

# Reykjavik International Games - KARATE

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**BULLETIN** 



# The Icelandic Karate Federation welcomes you to the Reykjavik International Games 2017. For the 5th time: Karate Open.

The organizing committee of the Reykjavík International Games, invites you to take part in the RIG 2016.

The city of Reykjavík will for the tenth time welcome sports participants to a multisport competition in Laugardalur, the Valley of Sport, taking place January 27th-February 5th. Athletes compete at a high level in various sports in world class facilities. The venue of the games will be the recently refurbished sport area of Laugardalur which will provide a magnificent setting for the games.

Events will include track and field, swimming, fencing, gymnastics, dance, archery, table tennis, powerlifting, badminton, figure skating, karate, bowling, skvass, weight lifting, triathlon and judo. In the competition the disabled compete in swimming, table tennis and archery. Some are a part of international circuits and/or give points to world ranking lists. Reykjavik Sports Union and the sports clubs in Reykjavik are the organizers of Reykjavik International Games supported by the City of Reykjavik.

Exciting lectures in collaboration with the Olympic and Sports federation related to elite sport have become an important part of the schedule of the games along with training camps in some sports. Opening and closing ceremonies among other things will keep the athletes happy and entertained and they will also have the opportunity to visit Reykjavík, the Capital of Iceland with all it's sights and sounds. If lucky you might also see the northern lights.

We anticipate that the Games will draw around 2400 participants including 450 foreigners from over 25 countries and many of them among the best. All further information about participating are to be found on our website: <a href="www.rig.is">www.rig.is</a>

The karate tournament is going to be on Sunday the 29th of January 2017, for youths, cadets, juniors and seniors. We are going to use the WKF cadet, junior and senior rules for the categories in the tournament. We will use two tatamis for the tournament.

# **REGISTRATION:**

All registrations must be submitted by SUNDAY JANUARY 15TH through SPORTDATA.ORG/KARATE

#### **REFEREES:**

Chief referee: Helgi Johannesson, EKF Referee.

All qualified WKF, EKF, NKF Judges and Referees are welcome. Please register all referees by January 15th 2017.

#### **REGISTRATION FEE:**

Registration deadline 15.01.2017 20€ per competitor / category

Registration later than deadline: 30€ per competitor.

IBAN: IS18 0515 2600 5103 5103 8504 79

SWIFT: GLITISRE

#### **ACCOMMODATION:**

Various hotels around the Laugardalur area. See http://rig.is/accommodation

# **Airport transport:**

Keflavik Airport - Reykjavik city center or your hotel: www.flybus.is/flybus

# VISA:

Teams arriving from countries requiring a visa to Schengen area, please submit your data in time in order to complete the invitation and other visa formalities. For more info please check from The Directorate of Immigration website http://utl.is

# **DISCIPLINES:**

#### KATA\*

Female and male: Seniors (16+), juniors, cadets and youths

**KUMITE\*** 

Senior female: -61kg, +61kg Senior male: -75kg, +75kg Junior female: -53kg, +53kg Junior male: -68kg, +68kg Cadet female: -47kg, +47kg Cadet male: -63kg, +63kg Youth female: -45kg, + 45kg Youth male: -55kg, +55kg

# **RULES, PROTECTION AND INSURANCE:**

Rules: WKF rules 9.0 (with two third places)

Protection: WKF & EKF rules

Insurance: All competitors must have a valid personal insurance licence.

#### **AGE LIMITS:**

Youths 12 - 13 years Cadets 14 - 15 years Juniors 16 - 17 years

Seniors 18+ years (kata 16+ years)

For more information, please visit www.kai.is

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<sup>\*</sup>The competition organizer reserves the right to change the categories!

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#### **COMPETITION SCHEDULE:**

#### **SATURDAY 28. JANUARY 2016**

19:00- 21:00 Registration and weigh-in (at venue)

#### **SUNDAY 29. JANUARY 2016**

08:00- 08:30Registration and weigh-in (at venue) 09:00 Eliminations and repechages:
Kata senior, junior, cadet and youth, female and male

Kumite youth female: -45kg, + 45kg Kumite youth male: -55kg, +55kg Kumite cadet female: -47kg, +47kg Kumite cadet male: -63kg, +63kg Kumite junior female: -53kg, +53kg Kumite junior male: -68kg, +68kg Kumite senior female -61kg, +61kg Kumite senior male -75kg, +75kg,

14:00- 15.30 Finals - Live on National TV, http://www.ruv.is Victory ceremony

20.00 Closing Ceremony – dinner – best results

#### **VENUE:**

Laugardalshöll sport center, Engjavegur 6, IS-104 Reykjavík, http://www.ish.is



