



48th EUROPEAN
senior KARATE
CHAMPIONSHIPS
Budapest 2013

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With great expectation and encouragement we have been waiting for the celebration of the 48th European Senior Championships 2013 in Budapest.

It has been a while since the Hungarian Karate Federation hosted a European Championship and the whole European Karate family feels great to come back to Hungary to enjoy all together the top European Karate annual event.

I want to take this opportunity to recognize the work developed by the Hungarian Karate Federation during these last years.

The HKF has always been an active and a loyal member not only of the European Karate Federation but also of the World Karate Federation and I would like to make a special recognition of its President János Mészáros, who has always made things easy with a positive atmosphere inside the HKF and provided help and collaboration.

With members like the HKF, it is easy to understand the outstanding progress experienced by the EKF these past years.

The allocation of such a big Karate event for Hungary is something well deserved by the Hungarian Karate Federation and I can say, without any doubts, that the 48th European Senior Championships are going to be a new success of our sport in the Continent, a new success of the EKF thanks to the inestimable contribution of one of its outstanding members as it is the Hungarian Karate Federation.

ANTONIO ESPINÓS

President of the European Karate Federation



Dear honoured guests, athletes and friends of karate.

On behalf of the Hungarian Karate Federation I would like to invite your Federation to participate in the 48th Senior Karate European Championships 2013 Budapest, Hungary.

This year the Hungarian Karate is celebrating its 40th year and it is a great pleasure to introduce my country at this anniversary. We gladly open the next decade with such a glorious event like the most important tournament for the European Karate.

You will come to know the Hungarian hospitality and you will enjoy it on the short spending time or on a longer staying. I hope while you are here for the Championships you also get a chance to experience the atmosphere of this beautiful capital.

People all over the world say that Budapest is the city of baths or spas. We have wonderful sights from the Medieval Age until the fertile 20th century. You will find the best possibility of your interest during the active rest in the arts, or even discovering the famous Hungarian gastronomy by walking on the historical paths.

Enjoy our modern capital and country that hold their traditions from 1100 years.

Welcome to Hungary and Budapest!

JÁNOS MÉSZÁROS

President of the Hungarian Karate Federation

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BUDAPEST ICE PALACE

Budapest Ice Palace has two ice rinks with international permission that welcomes those who like skating all year. The central rink has 2000 seats and the training rink has a long balcony and its size is the same as the centre rink, 1800 m2.



ACCOMMODATION

	SINGLE		TWIN/DOUBLE		TRIPPLE		QUAD		DINNER
	Before 1st March	After 1 st March	Before 1st March	After 1 st March	Before 1st March	After 1 st March	Before 1st March	After 1 st March	
DANUBIUS HOTEL ARENA	79 €	88 €	45 €	50 €	35 €	40 €	-	-	20 €
HOTEL ZUGLÓ	35 €	40 €	32 €	37 €	30 €	35 €	-	-	12 €
PÓLUS HOTEL	30 €	35 €	25 €	29 €	25 €	29 €	-	-	8 €

Price are per person per night with breakfast and VAT. The local tax is not included

After booking we are going to inform you about the price of the local tax, but approximately it will be around 1-1,3 €/person/night

The booking will be finalized after receiving the prepayment!

Payment policy:

Please kindly note that the full payment must be settled until 30th April!

Cancellation policy:

In case of cancellation after 30th April the full amount will be charged!

DANUBIUS HOTEL ARENA **** HEADQUARTER

Distance from the Sports Hall : 13 km, 25 minutes



The Danubius Hotel Arena is neighbouring the Papp László Budapest Sportaréna, the SYMA convention centre and the famous Puskás Ferenc Stadium.

The hotel is close to the Stadionok metro station so every point of the city can be reached within a few minutes. There are parking facilities in front of the hotel both for cars and buses. You can choose from numerous recently refurbished rooms, make use of impressive fitness and conference facilities and plunge into the on-site pool.

Guests can enjoy free coffee and a croissant in the morning. The newly renovated Oregano restaurant offers you delicious Hungarian and international cuisine. Helpful and friendly staff is always ready to provide you any information you may need.

HOTEL ZUGLÓ ***

Distance from the Sports Hall : 9,2 km, 15 minutes

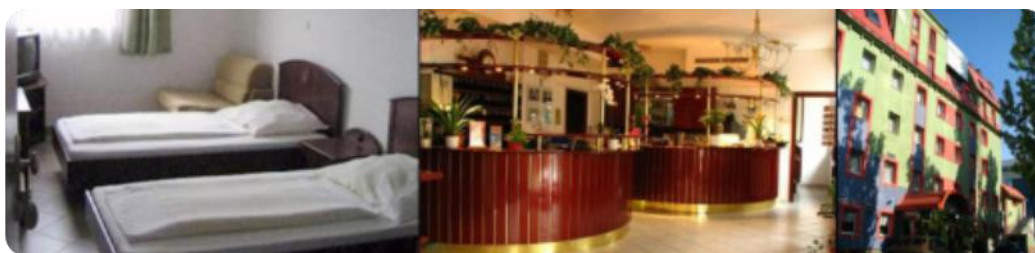


The 3-star hotel is situated near the centre of Budapest, next to the M3 motorway, in the greenbelt of the city. It is very easy to find the 12-storey high building, which has beautiful outlook from the upper floors.

The hotel is in Zugló (14th district) which is one of the oldest part on the Pest side of the capital. They are close to the sights, for example: Heroes' Square, Széchenyi Thermal Bath, City Park, Vajdahunyad castle, Circus, Museum of Fine Arts, etc.

PÓLUS HOTEL ***

Distance from the Sports Hall : 20 km, 25 minutes



The Hotel Pólus is situated on the Pest side of the capital, about 8 kilometres from the city centre of Budapest. Thanks to the favourable public transport possibilities the hotel can be reached from the center of Budapest in less than half an hour. The Hotel is located 300 meters from highway M3, being one of the main arteries of the capital and of Hungary. You can reach the Széchenyi Thermal Bath, the Amusement park, the Zoo and the Heroes' Square which are all located in the city park area within 15 minutes. The Hotel has its own parking area for cars and can provide enough places for buses as well. There is a non-stop reception service in the hotel, where the staff, speaking several foreign languages, is pleased to help guests in any needs or wishes.

The hotel rooms and public areas are equipped with air-conditioning. All of the rooms are pleasantly decorated and feature color cable television, direct dial telephone and private bathrooms with either a shower or bath tub. There is an elevator in the hotel. Hotel Pólus is situated directly next to Pólus Shopping Centre and in the 500 meters to the Asia Centre (the largest shopping centre of its type in central Europe. These facilities provide a wide range of retail shops, amusement as well as sports and dining facilities. In the Polus Centre there is a skating rink, multiplex cinema, fitness hall and gaming-room along with a 24 hour Tesco hypermarket.

TRANSFERS

Regular transfer upon arrival and departure from Budapest - Liszt Ferenc International Airport will be organized for the teams. The participating countries have to request this service in advance.

The cost for this service: 10 € per person per way

Official taxi



From	To	Price /Car
Sports hall	HQ Arena Hotel	12 €
Sports hall	Hotel Green	12 €
Sports hall	Hotel Zuglo	10 €
Sports hall	Hotel Polus	7 €
Sports hall	Ramada	4 €
Sports hall	City : Szecheny square (Basilika, Vaci street)	9 €
Sports hall	City: Buda castle	11 €
Sports hall	City: Heroes square	11 €

TRAINING

The organizers will provide the National Federations, which turn in the relevant application on time, with training facilities three (3) days prior to the days of the Championships.

In case of other request (earlier arrival) please contact:

karate@pentamer.hu

The application must be sent until 20th April. Please send this application form by e-mail to:

karate@pentamer.hu

After 20th April we are not able to guarantee the training facilities!

Training facilities will only be available in the official hotels!

Distance between the training places and the hotels and price for the transportation:

(price are per team two-way concern)

Official Hotel's	Training Place	Transfer fee
Danubius Hotel Arena	In the Hotel	free
Danubius Hotel Best Western	In the Hotel	free
Aquaworld Ramada	In the Hotel	free
Green Hotel	1,5 km	50 €
Veritas Hotel	1,5 km	50 €
Vis Vitalis Hotel	In the Hotel	free
Hotel Zugló	1 km	free
Hotel Hunor	5 km	50 €
Hotel Pólus	2 km	50 €

FOOD AND BEVERAGE

There is a catering service at the Sport Hall Ice Palace during the first three days of the competition.

The cost for this service: 10 € per meal

(Please, indicate the number of vouchers per day)

Menu in the Sport Hall

9th May

Soup :	Meat soup Tomato soup
Main course:	Deep fried (Battered) chicken breast with side-dish and salad (pickled) Spaghetti Bolognese Braised rice with sautéed vegetables

10th May

Soup:	Chunky green pea soup Hungarian cabbage soup with sausage
Main course:	Deep fried chicken with side-dish and salad (pickled) Spaghetti carbonara Deep Fried mushroom and with side-dish

11th May

Soup :	Chunky potato and vegetable soup Green bean soup
Main course:	Hungarian chicken stew with pasta Rice with meat and salad French ratatouille

ORDER FORMS

ACCOMMODATION

ROOMING LIST

TRANSFERS FORM

MEAL FORM

TRAINING FORM

Can be downloaded from the official webpage

www.karate2013budapest.com

In case of any question please contact:

mariann.kereszturi@pentamer.hu

ENTRY TICKETS

9th May, Thursday	2,5 €
10th May, Friday	2,5 €
11th May, Saturday	11 €
12th May, Sunday	11 €
4-day ticket	15 €

Tickets can be ordered from:

[Zsuzsa KLIMA & Renáta SZATHMÁRY - karate2013bejegyek@gmail.com](mailto:karate2013bejegyek@gmail.com)

After receiving the information on the number of the tickets we are going to send an invoice!

Please kindly note that the tickets during the championship are limited and we cannot guarantee them on the spot! (We suggest advance booking!)

You can get the ordered tickets at the registration or at the Sport hall entrance!

INTERNET IN THE SPORTS HALL

Internet will be available in the sports hall.

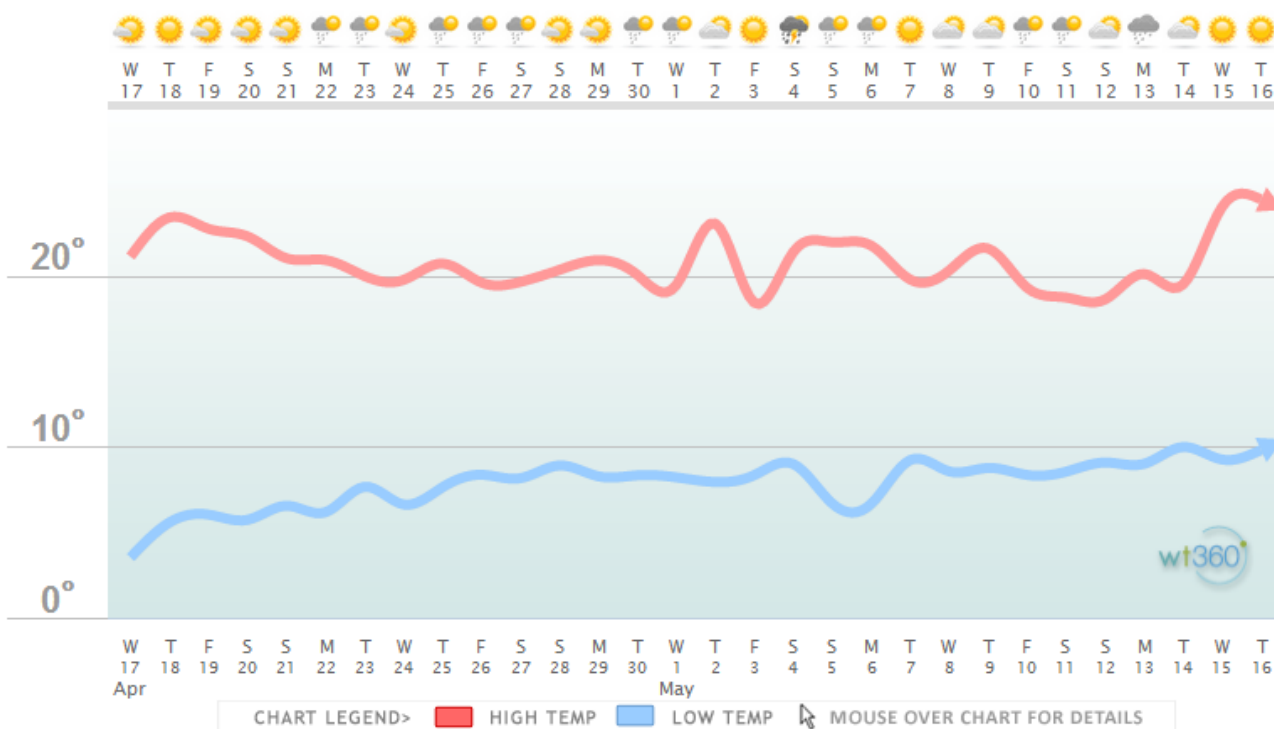
Internet voucher will be 5 € per day.

REGISTRATION

Registration will take place at the Headquarter Danubius Hotel Arena *****

Each delegation should bring a CD – ROM or USB STICK with its national anthem (20 sec)
and two (2) national flags!

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EKF APPROVED ITEMS



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WKF APPROVED Trademarks for sports items will also be permitted.

PRE-COMPETITION PROGRAM Wednesday, May 8th (Danubius Hotel Arena – Headquarter)

Place:	Schedule:	Activity:
HQ - Room Olympia 1-2	10:00 – 16:00	Registration of Delegations
HQ - Room Seoul	09:00 – 11:00	EKF Executive Committee Meeting
HQ - Room Athens	10:00 – 11:00	EKF Medical Commission Meeting
HQ - Room Athens	11:00 – 12:00	EKF Anti-Doping Commission Meeting
HQ - Room Athens	12:00 – 14:00	EKF Technical Commission Meeting
HQ - Room Athens	15:00 – 16:00	EKF Referee Commission Meeting
HQ - Room Athens	16:00 – 17:00	MAC Meeting
HQ – Room Barcelona	16:00 – 19:00	EKF Congress
HQ - Room Olympia 1-2	19:00 – 20:00	Open Draw to all Coaches
HQ - Room Athens	17:30 – 18:30	License Renewal Examination
HQ - Room Barcelona	19:30 – 20:30	EKF Referee Briefing

WEIGH-IN

Thursday, May 9th
(Sports Hall)

Time	Male	Female
10:00 – 10:10	+ 84 kg	
10:10 – 10:20	- 84 kg	
10:20 – 10:30	- 75 kg	
10:30 – 10:40	- 67 kg	
10:40 – 10:50	- 60 kg	
11:30 – 11:40		+ 68 kg
11:40 – 11:50		- 68 kg
11:50 – 12:00		- 61 kg
12:00 – 12:10		- 55 kg
12:10 – 12:20		- 50 kg

COMPETITION SCHEDULE

Eliminatories

Thursday, May 9th			
10:00 – 12:00	Kata individual	Male & Female	Kata Individual Male – Female & repechages
12:00 – 13:30	Kumite	Male	Kumite Male +84 kg, -84 kg
13:30 – 14:30	Kumite	Female	Kumite Female +68 kg, -68 kg
14:30 – 16:00	Kumite	Male	Kumite Male -75 kg, -67 kg
16:00 – 17:15	Kumite	Female	Kumite Female -61 kg, -55 kg
17:15 – 18:30	Kumite	Male	Kumite Male -60 kg & Female -50 kg
18:30 – 19:45	Kumite	Male & Female	Repechages Kumite Male & Female

Friday, May 10th			
10:00 – 11:15	Kata team	Male & Female	Kata Team Male – Female & repechages
11:15 – 15:15	Kumite team	Male	Kumite Team Male
14:15 – 16:30	Kumite team	Female	Kumite Team Female
16:30 – 18:00	Kumite team	Male & Female	Repechages Kumite Team Male & Female
18:00 – 19:00	Opening Ceremony		

COMPETITION SCHEDULE

Finals & Bronze medal matches

Please note that the coaches must wear suit, shirt and tie, they are not allowed to wear track suits during the finals and the bronze medal matches!

Saturday, May 11th			
<u>Bronze matches</u>		<u>Finals</u>	
10:00 – 10:15	Kumite Male +84 kg	12:00 – 12:07	Kumite Male +84 kg
10:15 – 10:30	Kumite Male -84 kg	12:07 – 12:12	Kumite Female +68 kg
		12:12 – 12:22	Medals award
10:30 – 10:40	Kumite Female +68 kg	12:22 – 12:29	Kumite Male -84 kg
10:40 – 10:50	Kumite Female -68 kg	12:29 – 12:34	Kumite Female -68 kg
		12:34 – 12:44	Medals award
10:50 – 11:05	Kumite Male -75 kg	12:44 – 12:51	Kumite Male -75 kg
11:05 – 11:20	Kumite Male -67 kg	12:51 – 12:56	Kumite Female -61 kg
		12:56 – 13:06	Medals award
11:20 – 11:30	Kumite Female -61 kg	13:06 – 13:13	Kumite Male -67 kg
11:30 – 11:40	Kumite Female -55 kg	13:13 – 13:18	Kumite Female -55 kg
		13:18 – 13:28	Medals award
Lunch break			
<u>Bronze matches</u>		<u>Finals</u>	
16:00 – 16:15	Kata Individual Female	18:00 – 18:07	Kata individual Female
16:15 – 16:30	Kumite Male -60 kg	18:07 – 18:14	Kumite Male -60 kg
		18:14 – 18:24	Medals award
16:30 – 16:40	Kumite Female -50 kg	18:24 – 18:29	Kumite Female -50 kg
16:40 – 17:10	Kata Team Male	18:29 – 18:44	Kata Team Male
		18:44 – 18:56	Medals award
17:10 – 17:40	Kumite Team Female	18:56 – 19:11	Kumite Team Female
		19:11 – 19:18	Medals award

Sunday, May 12th	
<u>Bronze matches</u>	
09:30 – 09:45	Kata Individual Male
09:45 – 10:15	Kata Team Female
10:15 – 11:25	Kumite Team Male
11:25 – 12:00	Break
<u>Finals</u>	
12:00 – 12:07	Kata individual Male
12:07 – 12:22	Kata Team Female
12:22 – 12:34	Medals award
12:34 – 13:09	Kumite Team Male
13:09 – 13:19	Medals award
Closing Ceremony	

SAYONARA PARTY

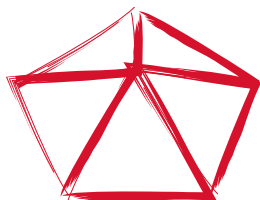
Place of the sayonara party: ÖTKERT, address:

Ticket for the sayonara party: 10 € per person, 5 € is refundable at the bar



OFFICIAL TRAVEL AGENCY

Regarding the accommodation, transportation, meals and training facilities, and to request more information or book the services, please contact the OFFICIAL TRAVEL AGENCY:



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HOTELS, TRANSFERS AND ENTRY TICKETS CAN BE BOOKED ONLY THROUGH THE
OFFICIAL AGENCY OF THE HUNGARIAN KARATE FEDERATION!

The booking is only accepted after receiving a deposit of 50% of the total amount by bank transfer.

For booking the hotels and the transfers please send your payment directly to:

NAME OF THE BANK: K&H BANK
ADDRESS OF THE BANK: 1051 BUDAPEST, VIGADO TER 1
ACCOUNT (IBAN): HU94 10408131-50526549-81651007
NAME OF THE HOLDER : OLD MAN'S PENTAMER LTD
ADDRESS OF THE HOLDER: H-1072 BUDAPEST, AKACFA UTCA 13.
SWIFT : OKHBHUHB

TERMS OF RESPONSIBILITY

To be filled, signed and sent back before 30th March, 2013.

I, _____ the undersigned, as the Chief of Delegation of my country, duly enrolled to participate in the 48th European Senior Karate Championships, which will be held in Budapest, Hungary, between 8th and 12th May 2013, with fully acknowledge of the Statutes, the Rules and the Norms of The EUROPEAN KARATE FEDERATION, pledge myself to faithfully accomplish the regulations of this before mentioned entity, and I take any and all administrative, civil and criminal responsibilities of whatever happens to our athletes, coaches and other members of our delegation participating in this Championships, before, during and after the competition, such as physical injuries, personal expenses, or monetary debts and casual material damages to the hotels, the venue, means of transportation etc. Furthermore, I exempt from any legal, civil or criminal responsibilities the organizers of the Championships, the European Karate Federation and the Hungarian Karate Federation, its directors, as well as any person, company, or entity related to the event (sponsors, public and private entities). I authorize the organizers of the event to use images, photos and the names of our competitors and other members of our delegation (since it is considered necessary) for the sport activities and publications of karate, related to the event, without any monetary compensation.

Country/Nation:

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