

8th REYKJAVÍK INTERNATIONAL GAMES

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INVITATION POMMSAE 2015

The organizing committee of the Reykjavík International Games, and the Icelandic Taekwondo Federation invites you to take part in the RIG 2015.

Dear Mr. President,
Dear Sir,
Dear Madam,

On behalf of the Icelandic Taekwondo Federation, I am proud to invite you and your athletes to participate in the 8th Reykjavík International Games, Kyorugi and Poomsae 2015 which will be held in Reykjavík, Iceland, on **January 17th and 18th 2015**.

This is perfect opportunity to prepare for other championships and at the same time explore the Volcano country in the middle of the Atlantic Ocean, you will not be disappointed!

We aim at providing high quality organization and competition, with good international referees. It is our goal to have high level of transparency, fair play and impartiality for athletes.

Please send us confirmation of participation for this event no later than December 16th 2014.

The federation and Icelandic clubs will be honored to welcome you and your athletes.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs. Kolbrún Guðjónsdóttir
President of the Icelandic Taekwondo Federation



Organization

Promoters:	Icelandic Taekwondo Federation	rig2015tki@gmail.com
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Date and location

Date:	17 th and 18 th 2015 of January
Location:	Reykjavik, Iceland
Venue:	<i>Austurberg Sportshall</i> Austurberg 3, 113 Reykjavík Iceland Tel: +354 567 0781 Google map: https://www.google.is/maps/place/%C3%8D%C3%BEr%C3%B3ttami%C3%B0st%C3%B6%C3%B0in+Austurbergi/@64.1331178,-21.8755952,12z/data=!4m2!3m1!1s0x0:0x9ddba4de59f1e474?hl=en

Timetable

Friday 16 th	Registration for all competitors on Saturday and Sunday 18:00-20:00
Saturday 17 th	Competition begin for all A-Class categories at 9:30am Registration for all competitors on Saturday and Sunday at 9:00-9:50
Sunday 18 th	Competition begin for all B-Class categories at 09:30 Estimated finish time 16:00 on Sunday



Contestants

- Eligibility:** All contestants and coaches must hold a valid WTF style license issued by their association. This must be presented at the weigh-in. This event is open to anyone from any association from any country. Contestants must provide proof of age by presenting their passport or identification card at the weigh-in. WTF GAL is not required for this event.
- Liability:** All competitors participate at their own risk. The organizers or The Icelandic Taekwondo Federation will not accept any responsibility for any injuries, damages or losses sustained or incurred.
- Graduation:** All contestants must be a minimum 4th Kup to compete
- VISA:** Due to strict border controls in the Iceland and previous abuses of our hospitality, we are only able to provide teams with a letter stating acceptance of their registration to compete. We will not send out any special invitations to travelling teams. If you have any questions regarding this, please contact: rig2015tki@gmail.com

More information:

http://utl.is/index.php?option=com_content&view=article&id=55&Itemid=57&lang=en

Entry

- Registration:** Registration for this event can only be made using the online subscription site TPSS. To login and register please visit www.tpss.eu
- Deadline:** Tuesday 16th of December 2014 at 11:00 pm
No entries will be accepted after this date and no refunds will be given to contestants who do not turn up to the event.

After the closing date all teams will be liable for the entry fees of all contestants registered online.
- Entry Limit:** In order to provide high quality championships, the entries will be limited to no more than 250 entries. If we reach this figure before the deadline the online registration will be closed early.
- Entry Fees:** 45 Euros per player. Additional divisions will be half the entry fee
If a contestant participates in both poomsae and kyrougi, the entry fee is EUR 75.
- Spectators** Adults EUR 6 / under 14's EUR 3 per day.
Family of 2 adults and 2 children – EUR 12 per day
Weekend Passes – EUR 10 for adults, EUR 5 for under 14's
Family of 4 – EUR 20



Payment: Competition entry fees must be paid by bank transfer to the following account details no later than Tuesday 16th of December 2014

Taekwondosamband Íslands
Kt. 500103 – 2050
Bank number: 515 – 14 - 608369
IBAN-number: IS280515146083695001032050
SWIX: GLITISRE
Íslandsbanki
Kirkjusandi 2, 105 Reykjavík. Iceland

Please quote team name in transfer reference if possible.

Competition Rules

- Rules:** WTF Poomsae Competition rules with following modifications to competition procedure. Poomsae categories and qualifications for competitors are found further in this this invitation
- Cut-off:** Preliminary: 21 or more competitors, 1 poomsae, 50% qualifies for the semi-final
- Semi-finals: 9 -20 competitors, 1 poomsae , 8 best qualifies for the final
- Finals: 8 or less competitors, 2 poomsae
- Scoring:** The competition area is equipped with electronic score systems.
- Match Management:** TaekoPlan match management will be used.
- Drawing lots** The poomsaes will be published the 10th of January on the www.tpss.eu and on the www.tki.is
- Awards:** 1 Gold, 1 Silver and 2 bronze medals awarded in every division.
- Team Awards:** 1st, 2nd and 3rd Team trophy will be awarded to the teams with the highest cumulative points total across both competition days following the WTF team scoring system of Gold 7pts, Silver 3pts, Bronze 1pt, matches won (not by withdrawal of opponent) 1pt

DAN Categories

Categories are based on the year of birth. Example: if a competitor turns 18 years old in 2015 he or she will participate in Under 30 category.

A class: 1 poom/Dan and up

Category	Age	Poomsae	Gender
Individual – 14 – A	12 – 14 yrs.	4-5-6-7-8-9-10	Separate categories for female and male
Individual – 18 – A	15 – 17 yrs.	4-5-6-7-8-9-10-11	
Individual – 30 – A	18 – 30 yrs.	6-7-8-9-10-11-12-13	
Individual – 40 – A	31 – 40 yrs.	8-9-10-11-12-13-14-15	
Individual – 50 – A	41 – 50 yrs.	8-9-10-11-12-13-14-15	
Individual – 60 – A	51 – 60 yrs.	8-9-10-11-12-13-14-15	
Individual – 61+ - A	61 yrs. and over	8-9-10-11-12-13-14-15	
Pair under 30	12 – 30 yrs.	4-5-6-7-8-9-10	One (1) female and one (1) male
Pair over 31	31 yrs. and over	6-7-8-9-10-11-12-13	One (1) female and one (1) male
Team under 30	12 – 30 yrs.	4-5-6-7-8-9-10	Three (3) men or three (3) female). Separate categories for female and male
Team over 31	31 yrs. and over	6-7-8-9-10-11-12-13	Three (3) men or three (3) female. Separate categories for female and male

KUP Categories

B Class 4th kup – 1th kup

Category	Age	Poomsae	Gender
Individual – 17 B	14 yrs. – 17 yrs.	4-5-6-7-8-9-10	Separate categories for female and male
Individual – 18+ B	18 yrs. and older	4-5-6-7-8-9-10-11	
Pair – B	no age limit	4-5-6-7-8-9-10	One (1) female and one (1) male
Team – B	no age limit	4-5-6-7-8-9-10	Three (3) men or three (3) female. Separate categories for female and male

Note! We serve the rights to combine groups according to registration, to be announced after expire of registration date.

1 = Il jang	5 = Oh jang	9 = Koryo	13 = Sipjin
2 = Yi jang	6 = Yook jang	10 = Keumgang	14 = Jitae
3 = Sam jang	7 = Chil jang	11 = Taebaek	15 = Cheonkwon
4 = Sah jang	8 = Pal jang	12 = Pyongwon	16 = Hansoo



Referees

International Referees: At this event we will be looking to recruit the services of WTF International referees. The organizers will provide 3 nights' accommodation on the 16th, 17th and 18th of January 2015. Breakfast lunch and dinner will be provided courtesy of the organizing committee on these dates. Also we will provide return transport from Keflavík International airports for international referees only.

In addition we will pay a per diem EUR 60 to each International referee for each competition day.

We would ask that any international referees interested in attending this championship, contact our event administrator Richard Mar Jonsson by email on rig2015rmj@gmail.is

Referees: Referee selection will be made by the head referee in cooperation with the event administrator. Those referees invited to attend will be notified no later than the 20th of December 2014.

Note to all teams: Please do not add any referees through the TPSS officials page. Any referees added in this way without contacting the referee director in advance will be removed. Only coaching staff should be added with this facility

Accommodation

You can have all information of accommodation at following link:
<http://www.rig.is/accommodation>

Official Hotels: To be announced later

Transport: Transport between Keflavik airport and Reykjavík city can be found at following link:
<https://www.flybus.is/flybus>

Keflavik Airport <http://www.kefairport.is/English/Transportation/Buses/>

Flight information www.icelandair.com