

KSA CHILDRENS/CADETS/JUNIOR CHAMPIONSHIP 2023

**-Old Mutual Sports Centre
Rick Turner Rd, Berea, 4041
Durban- eThekweni
Kwa-Zulu Natali**



**16th and 18th March 2023
(Thursday to Saturday)**

**Sunday 19th March 2023 will be the SA National Team
Training**

GENERAL INFORMATION

- **What is our aim?** This is the National Elite Championship, to maintain KSA National Ranking system, and to select National Team.

The details are as follows:

Thursday 16th March 2023: WEIGH IN 17h00-21h00

Thursday 16th March 2023: Referees and Coaches Course and Exam

Friday 17th March 2023 Tournament Starts: 08h00- till late – All Kata Divisions and All Children's Kumite

Saturday 18th March 2023 Start: Cadet (14/15yrs)and Junior (16/17yrs) Kumite Divisions

- **Venue:** Old Mutual Sports Hall/UKZN – Durban. **Rick Turner Rd, Berea, 4041**
- **Participation Fee:** R500.00 per individual category, R600.00 per team event
- **Spectators:** R 50 per spectator **RIGHT OF ADMISSION RESERVED**
- **Closing date for entries:** **8am on Friday 10th March 2023- NO LATE ENTERIES WILL BE ACCEPTED**

ENTRY FORMS AND SET ONLINE

- **ALL ENTERIES MUST BE ENTERED BY PROVINCES ONTO SET ONLINE(Sportdata) BEFORE THE CLOSING DATE.**
- **A COPY OF THE REGIONAL ENTRY SPTREADSHEET AND PROOF OF PAYMENT MUST BE SENT via email to**
- **gkfsecretary@gmail.com**
- **BEFORE THE CLOSING DATE.**
- **ATHLETES ENTERED INCORRECTLY BY PROVINCES WILL BE DISQUALIFIED – please make sure you enter you athletes in the right divisions**

GENERAL CHAMPIONSHIP RULES

CHILDREN'S Kata Rules:

7- 9yrs – 2 kata all the way through

1st kata can be repeated up until Medal Rounds

2nd kata – MUST CHANGE KATA FOR MEDAL BOUTS

10- 11yrs- MUST DO 3 KATAS:

- 1st kata can be done in the first round
- 2nd kata – MUST CHANGE KATA FOR 2nd round until Medal bouts.
- 3rd kata – MUST CHANGE KATA FOR MEDAL BOUTS

11-13yrs – Must perform 4 KATAS

- 1ST Kata – for the 1st Round
- 2nd Kata – from the 2nd Round
- 3rd Kata – from the 3rd Round
- 4th Kata – 4th Round and MEDAL BOUTS (may be repeated)

Cadets and Juniors Kata: 14yrs and up WKF 2023 Kata Rules
Apply- Clocking System will be used.

CHILDREN DIVISIONS

- Divisions will be as follows as mentioned below:

FRIDAY – 17th March 2023

- Boys Kata, 7/9 Years
- Boys Kata, 10/11 Years
- Boys Kata, 12/13 Years
- Girls Kata, 7/9 Years
- Girls Kata, 10/11 Years
- Girls Kata, 12/13 Years
- **Boys Team Kata, 10 -13 Years**
- **Girls Team Kata, 10 – 13 Years**
- **Cadet Boys Kata, 14/15 Years**
- **Cadet Girls Kata, 14/15 Years**
- **Male Team Unison Kata, 14/17 Years**
- **Female Team Unison Kata, 14/17 Years**
- **Junior Male Kata, 16/17 Years**
- **Junior Female Kata, 16/17 Years**
- **Girls Kumite, 8/9 Years -30kgs**
- **Girls Kumite, 8/9 Years +30kgs**
- **Boys Kumite, 8/9 Years -30kgs**
- **Boys Kumite 8/9 Years +30kgs**
- **Boys Kumite, 10/11 Years, -30Kg**
- **Boys Kumite, 10/11 Years, -35Kg**
- **Boys Kumite, 10/11 Years, -40Kg**
- **Girls Kumite, 10/11 Years, -30Kg**
- **Girls Kumite, 10/11 Years, -35Kg**
- **Girls Kumite, 10/11 Years, -40Kg**
- **Boys Kumite, 10/11 Years, -45Kg**
- **Boys Kumite, 10/11 Years, +45Kg**
- **Girls Kumite, 10/11 Years, -45Kg**
- **Girls Kumite, 10/11 Years, +45Kg**

SUBJECT TO CHANGE – PLEASE MAKE YOUR ATHLETES AVAILIABLE FOR FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

CADETS & JUNIOR DIVISIONS-

SATURDAY - 18th March 2023

- Boys Kumite, 12/13 Years, -40Kg
- Boys Kumite, 12/13 Years, -45Kg
- Boys Kumite, 12/13 Years, -55Kg
- Boys Kumite, 12/13 Years, +55Kg
- Girls Kumite, 12/13 Years, -42Kg
- Girls Kumite, 12/13 Years, -47Kg
- **Girls Kumite, 12/13 Years, -52Kg**
- **Girls Kumite, 12/13 Years, +52Kg PLUS**
- Cadet Boys Kumite, 14/15 Years, -52Kg
- Cadet Boys Kumite, 14/15 Years, -57Kg
- Cadet Boys Kumite, 14/15 Years, -63Kg
- Cadet Boys Kumite, 14/15 Years, -70Kg
- Cadet Boys Kumite, 14/15 Years, +70Kg
- Cadet Girls Kumite, 14/15 Years, -47Kg
- Cadet Girls Kumite, 14/15 Years, -54Kg
- **Cadet Girls Kumite, 14/15 Years, -61Kg**
- **Cadet Girls Kumite, 14/15 Years, +61Kg PLUS**
- Junior Male Kumite, 16/17 Years, -55Kg
- Junior Male Kumite, 16/17 Years, -61Kg
- Junior Male Kumite, 16/17 Years, -68Kg
- Junior Male Kumite, 16/17 Years, -76Kg
- Junior Male Kumite, 16/17 Years, +76Kg
- Junior Female Kumite, 16/17 Years, -48Kg
- Junior Female Kumite, 16/17 Years, -53Kg
- Junior Female Kumite, 16/17 Years, -59Kg
- **Junior Female Kumite, 16/17 Years, -66Kg**
- **Junior Female Kumite, 16/17 Years, +66Kg PLUS**

ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS

- **Please note the additional COVID19 requirements:**
- 1. Event Timetable to be sent out – divisions times will be separated
- 2. ALL Athletes must use ALL THE REQUIRED PROTECTIVE GEAR REFERENCED IN THE WKF RULES 2023 - WKF Protective gear must be used. Athletes MUST carry their own sanitizer – with 70% alcohol base. SHIN/ FOOTER PADS and MITS will have to be sanitized before/ after each bout. NO SHARING OF EQUIPMENT WILL BE ALLOWED.
- 3. Only selected ACCREDITED PROVINCIAL coaches (Maximum 5 per Province) will be allowed (once accredited by KSA Technical Convener- Shihan Brando Pillay. Only appointed coaches from each PROVINCE may coach an athlete from his/ her PROVINCE (WHO HAVE ATTENDED THE TECHNICAL CONFERENCE 2023 and the COACHES COURSE 2023).

GENERAL INFORMATION

- Age of athletes for this tournament will be calculated as the age on 24th October 2023- in line with the World Championship
- All athletes must be medically fit before they can be allowed to participate.
- This is an Official National Elite Event and only registered members from the affiliated provinces may enter- PLEASE CARRY YOUR KSA CARD – no card no entry.

GENERAL CHAMPIONSHIP RULES

1. Athletes take part at their own risk. No claim may be made against KSA – WKF or any of the officials officiating on the day of the championship.
2. **No late entries** will be accepted, provinces must confirm with the Tournament Director prior the closing date to ensure that entries has been received.
3. **It is the responsibility of every Provincial Coach to explain the conditions/ rules to each athlete and or parent before entering the championship.**
4. **Any athlete entered in an incorrect age or weight division will be disqualified.** Coaches and Team Managers must ensure that correct information is submitted.
5. Any athlete not reporting to his/her floor after 3-call out will be disqualified.
6. **Tournaments will run BASED on rules discussed at the Technical Congress 2023, and Referees Courses 2023.**
7. Body protectors are compulsory for female & Male competitors. Athletes **MUST** carry their own sanitizer – with 70% alcohol based as per legislation. Sanitizer will be made available – SHIN/ FOOTER PADS and MITS will have to be sanitized before/ after each bout. **NO SHARING OF EQUIPMENT WILL BE ALLOWED.**
Mouth guards, red/blue mitts, foot and shin guards are also compulsory

GENERAL CHAMPIONSHIP RULES

Coaches:

1. Only the accredited, appointed coaches from each provinces may coach an athlete from his/ her province(5 Coaches per province).
2. Only coaches wearing their **full provincial tracksuit** will be allowed to coach. Those wearing only tracksuit top or trouser/ Jeans or Protea track suit wont be allowed on the floor.

Team Managers:

1. **ALL TEAMS MUST HAVE A TEAM MANAGER PRESENT FOR THE FULL DURATION OF THE EVENT- FAILURE TO HAVE A TEAM MANAGER PRESENT WILL RESULT IN 1 COACH BEING REMOVED FROM COACHING AND MADE A TEAM MANAGER FOR THE DURATION OF THE EVENT.**
2. Team Managers must wear their official Provincial Attire (Navy blue blazer, white shirt, tie, gray pants, black shoes & socks)

GENERAL CHAMPIONSHIP RULES

- **Referees and Judges:**

- **All officials must be dressed appropriately as per WKF and KSA rules, including table officials.**

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

It is required that all athletes must bring along the following:

- **Consent letter from parent/ Guardian/Indemnity form**
- **Forms MUST be filled in and signed by Parents or Legal Guardian NOT by a Coach or Karate Instructor**
- **NOTE: IF YOU HAVE ANY COVID19 SYMPTOM PLEASE DO NOT ATTEND THE TOURNAMENT**

REFEREES / COACHES COURSE AND EXAM

Date: Thursday 16th March 2023

Time: 12h00 to 16h00

Venue: TROPICANA HOTEL DURBAN

Cost: R350 per person

CONTACT INFORMATION

TOURNAMENT COMMISSION

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