HAN FOUNDATION YOUTH TAEKWONDO CHAMPIONSHIPS 2023

INFORMATION SHEET

The Han Foundation Youth Taekwondo Championships 2023 is sanctioned by the Singapore Taekwondo Federation (STF).

1. COMPETITION SCHEDULE

1.1. Submissions

Date: 30th Jan 2023 (Mon) to 8th Feb 2023 (Wed) (GMT+08)

Time: N.A. Mode: E-mail

1.2. Competition Proper

Date: 17th Mar 2023 (Fri) to 19th Mar 2023 (Sun) (GMT+08)

Time: TBC

Venue: The Grandstand Event Hall

200 Turf Club Road, The Grandstand, S(287994)

(The organising committee reserve the right to change the schedule as they deems fit)

2. PRE-COMPETITION PROCEEDINGS

2.1. Briefing and Drawing of Lots

Date: [TBC] 13th Feb 2023 (Mon) (GMT+08)

Time: TBC

Venue: 200 Turf Club Road, #02-02, The Grandstand, S(287994)

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3. REGISTRATION

3.1. Registration Forms

- 3.1.1. Registration will be as per scheduled in clause 1.1..
- 3.1.2. All registration forms must be completed fully and accurately.
- 3.1.3. A complete set of applications must include
 - 3.1.3.1. Club Registration Form
 - 3.1.3.2. Coach Registration Form (Group)
 - 3.1.3.3. Referee Registration Form
 - 3.1.3.4. Competitors' Registration Form (Poomsae)
 - 3.1.3.5. Competitors' Registration Form (Kyorugi)
 - 3.1.3.6. Competitors' Registration Form (Virtual Taekwondo)
 - 3.1.3.7. Competitors' Proof of Rank
 - 3.1.3.8. Code of Conduct Form (One form for every individual coach)
 - 3.1.3.9. Payment of Competition Fee

3.2 Eligibility

3.2.1. Open to all clubs affiliated to Singapore Taekwondo Federation (STF).

- 3.2.1.1. Members must be of clubs affiliated to Singapore Taekwondo Federation (STF), holding a certificate approved by STF.
- 3.2.2. For Kyorugi Events and Virtual Taekwondo Events, only 2nd geup, 1st geup, Poom belt and Black belt holders are allowed to participate (Grades must be obtained in 186th STF Grading October/November 2022 or highest rank obtained as of 186th STF Grading).

3.3. **Proof of Rank**

- 3.3.1. Acceptable proof of rank are grading card, poom certificate or dan certificate (Grades must be obtained in 186th STF Grading October/November 2022 or highest rank obtained as of 186th STF Grading).
 - 3.3.1.1 Documentary proofs must be produced for verification during online registration.

3.4. **Proof of Age**

- 3.4.1. All competitors' age must be verified by the Team Coach/Manager on their respective Competitor's Registration Form (Poomsae/Kyorugi/Virtual Taekwondo).
- 3.4.2. Competitors found to be registered in the wrong age category will be disqualified.

3.5. Competition Fee

- 3.5.1. Competitors: SGD 45.00/pax for first event SGD 45.00/pax for subsequent event
- 3.5.2. If a competitor was to join 2 events, for example 1 poomsae event and 1 kyorugi event, it will be SGD 90.00.
- 3.5.3. Submissions can be paid in cash or by an electronic mean to be decided by the organisers.
- 3.5.4. Fees paid will not be refunded under any circumstances.
- 3.6. Submission of incomplete registration forms will constitute in disqualification of the competitor or the coach.
- 3.7. An application is deemed incomplete if any of the items listed above is not submitted. It will not be processed until all items are received.
- 3.8. Submission after the registration period as scheduled in clause 1.1. but before the Drawing of Lots as scheduled in clause 2.1. is liable for an additional administrative fee of SGD 45.00 per contestant. Submission after the Drawing of Lots as scheduled in clause 2.1. will not be accepted.

4. GENERAL COMPETITION RULES

4.1. **Events**

- 4.1.1. Poomsae (Individual)
 - 4.1.1.1. There is no limit to the number of competitors a club can field for all Individual Poomsae event.
- 4.1.2. Kyorugi (Individual)
 - 4.1.2.1. There is no limit to the number of competitors a club can field for all Individual Kyorugi event.
 - 4.1.2.2. For Super Junior, Young Junior, Cadet and Junior Division, head kick is prohibited.
- 4.1.3. Virtual Taekwondo (Individual)

4.1.3.1. There is no limit to the number of competitors a club can field for all Individual Virtual Taekwondo event.

4.2. Age Divisions

4.2.1. Poomsae

4.2.1.1. Super Junior Division: 8 years old and below

(Born in or after year 2015)

4.2.1.2. Young Junior Division: 9 to 11 years old

(Born between year 2012 to 2014)

4.2.1.3. Cadet Division: 12 to 14 years old

(Born between year 2009 to 2011)

4.2.1.4. Junior Division: 15 to 17 years old

(Born between year 2006 to 2008)

4.2.2. Kyorugi

4.2.2.1. Super Junior Division: 7 to 8 years old

(Born between year 2015 to 2016)

4.2.2.2. Young Junior Division: 9 to 11 years old

(Born between year 2012 to 2014)

4.2.2.3. Cadet Division: 12 to 14 years old

(Born between year 2009 to 2011)

4.2.2.4. Junior Division: 15 to 17 years old

(Born between year 2006 to 2008)

4.2.3. Virtual Taekwondo

4.2.3.1. Super Junior Division: 7 to 8 years old

(Born between year 2015 to 2016)

4.2.3.2. Young Junior Division: 9 to 11 years old

(Born between year 2012 to 2014)

4.2.3.3. Cadet Division: 12 to 14 years old

(Born between year 2009 to 2011)

4.2.3.4. Junior Division: 15 to 17 years old

(Born between year 2006 to 2008)

4.3. Uniform and Equipment

4.3.1. All local competitors must wear STF-approved WT-style uniforms. Those who fail to observe this rule will be barred from participation. All local officials and competitors are reminded that the STF-approved brand uniforms must be bought from the respective companies as listed on the Singapore Taekwondo Federation website. They will also get into trouble with the STF if they buy the uniforms with STF trademarks from unauthorised sources. For any discrepancies, the organising committee will request the coach or competitor to fill up a form stating that uniform has been purchased from an official source, have the uniform photographed on the spot and provide proof of purchase at a later date. The affected companies will reserves the rights to pursue legal action.

- 4.3.2. For this championships, local competitors are allowed to wear WT-style Poomsae uniform approved by WT for Poomsae events. The uniform can only have the club badge and the approved club name at the back bottom of the uniform. Team Managers who are unsure of this requirement should email the organising committee before making any purchases.
- 4.3.3. No national flag or 3-letter country code is allowed on the uniform.
- 4.3.4. Competitors must wear the belt of the category in which they are competing e.g. If Competitor A is participating in Green Belt Category, he must wear a Green belt when he is competing.
- 4.3.5. All competitors are responsible for their own protective equipment for Kyorugi event.
- 4.3.6. All competitors are required to wear the following equipment on entering the contest area: Head gear (BLUE or RED only), DAEDO Electronic Trunk Protector, Groin Guard (Both Male and Female), Forearm guard (white - based), Shin guard (white-based), Gloves, DAEDO Electronic Foot Protector.
 - 4.3.6.1. Competitors in the Super Junior Division, Young Junior Division, Cadet Division and Junior Division will be required to wear Head gear with protective face shield.
 Mouthpiece is optional.
- 4.3.7. The organising committee will provide the Head gear and the DAEDO Electronic Trunk Protector.

 For the other equipment, competitors will have to ensure that they have their own and this include the DAEDO Electronic Foot Protector.

5. RULES AND REGULATIONS (POOMSAE)

- 5.1. WT and STF rules will apply.
- 5.2. The cut-off system will be used for this competition.
- 5.3. In the event that there is overwhelming registration for a category, the organising committee reserve the right to split the category into two (or more) sub-categories and competitors within each sub-category will compete within their sub-category. The division of competitors into the sub-categories will be based on organising committee' discretion.
- 5.4. The organising committee reserve the right to vary the number selected for each stage of competition.
- 5.5. For preliminary, competitors will be performing in two's, using either electronic scoring system or manual scoring system. No score will be shown on the LCD screen. If time allows, the organising committee reserves the right to allow competitors to perform one at a time or use electronic scoring.
- 5.6. Competitors in the finals shall perform individually using electronic scoring system. In the event of a system breakdown, the Organising committee reserves the right to use manual scoring for the finals.
- 5.7. The sequence of performance shall be as follows:
 - 5.7.1. Individual (by alphabetical order of the submitted names of the competitors)
 - 5.7.2. Notwithstanding the above, the organising committee reserve the right to use electronic balloting for the sequence of performance. This will be announced during the Briefing and Drawing of Lots.
 - 5.7.3. The poomsae for Cadet Division and Junior Division will be announced during the Team Manager and Coach Briefing.

5.8. **Events**

5.8.1. Individual Event

- 5.8.1.1. Male and female will compete in separate gender categories. There will be no limits to the number of competitors to each club.
- 5.8.1.2. Competitors can participate in 1 individual event.

5.9. Individual Poomsae Belt Categories

Division	Category	Semi-Finals	Finals
	Yellow-Tip (9th Geup)	Nil	Preliminary Poomsae
	Yellow (8th Geup)	Nil	II Jang
	Green-Tip (7th Geup)	Nil	Ee Jang
Super Junior	Green (6th Geup)	Nil	Sam Jang
Young Junior Cadet	Blue-Tip (5th Geup)	Nil	Sa Jang
Junior	Blue (4th Geup)	Nil	O Jang
	Red-Tip (3rd Geup)	Nil	Yuk Jang
	Red (2nd Geup)	Nil	Chil Jang
	Black-Tip (1st Geup)	Nil	Pal Jang
Super Junior Young Junior	Poom (1st Poom and higher)	Chil Jang, Pal Jang	Koryo, Keumgang
Cadet	Poom (1st Poom and higher)	Sa Jang, O Jang, Yuk Jang, Chil Jang (2 poomsae will be chosen)	Chil Jang, Pal Jang, Koryo, Keumgang (2 poomsae will be chosen)
Junior	Dan (1st Dan and higher)	Sa Jang, O Jang, Yuk Jang, Chil Jang (2 poomsae will be chosen)	Pal Jang, Koryo, Keumgang, Taebaek (2 poomsae will be chosen)

5.10. Age will be based on year of tournament.

6. RULES AND REGULATIONS (KYORUGI)

- 6.1. WT and STF rules will apply.
 - 6.1.1. In the best of three (3) system, the duration of the contest shall be 3 rounds of 2 minutes each with a 1-minute rest period between rounds.
 - 6.1.1.1. A 4th round of 1 minute will not be conducted as the Golden round.
 - 6.1.1.2. For competitors in the Super Junior Division and Young Junior Division, the duration of each round may be adjusted to 3 rounds of 1 minute each with 30 seconds rest in between rounds.
 - 6.1.1.3. For competitors in the Cadet Division and Junior Division, the duration of each round may be adjusted to 3 rounds of 1 minute 30 seconds each with 30 seconds rest in between rounds.

- 6.1.2. In the best of three (3) system, in case of a tie score for corresponding round, the round winner shall be decided based on the following criteria:
 - 6.1.2.1. Most points scored by turning or spinning kick.
 - 6.1.2.2. If the technical score is the same, the contestant who has more scored in the order of a higher value techniques as follows (Head, Trunk, Punch, Gam-Jeom).
 - 6.1.2.3. If the high value points are the same, the contestant who received higher number of hits registered by the PSS.
 - 6.1.2.4. If the three above criteria are the same, the referee and judges shall determine superiority.6.1.2.4.1. In case of two (2) corner judges, winner shall be decided by referee and two (2) judges.
 - 6.1.2.4.2. In case of three (3) corner judges, winner shall be decided by three (3) judges except referee.
- 6.2. Kicking to/Striking the head is prohibited for ALL (Super Junior, Young Junior, Cadet and Junior) categories.
 - 6.2.1. Competitor will lose by punitive declaration if he or she hits his or her opponent's head with any technique regardless of whether there is any impact or injury. The match will end and the one who is hit will be declared the winner as long as the kick, punch or strike touches the opponent's head.
- 6.3. DAEDO PSS GEN 2 will be used for this championships. In the event of a system breakdown, the organising committee reserves the right to use DAEDO PSS GEN 1 or manual scoring.
- 6.4. Video Replay may be used for the championships and will be confirmed closer to the date of the championships.
- 6.5. The drawing of lots may be conducted by random computerised drawing or by random manual drawing of lots.
 - 6.5.1. The method and order of drawing shall be determined by the organising committee. This will be announced during the Briefing and Drawing of Lots.
 - 6.5.2. In the event that a team has 2 or more competitors in the same weight category, the organising committee reserves the right to place these competitors in different branches of the bout list.

6.6. Events

6.6.1. In the Individual Event, competitors will compete in the same gender, age division, weight and belt categories.

6.7. Weight Divisions

Age Division: Super Junior Division (7 to 8 years old) Belt Division: Color (2nd & 1st Geup) / Poom (1st Poom and higher)			
Male		Female	
Under 22kg	Not Exceeding 22kg	Under 22kg	Not Exceeding 22kg
Under 25kg	Over 22kg & Not Exceeding 25kg	Under 25kg	Over 22kg & Not Exceeding 25kg
Under 28kg	Over 25kg & Not Exceeding 28kg	Under 28kg	Over 25kg & Not Exceeding 28kg
Under 31kg	Over 28kg & Not Exceeding 31kg	Under 31kg	Over 28kg & Not Exceeding 31kg
Under 34kg	Over 31kg & Not Exceeding 34kg	Under 34kg	Over 31kg & Not Exceeding 34kg
Under 37kg	Over 34kg & Not Exceeding 37kg	Under 37kg	Over 34kg & Not Exceeding 37kg
Under 40kg	Over 37kg & Not Exceeding 40kg	Under 40kg	Over 37kg & Not Exceeding 40kg

Under 43kg	Over 40kg & Not Exceeding 43kg	Under 43kg	Over 40kg & Not Exceeding 43kg
Under 46kg	Over 43kg & Not Exceeding 46kg	Under 46kg	Over 43kg & Not Exceeding 46kg
Under 49kg	Over 46kg & Not Exceeding 49kg	Under 49kg	Over 46kg & Not Exceeding 49kg
Under 52kg	Over 49kg & Not Exceeding 52kg	Under 52kg	Over 49kg & Not Exceeding 52kg
Under 55kg	Over 52kg & Not Exceeding 55kg	Under 55kg	Over 52kg & Not Exceeding 55kg
Under 58kg	Over 55kg & Not Exceeding 58kg	Under 58kg	Over 55kg & Not Exceeding 58kg
Under 61kg	Over 58kg & Not Exceeding 61kg	Under 61kg	Over 58kg & Not Exceeding 61kg
Over 61kg	Over 61kg	Over 61kg	Over 61kg

Age Division: Young Junior Division (9 to 11 years old) Belt Division: Color (2nd & 1st Geup) / Poom (1st Poom and higher)

Male		Female	
Under 24kg	Not Exceeding 24kg	Under 24kg	Not Exceeding 24kg
Under 27kg	Over 24kg & Not Exceeding 27kg	Under 27kg	Over 24kg & Not Exceeding 27kg
Under 30kg	Over 27kg & Not Exceeding 30kg	Under 30kg	Over 27kg & Not Exceeding 30kg
Under 33kg	Over 30kg & Not Exceeding 33kg	Under 33kg	Over 30kg & Not Exceeding 33kg
Under 36kg	Over 33kg & Not Exceeding 36kg	Under 36kg	Over 33kg & Not Exceeding 36kg
Under 39kg	Over 36kg & Not Exceeding 39kg	Under 39kg	Over 36kg & Not Exceeding 39kg
Under 42kg	Over 39kg & Not Exceeding 42kg	Under 42kg	Over 39kg & Not Exceeding 42kg
Under 45kg	Over 42kg & Not Exceeding 45kg	Under 45kg	Over 42kg & Not Exceeding 45kg
Under 48kg	Over 45kg & Not Exceeding 48kg	Under 48kg	Over 45kg & Not Exceeding 48kg
Under 51kg	Over 48kg & Not Exceeding 51kg	Under 51kg	Over 48kg & Not Exceeding 51kg
Under 54kg	Over 51kg & Not Exceeding 54kg	Under 54kg	Over 51kg & Not Exceeding 54kg
Under 57kg	Over 54kg & Not Exceeding 57kg	Under 57kg	Over 54kg & Not Exceeding 57kg
Under 60kg	Over 57kg & Not Exceeding 60kg	Under 60kg	Over 57kg & Not Exceeding 60kg
Under 63kg	Over 60kg & Not Exceeding 63kg	Under 63kg	Over 60kg & Not Exceeding 63kg
Over 63kg	Over 63kg	Over 63kg	Over 63kg

Age Division: Cadet Division (12 to 14 years old) Belt Division: Color (2nd & 1st Geup) / Poom (1st Poom and higher)

Male			Female	
Under 33kg	Not Exceeding 33kg	Under 29kg	Not Exceeding 29kg	
Under 37kg	Over 33kg & Not Exceeding 37kg	Under 33kg	Over 29kg & Not Exceeding 33kg	
Under 41kg	Over 37kg & Not Exceeding 41kg	Under 37kg	Over 33kg & Not Exceeding 37kg	
Under 45kg	Over 41kg & Not Exceeding 45kg	Under 41kg	Over 37kg & Not Exceeding 41kg	
Under 49kg	Over 45kg & Not Exceeding 49kg	Under 44kg	Over 41kg & Not Exceeding 44kg	
Under 53kg	Over 49kg & Not Exceeding 53kg	Under 47kg	Over 44kg & Not Exceeding 47kg	
Under 57kg	Over 53kg & Not Exceeding 57kg	Under 51kg	Over 47kg & Not Exceeding 51kg	
Under 61kg	Over 57kg & Not Exceeding 61kg	Under 55kg	Over 51kg & Not Exceeding 55kg	

Under 65kg	Over 61kg & Not Exceeding 65kg	Under 59kg	Over 55kg & Not Exceeding 59kg
Over 65kg	Over 65kg	Over 59kg	Over 59kg
Age Division: Junior Division (15 to 17 years old) Belt Division: Color (2nd & 1st Geup) / Dan (1st Dan and higher)			
Male			Female
Under 45kg	Not Exceeding 45kg	Under 42kg	Not Exceeding 42kg
Under 48kg	Over 45kg & Not Exceeding 48kg	Under 44kg	Over 42kg & Not Exceeding 44kg
Under 51kg	Over 48kg & Not Exceeding 51kg	Under 46kg	Over 44kg & Not Exceeding 46kg
Under 55kg	Over 51kg & Not Exceeding 55kg	Under 49kg	Over 46kg & Not Exceeding 49kg
Under 59kg	Over 55kg & Not Exceeding 59kg	Under 52kg	Over 49kg & Not Exceeding 52kg
Under 63kg	Over 59kg & Not Exceeding 63kg	Under 55kg	Over 52kg & Not Exceeding 55kg
Under 68kg	Over 63kg & Not Exceeding 68kg	Under 59kg	Over 55kg & Not Exceeding 59kg
Under 73kg	Over 68kg & Not Exceeding 73kg	Under 63kg	Over 59kg & Not Exceeding 63kg
Under 78kg	Over 73kg & Not Exceeding 78kg	Under 68kg	Over 63kg & Not Exceeding 68kg
Over 78kg	Over 78kg	Over 68kg	Over 68kg

6.8. Age will be based on year of tournament.

7. RULES AND REGULATIONS (VIRTUAL TAEKWONDO)

- 7.1. Game Settings
 - 7.1.1. Matches can be in the format of best of 3.
 - 7.1.2. Each round can be 60 or 99 seconds.
 - 7.1.3. The aim of each round is to deplete your opponent's Health Points (HP) to 0.
 - 7.1.4. Competitor with the lowest HP when the time has run out also loses.

7.2. Game Damage and Blocking

7.2.1. Damage

- 7.2.1.1. Damage is dealt from the fists and feet only.
- 7.2.1.2. The faster you strike, the higher the damage output.
- 7.2.1.3. Strikes that land on the head and body are considered direct hits.
- 7.2.1.4. Competitors can punch the body but cannot punch the head.
- 7.2.1.5. Competitors can kick the body and the head.
 - 7.2.1.5.1. Kicking the head will deal 2 times the damage.

7.2.2. Blocking

- 7.2.2.1. Competitors can block hits from the opponent.
 - 7.2.2.1.1. Blocked hits only deal chip damage (20% of original incoming damage).
- 7.2.2.2. Competitors can use their arms to block by keeping their arms close to their body.
- 7.2.2.3. Competitors can use their legs to block by raising their knees to a 90 degree angle.

7.3. Stun Meter Feature

- 7.3.1. Each competitor has a stun meter that can be filled up by dealing direct hits to the opponent.
 - 7.3.1.1. Blocking an opponent's hit also fills up the competitor's stun meter.
- 7.3.2. When the stun meter is full, the competitor's next strike can stun the opponent.

- 7.3.3. Stunning the opponent incapacitates them for 4 seconds.
 - 7.3.3.1. During this time, the competitor can strike the incapacitated opponent freely.
- 7.3.4. After stunning the opponent, the stun meter will return to 0.

7.4. Break Feature

- 7.4.1. When both competitors get too close to each other for over 2 seconds, a break will be called by the game automatically.
- 7.4.2. During this time, a yellow ring will appear for each competitor.
- 7.4.3. Either competitor can step back into their yellow ring to resume the game.
- 7.4.4. The first competitor to step back into their yellow ring will cause their stun meter to fill up more, as a reward.
- 7.5. Male and female will compete in separate gender categories. There will be no limits to the number of competitors to each club.

7.6. **Events**

- 7.6.1. In the Individual Event, competitors will compete in the same gender, age division and belt categories.
 - 7.6.1.1. The organising committee reserve the right to split the category into two (or more) subcategories based on the submitted weight of the competitors and competitors within each sub-category will compete within their sub-category.
 - 7.6.1.2. The division of competitors into the sub-categories will be based on organising committee's discretion.
- 7.7. Age will be based on year of tournament.

8. FIXTURES

8.1. The tournament fixtures will be ready for dissemination by 5th Mar 2023 (Sun).

9. WEIGH-IN (KYORUGI AND VIRTUAL TAEKWONDO)

- 9.1. All competitors are to undergo the official weigh-in on the event day when they are called for the first event.
- 9.2. Competitors will be disqualified if they do not meet the weight for their respective weight divisions which includes the random weigh-in conducted prior to the match when the official is of the opinion that there is weight discrepancy.
- 9.3. There will be no weight allowance. Competitors who are underweight or overweight shall be disqualified.
- 9.4. Weigh-in will be conducted once. Switching of weight categories after registration will not be allowed.
- 9.5. During weigh-in, competitors may weigh-in in T-shirts and shorts.
- 9.6. Additional random weight checks and competitors' grade and age checks will be conducted during the championships. Competitors who failed any requirements will be disqualified. This random weigh-in shall be conducted with plus 5% tolerance of the contestant's weight category.

10. PROVISION OF REFEREE AND VOLUNTEER

10.1. It is compulsory for all participating STF-registered clubs to nominate ONE (1) qualified National Referee for the every THIRTY (30) competitors for the entire duration of competition.

- 10.1.1. Teams that are sending competitors for both Poomsae and Kyorugi Event will need to provide the required number of referees for each event.
- 10.1.2. Teams that are sending competitors for Poomsae only will only need to send the required number of referees for Poomsae. Similarly, teams that are sending competitors for Kyorugi only will only need to send the required number of referees for Kyorugi (E.g. If the team sent 30 competitors for Poomsae and 65 competitors for Kyorugi, them team need to provide 1 referee for Poomsae and 2 referees for Kyorugi).
- 10.1.3. Teams that send more competitors are strongly encouraged to send more referees.
- 10.1.4. Each referee will receive an honorarium of SGD 100.00 per full day of refereeing. Details of the referees must be submitted during the club submission. Besides signing in and out with the Chief Referee, each referee must sign-in and sign-out with the official in charge of the accounts. The organising committee reserves the right not to issue the honorarium for any referee who did not perform his/her due diligence and duties, which includes the signing-in and signing-out.
- 10.1.5. The organising committee reserves the right to reject the nomination of any referee, especially if the requirement number of referees is met.
- 10.2. All participating affiliates have to provide ONE (1) volunteer (at least the age of Junior Division) PER COMPETITION DAY for the tournament.
- 10.3. International Referees may also be invited by the Executive Organising Chairman or Organising Chairman.
- 10.4. Failure to comply will result in automatic withdrawal of the club's competitors.

11. COMPETITION OFFICIAL COACH PASS

- 11.1. Professional coach passes are required for all tournaments organised or sanctioned by the STF.
- 11.2. All coaches are required to display their professional coach pass issued by STF before entering the field of play. Coaches are required to submit the Coach Registration Form (Group).
- 11.3. All coaches must sign and submit their INDIVIDUAL Code of Conduct form.

12. COACH ATTIRE

12.1. Coaches should be suitably attired when they enter the field of play. Only track-pants, business pants, collar tee-shirts, tee-shirts with jackets or windbreaker, 70% white-covered shoes are allowed. Slippers, collarless T-shirts, singlets and shorts are strictly not permitted.

13. DRAWING OF LOTS

13.1. Only one representative per affiliate will be allowed to participate in draw which will be conducted as per scheduled in clause 2.1.

14. AWARDS

14.1. The following prizes will be presented:

1st Place: One Gold Medal
 2nd Place: One Silver Medal
 3rd Place: Two Bronze Medals

Additional medals may be awarded for 5th-8th placings for Poomsae event.

- 14.2. Competitors who have no opponents in their registered poomsae category will be required to perform the required poomsae, in order to be awarded with Gold medal.
- 14.3. Competitors who have no opponents in their registered Kyorugi category are required to do the official weigh-in and be present with their full uniform, without the protective equipment during the medal presentation time slot, in order to be awarded with the Gold medal.
- 14.4. All medal winners must be present in FULL uniform to receive the prizes.
- 14.5. Certificates of participation will be given to all competitors upon request through the team manager.

15. DECLARATION AND MEDICAL COVERAGE

- 15.1. Any previous training in other martial arts must be declared in the registration form.
- 15.2. Affiliate representatives (Manager/Coaches) must ensure that parents of competitors personally endorse the indemnity forms. They will be held responsible if the forms contain fake signatures.
- 15.3. Doctor's clearance will be required for those with pre-existing medical conditions. The organising committee and the Technical Delegate, with the approval of the STF reserves the right to stop any competitor from competing due to safety concerns.
- 15.4. Managers/Coaches are to ensure that their competitors are prepared and fit for the competition. They should withdraw any competitor who is not feeling well on the day of the competition. The organising committee and the Technical Delegate, with the approval of the STF reserves the right to stop any competitor from competing due to safety concerns.
- 15.5. While first aid services are available at the venue and ambulances deployed, all teams and participants shall be responsible to ensure their own medical coverage, including first aid and personal accident insurance.

16. PROTEST

- 16.1. Any protest against a judgment shall be made on a prescribed form and submitted together with the fees of SGD 200.00 to the Competition Supervisory Board within 15 minutes of the pertinent contest.
- 16.2. Only the team manager or coach is permitted to submit a formal protest.

17. GENERAL CODE OF CONDUCT

- 17.1. The following guidelines are not intended to be exhaustive and include at the absolute minimum the code of conduct herein described.
- 17.2. All participants (e.g. coaches, team delegates and competitors) must at all times conduct and behave themselves in a manner befitting of a Taekwondo exponent and will take reasonable care to ensure that the good name of Taekwondo will not be tarnished by rowdy or bad behaviour.
- 17.3. Coaches are to ensure that they and any other member of their delegation:
 - 17.3.1. Do not smoke anywhere on the premises.
 - 17.3.2. Do not damage or steal the premises property.
 - 17.3.3. Do not wander into unauthorised areas, that is outside the designated competition venue.
 - 17.3.4. The decisions of all judges and referees are deemed final, save that in the event of a genuine dispute or disagreement, the complainant must:
 - 17.3.4.1. Refrain from using abusive language and aggressive behaviour.

- 17.3.4.2. Channel his/her protest through the Team Manager or coach of his/her club to the Competition Supervisory Board.
- 17.4. Disciplinary action shall be taken against those who attempt to discredit the officials, judges or referees.
- 17.5. No one, including the Team Manager or coach, is allowed to approach the Recorder's table.
- 17.6. Anyone previously disqualified from STF tournaments is not allowed to participate without first seeking clearance from the STF Secretariat.

18. COVID-19 SAFE MANAGEMENT MEASURES (SMM)

- 18.1. This championships will be subjected to prevailing measures. Please check the latest advisories from Singapore government.
- 18.2. Mask Wearing: Mask wearing continues to be optional indoors, subjected to prevailing SMMs.
 - 18.2.1. Individuals are encouraged to wear their masks for personal protection and to protect others, especially in crowded areas.
- 18.3. Safe Distancing: Safe distancing will no longer be required between individuals or between groups, regardless of settings I.e. indoor/outdoor, masked/unmasked, subjected to prevailing SMMs.
- 18.4. Group Size Limits: There will no longer be a group size limit, subjected to prevailing SMMs.

19. ORGANISING COMMITTEE

- 19.1. This championships is an STF sanctioned event and is organised by Han Foundation Ltd., supported by J H Kim Taekwondo Institute (Bukit Timah) Han Academy Pte. Ltd..
- 19.2. Han Academy Pte. Ltd. (Parent Company) will collect on behalf of Han Foundation Ltd. for the competition fee until the bank account is open.

Technical Delegate: TBC
Competition Supervisory Board: TBC
Chief Referee: TBC

Tournament Executive Chairman: Mr Lai Han Seng
Tournament Chairman: Ms Lai Hai Mei
Tournament Vice-Chairman: Ms Low Fei Yin

20. FOUNDING SPONSORS

Founding Sponsors: Han Foundation Ltd.

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Han Academy Pte. Ltd.

(J H Kim Taekwondo Institute - Bukit Timah)

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21. ENQUIRIES

21.1. For further clarifications, please call or email: J H Kim Taekwondo Institute (Bukit Timah)

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22. AMENDMENT OF COMPETITION RULES

22.1. The organising committee, with the approval of the STF, reserve the right to vary or add to the above rules if and whenever necessary.

HAN FOUNDATION YOUTH TAEKWONDO CHAMPIONSHIPS 2023 CODE OF CONDUCT

CODE OF CONDUCT

The following guidelines are not intended to be exhaustive and include at the absolute minimum the code of conduct herein described.

- 1. All participants (e.g. coaches, team delegates and competitors) must at all times conduct and behave themselves in a manner befitting of a Taekwondo exponent and will take reasonable care to ensure that the good name of the Federation will not be tarnished by rowdy or bad behaviour.
- 2. The decisions of all judges and referees are deemed final, save that in the event of a genuine dispute or disagreement, the complainant must:
 - a) Refrain from use of abusive language;
 - b) Channel his / her protest through the Team Manager or coach of his / her club to an authorised official of the Federation on the day of the event.
- 3. Any attempts to discredit any officials, judges, and referees without good cause subjects those competitors to disciplinary actions.
- 4. No one, including the Team Manager or coaches is allowed to step beyond the boundary line of the RECORDER'S table
- 5. Anyone previously disqualified is not allowed to participate without first seeking clearance from the Secretariat.
- 6. The Federation and / or its organising committee reserve the right to vary or add to the above rules if and whenever necessary.

RULES, ARBITRATION AND SANCTION

The Competition Supervisory Board shall make corrections of misjudgments according to their decision regarding protests and take disciplinary action against the officials committing the misjudgment or any illegal behaviour and the results of which shall be sent to the Secretariat of the STF. The Competition Supervisory Board shall also be entitled the Extraordinary Committee of Sanction concurrently at the competition for the matters in relation to competition management.

- 1. The Sanctions Committee shall comprise three senior members appointed by the Technical Delegate. In his absence, the Tournament Executive Chairman shall appoint the members.
- 2. The Technical Delegate may request the Extraordinary Committee of Sanction for deliberation when any of the following behaviours are committed by a coach or a competitor.
 - 2.1. Interfering with the management of contest or stirring up the spectators for the same purpose.
 - 2.2. Interfering with the operation of the competition conducted by the STF and the organising Committee.
 - 2.3. Spreading false rumour for the purpose of exerting an unwarranted influence on the judgement.
- 3. The competitor and his or her coach will face the Sanctions Committee if the competitor displays unsporting behaviour including but not limited to
 - 3.1. Failing to shake the opponent's hand or hug the opponent after the declaration of the winner.
 - 3.2. Playing the fool during the match.

I/Our team agrees to abide by the guidelines.

- 3.3. Inviting the opponent condescendingly or in any manner to attack.
- 3.4. Failing to approach and bow to the opponent's coach.
- 3.5. Throwing any item, including but not limited to head gear, glove or mouth guard in disgust.
- 3.6. Refusing to leave the competition area after the match.
- 3.7. Ignoring competition officials' instructions or commands.
- 3.8. Questioning or cursing the referees or other officials.
- 4. The coach shall face the Sanctions Committee if he or she misconducts himself or herself.
- When judged reasonable, the Extraordinary Committee of Sanction shall deliberate over the matter and takes
 disciplinary action immediately. The result of deliberation shall be announced to the public and reported to the STF
 Secretariat afterwards.
- 6. The Extraordinary Committee of Sanction may summon the person concerned for confirmation of events.
- 7. Kicking to the head is prohibited for SUPER JUNIOR, YOUNG JUNIOR, CADET and JUNIOR category.

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