

17 Escaldes Karate Open (Andorra)



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- IMPORTANT NEWS for this edition:
 - 17 Escaldes Karate Open edition will be in **3 days of competition**. Friday 16th afternoon, Saturday 17th morning and afternoon and Sunday 18th morning (Saturday 17th afternoon-evening will have only spectacle...central "Gala": Bronze medals, Finals, Andorra Turisme Open and Supporters competition),
 - Maximum number of competitors registered will be **900** (no more...the first 900). Also we will be a waiting list for change-replace competitors registered who finally will not come to Andorra (it's important for this that all of team delegates delete the entries of your competitors in this situation inside Sportdata website),
 - Each category will have maximum **32** competitors. 32 first competitors registered will be 32 competitors will compete (we will have a waiting list in case competitors will not compete),
 - In this way we can GUARANTEE that **on Sunday competition session will end in worst case at 13.30 h** (we would facility flights reserve management for all teams),
 - Strict limit for competitors number allows the organizations publish competition schedule next **1st February 2017**,
 - The closing registry date will be **1st June 2017**. We will close by number (900 competitors) or when we arrive 1st June 2017,
 - Competition will be on **6 tatamis**,

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 - We will have 2 warm up areas for all the competitors. All the competitors will be called by organization people at the category competition moment and only in this areas. We will take all the accreditations (and we will give them at the final of the category competition),
 - For all teams who come to Andorra with 10 or more competitors: you can come with your referees ALWAYS with the OK by our Referee Manager, Mr. Luis Ignacio Gomez. So you must send an email to Mr. Gomez,
 - For supporters contest this 2017 theme will be "I Love Grease". All the supporters who will participate (3 máximo) will have a song by the organization. Winner team will have 300 euros award and supporters team who will lost 100 euros each one,
 - Cash awards for competitors (5.400 euros): in individual Kata and Kumite, first one will have 400 euros each one (M/F) and second one will have 100 euros each one (M/F),
 - Open Andorra Turisme award: winner team will gain 1.600 euros to distribute,
 - Fees for all categories: 20 euros for Children A, Children B and Youth, 25 euros for Cadet, Junior and U21 and 30 euros for Senior. All Kata teams will paid 25 euros also. Additional category or modality will paid 10 euros more,

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 - All the competitors and coach will be with accreditation all the time in competition. Without accreditation the competitor or coach will no entry to the competition área. If competitor or coach will lose the accreditation they will go to the central table (organization) for obtain one more with 30 euros payment,
 - Organization will give all the coach accreditation in Friday 16th Briefing coach,
 - You can be part of Wasap group for obtain all the information about our championship (+376331860). You must ask for this,
 - Also all the Info about our championship in FaceBook page "Open Internacional Escaldes-Engordany Karate" (https://www.facebook.com/openinternacionalkarateandorra/?ref=aymt_homepage_panel).

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- Spectacular Conditions in our Official Hotels:
 - In this 2017 edition we will maintain 2015 established conditions with our officials hotels in all cases. All of this information are known for majority of teams,
 - All of team delegates (responsible) can contact with me in person through email xh@andorra.ad,
 - If you don't know all the conditions for teams who travel with 10 or more competitors, I send you,
 - Really are very spectaculars. No Doubt!!!
- Contact Person:
 - Xavier Herver (xh@andorra.ad – karatexaviandorra@gmail.com).
- Pavilion Address:
 - Prat Gran Pavilion, Prat Gran street, 2-4, AD700-Escaldes-Engordany – PRINCIPALITY OF ANDORRA.

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- **Competition Date:**
 - 16th June (Cadet, Senior Kata, Senior Team Kata and Cadet, Junior Kumite),
 - 17th June (Children A, Children B and Youth Kata and Junior, Sub 21, S nior Kumite),
 - 18th June (Children A, Children B and Youth Team Kata and Children A, Children B and Youth Kumite).
- **How can I do registry before deadline:**
 - On-line registry allowed after 15th January 2017 only through Sportdata website (<http://www.sportdata.org/karate>).
 - On-line Registry deadline: 1st June 2017,
- **How can I do registry in Andorra:**
 - Registry, weight and ONE PAYMENT for each delegation in Delfos Hotel Friday 16th June from 11 to 15 pm. Same 16th since 16 pm in pavilion and Saturday 17th and Sunday 18th too in the pavilion from 8 am.
 - THE CHAMPIONSHIP WILL NOT WAIT COMPETITORS OR DELEGATIONS.
- **Fees:**
 - Children A, Children B and Youth: 20 Euros,
 - Cadet, Junior and U21: 25 Euros,
 - Senior: 30 Euros.
 - One competitor in other category or modality: 10 Euros in addition.
 - TEAM KATA: 25 Euros.
- **Rules, Protest and Referee Responsible:**
 - WKF with some changes in addition from FAK rules,
 - Mr. Luis Ignacio Gomez is the responsible for all the questions about referee things. Contact: [Contacto: mrprepor@gmail.com](mailto:mrprepor@gmail.com)
 - The protests always writing and handed to the responsible with 100 Euros. At the same time a deposit of 100 Euros needs to be left. Should the protest be approved, the amount will be refunded.
- **Medical Insurance and Liability:**
 - Each competitor must have his own medical insurance,
 - The organizer exclude any form of liability whatsoever.

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- Official Travel Agency:
 - Viatges Vilanova (Mrs. Janet de la Cruz, Mrs. Nuria Ritort),
 - More information and contact in <http://www.viatgesvilanova.com/>
- In General about the Open:
 - Always will be repeschage for Bronze medals,
 - In Kumite modality and in any weight if there are less than four competitors the organization reserves the right to pass the category/ies to OPEN,
 - In any modality and category if there are less than two competitors the organization reserves the right to cancel the category,
- The organization will publish the competition schedule (worst case) on 1st February 2017. The final schedule and pools in Sportdata website the competition week.
- Kata Competition:
 - **Children A Kata Individual M/F (8-9 years old),**
 - **Children B Kata Individual Infantil M/F (10-11 years old),**
 - **Youth Kata Individual M/F (12-13 years old),**
 - **Children A Team Kata MIXED,**
 - **Children B Team Kata MIXED,**
 - **Youth Team Kata MIXED,**
 - **Cadet Kata Individual M/F (14-15 years old),**
 - **Senior Kata Individual M/F (+16 years old),**
 - **Senior Team Kata ,**
 - The competitor from any category will make the kata that wish in each round, Basic or WKF Kata,
 - In each round competitors will make a different Kata,
 - Only at the final of Senior Team Kata teams must do the Bunkai of the Kata.
- Kata Awards in Euros:
 - 400 Euros for each winner in Senior Individual M/F and 100 euros for second place (M/F),
 - 150 Euros for each Team winner in Senior M/F.

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- Kumite Competition:
 - **Children A Kumite Individual (8-9 years old),**
 - M (-30 Kg, +30 Kg),
 - F (-27 Kg, +27 Kg).
 - **Children B Kumite Individual (10-11 years old),**
 - M (-37 Kg, +37 Kg),
 - F (-35 Kg, +35 Kg).
 - **Youth Kumite Individual (12-13 years old),**
 - M (-50 Kg, +50 Kg),
 - F (-48 Kg, +48 Kg).
 - **Cadet Kumite Individual (14-15 years old),**
 - M (-63 Kg, +63 Kg),
 - F (-54 Kg, +54 Kg).
 - **Junior Kumite Individual (16-17 years old),**
 - M (-68 Kg, +68 Kg),
 - F (-55 Kg, +55 Kg).
 - **U 21 Kumite Individual (18-19-20 years old),**
 - M (-75 Kg, +75 Kg),
 - F (-61 Kg, +61 Kg).
 - **Senior Kumite Individual (+21 years old),**
 - M (-75 Kg, +75 Kg),
 - F (-61 Kg, +61 Kg).
- Kumite Competition:
 - All the fights in Children A, Children B and Youth categories: 1,30 minutes,
 - All the fights in Cadet, Junior, U 21 categories: 2 minutes,
 - All the fights in Senior category: 3 minutes in Male and 2 minutes in Female.
- Kumite Awards in Euros:
 - 400 Euros for each winner in OPEN individual Senior M/F category (the winner in both weights will fight in additional fight for obtain the award in Euros). 100 euros for a second place (M/F).

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- **Competition Structure:**
 - **FRIDAY 16:** eliminatories in the afternoon-evening. Bronze and Finals on Saturday 17 GALA (afternoon-evening),
 - **SATURDAY 17:** eliminatories in the morning. For Children and Youth categories Bronze medals and Finals in the morning too. Bronze Medals and Finals for rest categories in the afternoon-evening. OPEN ANDORRA TURISMO category in the afternoon-evening too.
 - **SUNDAY 18:** eliminatories by modality and category. Bronze medals and Finals then (all in the morning).
 - **MODALITIES DISTRIBUTION, CATEGORIES BY TATAMIS AND FINAL SCHEDULE** (with all the people registered) will be published in Sportada website the week of the competition.
- **Other Awards in Euros:**
 - **BEST ENTITY:** 500 Euros to the entity who fight in more finals in categories with 8 or more competitors.
 - **FIDELITY:** All the clubs that have participated in 2016 and will come back in 2017 for participate in our Open with a 10 or more competitors team, automatically will enter in a lottery for 500 cash Euros that you can win. This lottery will be conditional on a same or higher participation (2014 – 625 competitors).

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■ Open Andorra Turismo Award:

- All the competitors in Kumite modality and Sub 21 and Senior categories and all the competitors in Kata modality and Senior category will entry in a lottery at the final of the afternoon-evening session in Saturday 17th of June, just after all the official competition,
- This draw will obtain 2 teams of 4 competitors both (the ANDORRA team in red and the TURISMO team in blue) for 2 kumite and kata eliminatories,
- The team that more eliminatories win will obtain 1.600 euros in addition to be shared between four team competitors.
- If all the eliminatories will end tie on points, the team that scored more gold points in kumite eliminatories will win. If tie on points continues, the team that scored more points will win (the flags in kata eliminatories will consider such a points for the final total team points). If tie on points continues, both teams will fight in additional eliminatory that the organization will decide by a lottery.

■ BEST PUBLIC TEAM AWARD – I Love Grease:

- 300 Euros to best delegation public team CHOREOGRAPHY. 100 euros for others two delegations who will not win. The delegation will have 10 or more competitors in OPEN. The public team will composed from 10 to 16 people,
- The public team that will participate in the OPEN must send an email to the organization as soon as possible and through the delegation responsible. The organization assigned I Love Grease song for preparing (the assignation will be in order emails arrive),
- The organization will communicate the songs assigned to the public teams,
- The choreography will be during the OPEN (the order will be by a lottery) and in the central tatami,
- The winner will be by the jury voting (the jury shall take into account the dress of the public team). The jury members are part of the OPEN organization,
- The award will be delivered to the delegation responsible,
- This award exist if the are at least two public teams delegations registered.