



22ND ASIAN CADET, JUNIORS AND UNDER 21 KARATE CHAMPIONSHIPS

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PASIG CITY, PHILIPPINES



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1. Greetings from the AKF President Major General Nasser Al Razooqi

It is with great pleasure that I invite you to the 22nd edition of the Asian Cadet, Junior & Under 21 Karate Championship, to be held in the vibrant city of Manila from the 23rd to the 25th of August 2024. This prestigious event, hosted by the Karate Pilipinas Sports Federation, promises to be a platform for our young athletes to showcase their skills, foster friendships, and grow as individuals.

The Cadet, Junior, and Under 21 age groups are the backbone of Karate's development in the Asian continent. These young athletes represent the future of our sport, and it is our responsibility to provide them with opportunities to hone their skills and compete at the highest level. This championship will serve as a stepping stone for many of these talented individuals, as they strive to make their mark on the international stage.

Beyond the competition, this event aims to cultivate the values of sportsmanship and integrity among our young athletes. We believe that through Karate, we can instill in them the importance of respect, discipline, and fair play. These values will not only serve them well in their sporting careers but also in their personal lives.

On behalf of the Asian Karate Federation, I would like to express my sincere gratitude to the Karate Pilipinas Sports Federation and the Philippine Government for their unwavering support in organizing this championship. Their dedication and commitment to the development of Karate are truly commendable.

I extend a warm invitation to all members of the Asian Karate community to join us in the beautiful city of Manila for this extraordinary event. Let us unite in the spirit of friendship and camaraderie, as we support our young athletes in their quest for excellence. This championship is not just about competition; it is a celebration of the passion, dedication, and resilience that define our sport. Come, be a part of this unforgettable experience, and together, let us witness the emergence of the next generation of Karate champions. We look forward to welcoming you with open arms in Manila!

MAJOR GENERAL NASSER ALRAZOOQI

President

Asian Karate Federation

2. Greetings from the WKF President Antonio Espinos



FOREWORD – AKF CADET, JUNIOR & U21 CHAMPIONSHIPS

The 2024 AKF Cadet, Junior & U21 Championships, set to take place in the city of Manila, Philippines, from August 23 to 25, represent an opportunity to showcase the progress of Karate as it gathers the most promising young karatekas from across the continent, thus highlighting the immense talent and potential within Asian karate.

Over the years, the AKF has dedicated itself to enhancing the quality and excellence of its events. Through meticulous organisation and a commitment to the highest standards, the AKF ensures that every championship is a stepping stone towards greater achievements in the world of karate. We expect this continuous effort to be extended at the tournament in Manila which will significantly contribute to the global growth of our sport. I keep unforgettable memories from my visit to the Philippines five years ago for the SEA Games and I am sure that these AKF Championships will confirm that feelings.

Therefore, I extend my heartfelt gratitude to the Asian Karate Federation and its President, Major General Nasser Alrazooqi, for their unwavering dedication and significant contributions to the advancement of karate. Additionally, I would like to express my sincere appreciation to the Karate Federation of the Philippines and its President, Richard Lim, for their exceptional work in hosting this event.

Since the AKF age-group championships play a pivotal role in nurturing the future stars of our sport, with young athletes finding a key platform to showcase their skills and gain valuable experience, I am convinced that event in Manila will be an integral part in the upbringing of upcoming first-class athletes of our sport in Asia.

As we gather for this remarkable event, I encourage all participants to give their best and embrace the many values of Karate. Best of luck to all the participants and organisers and a big “Oss” to all of you Karate fans.

ANTONIO ESPINÓS

President

World Karate Federation



3. Greetings from the NOC President *Abraham “Bambol” Tolentino*

Distinguished guests, athletes, coaches, and supporters,

Greetings and welcome to the 22nd Asian Cadet, Junior, and U21 Championships! It is my honor to address you as the President of the Philippine Olympic Committee. This is a momentous occasion as we host this prestigious event, bringing together the brightest young athletes from across Asia.

Over the next few days, we will witness outstanding talent, dedication, and the indomitable spirit of youth as these athletes compete, showcasing their skills and embracing the spirit of sportsmanship. To our athletes, your journey here is a testament to your hard work, discipline, and unwavering passion for your sport. Your presence here signifies your commitment to excellence.

I would like to extend my congratulations to the organizing committee, who have worked tirelessly to bring this event. Your dedication and support are the backbone of this event, and we are immensely grateful for your contributions.

As we gather here in the spirit of competition and camaraderie, let us also remember the values of Olympism-excellence, respect, and friendship. These values go beyond the boundaries of the playing field and unite us as one community, regardless of our backgrounds or nationalities.

Let us look forward to days filled with athletic performance, new friendships, and unforgettable memories. May this championship serve as a platform for our athletes to achieve new heights and for all of us to celebrate the unifying power of sports.

Thank you, and all the best to the participants.

Maraming salamat at Mabuhay!

ABRAHAM “BAMBOL” TOLENTINO

President

Philippine Olympic Committee

4. Greetings from the President Karate Pilipinas Sports Federation Inc.



GREETINGS!

It is my distinct honor and privilege to extend a warm greeting and heartfelt welcome to all participants of the 22nd Asian Cadets, Juniors, and U21 Championships, set to take place in Pasig City, Philippines, from August 23rd to 25th, 2024.

This prestigious event promises to showcase the exceptional talent and dedication of our karate athletes from across the Asian region. As we gather in Pasig City, we celebrate the spirit of sportsmanship, camaraderie, and excellence that embodies the essence of karate.

I would like to express our sincere gratitude to the Philippine Olympic Committee, the Philippine Sports Commission, Senator Bong Go, and Senator Pia Cayetano for their unwavering support and commitment to the development of sports in our country. Their dedication has been instrumental in making this championship possible, and we are deeply grateful for their invaluable contributions.

To all our esteemed participants, I extend my best wishes for a pleasant and memorable stay in the Philippines. May your time here be filled with camaraderie, friendship, and unforgettable experience. I have every confidence that this championship will be a resounding success, and I look forward to witnessing the extraordinary talent and sportsmanship on display.

Once again, welcome to Pasig City, welcome to the Philippines, and welcome to the 22nd Asian Cadet, Junior, and U21 Championships.

RICHARD ANTHONY LIM

President

Karate Pilipinas Sports Federation Inc.

5. City of Pasig

5.1: About the Philippines and Host City Pasig

The Philippines is an archipelago located in Southeast Asia, consisting of over 7,000 islands in the western Pacific Ocean. The South China Sea to the west, the Philippine Sea to the east, and the Celebes Sea to the south border it. The country is known for its stunning natural landscapes, vibrant culture, and rich history. Geographically, the Philippines is divided into three main regions: Luzon, Visayas, and Mindanao. Luzon, the largest island, is home to the capital city of Manila and is the economic and political center of the country. The population is culturally diverse, with influences from Malay, Spanish, Chinese, American, and indigenous cultures. The official languages are Filipino (based on Tagalog) and English, reflecting the country's colonial history and its status as a former American territory.

Culturally, the Philippines is known for its festivals, traditional music and dance, and cuisine. Filipino cuisine is a blend of indigenous, Spanish, Chinese, and American influences, with dishes like adobo, sinigang, and lechon being popular favorites.

PASIG CITY

Pasig City, a dynamic metropolis in Metro Manila, Philippines, blends urban excitement with natural beauty. Explore the historic Pasig River, vibrant Ortigas Center, and cultural treasures like the Pasig City Museum. Find tranquility in RAVE Park's lush greenery and savor diverse culinary delights. As your gateway to adventure, Pasig offers endless exploration opportunities. Experience the magic of Pasig City today!



About the Philippines

5.2: How to get to Manila, Philippines

Ninoy Aquino International Airport has 4 Terminals, however terminals 1 and 3 serves international flights, and terminal 2 and 4 for domestic flights

5.3: Weather

The Philippines experiences tropical weather year-round, attributed to its proximity to water, which leads to high humidity levels. As a result, the climate tends to be hot, with temperatures averaging between a mild 26°C to 31°C consistently across the seasons. Rainfall is common, especially during the month of August.

5.4: Currency

The currency of the Philippines is the Philippine Peso, abbreviated as PHP or ₱. It is further divided into smaller units called centavos, with 100 centavos equalling 1 peso.

Money changers are readily available throughout the Philippines, including in malls, airports, tourist areas, and commercial districts, making it convenient for visitors to exchange their currency for Philippine Pesos. These establishments provide currency exchange services for various foreign currencies at prevailing exchange rates. It's advisable to compare rates and fees before exchanging money to ensure you get the best value.

5.5: Electricity

The Philippines operates on a 220V supply voltage and 60Hz. Most electrical outlets in the Philippines are non-grounded two-pronged outlets of either type A (North-American standard) with two flat parallel pins. We also we have Type C (European style) with two round pins.

5.6: Time Zone

All of Philippines is in the same time zone, +8 MST. Philippines do not go into daylight saving time.

5.7: Language

Filipino and English

Official Hotel and Transport



HQ Hotel – Crowne Plaza Manila

- 4 Star Hotel
- Distance from venue 1.9 KM
- By drive: 5 Mins drive
- By Walk: 26 Mins
- The Robinsons Galleria Mall is conveniently located right beside the hotel, and there is a shortcut available inside the hotel that leads directly to the mall
- Distance from airport
- 13 KM – 30 – 45 mins drive



Marco Polo Hotel

- 5 Star Hotel
- Distance from venue 1.8 KM
- By drive: 5 mins drive
- By Walk: 19 mins
- Lots of restaurants and bars conveniently located just beside the hotel
- Distance from airport
- 13 KM – 30 – 45 mins drive



Holiday Inn

- 4 Star Hotel
- Distance from venue 1.9 KM
- By drive: 5 Mins drive
- By Walk: 26 Mins
- The Robinsons Galleria
- Mall is conveniently located right beside the hotel, and there is a shortcut available inside the hotel that leads directly to the mall.
- Distance from airport
- 13 KM – 30 - 45 mins drive



Privato Hotel

- 3 Star Hotel
- Distance from venue 900 Meters
- By drive: 5 Mins
- By Walk: 12 Mins
- Distance from HQ Hotel 3 KM
- Distance from airport 13 KM - 30 - 45 mins drive



6. Official Hotels & Transport

*Free shuttle to hotel and competition venue except Privato Manila.

HOTEL RESERVATIONS MUST BE MADE BEFORE JULY 22, 2024

HOTEL RATE WITH BREAKFAST

NO.	HOTEL	RA (STAR)	PRICE/PAX SINGLE (USD)	PRICE/PAX DOUBLE (USD)	PRICE/PAX TRIPLE (USD)
1	CROWNE PLAZA HOTEL (HQ)	4	120	85	-
2	MARCO POLO HOTEL	5	130	95	-
3	HOLIDAY INN MANILA	4	110	75	65
4	PRIVATO MANILA	3	75	55	-

Important information:

Check-in time in Hotels is 14:00 pm. The period between 08:00 am to 14:00 pm will be charged in the size of 50% of room rate. If the check-in time in Hotel till 08:00 am, it will be charged at 100% of the room rate.

Check-out time in Hotel is 12:00 noon. Check-out time for the period from 12:00 am to 18:00 pm will be charged in the size of 50% of room rate accordingly. Check-out time after 18:00 am will be charged at 100% of room rate.

For hotel reservation please contact:

Local Organizing Committee

Email: karatepilipinas@yahoo.com

Telephone: +639175247570 WhatsApp/Viber

AIRPORT TRANSFER (AIRPORT-HOTEL-AIRPORT) \$ 40 USD PER PERSON

NOTE: PLEASE PAY ATTENTION

1. Availability based on first group booking (First come, first served)
2. All booking should be submitted not later than July 22, 2024 with 50% deposit and full payment after 15 days August 6, 2024.
3. The hotel and venue transfer is only provided for participants booking their accommodations in the official hotels through the Local Organizing Committee.
4. Local Transportation Participants staying in HQ Hotel and other official hotels can use the shuttle busses from official hotels to competition venue and this transportation is free of charge. Details will be provided upon arrival.
5. No Transportation will be arranged to and from non-official hotels.
6. In order to assist safe and secure for every team, in case of emergency, we recommend all teams to stay in official hotel.
7. The host shall impose a surcharge of US\$100/person to the delegation if participants make the hotel arrangement not through the organizer, or book to unofficial hotels.

KARATE PILIPINAS SPORTS FEDERATION BANK ACCOUNT	
NAME OF BANK	CHINA BANKING CORPORATION
ADDRESS	CHINA BANKING BUILDING
	8745 PASEO DE ROXAS CORNER VILLAR STREET
	MAKATI CITY 1226, PHILIPPINES
TEL. NOS	+63 8877-8567 / +63 8877-8604
SWIFT Code	CHBKPHMM
BENEFICIARY NAME	KARATE PILIPINAS SPORTS FEDERATION, INC.
ACCOUNT NUMBER	1334-5200-1179 (US Dollar Savings Account)
BRANCH	ALABANG HILLS BRANCH
NAME OF BANK	CHINA BANKING CORPORATION
NOTE	Inward remittance charge is USD 3.00 (USD: Three Dollars)
	All incoming remittance will be converted to US Dollars using the prevailing bank rate.
Payments For Hotel Reservation and Airports Transfers booking shall be Only by telegraphic transfer (TT)	

7. Local Committee Organization: Hotel booking, Transfer, Immigration, VISA.

7.1: Contact Information:

<p>Please contact LOC for Hotel booking, Transfer and for any visa assistance: VISA SUPPORT DEADLINE: JULY 22, 2024 Email: karatepilipinas@yahoo.com Phone: +639175247570 WhatsApp/Viber</p>
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ORDER	DATE
HOTEL/TRANSFER PRE BOOKING DEADLINE :	JULY 22, 2024
VISA REQUEST OFFICIAL LETTER DEADLINE :	JULY 22, 2024
HOTEL/TRANSFER DEPOSIT 50% DEADLINE :	JULY 30,2024
HOTEL/TRANSFER FINAL BOOKING :	AUGUST 6, 2024
HOTEL/TRANSFER FINAL PAYMENT :	AUGUST 6, 2024

7.2: GENERAL INFORMATION

Philippines has visa exemption agreements with several countries in the world. In case of the visa invitation request, please contact the Karate Pilipinas Sports Federation.

7.3: FREE VISA PROGRAM

Countries that typically require a visa to enter the Philippines:

Nationals of certain countries are eligible for visa-free entry or visa-on-arrival privileges when traveling to the Philippines for tourism or short-term stays. These countries often include members of the Association of Southeast Asian Nations (ASEAN), as well as several other countries worldwide.

If you need more specific information about visa requirements for a particular country or citizenship, please check the link attached:

<https://philippineembassy-dc.org/visa/>

<https://e-services.immigration.gov.ph/pdfs/BI-e-Services-User-Manual-20230526.pdf>

7.4: UNACCOMPANIED TRAVEL OF FOREIGN CHILDREN (NON-FILIPINO) TO THE PHILIPPINES

WAIVER OF EXCLUSION GROUND (WEG) applications are processed and approved by Philippine immigration authorities at the port of entry, after submission of a notarized affidavit of support and guarantee with consent to travel for WEG and other supporting documents.

For more information please check out the link:

<https://www.philippine-embassy.org.sg/travel-advisories/unaccompanied-travel-of-non-filipino-children-to-the-philippines/>

The Organizing Committee has applied for an exemption of payment for the WEG fees. We will update everybody as soon as we get the final approval. For the mean time kindly make a list of your athletes that are 14 years old and under that will not be traveling with their parents and submit to us the name, birthday and passport details.

8. The Championship

8.1: Date: August 23 – 25, 2024

8. 2: Championship Venue:

PhilSports Multi Purpose Arena Pasig City, Philippines

8.3: Modalities

CADET KUMITE CATEGORIES

MALE	FEMALE
-52kg	-47kg
-57kg	-54kg
-63kg	-61kg
-70kg	+61kg
+70kg	

JUNIOR KUMITE CATEGORIES

FEMALE	MALE
-48kg	-55kg
-53kg	-61kg
-59kg	-68kg
-66kg	-76kg
+66kg	+76kg

U21 KUMITE CATEGORIES

MALE	FEMALE
-55kg	-50kg
-60kg	-55kg
-67kg	-61kg
-75kg	-68kg
-84 kg	+68 kg
+84 kg	

KATA CATEGORIES

MALE	FEMALE
Cadet Male Individual	Cadet Female Individual
Junior Male Individual	Junior Female Individual
U21 Male Individual	U21 Female Individual
Team Kata Cadet Junior Male	Team Kata Cadet Junior Female

8.4: Registration for Athletes, Coaches & Officials

All competitors, officials, and officiating coaches must register online using the Sportdata online system **starting 00:01 (Dubai Time) on 1st June 2024, and will close at 23:59 (Dubai Time) on 10 August 2024.**

https://www.sportdata.org/wkf/set-online/veranstaltung_info_main.php?active_menu=calendar&vern=914#a_evthead

Please note that the photo uploaded for accreditation card and registration must be current and of passport type and size.

For video tutorial / online help / FAQ kindly visit: <https://goo.gl/in4opM>

If you need other technical support, please contact Mr. Taweelarp Ngamphuengphit (Taw Chan) Email: tawchan.b@gmail.com

National Federations are responsible for the registration of their delegation. Online registration for delegation will be open on **1 June 2024 and close on 10 August 2024 at 23:59 (Dubai Time).** **After the closing date, any late registration or amendments online will be penalized with a penalty of \$100 USD per entry or per amendment.**

Last minute registration or amendment, during the onsite registration will be penalized. Penalty fees are as follows:

Removing: \$200
Adding: \$200
Surcharge: \$200
Printing ID: \$100

Accreditation cards will be issued during the official onsite registration upon confirmed receipt of full payment. **Full payment to include surcharge of \$100 USD per person not booking the official hotels through Local Organizing Committee.** The accreditation cards must be worn at all times during the event. **Re-Printing of the accreditation card will be charged \$100 USD.**

Numbers of Coaches

Age Group	Maximum Number of Coach
Cadet & Junior	4
U21	4

Official Onsite Registration and accreditation will begin at the HQ Hotel

20 August: 09:00 - 17:00

21 August: 09:00 - 16:00

8.5: Official Competition Gi and Equipment

8.5.1: Competitor's Gi

For all official AKF events, the Karate Gi must have embroidered brands on the shoulders in respectively red or blue according to drawing. Exceptions are incumbent Senior World Champions and Premier League Grand Winners, who must instead of the red or blue have embroidered brands in gold. For team categories, the National Federations or Clubs will have the power to decide the uniformity of the brands on the karategis of the members of the team that represents them, in accordance with their regulations but with the same unified colour. All team members must wear red or blue embroidery according to their competition category. Although the team members must have shoulder branding of the same colour, there is no WKF requirement for the team members wearing the same brand of karate Gi.

Exclusively the “WKF Approved” Gi and sport protections are allowed in this event

WKF APPROVED KARATE GI

<u>ADIDAS</u>	<u>ARAWAZA</u>	<u>BESTSPORT</u>	<u>BUDO-NORD</u>	<u>DAEDO</u>
<u>HAYASHI</u>	<u>PUNOK</u>	<u>SHUREIDO</u>	<u>SMAI</u>	<u>TOKAIDO</u>
<u>WACOKU</u>	<u>WESING</u>	<u>BLITZ</u>	<u>FIGHT ART</u>	<u>FUJIMAE</u>
<u>HAYATE</u>	<u>HIROTA</u>	<u>IPON</u>	<u>ITAKI</u>	<u>KAITEN</u>
<u>KAMIKAZE</u>	<u>KIHON</u>	<u>KO</u>	<u>KWON</u>	<u>MIZUNO</u>
<u>MOOTO</u>	<u>MUVON</u>	<u>NAGASHI</u>	<u>SFJAM NORIS</u>	<u>TOKYODO</u>

SPORT PROTECTIONS IN COMPETITION

Exclusively the “WKF Approved” sport protections are allowed during this event.

SPORT PROTECTIONS “WKF Approved”



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Click on the image to visit the distributors by countries.



9. Rules

9.1: Most updated WKF Junior, Cadet & U21 Rules shall apply.

9.2: Anti - Doping: WKF Anti-Doping Rules shall apply.

9.3: Weigh-In: Official Weigh-In will be conducted as follows:

Category	Date	Time	Location
Cadet	22 August	09:30 – 10:30	HQ Hotel: TBA
Junior	23 August	09:30 – 10:30	Championship Venue
U21	24 August	09:30 – 10:30	Championship Venue

10. Registration for Officiating Referees

10.1: All NFs participating in

AKF Championship shall be obligated to send qualified referees to officiate. The minimum qualification of the referees to be sent by the NFs is AKF Kumite RA / Kata JA. The number of referees to be sent by NFs for officiating in the Championship shall be according to the number of athletes from the NF participating in the Championship as follows:

Numbers of Athletes from NF	Minimum Referees from NF
5 – 10 Athletes	1 Referee
More than 10 Athletes	2 Referees
Less than 5 Athletes	No minimum

If NF cannot comply with the minimum referee requirement of a qualified referee, then the NF shall be liable to pay a levy of \$100 USD per referee short. This amount shall be payable to the AKF Treasurer during the onsite registration. There shall be no limit of the number of qualified referees sent by the NFs for officiating in the Championship. However, at any one time there shall be no more than 8 referees officiating at the same time.

10.2: Referees & Coaches Licensing

Online Registration: 1 June 2024 – 10 August 2024

Each NF shall be limited to register a maximum of 15 candidates for upgrading examination and must be registered by their respective NF online, and subject to a total maximum participating examination candidates of 200 persons.

10.2.1: Registration for Referee

Link for Renewal

https://www.sportdata.org/wkf/set-online/veranstaltung_info_main.php?active_menu=calendar&vern=912#a_eventhead

Link for Officiating

https://www.sportdata.org/wkf/set-online/veranstaltung_info_main.php?active_menu=calendar&vern=910#a_eventhead

Link for Upgrade

https://www.sportdata.org/wkf/set-online/veranstaltung_info_main.php?active_menu=calendar&vern=911#a_eventhead

10.2.2: Registration for Coach License Examination and WKF Coach License
Convert to AKF

Link https://www.sportdata.org/wkf/set-online/veranstaltung_info_main.php?active_menu=calendar&vern=913#a_eventhead

10.3: Referees & Coaches Program Fees & Charges

1.	Referee Course Registration Fees and Conditions	
	Indistinctly Kata or Kumite	\$300 USD
	Both Kata & Kumite	\$400 USD
<p>As there is limited capacity for the total number of participants in the referee course, each NF will have to rank its candidates by priority order when submitting / registering their Referees for examination and seminar. AKF will inform each NF of the number of candidates accepted, following the priority order indicated by the NF. Should this priority order not be given, the AKF will make the decision as to which candidates are accepted. All payment of fees can be made by TT 10 days from the date of acceptance, or payment on site. If a registered candidate failed to turn up on time for onsite registration, the NF shall be fined USD200 per person for each absentee.</p>		
2.	Referee License Renewal Fee Indistinctly Kata or Kumite, (every four (4) years)	\$100 USD
3.	Referees Registration Fees for Asian Championships	
<p>The registration of qualified referees for officiating in the Asian Championships will be free of charge when done online within the stipulated date for the referee course registration. For late registration of referees and coaches a surcharge of USD 200 will be applied. NFs must register the referees and coaches online.</p>		
4.	Coach Registration Fees and Conditions	
	AKF Coach License Exam: Kata / Kumite	\$200 USD
	AKF Coach License Exam: Kata & Kumite	\$300 USD
	WKF Coach License Convert to AKF: Kata / Kumite	\$100 USD
	WKF Coach License Convert to AKF: Kata & Kumite	\$150 USD

***RE-PRINTING OF COACH ACCREDITATION CARD: \$ 100 US**

10.4: Referee & Coach Program Schedule

18 August (Sunday)

	Arrival of Referee Commission	
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19 August (Monday)

09:00 - 10:00	Referee Commission Meeting	HQ Hotel: Emerald B
10:30 - 15:30	Referee Kata & Kumite Registration & Payment	HQ Hotel: Emerald A
16:00 - 18:00	Referee Seminar: Kata & Kumite	HQ Hotel: Ballroom A

20 August (Tuesday)

10:00 – 11:30	Referee Theory Exam: Kata & Kumite	HQ Hotel: Ballroom A
12:30 - 15:00	Kumite Practical Exam: Goup-1	HQ Hotel: Ballroom A
15:30 – 18:00	Kumite Practical Exam: Group-2	HQ Hotel: Ballroom A

21 August (Wednesday)

09:00 – 11:00	-Renewal Referee Registration & Payment -Coach Exam Registration & Payment -Coach License Convert	HQ Hotel: Emerald A
09:30 – 12:00	Kumite Practical Exam Group-3	HQ Hotel: Ballroom A
12:30 – 14:00	Kata Practical Demonstrations	HQ Hotel: Ballroom A
14:30 - 16:00	Kata Video Exam	HQ Hotel: Ballroom A

22 August (Thursday)

09:00 – 10:00	Referee Exam Result	HQ Hotel: Emerald A
10:00 - 11:30	Coach Briefing (All Registered Coach & Coach Exam Candidates must attend)	HQ Hotel: Ballroom A
13:00 – 14:30	Theory Exam for Coach & Renewal Referee	HQ Hotel: Ballroom A
15:00 – 15:30	RC Chairman Medical Staff Briefing	HQ Hotel: Emerald A
17:00 - 19:00	Referee Briefing (All Referees must attend)	HQ Hotel: Ballroom A

9.5: The theory examination for Kata & Kumite will be conducted in English.

Only officiating referees and renewal referees must fill out their AKF ID in the Passport ID column during the online registration.

All Referee & Coach examination fee including the renewal fees can be paid via:

i) Telegraphic Transfer to AKF Bank Account no later than 10 August 2024 at 23:59 (Dubai Time) ,or

ii) pay in Cash, onsite, during the registration period.

Please note that for Telegraphic Transfer of funds, if not received during the registration time, the amount due shall be considered as non-payment.

Note:

- 8. Every NF shall be subjected to a maximum of 8 Referees and / or Judges on duty at any time. The distribution and schedule of the Referees and Judges shall be determined by the AKF Referee Commission.
- 9. All Referees and / or Judges that have passed their license upgrading and renewal examinations are required to officiate in the Championship.
- 10. Please note that if a person has been registered for the Referee or Coach program and fails to show up for the event, the outstanding registration fees plus the late payment penalty will become a debt receivable incurred by the National Federation.

11. Participation Fees & Charges AKF CHAMPIONSHIPS 2024

Registration Fees In Asian Championships	
Male Team Kata	USD 70 per entry
Female Team Kata	USD 70 per entry
Each Individual Entry	USD 50 per entry
For late registration, but before the start of onsite registration, a surcharge of \$50 USD will be applied for each new entry or amendment. For late registration, when the onsite registration has begun, and not yet closed, a surcharge of \$100 USD will be levied on each new entry or amendment.	

AKF Bank Account Details

BANK NAME	COMMERCIAL BANK OF DUBAI, MAIN BRANCH
BANK ADDRESS	Opp.Deira City Center, Al Ethihad Road, Deira - Dubai
BANK ACCOUNT NAME	ASIAN KARATE FEDERATION
ADDRESS OF ASIAN KARATE FEDERATION	Villa 97, Algeria Street, Mirdiff Dubai – UAE P.O Box 55603
ACCOUNT NUMBER	1002349833
SWIFT CODE / BIC	CBDUAEAD
IBAN	AE030230000001002349833

NFs must submit the bank transfer details to the AKF Treasurer at:
akfpresidentoffice@gmail.com

11.1: Participation Fees

The Participation Fees can be paid via:

i) Telegraphic Transfer to AKF Bank Account no later than 10 August 2024 at 23:59 (Dubai Time) ,or

ii) pay in Cash, onsite, during the registration period.

Please note that for Telegraphic Transfer of funds, if not received during the registration time, the amount due shall be considered as non-payment.

AKF will only accept new \$USD bills. Old \$USD bills and any damaged bills, marked on the bills or any writing on the bills will not be accepted

12. Pre-Championship Program

17 August (Saturday)

	Arrival of AKF OC & Sportdata	
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18 August (Sunday)

09:30 – 11:30	AKF OC, Sportdata & Hosting NF OC Meeting	HQ Hotel:
13:00 – 16:00	AKF OC, Sportdata & Hosting NF OC Preparation	HQ Hotel:

19 August (Monday)

09:00 – 18:00	Team Training	Training Venue
10:00 - 15:00	AKF OC, Sportdata & Hosting NF OC Preparation & Staff Training	HQ Hotel: Emerald B
	Hosting NF Venue Preparation	

20 August (Tuesday)

09:00 – 18:00	Team Training	Training Venue
09:00 – 17:00	Team Registration & Accreditation	HQ Hotel: Emerald B
	Venue Preparation & Function Testing	

21 August (Wednesday)

09:00 – 18:00	Team Training	Training Venue
09:00 – 16:00	Team Registration & Accreditation	HQ Hotel: Emerald B
	Venue Preparation & Function Testing	

22 August (Thursday)

09:30 – 10:30	Cadet Weigh-In	HQ Hotel: TBA
11:30 - 12:30	Team Manager Meeting & Draw	HQ Hotel: Sapphire B
13:00 – 16:00	AKF EC Meeting	HQ Hotel: Sapphire A
	AKF President's Venue Final Inspection	

13. Championship Program & Schedule

Championship schedules may be changed by the AKF OC if necessary

Championship Day-1 / Friday, 23 August 2024

Time	Program	Tatami
09:30-10:30	Junior Weigh-In	TBA
09:00 – 11:00	Cadet Male Kata Upper Pool	Tatami-1
	Cadet Male Kata Lower Pool	Tatami-2
	Cadet Female Kata Upper Pool	Tatami-3
	Cadet Female Kata Lower Pool	Tatami-4
	Junior Female Team Kata Upper Pool	Tatami-3
	Junior Female Team Kata Lower Pool	Tatami-4
	Junior Male Team Kata Upper Pool	Tatami-1
	Junior Male Team Kata Lower Pool	Tatami-2
11:00-14:00	KUMITE PRELIMINARY TO BRONZE	
	Cadet Male Kumite -52kg	Tatami-1
	Cadet Female Kumite -47kg	Tatami-2
	Cadet Male Kumite -57kg	Tatami-3
	Cadet Female Kumite -54kg	Tatami-4
	Cadet Male Kumite -63kg	Tatami-1
	Cadet Female Kumite -61kg	Tatami-2
	Cadet Male Kumite -70kg	Tatami-3
	Cadet Female Kumite +61kg	Tatami-4
	Cadet Male Kumite +70kg	Tatami-1
14:00-15:00	Kata Bronze	
	Cadet Male Kata Bronze-1	Tatami-1
	Cadet Male Kata Bronze-2	Tatami-2
	Cadet Female Kata Bronze-1	Tatami-1
	Cadet Female Kata Bronze-2	Tatami-2
	Junior Male Team Kata Bronze-1	Tatami-1
	Junior Male Team Kata Bronze-2	Tatami-2
	Junior Female Team Kata Bronze-1	Tatami-1
Junior Female Team Kata Bronze-2	Tatami-2	

Time	Program	Tatami
15:00 – 17:30	FINALS	
	Cadet Female Kata	Tatami-2
	Cadet Male Kata	Tatami-2
	Junior Female Team Kata	Tatami-2
	Junior Male Team Kata	Tatami-2
	Cadet Male Kumite -52kg	Tatami-2
	Cadet Female Kumite -47kg	Tatami-2
	Cadet Male Kumite -57kg	Tatami-2
	Cadet Female Kumite -54kg	Tatami-2
	Cadet Male Kumite -63kg	Tatami-2
	Cadet Female Kumite -61kg	Tatami-2
	Cadet Male Kumite -70kg	Tatami-2
	Cadet Female Kumite +61kg	Tatami-2
	Cadet Male Kumite +70kg	Tatami-2
17:30 – 18:30	AWARD CEREMONY	

Championship Day-2 / Saturday, 24 August 2024

Championship schedules may be changed by the AKF OC if necessary

Time	Program	Tatami
09:00 – 10:00	U21 Weigh-In	TBA
09:00 – 10:00	Junior Male Kata Upper Pool	Tatami-1
	Junior Male Kata Lower Pool	Tatami-2
	Junior Female Kata Upper Pool	Tatami-3
	Junior Female Kata Lower Pool	Tatami-4
10:00 – 14:00	KUMITE PRELIMINARY TO BRONZE	
	Junior Male Kumite -55kg	Tatami-1
	Junior Female Kumite -48kg	Tatami-2
	Junior Male Kumite -61kg	Tatami-3
	Junior Female Kumite -53kg	Tatami-4
	Junior Male Kumite -68kg	Tatami-1
	Junior Female Kumite -59kg	Tatami-2
	Junior Male Kumite -76kg	Tatami-3
	Junior Female Kumite -66kg	Tatami-4
	Junior Female Kumite +66kg	Tatami-1
	Junior Male Kumite +76kg	Tatami-2
14:00 – 14:30	Kata Bronze	
	Junior Male Kata Bronze-1	Tatami-1
	Junior Male Kata Bronze-2	Tatami-2
	Junior Female Kata Bronze-1	Tatami-1
	Junior Female Kata Bronze-2	Tatami-2

Time	Program	Tatami
14:30 – 17:30	FINAL	
	Junior Female Kata	Tatami-2
	Junior Male Kata	Tatami-2
	Junior Male Individual Kumite -55kg	Tatami-2
	Junior Female Individual Kumite -48kg	Tatami-2
	Junior Male Individual Kumite -61kg	Tatami-2
	Junior Female Individual Kumite -53kg	Tatami-2
	Junior Male Individual Kumite -68kg	Tatami-2
	Junior Female Individual Kumite -59kg	Tatami-2
	Junior Male Individual Kumite -76kg	Tatami-2
	Junior Female Kumite -66kg	Tatami-2
	Junior Female Individual Kumite +66kg	Tatami-2
	Junior Male Individual Kumite +76kg	Tatami-2
17:30 – 18:30	AWARD CEREMONY	

Championship Day-3 / Sunday, 25 August 2024

Championship schedules may be changed by the AKF OC if necessary

Time	Program	Tatami
09:00 – 10:30	U21 Female Kata Upper Pool	Tatami-1
	U21 Female Kata Lower Pool	Tatami-2
	U21 Male Kata Upper Pool	Tatami-3
	U21 Male Kata Lower Pool	Tatami-4
10:30 – 14:00	KUMITE PRELIMINARY TO BRONZE	
	U21 Female Kumite -50kg	Tatami-1
	U21 Male Kumite -55kg	Tatami-2
	U21 Female Kumite -55kg	Tatami-3
	U21 Male Kumite -60kg	Tatami-4
	U21 Female Kumite -61kg	Tatami-1
	U21 Male Kumite -67kg	Tatami-2
	U21 Female Kumite -68kg	Tatami-3
	U21 Male Kumite -75kg	Tatami-4
	U21 Male Kumite -84 kg	Tatami-1
	U21 Female Kumite +68kg	Tatami-2
	U21 Male Kumite +84kg	Tatami-3
14:00 – 14:30	Kata Bronze	
	U21 Female Kata Bronze-1	Tatami-1
	U21 Female Kata Bronze-2	Tatami-2
	U21 Male Kata Bronze-1	Tatami-1
	U21 Male Kata Bronze-2	Tatami-2

Time	Program	Tatami
14:30 – 17:00	FINAL	
	U21 Female Kata	Tatami-2
	U21 Male Kata	Tatami-2
	U21 Female Kumite -50kg	Tatami-2
	U21 Male Kumite -55kg	Tatami-2
	U21 Female Kumite -55kg	Tatami-2
	U21 Male Kumite -60kg	Tatami-2
	U21 Female Kumite -61kg	Tatami-2
	U21 Male Kumite -67kg	Tatami-2
	U21 Female Kumite -68kg	Tatami-2
	U21 Male Kumite -75kg	Tatami-2
	U21 Male Kumite -84 kg	Tatami-2
	U21 Female Kumite +68kg	Tatami-2
	U21 Male Kumite +84kg	Tatami-2
AWARD CEREMONY		

14. Contact Information

AKF President's Office
 President: Major General Nasser Al Razooqi
 Email: akfpresidentoffice@gmail.com

AKF CEO's Office
 Mr. Vincent Chen
 Email: akf.gmoffice@gmail.com

For Championship Program and registration
 AKF Organizing Commission
 Mr. Kazuma Tengan (Chairman)
 Email: 10gun1218@gmail.com

For Referee and Coach program
 AKF Referee Commission
 Mr. Mansour Al Sultan (Chairman)
Mansour12003@gmail.com

For Visa support, Hotels and transportation Local Organizing Committee:
Email: karatepilipinas@yahoo.com
Phone: +639175247570 / WhatsApp / Viber

15. Insurance

In compliance with AKF rules, it is obligatory for all the participants and members of the participating delegations to have their own medical and personal trip insurance. The Karate Pilipinas Federation Sports Inc, and Asian Karate Federation (AKF) as well as the Organizing Committee assume no liability or responsibility for the lack of insurance from participants and members of the delegations. The head of the delegations must sign the enclosed terms of responsibility and return it to the local organizing committee by 10 August 2024.

16. Team Training (Booking not later than 1st August 2024)

Team training will be a reservation basis. Please submit the team training reservation request to the local organizing committee EMAIL: or by whatsApp:

17. Media, Press, Photographer

All official Media, Press, Photographers must submit a request and to be approved by the AKF CEO's Office no later than 10 August 2024.

Those accreditations can only be given to professional journalists working for a media and having proof of their credentials. The media passes will be received at the accreditation session at the HQ Hotel.

Access to media work areas is restricted to accredited journalists and photographers covering the event. ONLY accredited journalists have access to the designated Media Areas.

NF's Photographers are not an Official Media. NF Photographers are not allowed to access Tatami Area without approval of AKF CEO's Office.

The AKF reserves the right to revoke credentials for unprofessional behaviours or unacceptable conducts of Media Personnel.

18. TV, Video and Photography

All the TV, video, webcam, live streaming, photography, internet, etc, rights are the exclusive property of the AKF.

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APPENDIX 1

TERM OF RESPONSIBILITY

I _____ the undersigned, as the **Chief of Delegation / Team Manager** of my country, duly enrolled to participate in the 22nd ASIAN CADET JUNIOR & U21 KARATE CHAMPIONSHIPS which will be held in the city of Manila, Philippines from 22nd August to 25th August 2024 with full knowledge of the Statutes, the Rules and the Norms of The ASIAN 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 championship, 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 AKF and the Karate Pilipinas Federation Sports Inc, 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 (as considered necessary) for the sport activities and publications of karate, related to the event, without any monetary compensation.

Date: _____

Signature: _____

Country/Nation	
Surname, First Name	
Passport No. & Expiry Date	
Position in the Federation	
Address	
Contact Tel	
Email	

Waiver of Liability Form Individual +18
Assumption of the Risk and Waiver of Liability Relating to
Coronavirus/COVID-19 and Acceptance of the WKF COVID Protocol
& Local Health Measures

The novel coronavirus ("COVID-19" has been declared a worldwide pandemic by the World Health Organization. The ASIAN KARATE FEDERATION (AKF) has put in place preventative measures to reduce the spread of COVID-19; however, cannot guarantee that you will not become infected with COVID-19.

For my own safety and of those participating in the AKF Events, I voluntarily agree to review and rigorously and completely comply with the WK COVID Protocol and Local Health Measures.

I understand without question that the noncompliance with the WKF COVID Protocol, AKF Organizing Rules and/or Local Health Measures may lead to the removal of my official accreditation for the event.

I voluntarily agree to assume all of the foregoing risks and accept sole responsibility for any injury to myself (including, but not limited to, personal injury, disability, and death), illness, damage, loss, claim, liability, or expense, of any kind, that I may experience or incur in connection with my attendance at the AKF Events.

On my behalf, I hereby release, covenant not to sue, discharge, and hold harmless the event organizers, its employees, agents, and representatives, of and from the Claims, including all liabilities, claims, actions, damages, costs, or expenses of any kind arising out of or relating there to.

I understand and agree that this release includes any Claims based on the actions, omissions, or negligence of the AKF Events organizers, its employees, agents, and representatives, whether a COVID- 19 infection occurs before, during, or after attending the AKF event.

I hereby declare that I have thoroughly read, understood, and individually provided their signature voluntarily and in agreement with the above declarations.

22nd Asian Cadet Junior & U21 Karate Championship Manila Philippines.

AKF Event/City **NF** **or** **Team/Country**
Passport

Name (As in Passport) **Date** **Signature**

Waiver of Liability Form Parental Consent
Assumption of the Risk and Waiver of Liability Relating to
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Local Health Measures

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For my own safety and of those participating in the AKF Events, I voluntarily agree to review and rigorously and completely comply with the WKF COVID Protocol and Local Health Measures. I understand without question that the noncompliance with the WKF COVID Protocol, AKF Organizing Rules and/or Local Health Measures may lead to the removal of my official accreditation for the event.

I voluntarily agree to assume all of the foregoing risks and accept sole responsibility for any injury to myself (including, but not limited to, personal injury, disability, and death), illness, damage, loss, claim, liability, or expense, of any kind, that I may experience or incur in connection with my attendance at the AKF Events. On my behalf, I hereby release, covenant not to sue, discharge, and hold harmless the event organizers, its employees, agents, and representatives, of and from the Claims, including all liabilities, claims, actions, damages, costs, or expenses of any kind arising out of or relating there to.

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22nd Asian Cadet Junior & U21 Karate Championship Manila Philippines

AKF Event/City
Passport

NF or Team/Country

Name (As in Passport)
Signature

Date

PARENTAL CONSENT: I am the minor's parent or guardian named above and I understand the nature of the Waiver of Liability above and verify and consent to the minor attending the AKF Event indicated under the AKF Organizing Rules, the AKF COVID Protocol and Local Health Measures.

Parent/Guardian Name

Signature

Date

Waiver of Liability Form NF/Team Representative"
Assumption of the Risk and Waiver of Liability Relating to
Coronavirus/COVID-19 and Acceptance of the WKF Covid Protocol
& Local Health Measures

The novel coronavirus (COVID-19*) has been declared a worldwide pandemic by the World Health Organization. The ASIAN KARATE FEDERATION (AKF) has put in place preventative measures to reduce the spread of COVID-19; however, cannot guarantee that you will not become infected with COVID-19.

For my own safety and of those participating in the AF Events, I voluntarily agree to review and rigorously and completely comply with the WK COVID Protocol and Local Health Measures. I understand without question that the noncompliance with the WKF COVID Protocol, AKF Organizing Rules and/or Local Health Measures may lead to the removal of my official accreditation for the event.

I voluntarily agree to assume all of the foregoing risks and accept sole responsibility for any injury to myself (including, but not limited to, personal injury, disability, and death), illness, damage, loss, claim, liability, or expense, of any kind, that I may experience or incur in connection with my attendance at the AKF Events. On my behalf, I hereby release, covenant not to sue, discharge, and hold harmless the event organizers, its employees, agents, and representatives, of and from the Claims, including all liabilities, claims, actions, damages, costs, or expenses of any kind arising out of or relating thereto.

I understand and agree that this release includes any Claims based on the actions, omissions, or negligence of the AKF Events organizers, its employees, agents, and representatives, whether a COVID- 19 infection occurs before, during, or after attending the AKF event.

As the representative (National Federation, Head Coach, Team Manager etc.) of my attached Delegation, I hereby declare that I assume and accept responsibility for the compliance of the previously mentioned norms by the members of my Team and/or National Federation and accompanying parental consent forms for participants under 18 years of age on the day of the Official on-site registration.

22nd Asian Cadet Junior & U21 Karate Championship Manila Philippines.

AKF Event/City Passport	NF	or	Team/Country
Name (As in Passport)	Date	Signature	



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