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Gangwon•Chuncheon 2026 World Taekwondo Demonstration & Breaking Championships

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4 DATE:	July 13, 2026
5 VENUE:	Air Dome (111, Sports town-gil, Air Dome, Chuncheon-si, Gangwon State, Republic of Korea)
6 QUALIFICATION	In accordance with <i>Article 4: Qualification of Contestant</i> of the WT Competition Rules, the contestant must be:
CRITERION #1:	Holder of the nationality of the participating team
CRITERION #2:	An athlete must be nominated by the pertinent national Taekwondo association that is recognized by World Taekwondo.
CRITERION #3:	Holder of the Kukkiwon Poom or Dan Certificate (*A copy of the Dan certificate should be uploaded to GMS prior to registration for 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 prior to registration for event. Please refer to the Kukkiwon Web site (www.kukkiwon.or.kr) for more information.
CRITERION #4:	An athlete must be 14 years old or older in the year of the World Taekwondo Championships. Athletes who were born in the year of 2011 or before are eligible for participation in the competition.
CRITERION #5:	Holder of the WT Global Athlete License (GAL) * Any questions on the WT GAL please contact your assigned WT GMS Manager

7 Classification of Competition

Event	Division					
Individual Breaking	Over 14 (Age 15 and over)					
	Male			Female		
	Jumping Multiple Kick	Vertical Spinning Kick	Freestyle Breaking	Jumping Multiple Kick	Vertical Spinning Kick	Freestyle Breaking
	1	1	1	1	1	1
Demonstration Performance	Over 14 (Age 15 and over)					
	Preliminary			Final		
	7			7		
	Composition of 7 members including more than 2 males and 2 females)					

Contestants may compete **up to two (2) categories** of competition unless he or she is limited by gender or age.

8 COMPETITION RULES

The championships shall be operated by the Technical Guideline World Taekwondo Demonstration & Breaking Championships based on the latest WT Poomsae Competition Rules & Interpretation.

9 METHODS OF COMPETITION

Individual Breaking

- i. Competition format: Cut-off system
- ii. Composition: Individual
- iii. Sequence of Kick
 Jumping Multiple Kick: Roundhouse kick - Scissors kick - Side kick
 Vertical Spinning Kick: Jumping 540 – 720 - 540 Spinning Hook Kick
 Freestyle Breaking: Decided by the contestant
- iv. Competition duration
 Within 1 minute - Jumping Multiple Kick & Vertical Spinning Kick
 Within 2 minutes - Free Style Breaking
- v. Number of Boards: TBC
- vi. Scoring Criteria (Jumping Multiple Kick & Vertical Spinning Kick)
 1. Accuracy: 5 points
 2. Presentation :5 points
- vii. Scoring Criteria (Free Style Breaking)
 1. Accuracy: 40 points
 2. Presentation :40 points
 3. Level of Performance Skill: 20 points
- viii. Deductions & Disqualification
 1. Details related to the deductions and disqualification will comply with the regulations mentioned in the Technical Guidelines.
- ix. Tie-break

1. Team with higher combined score of 5 referees will be the winner.
2. If the tie persists, points on each kick defined in the Technical Guidelines will decide the winner.
3. If the tie still persists, a rematch will take place to decide the winner.

*** Additional Notes**

- Breaking boards will be provided by the Organizing Committee.
- Board holding sticks prepared by teams are only allowed for the acrobatic board breaking technique.
- Breaking board holders should be prepared by the team.

Demonstration Performance

- i. Competition format: Cut-off system
- ii. Composition: 7 (including more than 2 males and 2 females)
- iii. Competition duration: within 5 minute (with 10 seconds allowance)
- iv. Scoring Criteria
 1. Yeonmu: 20 points
 2. Self-Defense: 20 points
 3. Breaking: 50 points
 4. Composition: 10 points
- v. Deduction & Disqualification
 1. Details related to the deductions and disqualification will comply with the regulations mentioned in the Technical Guidelines.
- vi. Tie-break
 1. Team with higher combined score of 5 referees combined will be the winner.
 2. If the tie still persists, the winner will be decided by the higher score in the following order: Yeonmu, Self-Defense, Breaking, and Composition.
 3. If the tie still persists, a rematch will take place to decide the winner.

*** Additional Notes**

- Each team is free to design their demonstration.
- Breaking boards will be provided by the OC.
- Music should be submitted on a USB with the team's name at the head of team meeting.

10 FIELD OF PLAY (FOP)

- i. Size: 12m x 12m Contest Area
- ii. Any matters related to the competition will be in line with the Demonstration & Breaking technical guideline.

11 UNIFORM

<i>Individual Breaking</i>	<i>Demonstration Performance</i>
Taekwondo Dobok	Not specified, Taekwondo Dobok or free uniform

- Hijab is allowed.
- Make up is allowed.
- Detailed specification of uniform is described in technical guideline.
- In case of Taekwondo Dobok, only WT-recognized Dobok is allowed. Any contestant who wears unofficial Dobok will not be permitted to compete.

12 REGISTRATION

- i. All Athletes and Team officials must FIRST be registered with a WT Global Athlete Licence (GAL) or Global Official Licence (GOL).
- ii. National Team Entry will only be accepted through the WT online registration system and

- registration is only possible with a valid WT Global License.
- iii. MNA assigned GMS admins will be notified via email once online registration is open.
- iv. The registration period will be from **May 22, 2026, at 17:01 local time in Switzerland to June 26, 2026, at 17:00 local time in Switzerland.**
- v. Entry submissions for the athletes after the deadline will not be accepted under any circumstances. No additional athletes will be accepted after the entry deadline.
- vi. Late replacement due to injury shall be handled case by case.

Team officials: Member national association can register online for maximum

- i. one (1) Head of team per country,
- ii. one (1) manager per team,
- iii. two (2) coaches per team,
- iv. one (1) team doctor per team (medical doctor),
- v. one (1) trainer per team &
- vi. three (3) Member National Association (MNA) officials per country can be registered online.

13 ENTRY FEE PAYMENT

Entry fees from the participating teams will be collected onsite and **must be paid in US dollars only.** Athletes will not be allowed to compete without successful payment of the entry fee.

- i. Individual Breaking: **USD 20** per person for each division
- ii. Demonstration Performance: **USD 100** per team

14 AWARD & CERTIFICATE

1st PLACE:	GOLD MEDALS & CERTIFICATES
2nd PLACE:	SILVER MEDAL & CERTIFICATE
3rd PLACE:	BRONZE MEDAL & CERTIFICATE

In accordance with WT Poomsae Ranking Bylaw Article 1.3: competition with less than four (4) countries or category with less than four (4) competed contestants cannot be recognized in the official results.

15 ANTI-DOPING

- i. The WT Anti-Doping Rules, and where necessary the Code of the World Taekwondo Anti-Doping, shall apply throughout the competitions.
- ii. 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 submit TUE applications via ADAMS, together with the required medical information. If you do not have an ADAMS account yet, please contact tue@ita.sport to have it set up.

Otherwise, please download the TUE Application Form [HERE](#) and once duly completed and signed, send it together with the required medical file to tue@ita.sport with copy to antidoping@worldtaekwondo.org by at least 30 days before the first competition day. For more details, please see the following page of the WT website:
http://www.worldtaekwondo.org/anti_doping-wt/therapeutic.html

16 HEAD OF TEAM MEETING & DRAWING OF LOTS SESSION

- i. The head of team meeting and the drawing of lots session shall be conducted one (1) day prior to the start of the championships that is July 12, 2026, in the presence of the WT officials and the representatives of the participating teams.

- ii. The method of draw shall be decided by the Technical Delegate.

17 INDEMNITIES

- i. All officials and participants are covered with effective travel & medical insurance coverage.
- ii. Participants without proper insurance coverage will not be allowed to compete at the championships.
- iii. The Organizing Committee will acquire general Public Liability event insurance.

18 ACCOMMODATION

The participating teams are required to submit the hotel reservation to crotkd@ryetour.net Organizing Committee by no later June 19th, 2026. The list of official hotels and hotel reservation forms is available in the Accommodation Guideline provided separately.

19 VISA INFORMATION

The Organizing Committee can provide recommendation letters for visa applications. Please email to tkd@clt.or.kr.

For your information, please check <http://www.korea-visa/> for more information.

However, participants are required to check the Korea entry in their own countries and submit requests for recommendation letters to the Organizing Committee. The Organizing Committee cannot guarantee entry into the Korea and can only offer assistance. It is the responsibility of each participant to apply for and secure the correct entry visa. Please keep in mind that the process time to obtain a Korean visa can be up to 2 months.



TIMETABLE

(Subject to Change)

Date	Time	Event	Place
July 11-12	1000-1800	Arrival	Venue
	1000-1800	Team Training	Venue
July 12	1000-1800	Referee Training	Venue
	1400-1600	Head of Team Meeting and Drawing of Lots	Gangwon Sports Center B1F
July 13	1000-1130	Final Individual Breaking	Venue
	1130-1200	Session Break	
	1200-1230	Final Demonstration Performance	Venue
	1230-1300	Medal Ceremony	Venue
July 14		Departure	

*** Since only one athlete per country may compete in each division, qualification for countries with two or more athletes in the same division are scheduled to begin at 9:00 on the competition day.**



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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 and 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 "Indemnities" and, collectively, "Indemnities"), 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 Indemnities as a direct or indirect result of participating in the Gangwon•Chuncheon 2026 World Taekwondo Demonstration & Breaking Championships 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:



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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 **Gangwon•Chuncheon 2026 World Taekwondo Demonstration & Breaking Championships on July 13, 2026, Chuncheon, Korea** 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**. Gangwon• Chuncheon World Taekwondo Cultural Festival Organizing Committee assume **no responsibility** for any damages, injuries or losses. All contestants **must bring their own documents** and the forms or any medical insurance **in Korea**.

Place: _____

Date: _____

Signature of the parents/legal guardian:

Please, send this form to e-mail: