

Come with us into the fairy-tale world ...

A great weekend with the

3rd "PINOCCHIO" KARATE TROPHY

Udine (Italy) 21st-22nd March 2009

Sports Stadium Angelo G. Giumanini - Via delle Scienze 100 - 33100 Udine (Italy)

All young athletes training any karate style and member of any federation, organization or sports society can participate in this promotional and international tournament. Participants must be in conformity for the present year to the official sanitary regulations in force and to the membership to their federation as well as they must be covered by insurance. **The tournament is also open to disabled children.** Both individual and team competitions will be run.

INDIVIDUAL COMPETITION

Participants in individual competition will be divided into male and female and into the following age divisions (named after some characters of the fairy tale):

A	"GRILLI" (crickets)	5 - 6 years old	Born in 2004 – 2003
B	"GATTI" (cats)	7 - 8 years old	Born in 2002 – 2001
C	"VOLPI" (foxes)	9 - 10 years old	Born in 2000 – 1999
D	"LUCIGNOLI" (Candlewicks)	11 - 12 years old	Born in 1998 – 1997
E	"GEPPETTI" (Pinocchio's father)	13 - 14 years old	Born in 1996 – 1995

The abovementioned age classification of participants consider only the year of birth: either they have already turned the age or they are going to turn it during the present year.

All participants in individual competition will be divided according to their grade, that means in seven categories:

White Belts	Yellow belts	Orange belts	Green belts	Blue belts	Brown belts	Black belts
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Kata choice is free: each participant can perform any kata belonging to any style. If there will be more trials it will be possible to repeat the same kata performed in previous trials. Classifications will be made summing up the score obtained in each trial. The organization will check the age and the grade of the first three classified athletes (so they will have to show the proper documents, included the federal card) and in case there will be an irregularity the participant will be disqualified and the next athlete will take his place in the classification.

TEAM COMPETITION

The competition takes place with the same subdivision of the above-mentioned age divisions, but without any subdivision of grade and between males and females. Each team will be composed by three athletes, without considering their grade. At least two of them must belong to the same age division and the third one can be one year older or one year younger than the other two competitors, but in any case included in the above-mentioned age divisions. The teams can also be mixed, males and females, but anyway one athlete can't belong to more than one team. The team competitions will develop like the individual ones.

PROGRAM

Saturday 21st March 2009

2.30 pm Meeting for A – B divisions (5/6, 7/8 years old)
3.00 pm Starting of individual competitions for A – B divisions
6.00 pm Team competition for A – B divisions

Sunday 22nd March 2009

9.00 am Meeting for C – D – E divisions (9/10, 11/12, 13/14 years old)
9.30 am Starting of individual competitions for C – D – E divisions
3.00 pm Team competitions for D and E divisions

MEDAL CEREMONY

The first three athletes of each divisions will receive a trophy (a wooden Pinocchio statue in different sizes depending on the place). **All participants will receive, besides a lot of special prizes and gifts, a precious attendance gadget about Pinocchio.** *The organization denies all responsibilities for any accident happened to people or objects before, after or during the event. All associations will assume the responsibility that their participants are regular with the sanitary certification of the law in force and with the rules indicated in these regulations when they register their competitors.*

REGISTRATIONS

Registrations (complete with all the personal details, such as name, surname, sex, date of birth, age division, grade, and the number of possible teams for each age category) must arrive **absolutely before 10th March 2009** at: Associazione Italiana Fitness e Affini- Via Castellana, 27/B – 30174 Mestre (Venice, Italy) – Fax. 041971447 – E-mail: assofitness@libero.it
Registration fee is euros **15,00** for each participant in the INDIVIDUAL competition and euros **20,00** for each TEAM. **Foreign athletes will pay their registration fee directly on the spot.**

Societies can enter any number of athletes and teams. During the tournament substitutions and registrations will not be allowed.

The LAND OF TOYS...

Games, awards and animation with the different characters of Pinocchio tale during the event, with the animation team of the Collodi Foundation.

PINOCCHIO EXHIBITION

An historical exhibition about Pinocchio will be realized.

PAINTING COMPETITION

On the occasion of the tournament there will be a painting competition about the topic "Pinocchio Samurai" (that can range among the different disciplines: karate, judo, qwankido, etc...). All children between 5 and 14 years old can participate. They will be divided according to their year of birth. The paintings can have any size and all techniques can be used: pencils, watercolours, oil paintings, felt-tip pens, wax...

All the paintings (that will not be given back) will be examined by a jury appropriately set up and the judgment will be final.

Participation is free and paintings (with all personal data, such as name, surname, date of birth, address, telephone number, and the belonging sports society) must arrive **before 15th March 2009** at: Associazione Italiana Fitness e Affini – Via Castellana, 27/B – 30174 Mestre – Venice (Italy)

The winners' names will be decided on Saturday afternoon (for children from 5 to 8 years) and on Sunday morning (for all the other participants) with respective awarding of prizes.

LITERARY COMPETITION "INVENT THE TALE OF... PINOCCHIO SAMURAI"

On the occasion of the event there will also be a literary competition for children "Invent the tale of... Pinocchio Samurai": Also in this case the topic can range among the different disciplines and the aim is stimulating the literary imagination of children, writing a tale with Pinocchio as the main character. The writings can have different length (number of the pages) and they must be written with clear handwriting, or typed or written with a computer. All children between 5 and 14 years will be allowed to participate and they will be subdivided according to their age. The writings (that won't be given back) will be examined by a jury appropriately set up and judgment will be final.

Participation is free and the writings (with personal data, such as name, surname, date of birth, address, telephone number, and the belonging sport society) must arrive **before 15th March 2009** at: Associazione Italiana Fitness e Affini – Via Castellana, 27/B – 30174 Mestre – Venice (Italy).

Names of the winners, and their awards, will be decided on Saturday afternoon (for children between 5 and 8 years) and on Sunday morning (for children between 9 and 14 years).

OFFICIAL HOTELS

The organization has arranged special prices for the participants' stay (through the hotelkeepers association in Udine) with the following hotels:

Category	Hotel Nome	Telephone- Fax	E-Mail
4 stars	Ambassador Palace	+39 0432503777 +39 0432503711	info@ambassadorpalacehotel.it
	Astoria Italia	+39 0432505091 +39 0432509070	astoria@hotelastoria.udine.it
3 stars	Best Western Là Moret	+39 0432545096 +39 0432545096	hotel@ladimoret.it
	President	+39 0432509905 +39 0432507287	info@hotelpresident.tv
	Continental	+39 043246969 +39 043243293	info@hotelcontinental-ud.it
	Cristallo	+39 0432501919 +39 0432501673	info@cristallohotel.com
	Friuli	+39 0432234351 +39 0432234606	info@hotelfriuli.udine.it
3 stars	Express Holiday Inn	+39 0432570666 +39 0432575929	express.udine@metha.com
	Ramandolo	+39 0432470994 +39 0432479835	info@hotelramandolo.it
	San Giorgio	+39 0432505577 +39 0432506110	info@hotelsangiorgioudine.it

4 Stars: Singel Room € 72,00; Double Room € 92,00; Three-beds Room € 102,00; Four-beds Room € 112,00

3 Stars: Single Room € 57,00; Double Room € 72,00; Three beds Room € 87,00; Four beds Room € 97,00

Abovementioned prices are per day and include overnight stay and breakfast.

In order to get the abovementioned prices it's necessary to mention the "Pinocchio Trophy" when you make your booking.

For information and registrations contact only:

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