



Dear Taekwon-Do friends,

It is with great pleasure that I would like to invite you all to the 4th edition of the Black Eagle Open. The event will be held in Tampere on the 25-26.3.2023 and will include sparring and patterns and is open to all regardless of style or affiliation. Round robin will be used for patterns and sparring for the Black Belt patterns and sparring categories to allow the maximum rounds for competitors.

With the European Championships being held in late April, this is a great opportunity for your teams to add an extra event to their preparation before the championships.

We hope to see you in Tampere and we will do our utmost to make your stay pleasant and fun.

Yours in Taekwon-Do,

Master Thierry Meyour VIII Dan
Black Eagle Taekwon-Do Head Instructor
Event coordinator.

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REGISTRATION DEADLINE: 12.03.2023

Registration done online through KIHAPP tournament management system:

<https://www.kihapp.com/tournaments/6405-iv-black-eagle-taekwon-do-open>

WELCOME TO TAMPERE!



CATEGORIES

1- RED/BLACK BELTS – POINT FIGHTING ADVANCED (SATURDAY)

1-1 PATTERNS:

Senior Male & Female (18+ y.o)		
Gender	Rank	
Male	2-1 gup, 1 Dan, 2 Dan, 3 Dan, 4-6 Dan	
Female	2-1 gup, 1 Dan, 2 Dan, 3 Dan, 4-6 Dan	

Junior Male & Female (14-17 y.o)		
Gender	Rank	
Male	2-1 gup, 1 Dan, 2 Dan, 3 Dan	
Female	2-1 gup, 1 Dan, 2 Dan, 3 Dan	

Open Patterns (Juniors and Seniors combined)		
Gender	Rank	
Male	2 gup-6 Dan	
Female	2 gup-6 Dan	

Notes: Pool system until quarter/semifinals: 1 pattern

1-2 SPARRING:

Senior Black Belt Categories (18+y.o)		
Gender	Rank	Weight
Male	2 Gup – 6 Dan	-63kgs, -70kgs, -78kgs, +78kgs
Female	2 Gup – 6 Dan	-56kgs, -62-kgs, -68kgs, +68kgs

Junior Black Belt Categories (14-17 y.o.)		
Gender	Rank	Weight
Male	2 Gup – 3 Dan	-56kgs, -62kgs, -68kgs, +68kgs
Female	2 Gup – 3 Dan	-50kgs, -55kgs, -60kgs, +60kgs

GRAND CHAMPION ONLY SENIORS		
Gender	Rank	Weight
Male	2 Gup – 6 Dan	-70kgs, +70kgs
Female	2 Gup – 6 Dan	All



1-3 POINT FIGHTING:

NB: THE SAME COMPETITOR CAN COMPETE IN BOTH ITF STYLE SPARRING AND OPEN STYLE POINT FIGHTING.

Senior Categories (18+y.o)		
Gender	Rank	Weight
Male	Point Fighting (Open to all styles) (Advanced Saturday)*	-63kgs, -70kgs, -78kgs, +78kgs
Female	Point Fighting (Open to all styles) (Advanced Saturday)*	-56kgs, -62-kgs, -68kgs, +68kgs

Junior Categories (14-17 y.o.)		
Gender	Rank	Weight
Male	Point Fighting (Open to all styles) (Advanced Saturday)*	-56kgs, -62kgs, -68kgs, +68kgs
Female	Point Fighting (Open to all styles) (Advanced Saturday)*	-50kgs, -55kgs, -60kgs, +60kgs

GRAND CHAMPION ONLY SENIORS ADVANCED (SATURDAY)		
Gender	Rank	Weight
Male	Point Fighting (Open to all styles) (Advanced - Saturday)*	All weights combined
Female	Point Fighting (Open to all styles) (Advanced - Saturday)*	All weights combined

* **Beginners** means that the competitor has little competition experience or has a lower rank in case of traditional arts. **Advance** means that the competitor has previous good level competition experience or has a higher rank in case of traditional arts.

Notes:

- Pool system will be used:1x2mins
- For Grand champion categories we will allow **Seniors Only for males and Seniors and Juniors for females**

TROPHY FOR THE WINNERS OF BOTH OPEN PATTERNS AND POINT FIGHTING SPARRING!



2- COLOR BELTS – POINT FIGHTING ADVANCED (SUNDAY)

2-1 PATTERNS:



Senior Male & Female (18+y.o)	
Male	10-6 Gup (1 optional pattern), 5-3 Gup (1 designated pattern)
Female	10-6 Gup (1 optional pattern), 5-3 Gup (1 designated pattern)

Juniors A Male & Female - (14-17y.o)	
Male	10-6 Gup (1 optional pattern), 5-3 Gup (1 designated pattern)
Female	10-6 Gup (1 optional pattern), 5-3 Gup (1 designated pattern)

Juniors B (11-13y.o) and C (8-10y.o) Male & Female	
Male B	10-9 Gup, 8-7 Gup, 6-5 Gup (1 optional pattern), 4-1 Gup (1 designated pattern)
Female B	10-9 Gup, 8-7 Gup, 6-5 Gup (1 optional pattern), 4-1 Gup (1 designated pattern)
Male C	10-9 Gup, 8-7 Gup, 6-5 Gup (1 optional pattern), 4-1 Gup (1 designated pattern)
Female C	10-9 Gup, 8-7 Gup, 6-5 Gup (1 optional pattern), 4-1 Gup (1 designated pattern)

2-2 SPARRING:

Senior 1x2mins		
Gender	Rank	Weight
Male	10-6 Gup, 5-3 Gup	-63kgs, -70kgs, -78kgs, +78kgs
Female	10-6 Gup, 5-3 Gup	-56kgs, -62kgs, -68kgs, +68kgs

Juniors A (14-17y.o) 1x2mins		
Gender	Rank	Height
Male	10-6 Gup, 5-3 Gup	150cms, -160cms, -170cms, +170cms
Female	10-6 Gup, 5-3 Gup	150cms, -160cms, -170cms, +170cms

Juniors B (11-13y.o) and C (8-10y.o) Male and Female - 1x1.5mins		
Gender	Rank	Height
Male B	10-6 Gup, 5-1 Gup	140cms, -150cms, -160cms, +160cms
Female B	10-6 Gup, 5-1 Gup	140cms, -150cms, -160cms, +160cms
Male C	10-6 Gup, 5-1 Gup	130cms, -140cms, -150cms, +150cms
Female C	10-6 Gup, 5-1 Gup	130cms, -140cms, -150cms, +150cms



2-3 POINT FIGHTING:

NB: THE SAME COMPETITOR CAN COMPETE IN BOTH ITF STYLE SPARRING AND OPEN STYLE POINT FIGHTING.

Senior 1x2mins		
Gender	Rank	Weight
Male	Point Fighting (Open to all styles) (Beginner - Sunday)*	-63kgs, -70kgs, -78kgs, +78kgs
Female	Point Fighting (Open to all styles) (Beginner - Sunday)*	-56kgs, -62kgs, -68kgs, +68kgs

Juniors A (14-17y.o) 1x2mins		
Gender	Rank	Height
Male	Point Fighting (Open to all styles) (Beginner - Sunday)*	150cms, -160cms, -170cms, +170cms
Female	Point Fighting (Open to all styles) (Beginner - Sunday)*	150cms, -160cms, -170cms, +170cms

Juniors B (11-13y.o) and C (8-10y.o) Male and Female - 1x1.5mins		
Gender	Rank	Height
Male B	Point Fighting (Open to all styles) (Beginner - Sunday)*	140cms, -150cms, -160cms, +160cms
Female B	Point Fighting (Open to all styles) (Beginner - Sunday)*	140cms, -150cms, -160cms, +160cms
Male C	Point Fighting (Open to all styles) (Beginner - Sunday)*	130cms, -140cms, -150cms, +150cms
Female C	Point Fighting (Open to all styles) (Beginner - Sunday)*	130cms, -140cms, -150cms, +150cms

*** Beginners means that the competitor has little competition experience or has a lower rank in case of traditional arts. Advance means that the competitor has previous good level competition experience or has a higher rank in case of traditional arts.**

NOTES:

- Competitors must be 8,11,14 or 18 on the day of the competition.
- Organizer does not provide insurance for competitors; **all** competitors must have a personal insurance. Black Eagle Taekwon-Do and its staff is in no case responsible for any injury that might occur during the event.
- Coach can either have tracksuit or tracksuit jacket (Dobok trousers are allowed), and **must** have a white towel.
- Outfit and protections:
 - competition ITF style competition: ITF Dobok or similar
 - Point fighting competition: Uniform trousers, Kick boxing trousers, Club Tshirt.
 - Protections for both ITF and Point fighting: Open palm gloves, protective boots, shin guards, mouth guard, headguard, groin guard (only boys)



3- REGISTRATION AND START OF COMPETITION

Last Registration Date:	12.03.2023 @ 23.59 (Finnish time)
Weigh-in and height check Dates:	Friday 24.3 19.00 – 20.00: All Saturday 25.3: 8.30 – 9.30: Black Belts Sunday 26.3: 8.30 – 9.30: Color belts
	Dobok or Kick boxing trousers and t-shirt (no sleeveless). A tolerance of 500g will be permitted.
Competition Schedule	
Saturday:	9.00 – 9.30: Umpire/Referee meeting 9.00 – 9.45: Coach Meeting 10.00: Competition starts
Sunday:	9.00 – 9.30: Umpire/Referee meeting 9.00 – 9.45: Coach Meeting 10.00: Competition starts

In case of low participation in a category (3 or less), the organizer reserves the right to combine categories. Members who are not sparring do not have to attend the weigh in or registration, but the COACH needs to have the up to date list of all his competitors during the registration.

4- UMPIRES:

Competitions cannot be held without umpires, therefore we kindly ask clubs to provide the amount of umpires according to the below information. All umpires must be licensed and must wear the official ITF umpire outfit.

Organizers will provide food and snacks during the event for all umpires.

- A level umpires will have an allowance of 40€ for the day.

- B level umpires will have an allowance of 30€ for the day.

Register your umpires directly on **Kihapp**

3-9 competitors:	1 umpire
10-16 competitors:	2 umpires
16+ competitors:	3 umpires

Penalty fee for not providing requested umpires: **50€/missing umpire**



5- COMPETITION FEE:

Black Belt categories/advanced point fighting (juniors/seniors): **40€**

Color belt categories/beginner point fighting (seniors): **35€**

Color belt categories/ beginner point fighting (juniors): **25€**

Note: We will accept late registrations up to the **17.3.23** with an extra fee of **20€/entry**

Last payment date: **12.3.2023**

Account: **FI85 8146 9710 2183 05**

Swift/Bic: **DABAFIHH**

You can also pay by credit card via www.kihapp.com

Make sure to write in the message box the name of the club, the amount of color belts and amount of black belts. Then send a screenshot of the payment to: **betkdopen@gmail.com**

IMPORTANT: After the deadline, the competition fee will be refunded only in case of medical reasons and with presentation of a doctor's certificate and should be provided latest one week after the competition.

6- SALES STAND AND CAFÉ

Bebudoshop will have a stand with Adidas and Mightyfist products available. There will also be a cafe that will be serving refreshments and small snacks.

7- ACCOMODATION

We have a deal with Hotel Hermica which is located 200m from the competition place:

Address: [Insinöörinkatu 78, 33720, Tampere.](https://www.hermica.fi)

Phone: +358 3651111

Email: sales@hermica.fi

Prices:

Single: 90€

Double: 110€

Triple: 135€

Reservations only via website www.hermica.fi with code: **TKW23**



8- IMPORTANT DATES AND INFORMATION

When you receive this invitation, please do the following:

1. Market the event to your national association and clubs.
2. Make sure all of your members have appropriate insurance.
3. Visit: www.kihapp.com register your club, enter your competitors.

Friday 12.03.2023 by 23:59 Finnish time

4. Finalize your competitor's entries on www.kihapp.com. Proceed to payments either by bank transfer either by credit card through kihapp.com
5. **Finalize your list of Umpires on www.kihapp.com if you haven't done it.**

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