



1 Dubai International Karate Open

Al Ahli Club - 2011

GENERAL RULES AND REGULATION

1. RULES

The 1st DUBAI INTERNATIONAL KARATE OPEN CHAMPIONSHIP will be conducted in accordance with the New Rules (Version 7.0) of the World Karate Federation (WKF), which was approved on Melaka October 2011.

In case of a disagreement in the interpretation of rules, the English text of the rules shall prevail. Any unforeseen incident not covered by the Rules shall be dealt with accordingly in the following manner:

2. DATE

1st - 4th December 2011

3. VENUE

Al Ahli Club Sports Complex, DUBAI - UAE

4. COMPETITION SCHEDULE

1st December 2011

- a. Referee Course
- b. Registration of Participants
- c. Coaches and Managers meeting

2nd December 2011

All Kata Categories "B" Kata Categories "A"

3rd December 2011

Kata Categories "A" Kumite Categories

4th December 2011

Kumite Categories

5. VICTORY CEREMONIES

A. Victory Ceremonies

The Victory Ceremonies shall normally be held after the completion of event. B. Prizes

First Prize: Gold Medals and Diplomas to the first winner in each category. Second Prize: Silver Medals and Diplomas to contestant placed in the second in each category.

Third Prize: Two Bronze Medals and Diplomas to the losing semifinalists in each category.

6. INSURANCE

All participants and members of delegations must affect their own medical insurance and personal trip insurance. Al Ahli Club and the UAE Taekwondo & Karate federation are not liable for this purpose.

7. PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT

A. Karate Mitts (Red and Blue)(No white or other colored protections will be permitted)

- B. Shin-Pad and Foot Protector (Red and Blue)
- C. Female Chest Protector (White)
- D. Gum Shield

Not allows the kids to wear any color of leg, foot, mitts protection and belts. They must wear red or blue.

7. CLOSING DATE

A. The Closing date for all entries will be on **25th November 2011.**

B. The organizing committee wishes to have your reply on participation, once you have received the Championship Details. (Email – **To fistdubai@gmail.com**)

8. COMPETITION REGULATION

A. TECHNICAL ORGANIZATION

The 1st DIKO organize committee is responsible for and full control of the technical organization of the Karate competition, in consultation with the international technical delegates when necessary.

B. DRAWING OF LOTS

The drawing of lots will be conducted by officials appointed by the Organizing Committee. The draw will be computerized.

C. DURATION OF BOUT

The official duration of Kumite matches will be three (3) minutes for men (4 minutes for Medal bouts), two (2) minutes for women (3 minutes bouts), Junior, Cadet & 12/13 years old and for under 12 years will be 1.5 minutes.

D. DRESS CODE

All contestants and team officials (coaches, managers, etc), Referees and judges must wear the prescribed uniforms as defined in Appendix 1 of the WKF Rules.

E. EXPENSES

E.1 Participation Fees -30 euro per contestant & 50 euro per team (Kata / Kumite)

E.2 Air Fare - Each participant is responsible for airline ticket from and to Dubai UAE.

E.3 Referees Seminar - 80 euro per pax (By - Sensei Con Kassis)The chairmen of the WKF Referee Committee - UPDATE ON THE NEW RULES version 7.0 - 2011 (Theory & practical)

F. SAFETY EQUIPMENT

- F.1 Mitts, foot protection and mouth guards are compulsory.
- F.2 Mitts, mouth guards belts and body protection (for women) shall be provided by the athletes themselves.

NOTE.

Each participating country or club, group entered must supply referees or judges to work in the Championship. The actual number required is dependent on the size of the delegation as follows; Up to 20 competitors- 2 referees or judges More than 20 and up to 40 competitors - 3 referees or judges More than 40 competitors - 4 referees or judges.

9. RULES OF COMPETITION FOR YOUNG PERSONS UNDER 14 YEARS.

✓ KUMITE RULES

World Karate Federation Rules apply with the following amendments.

ARTICLE 1: COMPETITION AREA

The area will be a square with sides of 8 meters for those who are 12 years of age and over. For those up to and including 11 years of age the area will be 6 meters each side

ARTICLE 2: COACHES AND PARENTS

The coach shall at all times during the tournament, wear a tracksuit and display his coach's license.

He will be given a place to sit during the bout and must not interrupt the match by calling advice or making gestures to his contestants. Parents will not be allowed in the competition areas (unless they are registered as the competitor's coach) and are not allowed to protest official's decisions.

Behavior deemed unacceptable may result in disqualification of the contestant or the entire team or delegation.

ARTICLE 5: DURATION OF BOUT

Duration of the Kumite bout is defined as two minutes for those of 12 years and over, and one and a half minutes for those up to and including 11 years old.

✓ KATA RULES

Children under sixteen years may perform any officially listed kata that they choose. There is no requirement for Shitei kata. The first three kata performed must all be different. If competitor numbers are such that more than three kata are required then the fourth and subsequent kata may be repeats. No kata may be performed more than twice. For sixteen years and over WKF Rules apply.

For the Kata Categories "B" the player can repeat the kata after one kata deferent.

10. EVENTS

1 – KUMITE CATEGORIES

MALE CATEGORIES	FEMALE CATEGORIES		
Boys Individual Kumite	Girls Individual Kumite		
6,7,8,9,10,11,12,13 years old	6-7, 8-9, 10-11, 12-13 years old		
Cadet Individual Kumite	Cadet Individual Kumite		
14 years old , 15 years old	14-15 years old		
Junior Individual Kumite	Junior Individual Kumite		
16 years old , 17 years old	16-17 years old		
Senior Individual Kumite	Senior Individual Kumite		
18 years old & over	18 years old & over		
-60kg, -67kg, -75kg, -84kg, +84kg	-50kg, -55kg, -61kg, -68kg, +68kg		
Senior Team Kumite	Senior Team Kumite		
18 years old & over (3 + 1)	18 years old & over (3 + 1)		

2- KATA CATEGORIE "A" (Browed & Black Belt)

MALE CATEGORIES	FEMALE CATEGORIES		
Boys Individual Kata	Girls Individual Kata		
6-7, 8-9, 10-11, 12-13 years old	6-7, 8-9, 10-11, 12-13 years old		
Cadet Individual Kata	Cadet Individual Kata		
14 - 15 years old	14 -15 years old		
Junior Individual Kata	Junior Individual Kata		
16 - 17 years old	16 -17 years old		
Senior Individual Kata	Senior Individual Kata		
18 years old & over	18 years old & over		
Male Individual Kata Veteran	Female Individual Kata Veteran		
45 years old & over	40 years old & over		

3- KATA CATEGORIE "B" (Yellow - Orange - Green - Bleu / belt)

MALE CATEGORIES	FEMALE CATEGORIES		
Boys Individual Kata	Girls Individual Kata		
6-7, 8-9, 10-11, 12-13 years old	6-7, 8-9, 10-11, 12-13 years old		
Cadet Individual Kata	Cadet Individual Kata		
14 - 15 years old	14 -15 years old		
Junior Individual Kata	Junior Individual Kata		
16 - 17 years old	16 -17 years old		
Senior Individual Kata	Senior Individual Kata		
18 years old & over	18 years old & over		

4– TEAM KATA CATEGORIE

Mix Team Kata (Male, Female Or Mix) – 15 years & Below

Team Kata Open Male (16 years & Above)

Team Kata Open Female (16 years & Above)

NOTE: In order to give young kata competitors a worthwhile experience at the 1st DIKO they may enter their own age category and the next age group up. In other words -8/9 years old can also compete in 10/11 years old, 10/11 years old can also compete in 12/13 years old, 12/13 years old can also compete in 14/15 years old, 14/15 years old can also compete in 16/17 years old, 16/17 years old can also compete in the senior categories (but not in Veterans). Please note this applies only to kata, not kumite. We reserve the right to merge categories if necessary. And also All the kata competitors participate in KATA CATEGORIES "B" can also participate in KATA CATEGORIES "A"

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OFFICIAL HOTELS

Hotel Crowne Plaza Deira (5stars)



Choose the Crowne Plaza Dubai-Deira hotel for style and feel part of the action by being in one of Dubai's original district. Stride into the cosmopolitan lobby at Crowne Plaza Dubai-Deira, relax and enjoy our Star Winning international food in the Spice Restaurant and nothing better to experience after a long day the vibrant atmosphere of Harry's Bar. Your quiet room, with its comfortable beds and Internet, awaits.

Located in centre of Dubai, approximately 3 kilometers from the Championship venue.

Ramada Continental Hotel(4Stars)



Conveniently located in Deira, the hotel is just a 5-minute drive from Dubai International Airport and the commercial centre of the city. Dubai Export Free Zone and Sharjah City are also close by.

Approximately less than one kilometers away from the venue.

Benta Grand Hotel(3 Stars)



Benta is a stylish standard hotel apartments ideally located in the heart of Dubai, Al Muteena road, with 5 minutes drive from Dubai International Airport surrounded by Banks and Shopping Centers .

Approximately 3 kilometers away from the venue.

Claridge Hotel (3 Stars)



Situated in the Deira district of Dubai, the Claridge is close to Dubai Creek and within a short driving distance of the shopping malls and cultural attractions.

Approximately 3 kilometers away from the venue.

Al-Bustan Centre&Residence



Al Bustan Residence Hotel-Apartments consists of Studios, Executive Suites (One Bedroom Apartments), Ambassador Suites (Two-Bedroom Apartments).

Waking distance from the venue.

Emirates Stars Hotel Apartment



Ideally located just 7km's from Dubai Airport and 15km's from Sharjah Airport, and just a stones throw from major shopping centres, commercial districts and Government institutions.

Approximately less than one kilometer away from the venue.

Elite Classic Hotel Apartments (4 Stares)



This is very good hotel suites suitable for families and business traveller, well recommended .

Approximately 1 kilometer away from the venue.

York International (3 Stares)







The YORK INTERNATIONA is a Tourist, Business, and City hotel Located in City Centre Bur Dubai area. And the nightlife/restaurants are located in the hotel.

Approximately 6 kilometers away from the venue.

Summary:

The quotations above are based on per person per night basis.

	HOTEL NAME	Star Rating	Single Per Person Per Night	Double Per Person Per Night	1 Bedroom Per Person Per Night	2 Bedroom Per Person Per Night	Dinner Sup Per Person
1	Hotel Crowne Plaza Deira	5 Stars	110(B.B)	65 (B.B)			25 EURO
2	Ramada Continental	4 Stars	85(B.B)	45 (B.B)			8 EURO
3	Benta Grand Hotel	3 Stars	65(B.B)	40 (B.B)			8 EURO
4	Claridge Hotel	3 Stars	55(B.B)	33(B.B)			8 EURO
5	Albustan Residence	Luxury				35 (B.B)	
6	Emirates Stars Hotel	Luxury			45 (B.B)	33 (B.B)	7 EURO
7	Elite Classic Hotel Apt	Standard			38 (B.B)	27 (B.B)	
8	York Hotel	3 Stars	57 (B.B)	30 (B.B)			

*** For any booking applications received after 20th Sept, 2011, the room bookings are subject To availability.

Note:

- I. All quotations above are net price and include breakfast.
- II. **All prices are quoted in Euro**. The exchange rate, as at 16 oct EURO1.00 = AED 5.00.
- III. Please note that the accommodations for each room type are as follows:

Single Room – capacity for 1 person

Double Room - capacity for 2 persons

1 bedroom unit - capacity for 2 persons

2 bedroom unit – capacity for 4 persons

3 bedroom unit – capacity for 6 persons

****EXTRA BED IN Crowne Plaza Hotel 37 EURO with Breakfast.
****EXTRA BED IN Ramada Continental 25 EURO with Breakfast.

Cancellation Policy:

At least 30 days prior to arrival: free of charge

20 days prior to arrival: 50% of the total booking price 15 days prior to arrival: 100% of the total booking price

Transfer Price:

The transfer charges between Dubai Airport (DXB) and the official hotels and vice versa are as follows:

EURO 20 per person.

Shuttle Bus Services For Championship:

Shuttle Bus Services charge, between Official Hotels and Championship venue, and vice versa for 3 days are as follows:

EURO 20 Per Person for 3 days.

Visa:

For the countries that require visa, and want to apply the should send the passport copy and colored photograph through E-mail before 15 days of the venue date.

Visa issues need min 7 working days, max 14 days.

Visa charge will be 75 EURO per Person.

Booking Procedures:

- 1. Fill in the **Accommodation and Transfer Application Form**, and email it to the Organizing Committee of 1ST **Dubai KOI International Karate Open Al-ahli Club-2011**
- 2. After receiving the application, and verifying your booking reservation, a performance

Invoice will be emailed to the applicant.

- 3. Upon receiving the performance invoice, the applicant shall pay 50% of the total Amount within 7 days from the date of invoice, failure in this procedure will cause the Booking to be considered null and void.
- 4. The remaining balance (50% of payment) shall be paid in full before November 15th,

2011.

5. For any booking applications received after Nov 15th, 2011, upon receiving the performance invoice, the applicant shall pay the full amount within 7 days from the Date of invoice, failure in this procedure will cause the booking to be considered null and void.

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