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INTRODUCTION

DEAR SPORT FRIENDS, DEAR GUESTS, DEAR CONTESTANTS,



It's a great pleasure for me to see that Budapest Open international karate championship is organized for the 20th time. During the first years, Shihan Gerd Rebicek, founder and organizer, with his enthusiastic organizer group, originally created this event for adults only, with participants from just a few countries.

Later on, listening to the encouraging feedback from Hungary and other countries, Budapest Open was expanded to

cover nearly all age divisions, and has been recognized as one of the most significant European tournaments. Budapest Open can play a key role in preparation and in gaining experience for qualification championships when karate is added to the program of the Olympic Games.

Our country and Budapest at the heart of Europe will be a true host of the event: in addition to its hospitality, it's an excellent meeting place for sport friends. The best karate competitors of Europe and the world can meet here and use the opportunity to challenge each other as a part of their preparation for the Olympics.

The traditions, organization and high standard of this championship obliges us to make the 20th anniversary contest a real festival of this sport for the participants and the spectators, in terms of numbers, professional events and the quality of organization.

I wish injury-free fights and great sport activity for the contestants, and an unforgettable experience for the spectators in Budapest.

Best regards:

János Mészáros, Dr.

President of Hungarian Karate Federation

INTRODUCTION

DEAR SPORT FRIENDS,



As the founder of Székely Budo-Sport Kft., I put emphasis on our participation in every significant compétition in Hungary in the last 31 years. We have been represented at each Budapest Open since it was started 20 years ago, making the brands distributed by our company easily available.

It is delightful to see the progress from a small event to a representative regional competition as a result of hard work. The top contestants from more and more countries would like to challenge their peers here, increasing the standards of

the event even further each year. We truly hope that our support has contributed to this success, and that this momentum will continue.

Székely Budo-Sport Kft. has made great progress during the years. Our product family, Saman, is becoming more and more popular not just in Hungary, but also in the neighbouring countries, and we became the distributor of many international brands. Signing the distribution agreement with Hayashi in February of 2016 was a great step forward for us. Hayashi is one of the most dynamic companies producing WKF-approved products with a very attractive price/value ratio. As a part of this cooperation, we offered and signed a competitor agreement with a great Hungarian fighter, Tadissi Yves Martial, who has been leading the -67 kg world rankings for several months, and won a silver medal in Linz as a member of Hayashi Karate Team. The development of the competition and the company has now reached a point when an international brand distributed by us can be the naming sponsor of such a high-profile event.

As the naming sponsor, we will offer our full range of products at the event and in our downtown shop at Wesselényi utca. In addition to traditional clothing and protection equipment, we also offer Hayashi's popular streetwear. We wish a successful competition for every contestant!

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Sándor Székely Founder, CEO

INTRODUCTION

DEAR SPORT FRIENDS,



20 years have passed since the first Budapest Open international karate championship. At that time, when this series started, I was the coach of the Hungarian team. My goal was to create a local opportunity for the best Hungarian competitors to challenge themselves against the top fighters from other countries. At the beginning, we organized the competition for adults, with participants from only a few countries. I remember how happy we were to see when competitors from ten countries took part in the event. We listened to the advice of Hungarian and foreign coaches, and extended the program to juniors. Thanks to this, more and more competitors entered the

championship, so we decided to make it a two-day event. Every single year, we tried to prepare a new surprise for the participants, which they really appreciated. Some countries and clubs have entered many generations of competitors to Budapest, and they could not imagine the start of the season without the Open. We are happy to see that the number of participating countries and competitors is steadily increasing. In 2016, the 19th Budapest Open broke all records, and attracted 1200 registrations from 29 countries. In addition to quantity, we focus on quality as well. Each year, we try to attract the best competitors to Hungary to set even higher standards. We are proud to meet many Budapest Open participants at the World and European Championships, as well as in the Premier League. Many World and European Championship medalists have entered our tournament, from Malaysia to Chile and from South Africa to Norway. Neighbouring countries include Budapest Open among their European and World Championship qualification events, which makes sure that Hungarian and foreign spectators see a really high standard event each year.

We have special plans for the 20th Budapest Open, too. As the new name of the 20th Budapest Open Hayashi Cup shows, a new company has found this event worth sponsoring. Thanks to their support, we are introducing two prized categories: open (no weight divisions) male and female kumite, with a first prize of €500, second prize of €300, and two third prizes of €100. We hope that this will encourage even more top contestants from more countries to enter this competition.

We kindly invite your national team, club teams and all leaders, referees and contestants to participate in a high profile karate competition in the heart of Europe. We hope that in addition to the teams which have already participated in previous events, many new teams will visit Budapest to celebrate the 20th anniversary of Budapest Open.

Best regards:

SATURDAY 16TH

CATEGORIES:

Junior / U 21 / Senior

COMPETITION CATEGORIES:

Kata individual:	junior male – female	
	U 21 male – female	
	senior male – female	
Kumite junior:	male -55 kg -61 kg -68 kg -76 kg +76 kg	
	female -48 kg -53 kg -59 kg +59 kg	
Kumite U 21	male -60 kg -67 kg -75 kg -84 kg +84 kg	
	female -50 kg -55 kg -61 kg -68 kg +68 kg	
Kumite senior:	male -60 kg -67 kg -75 kg -84 kg +84 kg	
	female -50 kg -55 kg -61 kg -68 kg +68 kg	
Kumite team:	male and female (3+1 competitors)	
The teams can be formed from all age categories mentioned above.		

SPECIAL CATEGORY SPONSORED BY HAYASHI:

Kumite open	male and female.
1st place	500 Euro

13t place	JUO EUIO
2nd place	300 Euro
3rd place	100-100 Euro

RULES: WKF system.

REGISTRATION: 15th September 20.00-22.00 at the Sport hall, weigh-in for all categories (incl. boys and girls)

WEIGH IN: 16th September from 7.00 till 8.30 a.m. at the Sport hall, possibility for registration.

ENTRY FEE: Individual categories 18 Euro, Team kumite 35 Euro, Open category 30 Euro

SUNDAY 17th

CATEGORIES:	Boys and girls in the following age and weight categories:
	6-7 years old boys -24 kg +24 kg
	6-7 years old girls -22 kg +22 kg
	8-9 years old boys -27 kg -32 kg +32 kg
	8-9 years old girls -30 kg and +30 kg
	10-11 years old boys -32 kg -36 kg -40 kg +40 kg
	10-11 years old girls -34 kg -40 kg +40 kg
	12-13 years old boys -40 kg -45 kg -50 +50 kg
	12-13 years old girls -43 kg -50 kg +50 kg
	Cadet boys -52 kg -57 kg -63 kg -70 kg +70 kg
	Cadet girls -47 kg -54 kg +54 kg
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COMPETITION CATEGORIES: Individual kata and kumite.

RULES: WKF system - full repechage will be applied, with following changes: kata categories from 5 to 13 years old, 2 competitors perform the kata simultaneously, except for medal matches. In medal matches aka and au perform the kata separately.

1.5 min. for kumite:	age 6-13
2 min. for kumite:	cadets
kata:	age 6-7, 8-9, 10-11 – at least 2 different kata required
	age 12-13 – at least 3 different kata required
	cadets – WKF system – full repechage will be applied.

REGISTRATION/WEIGH IN: 17th September from 7.00 till 8.30 a.m. at the Sport hall.

PROTECTION: Gum shields, WKF type red and blue mitts, shin pads and foot protection, for women chest protection over 12 years are mandatory.

ENTRY FEE: Individual categories 18 Euro.

PRIZES: 1-3 places: medals and certificates, the winner of each category will receive a cup and special award offered by the sponsors. The winners of senior kumite and kata categories: karate gi, special prizes offered by Székely Budo-Sport Kft. and other prizes offered by the sponsors of the tournament.

DRAW: 15th September, 2017.

PROTEST: The protest has to be submitted in writing to the referee council of the tournament and 50 Euro protest fee has to be deposited. If the protest is accepted by the referee council, the fee is going to be refunded.

REFEREES: Referees are going to be delegated by the Hungarian Karate Federation. Foreign qualified referees are welcome. Please, apply in writing to nominate your referee!

RESPONSIBILITY: The organization committee will not bear any responsibility of any kinds of damages or losses.

ATTENTION: All competitors must have their own red and blue belts.

ACCOMMODATION

Please contact directly the official hotel of the championship!

SAROKHÁZ PANZIÓ***

Address: 2220 Budapest, Üllői út 845. Phone: +36 29 355 255 Fax: +36 29 355 033 E-mail: sarokhaz@monornet.hu Home page: www.sarokhazpanzio.hu

Special price offered: night/person, including buffet breakfast, in double and triple rooms: 25 Euro. **All rooms are air conditioned with colour TVs and bathroom. The hotel's restaurant is also open for lunch and late dinner.** The hotel is situated only 5 minutes by car from the Sport hall and offers you a special price.

HOTEL FERIHEGY***

Address: 1185 Budapest, Üllői út 809. Phone: +36 1 765 4004 E-mail: sales@hotelferihegy.hu Home page: www.hotelferihegy.hu Prices (incl. breakfast): 4 bed room 69 Euro/room 3 bed room 59 Euro/room 2 bed room 49 Euro/room 1 bed room 39 Euro/room

HOTEL PEST INN ***

Address: 1107 Budapest, Zágrábi utca 1-3 Phone: +36 1 262 8976

REGISTRATION ONLINE: WWW.SPORTDATA.ORG

DEADLINE FOR REGISTRATION:

12[™] SEPTEMBER, 2017.

Fax: +36 1 262 8977
E-mail: jestravel@t-online.hu
Prices (incl. breakfast):
3 bed room 60 Euro
2 bed room 40 Euro
1 bed room 35 Euro

Hotel Pest Inn is situated the half-way between the sport hall and city center, only 3 min walk from the Metro station.

Beside the above mentioned possibilities, we offer to arrange accommodation from large selection of hotels and airport transfer reservations on the following booking system of our official **Travel Agency WELL TRAVEL:** www.welltravel.hu/booking

Transportation between the official hotels and venue of the competition can be arranged upon request. If you may have any more question please contact: welltravel@welltravel.hu or +36 20 333 25 22.

PLEASE ALWAYS USE THE CODE: KARATE when submitting your reservation!

Please note that September is a high season in Budapest, be sure to make a hotel reservation before 15th of August!

Dear friends, we are looking forward to see you in our tournament!

Best regards,

Gerd Rebicek President of the Organizing Committee

PRELIMINARY PROGRAM

International Karate Championships 2017



FRIDAY 15TH

20:00 - 22:00

REGISTRATION, WEIGH IN AT THE SPORT HALL

SATURDAY 16TH 07:00 - 08:30 09:00 - 09:15	REGISTRATION, WEIGH IN AT THE SPORT HALL MARCHING IN, OPENING CEREMONY
09:15 – 11:30	TATAMI 1-2-3-4 JUNIOR, SENIOR, U21 MALE AND FEMALE KATA, TATAMI 5-6 KUMITE U 21
11:30 - 14:00	TATAMI 1-2-3-4-5-6 MALE, FEMALE JUNIOR KUMITE
14:00 - 18:00	TATAMI 1-2-3-4-5-6 MALE, FEMALE SENIOR INDIVIDUAL KUMITE
18:00 - 19:00	TATAMI 1-2-3-4-5-6 MALE, FEMALE SENIOR TEAM KUMITE
19:00 - 21:00	TATAMI 3-4-5-6 MALE FEMALE SENIOR KUMITE OPEN
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07:00 - 08:30	REGISTRATION, WEIGH IN AT THE SPORT HALL
09:00 - 10:00	TATAMI 1-2-3-4-5-6 BOYS AND GIRLS KATA
10:00 - 19:00	TATAMI 1-2-3-4-5-6 BOYS AND GIRLS KUMITE

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