

SKSM MALTA OPEN EDITIONS

MALTA KARATE OPEN International Championships

Saturday, 10th March 2012

Don Gwann Bosco Sports Complex Dingli Malta



Celebrating the tenth Anniversary of the MALTA OPEN EDITIONS
2003 – 2012

This year's Edition will include 55 Categories
Individual, Pairs and Team Kata
Individual and Pairs Freestyle Forms and Kata Weapons
Individual and Team Kumite

Closing Date 29 February 2012 ... if number of established entries is reached before Closing Date, NO MORE ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED
Don't leave it till late!



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| KATA CATEGORIES | | | |
|--------------------------|--|---|-----------------------------------|
| 1 | Children A | Novices - 7th kyu (8 years and below) | |
| 2 | Children A | 6th - 4th kyu (8 years and below) | |
| 3 | Children B | Novices- 7th kyu (9 -11 years) | |
| 4 | Children B | 6th - 4th kyu (9 -11 years) | |
| 5 | Children B | 3rd kyus and above (9 -11 years) | |
| 6 | Juniors | Novices - 4th kyu (12 - 15 years) | |
| 7 | Juniors | 3rd kyus - Dan Grades (12 - 15 years) | |
| 8 | Seniors | Novices - 4th kyu (16 years and above) | |
| 9 | Seniors | 3rd kyu - Dan Grades (16 years and above) | |
| 10 | Ladies | Snr Kata | 16 yrs plus (Nov-4th Kyu) |
| 11 | Ladies | Snr Kata | 16 yrs plus (3rd kyu- Dan Grades) |
| 12 | Masters | MF 35 - 44 years (Any Grade) | |
| 13 | Masters | MF 45 years up (Any Grade) | |
| 14 | Juniors Mix Pair (X2) Kata | (under15 years) | |
| 15 | Seniors Mix Pair (X2) Kata | (16 years and above) | |
| 16 | Juniors Mix Team Kata | (under 15 years) | |
| 17 | Seniors Mix Team Kata | (16 years and above) | |
| 18 | Weapons Kata Open Grade | (13 years and below) | <i>No Music</i> |
| 19 | Weapons Kata Open Grade | (14 years and above) | <i>No Music</i> |
| 20 | Free Style Kata Open Grade | (13 years and below) | With or Without Music |
| 21 | Free Style Kata Open Grade | (14 years and above) | With or Without Music |
| 22 | Free Style Kata Open Grade PAIR (Open) | | With or Without music |
| KUMITE CATEGORIES | | | |
| 23 | Boys 8/9 years | Open Weight | |
| 24 | Boys 10/11 years | 40 kgs under | |
| 25 | Boys 10/11 years | 41 kgs plus | |
| 26 | Boys 12/13 years | 50 kgs under | |
| 27 | Boys 12/13 years | 51 kgs plus | |
| 28 | Boys 14/15 years | 60 kgs under | |
| 29 | Boys 14/15 years | 61 kgs plus | |
| 30 | Girls 8/9 years | Open Weight | |
| 31 | Girls 10/11 years | 30 kgs under | |
| 32 | Girls 10/11 years | 31 kgs plus | |
| 33 | Girls 12/13 years | 40 kgs under | |
| 34 | Girls 12/13 years | 41 kgs plus | |
| 35 | Girls 14/15 years | 50 kgs under | |
| 36 | Girls 14/15 years | 51 kgs plus | |
| 37 | Juniors Male 16 -19 years | open | |
| 38 | Juniors Female 16 - 19 years | open | |
| 39 | Senior Male (20 years up) | 75 kgs under | Novices - 4th Kyu |
| 40 | Senior Male (20 years up) | 75 kgs under | 3rd Kyu up |
| 41 | Senior Male (20 years up) | 76 kgs plus | Novices - 4th Kyu |
| 42 | Senior Male (20 years up) | 76 kgs plus | 3rd Kyu up |
| 43 | Senior Female (20 years up) | 65 kgs under | Novices - 4th Kyu |
| 44 | Senior Female (20 years up) | 65 kgs under | 3rd Kyu up |
| 45 | Senior Female (20 years up) | 66 kgs plus | Novices - 4th Kyu |
| 46 | Senior Female (20 years up) | 66 kgs plus | 3rd Kyu up |
| 47 | Masters Female Over 40 yrs Kumite | Open | |
| 48 | Masters Male Over 40 yrs Kumite | Open | |
| 49 | Junior Mix Team | (15 yrs under) - 3 athletes | |
| 50 | Juniors Female Team Kumite | (16-19 years over) - 3 athletes | |
| 51 | Juniors Male Team Kumite | (16-19 years over) - 3 athletes | |
| 52 | Seniors Female Team Kumite | (20 years over) - 3 athletes | |
| 53 | Seniors Male Team Kumite | (20 years over) - 3 athletes | |

Events Fees :

Individuals @ €20.00

Pairs @ €30.00

Teams @ €35.00

Spectators Tickets on the day @ €6.00

ACCOMODATION

Malta is a very small island, and one can find hotels and youth hostels around the island very easily. We Recommend to use the following 2 4stars hotels for booking well in advance and get special prices by simply mentioning SKSM and Malta Karate Open 2012. Booking can be made through internet, fax or phone. Country Code to be used when calling to Malta is 00356.

VERY HIGHLY RECOMMENDED 4 STARS HOTELS

PARADISE BAY Resort Hotel

Cirkewwa Malta

Hotel Contact Person : **Mr. Stefan Fenech**

e-mail : stefan@paradise-bay.com

Tel: +356 21521166

Fax: +356 21521153

Prices starting from **Eur17.00** per person per night !!! Ask for special Family discounts.

Transfers from Airport to Hotel and vice versa, and from Hotel to Competition Venue maybe arranged directly with hotel management upon request. Just ask for a quote when effecting Booking)

Approx distance from Airport to Hotel 17km Hotel to Competition Venue 12km

MELLIEHA BAY HOTEL

MELLIEHA

Hotel Contact Person : Mr. Natalino Bartolo

Tel no: +356 2357 3073

Site : www.melliehabayhotel.com.

Prices starting from **Eur17.50** per person per night !!! Ask for special Family discounts.

Transfers from Airport to Hotel and vice versa, and from Hotel to Competition Venue maybe arranged directly with hotel management upon request. Just ask for a quote when effecting Booking)

Approx distance from Airport to Hotel 15km Hotel to Competition Venue 10km

Very good rates and Deals are given for this period on mentioning SKSM KARATE MALTA.
Copy of booking email is to be sent to sksm@maltanet.net or fax number (00356) 21453706

More accommodation in Malta

www.malta.hotels.com

www.maltahotels.com

Airport : Malta International Airport – Luqa

All Competition entries and Fees must be received by

WEDNESDAY, 29th February 2012

Entries after this date will **NOT** be entered into the draw. Kindly respect Closing Date.

If maximum number of entries will be reached before CLOSING DATE, competition entries will be stopped. This will be announced on website www.sksmalta.com and facebook Group **MALTA KARATE SKSM**.

Please include Payment with entry form payable to SKSM in **EURO ONLY**. Include all details of sender on reverse of cheque with full club or association name in paying by cheque.

For **direct payment by bank**, kindly send email on sksm@maltanet.net and we will provide all the bank details, iban number etc... etc.

Postal Address :

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DINGLI DGL 1894
MALTA
EUROPE

Email Address : sksm@maltanet.net

Program :

Saturday, 10th March 2012
09.00hrs

START Malta Karate Open 2012
Kata and Kumite (Eliminatory, Quarter, Semi and Finals
Venue : Don Bosco Sports Complex DINGLI, MALTA

Other Interesting sites about MALTA

MALTA WEATHER www.maltaweather.com

TOURIST INFORMATION www.visitmalta.com

RULES and REGULATIONS ON THE DAY

KATA

All kata Categories will be judged by **POINTS**

All Categories up to 4th Kyu ... only one round straight to final. If tie, athlete can keep same Kata or change Kata. IF there is a second tie, red and blue flags will be used.

All Categories 3rd Kyu above ... 2 rounds. Second round last 8 if applicable. Different kata in each round.

In all categories, if number of athletes **is not more** than 8, only 1 round will be applied ... straight to final.

Trophies awarded to the first 4 places. **TOKENS TO EVERYONE ON THE DAY.**

KUMITE

Amended WKF rules only for KUMITE will be used as a guideline on the day. Coaches and Referees will be briefed before the competition with all the changes by the chief referee. Red/ Blue (or white) approved and mitts, Gum shields (a must) Clean gis are compulsory. Chest guards (ladies/girls) and groin guards are recommended.

No T-shirts or other fancy type of equipment/gear is allowed (except in FREE STYLE forms Categories – Kata)

Very IMPORTANT : For Safety reasons, any athletes without gum shields will NOT be allowed to fight.

Every competitor is to provide his own equipment, protection, red/blue belts etc..etc.

Team Kumite. You must be registered to a club or association you are competing. You must list all team members names on the entry form.... In team kumite, if the first 2 bouts are won by the same team, that team will be awarded a 2-0 win. The last bout will not be fought.

COMPETITION GUIDELINES

Please ensure that your forms are filled in correctly, that is Name, sex, age, grade etc.etc. Mark the event(s) you are entering on the entry form, that is any of the numbers 1 to 53 of the category list. Enter total amount payable per competitor and Licence Number.

- **Saturday, 10th March 2012** : Juniors KATA event begin at 9:00am sharp. First events will be MASTERS/ SENIORS and Team / Pair Kata ... Children / Juniors/ Cadets/ Seniors ... KUMITE section after.
- The minimum number of competitors per event category and the cancellation of events is at the discretion of the organisers.
- Full amount is to be settled before closing date, and sent with entry forms. No late entries on the day.
- All clubs / organizations are asked if possible to ring a Referee/judge who's names must be entered on the slip provided. They will be given free entry on the day for their services, refreshments and special event tokens.
- Only the official coach on duty (with tag) may approach the control table for any queries. Competitors and spectators must go via their coach for information.

- Spectators entry fees for the day is Eur6.00 which you will pay at the spectators entrance.
- Every competitor will be presented with a participation TROPHY
- An overall Winners trophy will be presented to the team/club with the highest score at the end of the Championships. Points 3 points (first place), 2 points (second place) 1 point (third place)
- First Aid will be provided on the day by RED CROSS MALTA

Check website www.sksmalta.com for possible updates on MALTA OPEN 2012

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