00	- Competitions	Sari Venue
11	April 14	9:00-12:00	- Quarter Final Competitions	Sari Venue
12	April 14	12:00-13:30	- Lunch	Sari Venue
13	April 14	13:30-15:00	- Semi Final Competitions	Sari Venue
14	April 14	15:00-15:30	- Rest	Sari Venue
15	April 14	15:30-17:00	- Semi Final Competitions	Sari Venue
16	April 14	16:30-18:00	- Final Competitions	Sari Venue
17	April 14	18:30-19:30	-Award Ceremony	Sari Venue
18	April 15		Team's Departure	