# BULGARIA OPEN 2016 ITF TAEKWON-DO CHAMPIONSHIP



# **OFFICIAL INVITATION**

To All members of the International Taekwon-Do Federations

1. PROMOTER -

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2. ORGANIZER -

#### ARMY SPORTS TAEKWON-DO CLUB "TRAKIA" Plovdiv, BULGARIA



#### The Championships will take place in:

The Sport Hall University of Plovdiv "Paisii Hilendarski", Plovdiv, BULGARIA

The Bulgarian Taekwon–Do Federation ITF and Army Sports Taekwon-Do club "Trakia" – Plovdiv will do their best to make your stay in Plovdiv, Bulgaria most convenient and enjoyable.

We are looking forward to see you all, during the 15<sup>th</sup> International Taekwon-Do ITF Championship "Bulgaria Open" in 19 and 20 November 2016.

Truly yours in Taekwon – Do,

Master Mario Bogdanov ITF Vice-President EITF Vice-President President of the Bulgarian Taekwon–Do Federation ITF

#### Competition Format: Elimination System will be applied to all the competitions

#### The events that will take place at the championship:

- 1. Individual Sparring
- 2. Team Sparring

#### **COMPETITORS:**

1. There are three **Children** divisions:

Children (8-9) must be 8-9 years old on the 19<sup>th</sup> of November 2016, Children (10-11) must be 10-11 years old on the 19<sup>th</sup> of November 2016, Children (12-13) must be 12-13 years old on the 19<sup>th</sup> of November 2016,

Sparring – minimum - 8<sup>th</sup> gup for all ages;

Categories:

**Children male (8-9) and (10-11)**: -25 kg., -30 kg., -35kg., -40 kg., -45 kg., -50 kg., -55 kg., +55 kg.

**Children female(8-9) and (10-11)**: -20 kg., -25 kg., -30 kg., -35 kg., -40 kg., -45 kg., -50 kg., +50 kg.

**Children male (12-13)**: -35 kg., -40 kg., -45 kg., -50 kg., -55 kg., -60 kg., -65 kg., +65 kg.

**Children female (12-13)**: -30 kg., -35 kg., -40 kg., -45 kg., -50 kg., -55 kg., -60 kg., +60 kg.

**Children (8-9)** – 1 round x 2 min. **Children male (10-11) and (12-13)** - 2 rounds x 1.30 min.

**Team Sparring** event for Children - the teams must include children competitors 10, 11, 12 or 13 years old. Each team must consist 5 competitors. When a team has one member short at the time of competition then the opposing team will automatically be awarded two points.

#### Juniors 14-15 and 16-17

2. There are two Juniors divisions:

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Juniors (14-15) must be 14-15 years old on the 19<sup>th</sup> of November 2016,
Juniors (16-17) must be 16-17 years old on the 19<sup>th</sup> of November 2016,
(2 rounds x 2 min.)
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Sparring – minimum - 6<sup>th</sup> gup for all ages;

Categories: All Juniors male: - 45kg; -51kg; -57kg; -63kg; -69kg; -75kg; +75kg All Juniors female: -40kg; -46kg; -52kg; -58kg; -64kg; -70kg; +70kg (2 rounds x 2 min.)

**Team Sparring** - In the junior 14-15 Team Sparring event, the teams must include only competitors 14 or 15 years old. In the junior 16-17 Team Sparring event, the teams must include only competitors 16 or 17 years old. Each team must consist minimum 4 competitors. When a team has one member short at the time of competition then the opposing team will automatically be awarded two points.

**3. Adults** Adults must be 18-39 years old on the 19<sup>th</sup> of November 2016,

Sparring – minimum - 6<sup>th</sup> gup for all ages;

Categories: **Adult male:** - 50 kg; -57kg; -64kg; -71kg; -78kg; -85kg; + 85kg; **Adult female:** - 45kg; -51kg; -57kg; -63kg; -69kg; -75kg; +75kg (2 rounds x 2 min.)

In the sparring competition, the competitor from the red corner must wear **red** hands and feet safety equipments and the competitor from the blue corner must wear **blue** hands and feet safety equipments.

**Team Sparring** event for Children - the teams must include adult competitors 18-39 years old. Each team must consist minimum 4 competitors. When a team has one member short at the time of competition then the opposing team will automatically be awarded two points.

It is the **<u>participants' responsibility to have full Insurance coverage</u>** for all eventualities. Organizing committee will not be responsible for any injury or loss for participants before, during, and after the Championships howsoever arising.

Payment: All the payments will take place at the Sport Hall of University of Plovdiv "Paisii Hilendarski" on the 18<sup>th</sup> of November 2016.

Competitors' competition entry fee: 15 Euro per competitor

**Competitor Dress Code**: Only the competitors who wear the Official ITF Dobok manufactured by Sasung Company will be allowed to access the competition.

### **UMPIRES:**

- Each club should provide minimum one (1) ITF **<u>Qualified</u>** Umpire
- Umpires will be required to carry out their duties as scheduled.

• Umpires must attend all the Umpire Meetings scheduled in the period of the event.

• The Umpire's dress code will consist of the Navy blue blazer jacket, White long sleeved shirt, Navy blue trousers, Navy blue necktie, White short socks and White sport shoes as laid down in the Umpire rules.

<u>Attention:</u> The Organizing committee will cover 3 days/2 night's Hotel accommodation for an umpire <u>WHOS TEAM IS NOT LESS THAN 10 COMPETITORS</u>.

### Hotel Accommodation

Hotel accommodation will be provided at several packages:

### 1. Hotel – 3 stars

45 Euro – Per day per person in double room 60 Euro – Per day per person in single room

## 2. Hotel – 2 stars

30 Euro – Per day per person in double room 45 Euro – Per day per person in single room

The price includes:

- Breakfast and dinner
- Medical assistance during the competition days /only for competitors/
- Comfortable and high standard double rooms with cable TV

**DEADLINE:** Hotel Accommodation Entry Form and must be sent BEFORE or on the Deadline of 11 November, 2016 To e- mail: bft\_itf@abv.bg fax: + 35973833480