

# 9<sup>th</sup> REYKJAVÍK INTERNATIONAL GAMES

## OPEN TOURNAMENT

### INVITATION POOMSÆ 2016

The organizing committee of the Reykjavík International Games, and the Icelandic Taekwondo Federation invites you to take part in the RIG 2016.

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 8<sup>th</sup> Reykjavík International Games, Kyorugi and Poomsae 2016 which will be held in Reykjavík, Iceland, on **January 30<sup>th</sup> 2016**.

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 20<sup>th</sup> 2015.**

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

Yours sincerely,

Mr. Haukur Skúlason  
President of the Icelandic Taekwondo Federation

## Organization

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## Date and location

Date: January 30<sup>th</sup> 2016  
Location: Reykjavik, Iceland  
Venue: *Laugardalshöll Sportshall*  
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104 Reykjavík  
Iceland  
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Google map:  
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## Timetable

Friday 29<sup>th</sup> Registration for all competitors on 17:00-18:00  
Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> Competition begin for all categories at 9:00am

## 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 10<sup>th</sup> kup and reach the age of at

least 12 in 2016.

**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: [tki@tki.is](mailto:tki@tki.is)

More information: <http://utl.is/index.php/en/visas>

## 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](http://www.tpss.eu)

**Deadline:** Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> of December 2015 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 contestant. If a contestant participates in both poomsae and kyrougi, the entry fee is EUR 75.

**Payment:** Competition entry fees must be paid by bank transfer to the following account details no later than 20<sup>th</sup> of December 2015

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 10<sup>th</sup> of January on the [www.tpss.eu](http://www.tpss.eu) and on the [www.tki.is](http://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
<b>Individual – 14 – A</b>	12 – 14 yrs.	4-5-6-7-8-9-10	Separate categories for female and male
<b>Individual – 18 – A</b>	15 – 17 yrs.	4-5-6-7-8-9-10-11	
<b>Individual – 30 – A</b>	18 – 30 yrs.	6-7-8-9-10-11-12-13	
<b>Individual – 40 – A</b>	31 – 40 yrs.	8-9-10-11-12-13-14-15	
<b>Individual – 50 – A</b>	41 – 50 yrs.	8-9-10-11-12-13-14-15	
<b>Individual – 60 – A</b>	51 – 60 yrs.	8-9-10-11-12-13-14-15	
<b>Individual – 61+ - A</b>	61 yrs. and over	8-9-10-11-12-13-14-15	
<b>Pair under 30</b>	12 –30 yrs.	4-5-6-7-8-9-10	One (1) female and one (1) male
<b>Pair over 31</b>	31 yrs. and over	6-7-8-9-10-11-12-13	One (1) female and one (1) male
<b>Team under 30</b>	12 –30 yrs.	4-5-6-7-8-9-10	Three (3) men or three (3) female). Separate categories for female and male
<b>Team over 31</b>	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
<b>Pair freestyle</b>	15 and over		One (1) female and one (1) male

### KUP Categories

**B Class 4<sup>th</sup> kup – 1<sup>th</sup> kup**

Category	Age	Poomsae	Gender
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<b>Individual – 12-14 B</b>	12 yrs. – 14 yrs.	4-5-6-7-8	Separate categories for female and male
<b>Individual – 15-17 B</b>	15 yrs. – 17 yrs.	4-5-6-7-8-9-10	Separate categories for female and male
<b>Individual – 18+ B</b>	18 yrs. and older	4-5-6-7-8-9-10-11	
<b>Pair – B</b>	no age limit	4-5-6-7-8-9-10	One (1) female and one (1) male
<b>Team – B</b>	no age limit	4-5-6-7-8-9-10	Three (3) men or three (3) female. Separate categories for female and male

### KUP Categories

#### C Class 10<sup>th</sup> kup – 5<sup>th</sup> kup

Category	Age	Poomsae	Gender
<b>Individual – 17 B</b>	12 yrs. – 17 yrs.	Highest poomsae for the belt	Separate categories for female and male
<b>Individual – 18+ B</b>	18 yrs. and older	Highest poomsae for the belt	

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 2 nights' accommodation on the 29<sup>th</sup> and 30<sup>th</sup> of January 2016. 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.

We would ask that any international referees interested in attending this championship, contact the Federation, [tki@tki.is](mailto:tki@tki.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 2015.

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](http://www.icelandair.com)