

WORLD KARATE FEDERATION

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TO ALL WKF NF's

Madrid, 6th September 2012

Dear President,

One of the key points of Karate's Olympic Bid is to show the International Olympic Committee how committed our National Federations are to this campaign.

To demonstrate this commitment, the WKF is to launch the first World Karate Day. Called the **'K Day'**, this event will take place worldwide **next 7th October**.

The 'K Day' aims to prove the WKF's capability to mobilize our National Federations as well as demonstrate the unity of the Karate family in support of the Olympic Bid.

Main actions on this date may include Karate demonstrations in public and iconic places in cities around the world, as well as 'open door days' in dojos and clubs.

The motto: "Let the World discover Karate" says it all. This initiative is intended to bring new followers and practitioners to our sport and to show how spectacular Karate can be.

This is why I urge your Federation and Clubs to support this initiative by organizing on that date public demonstrations in the main cities around your country (if possible in iconic backgrounds) and sending at least two photographs of each of these demonstrations.

In order to showcase these events, it is necessary for us to know as soon as possible the places identified for your demonstrations, so that we can include them in the 'K Day' promotion campaign during September.

You will find enclosed the official poster of the 'K Day. Should you need any further information, please write to karate2020@live.com

I appreciate your support in this important work.

Kindest regards,

Antonio Espinós Important notice:

- 1) Your photographs must be received in JPG format at karate2020@live.com before October
- 2) Please confirm cities and events forecast to karate2020@live.com before September 20th.

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