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**HUNGARIAN**  
**TATAMI**  
**KARATE CUP**

**9**

**MARCH**

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**HUNGARY, 2310 SZIGETSZENTMIKLÓS,  
SZEBENI STR. 81.**

# Introduction



**Dear Team Leaders, Coaches and Competitors!**

The Hungarian Tatami Karate Cup holds a strong legacy both within Hungary and on the global karate competition stage. It stands out as one of Hungary's few international tournaments, uniquely held twice annually for nearly two decades. The Tatami Cup frequently serves as a qualifying event for the European and World Championships in the Cadet, Junior, and U21 categories. We continually strive to earn your confidence and diligently enhance the quality of this competition, ensuring it remains fair, welcoming, and of the highest caliber year after year.

**Best regards**  
**Zsuzsanna Klima**  
*Chief Organizer*

## Venue

HUNGARY, 2310 Szigetszentmiklós  
Szebeni St. 81.

## Start

at 9.00 on the 9th of March 2024

## Categories



<b>MALE KATA</b>	<b>FEMALE KATA</b>
U8,U10, U12, U14, Cadet, Junior, U21, Senior	U8,U10, U12, U14, Cadet, Junior, U21, Senior
<b>MALE KUMITE</b>	<b>FEMALE KUMITE</b>
<b>U8:</b> -25 KG, +25 KG	<b>U8:</b> -23 KG, +23 KG
<b>U10:</b> -25 KG, -30 KG, +30 KG	<b>U10:</b> -28 KG, -33 KG, +33 KG
<b>U12:</b> -30 KG, -35 KG, -40 KG, +40 KG	<b>U12:</b> -33 KG, -38 KG, -43 KG, +43 KG
<b>U14:</b> -40 KG, -45 KG, -50 KG, -55 KG, +55 KG	<b>U14:</b> -38 KG, -43 KG, -48 KG, -53 KG, +53 KG
<b>CADET:</b> WKF RULES	<b>CADET:</b> WKF RULES
<b>JUNIOR:</b> WKF RULES	<b>JUNIOR:</b> WKF RULES
<b>U21:</b> WKF RULES	<b>U21:</b> WKF RULES
<b>SENIOR:</b> WKF RULES	<b>SENIOR:</b> WKF RULES

## **Deadline**

Deadline for sending entries is **Friday 1st of March 2024. 24.00**. The maximum number of competitors is 800. Once 800 entries have been registered for competition, registrations will be closed.

## **Entry**

[sportdata.org](http://sportdata.org)

## **Entry fee**

30 €,- for each category

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## **Referees**

We extend a warm invitation to all referees interested in participating in the Tatami Cup, including foreign WKF and EKF referees.

For inquiries and registration, please contact Zsuzsanna Klima at [klima.zsuzsa@gmail.com](mailto:klima.zsuzsa@gmail.com) or call +36302034008 by 15 February 2024.

## **Fees**

EKF and WKF referees 100 €

National referees 70 €

## **Weigh in**

**Mandatory weigh-in for children, Cadet, Junior, and Senior athletes will take place at the Sporthall as follows:**

- **Friday, March 8th:** 20:00 - 22:00 for children, cadet, junior and senior categories
- **Saturday, March 9th:** 08:00 – 14:00 for children, cadet, junior and senior categories

## **Registration**

On the day of the competition at the SZIGETSZENTMIKLÓS SPORTS VENUE - one person is responsible for registering one team or sports club.

## **Important information**

We will provide you with the estimated program a few days prior to the competition. Rest assured that we will adhere to the specified start times, allowing you to plan your competitor's arrivals accordingly. Please, ensure you meet the entry deadline and don't miss out.

## **Process of the competition**

Please, pay attention that before we start a category, we gather the competitors at the WARMING UP AREA.

There will be GATHERING POINTS to each TATAMI (Shiae) in the warming up area.

Please, direct your competitors to the WARMING UP AREA 30 minutes before their category starts.

With your cooperation you will support transacting the competition smoothly.

## **Rules**

WKF rules KATA, KUMITE, repasages and two 3rd place.

### **Cadet, Junior and Senior categories:**

- Kata and kumite WKF system

### **U8, U10, U12, U14 years old categories:**

- WKF system - full repechage will be applied, with following changes:

Kata categories from U8, U10, U12, two competitors perform the kata simultaneously with flag system, except for medal matches. In medal matches aka and ao perform the kata separately.

KATA U8, U10, U12 categories - at least 2 different kata required - flag system - kata simultaneously

In medal matches aka and ao perform the kata separately.

KATA U14 category - at least 3 different kata required - flag system - kata separately.

## **You can participate in more age groups**

For example:

- A girl in U10 kata category can also compete in the U12 kata category
- A boy in U10 kata category can also compete in the U12 kata category

**Please Note:** You can only participate **in one kumite category in one age group.**

For example:

- A boy in U12 - 30 kg category CAN also compete in the U14 - 40 kg category.
- A boy in U12 - 30 kg category CANNOT compete in the U12 - 35 kg category.

## **Kumite system**

Direct selection with full repechage (WKF flag system)

In kumite, in case of less than 5 competitors we will use round-robin system

- U8 - 1 min.
- U10, U12, U14 - 1,5 min.
- Cadet, Junior - 2 min.
- Senior - 3 min.

Double start is permitted in different age categories

Every change (cancellation of a category, change of the weight or age category... ) after the deadline 04.03.2024 costs +10 €.

## **Protectors**

According to WKF rules (red and blue mitts, shin and foot protectors and belts of the same colour, mouth guard, breast protector for girls are obligatory, face masks and body protectors are optional)

## **Entry tickets**

- Children 1000 HUF / 3€
- Adult 1500 HUF / 4€

## **Prizes**

- 1-3 places medals and certificates
- The winner of each category will receive a cup

## **Insurance**

It is recommended that all participants and members of delegations have their own insurance. The organiser of the competition is not responsible for any injuries or loss of personal belongings incurred by the competitors and participants. Athletes compete at the tournament in their own responsibility.

## **Entry conditions**

Every competitor appears at his/her own responsibility, the organizer doesn't take responsibility for any eventual injuries. Coaches or team leaders must sign a responsibility statement. The coaches must wear a tracksuit and sneakers.

## **Protest**

The protest has to be submitted in writing to the Referee Council of the Tournament and 100 € protest fee has to be deposited. If the protest is accepted by the Referee Council, the fee is going to be refunded.





## **SUMMARY**

### **Venue**

Sporthall, Hungary, 2310, Szigetszentmiklós,  
Szebeni str. 81.

### **Deadline**

March 1 2024, 24.00.

### **Maximum entries**

800

### **Entry fee**

30 €,- for each category

### **Registration**

[sportdata.org](https://sportdata.org)

# WE WISH YOU A SUCCESSFUL AND FAIR COMPETITION

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