



INVITATION – OPEN KYORUGI TOURNAMENT

Dear Mr. President,
Dear Sir/Madam,

On behalf of Taekwondo Club HEREYA and the Bulgarian Taekwondo Federation - WT, we are honored to invite you and your athletes to participate in the

6TH “HEREYA TROPHY”
International Taekwondo Tournament 2020,
Sofia, April 11th 2020

Every year we welcome over 1000 athletes from Bulgaria, Albania, Croatia, Cyprus, Finland, North Macedonia, Greece, Hungary, Israel, Iran, Italy, Kosovo, Moldova, Montenegro, Norway, Romania, Russia, Serbia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Sweden, Turkey, Ukraine etc.

We are committed to offer a superbly organized and managed competition, based on the principles of transparency, fair play and objective officiation.

In terms of equipment, the **PSS DaeDo Gen 2 – e-hogu and e-head gear** will be used for all age groups, and Instant Video Replay (**IVR**) will be used for **A class** matches, based on a quota system.

Yours sincerely,



Stanimir Lazarov,

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[President of the Organizing Committee of HEREYA TROPHY]

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INTERNATIONAL TAEKWONDO CHAMPIONSHIP 6TH HEREYA TROPHY 2020

11th APRIL 2020

SOFIA, BULGARIA

1. ORGANIZER	<p>Taekwondo club Hereya Bulgarian Taekwondo Federation Mobile: +359 886 448382 (Mr. Stanimir Lazarov) Mobile: +359 884 423016 (Mr. Iliya Dimitrov – Event Coordinator) E-mails: tk.hereya@gmail.com, office@bulgaria-taekwondo.com</p>
2. APPLICATIONS	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• The deadline for applications is by the end of 3rd April 2020. NO applications will be accepted after the deadline.• Modification of already registered participants should be made no later than 23:59 on 6th April 2020.• Applications should be registered online at: https://tpss.eu
3. DATE AND PLACE	<p>Date: 11th April 2020 (Saturday); Place: Sports hall "Arena Asics" (ex Festivalna Hall); Address: 35 Manastirska str., 1111 Sofia, Bulgaria; Map: https://goo.gl/maps/UUPaQH7JXoK2 Start of matches: 09:00 AM</p>
4. HEAD OF TEAM MEETING	<p>At 08:30 on 11th April 2020 the place of competition.</p>
5. AGE GROUPS	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• <u>BABY GROUP</u> (class "B"): athletes, born in 2016, 2015 and 2014 (regardless of the specific day and month);• <u>CHILDREN I GROUP</u> (class "A" and class "B"): athletes, born in 2013, 2012 and 2011 (regardless of the specific day and month);• <u>CHILDREN II GROUP</u> (class "A" and class "B"): athletes, born in 2010 and 2009 (regardless of the specific day and month);

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none">● CADETS (class “A” and class “B”): athletes, born in 2008, 2007 and 2006 (regardless of the specific day and month);● JUNIORS (class “A” and class “B”): athletes, born in 2005, 2004 and 2003 (regardless of the specific day and month);● SENIORS (class “A” and class “B”): athletes, born in 2003 and earlier (regardless of the specific day and month); <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Athletes born in 2003 could compete either in Juniors or in Seniors.</i></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Each athlete can participate in only <u>one</u> class (A or B) and <u>only</u> one age group.</i></p>
6. COMPETITION RULES AND SYSTEM	<p>The official WT Competition Rules will be used. The tournament will be based on a Single Elimination.</p> <p>Instant Video Replay (IVR) will be used <u>A-class</u> matches only, based on a quota system.</p> <p><i>*All age groups have A-class (standard rules - with kicks to the head), and B-class (kicks to the head are NOT allowed)</i></p>
7. WEIGHT CLASSES	<ul style="list-style-type: none">● BABY GROUP (class “B”): Male and female: -16kg, -18kg, -20kg, -22kg, -24kg; +24 kg;● CHILDREN I GROUP (class “A” and class “B”): Male and female: -21kg, -23kg, -25kg, -27kg, -29kg, -31kg, -33kg, -36kg, -40kg, +40 kg;● CHILDREN II GROUP (class “A” and class “B”): Male and female: -27kg, -30kg, -33kg, -36kg, -40kg, -44kg, -48kg, -52kg, -57kg, +57kg;● CADETS (class “A” and class “B”): Male: -33kg, -37kg, -41kg, -45kg, -49kg, -53kg, -57kg, -61kg, -65kg, +65kg; Female: -29kg, -33kg, -37kg, -41kg, -44kg, -47kg, -51kg, -55kg, -59kg, +59 kg;● JUNIORS (class “A”): Male: -45kg, -48kg, -51kg, -55kg, -59kg, -63kg, -68kg, -73kg, -78kg, +78kg; Female: -42kg, -44kg, -46kg, -49kg, -52kg, -55kg, -59kg, -63kg, -68kg, +68 kg;● JUNIORS (class “B”): Male: -48kg, -55kg, -63kg, -73kg, +73kg Female: -44kg, -49kg, -55kg, -63kg, +63 kg● SENIORS (class “A”): Male: -54kg, -58kg, -63kg, -68kg, -74kg, -80kg, -87kg, +87kg; Female: -46kg, -49kg, -53kg, -57kg, -62kg, -67kg, -73kg, +73kg;● SENIORS (class “B”): Male: -58kg, -68kg, -80kg, +80kg, Female: -49kg, -57kg, -67kg, +67kg

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8. WEIGH-IN AND REGISTRATION	<ul style="list-style-type: none">● 10th April 2020 (Friday) – 16:00-20:00 for <u>all athletes</u> – at the Official Hotel – TBA
9. MATCH DURATION	<ul style="list-style-type: none">● CHILDREN (I and II gr.) (Class A):● 2 x 1,5 min. with 30 sec. rest● BABY and CHILDREN (I and II gr.) (Class B):● 2 x 1 min. with 30 sec. rest● CADETS, JUNIORS, SENIORS (Class A):● 3 x 1,5 min. with 30 sec. rest● CADETS, JUNIORS, SENIORS (Class B):● 2 x 1,5 min. with 30 sec. rest <p><i>The Organizers reserve the right to change the duration of the matches if necessary.</i></p>
10. PROTECTING SCORING SYSTEM	<u>PSS DaeDo (Gen2)– e-hogu and e-head gear</u>
11. EQUIPMENT	<p>All players competing in Class-A will be provided with a Daedo electronic hogu and E-Head gear for their matches.</p> <p>For B-Class all players will be provided with a Daedo electronic hogu and must bring their own helmets.</p> <p><u>All Competitors must bring their own Daedo sensor socks.</u> These should be purchased in advance before the event.</p> <p>All competitors must provide all other WT-approved protective equipment: helmet, forearm guards, shin guards, gloves, groin guard, mouth guard. Please note that mouth guards are <u>compulsory</u> for ALL participating athletes, including those competing in “B” class.</p>
12. PAYMENT	<p>For each contestant the entry fee is 30 euros. Entry fees must be paid in cash during the Registration and Weight-in.</p> <p><i>Change of category will be possible during the Registration and Weigh-in – against an additional fee of 10 euros for each change.</i></p>
13. LIABILITY	<p>All competitors participate at their own risk. The online registration implies that the competitors agree to assume all responsibility for themselves and to release all other parties from any and all liability which may directly or indirectly result.</p>
14. PARTICIPANTS DOCUMENTS	<p>GAL/GOL license is not required for participation.</p> <p>All participants must show their passport during the Registration & Weigh-in.</p>

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<p>15. AWARDS</p>	<p>Medals will be awarded to the top four athletes in the respective class (“A” and “B”) and weight category for each age group (Baby; Children; Cadets, Juniors and Seniors):</p> <p>1st PLACE: GOLD MEDAL 2nd PLACE: SILVER MEDAL 3rd PLACE: BRONZE MEDAL</p> <p>Medals will be awarded to all athletes in Baby and Children age division which did not qualify for the semi-finals.</p> <p>Teams cups will be awarded to the three best teams in the Total Ranking for the following age and class divisions:</p> <p>Baby and Children I and II group (Class B) Children I and II (Class A); Cadets (Class A); Cadets (Class B); Juniors (Class A); Seniors (Class A);</p> <p>The best athletes in each age division will be awarded with a cup.</p> <p>The team with the highest score from all age and competition classes will receive the cup of the event – 6th Hereya Trophy 2020</p> <p>The team ranking is based on the following point system:</p> <p>For each Gold Medal – 120 points For each Silver Medal – 50 points For each Bronze Medal – 20 points For each contestant who entered the competition area after passing the general weigh-in – 1 point For each win – 1 point</p>
<p>16. COACHES</p>	<p>Each team must have at least 1 assistant-coach (in addition to the main coach) to accompany athletes for their matches. Once one of the athletes has entered the court (fully equipped and accompanied by a coach/assistant-coach), their opponent will have only 1 minute (Kye-shi) to show up (also fully equipped and accompanied by a coach/assistant-coach). Unless they do so by the end of that 1 minute, they shall be disqualified. Once the match has started, NO change of coaches shall be possible.</p>
<p>17. PROTEST</p>	<p>For all matches <u>WITHOUT</u> Instant Video Replay, the official coach is allowed to file a Protest (contestation) to the Referee Chairman, immediately after the end of the pertinent contest, together with a fee of 50 euro which is refundable if the protest is accepted by the Board of</p>

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	<p>Arbitration. The Referee Chairman will form a 3- or 5-member Board of Arbitration, which will review the protest and announce the decision, which shall be final.</p> <p>For all matches <u>WITH</u> Instant Video Replay no protests by the coaches will be accepted. Pursuant to Art. 21.7 of the WT Competition Rules, “The decision of the Review Jury is final; no further appeals during the contest or protest after the contest will be accepted”.</p>
18. VISAS	<p>All teams who require a visa invitation should send their request to the Bulgarian Taekwondo Federation (office@taekwondo-bulgaria.org) with the names, date of birth and passport No. of all team members, competitors and officials (if possible, please send a word file as an e-mail attachment).</p>
19. REFEREES	<p>Referees wishing to participate should send an e-mail to office@taekwondo-bulgaria.org no later than 1st May 2020 with their first and last names and their class of qualification (International Referee, National Referee 1 or 2).</p> <p>Participating teams could suggest 1 referee per every 10 participating athletes.</p> <p>The Organizing Committee will provide accommodation at 4-star hotel near the competition venue and remuneration.</p>
20. TIMETABLE	<p><u>10th April 2020 (Friday):</u></p> <p>16:00-20:00 – Registration and Weigh-in, at the Official Hotel – TBA</p> <p><u>11th April 2020 (Saturday):</u></p> <p>08:30 – Referee Meeting</p> <p>08:30 – Head of Team Meeting</p> <p>08:50 – Equipment checkpoints open up and start checking the athletes for the first matches</p> <p>09:00 – Start of matches</p> <p>13:00 – Official Opening Ceremony</p> <p>14:00 – 16:00 – Elimination and Semifinals</p> <p>17:00 – 19:00 – Finals and Award Ceremony</p> <p><i>The Organizers reserve the right to change the timetable if necessary.</i></p>
21. ACCOMMODATION	<p>The Organizing Committee offers assistance for the accommodation of teams for the championship at preferential rates.</p> <p>Contact directly to tk.hereya@gmail.com</p>