



**Karate Alberta**

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**Provincial Championship**

**Tournament Package**

**Saturday October 19, 2019**



**Central Memorial High School**  
**5111-21 St SW**  
**Calgary, AB**



Message from the Tournament Committee:

The entire team at Karate Alberta (KA) is pleased to bring you a one day tournament Provincial Championship. The tournament will be used for KA members vying for a position on the KA Provincial Team for Nationals 2019.

The Novice and Intermediate events will be opened up to the greater Karate community not currently registered with KA in hopes that they will consider joining KA in the future. Advance events are open only to KA Members.

There will be four tatamis operating and we are confident that with the help of our dedicated volunteers and officials the day will run smoothly and efficiently.

In order to ensure that our Sportdata team is not overrun with last minute requests there will be a FIRM registration deadline. There will be plenty of reminders before the deadline to ensure the process is reasonable and fair. We cannot accept late registrations and changes (without monetary penalty), exceptions will be only be made for medical reasons, Dr. note required.

As always, we will need volunteers to help marshal competitors, keep score and time the matches at the tables. Each dojo will be required to provide minimum 3 people for table work or officials.

We look forward to seeing you on October 19, 2019!

Heather Fidyk  
Interim Chair Tournament Committee for Karate Alberta

**Important links:**

[WKF RULES Link](#)

Sportdata Tutorials for Table Volunteers

[Sport Data Video #1](#)

[Sport Data Video #2](#)

[Sport Data Video #3](#)

[Sport Data Video #4](#)

[Sport Data Video #5](#)

[Sport Data Video #6](#)

[Sport Data Video #7](#)

[Sport Data Video #8](#)

Volunteer sign up Link [Volunteer Sign Up](#)

Keep in mind that All members of the Karate Alberta Provincial Team for 2020 Nationals will need to have 20 volunteer hours.

Tournament Registration Sport Data Link

[Karate Alberta Open - Fall 2018](#)

DATE	Saturday October 19, 2019 Set up 7:45-9am Registration begins at 8:15 am Tournament begins at 9:30 am sharp
ELIGIBILITY	KA Team prospects must compete in the Advanced Divisions to be eligible for the KA provincial team selection KA Team Prospects may only compete in divisions that they will be vying for on the KA Provincial Team for Nationals 2019
REGISTRATION DEADLINE	<b>Thursday October 10, 2019</b> <i>No registrations will be accepted on the day of the tournament</i>
WAIVER	Club Administrators - please ensure that all competitors have completed and signed the waiver by the <i>Competitor/Guardian and Witness</i> , found below in the Registration Forms. Please <u>bring these forms</u> with you to the Registration Table when you make payment. We do not have extra waivers at the tournament so please print off your own for completion. <b>We cannot accept emailed documents, as original signatures are required.</b>
TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE	Tournament will start with the youngest athletes and finish with the adults in the afternoon. Kumite event will follow immediately after kata event for all youth divisions as much as possible.
MANDATORY KUMITE EQUIPMENT	Refer to Page 6 for details. Athletes without correct equipment will NOT be allowed to compete.
ENTRY FEES Non - KC Members	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• \$40.00/person Single Event – Kata or Kumite</li> <li>• \$35.00/person, For Second Events Kata or Kumite</li> <li>• \$35.00 per Team, Team Kata</li> <li>• Change fee after deadline \$20</li> </ul>
ENTRY FEES KC Members	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• \$30.00/person Single Event – Kata or Kumite</li> <li>• \$20.00/person, For Second Events Kata or Kumite</li> <li>• \$21.00 per Team, Team Kata</li> <li>• Change fee after deadline \$10</li> </ul>
AWARDS	Four placements for each event – except for flag events (see Rules)
<a href="#">SPORTDATA LINK</a>	<a href="#"><u>Karate Alberta Open - Fall 2018</u></a>
<a href="#">VOLUNTEER LINK</a>	<a href="#">Volunteer Sign Up</a> Saturday 7:45am set-up, AND end of day take down - all team prospects – remember to sign in with the Tournament director. Marshals * Time keepers * Score keepers * Registration * Food Room Each dojo must provide minimum 3 volunteers for table work or officials. Team Prospects – If you are planning to be partially funded as a member of the KA Provincial Team you (your family) will need to volunteer at KA events which will include assisting at KA Tournaments, KA Committees, Board of Directors.

# Registration Information

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- Payment options: ONE cheque or One e-transfer from each dojo

Through your respective bank online banking set up 'Karate Alberta' as an interac payee; using the email address [treasurer@karateab.org](mailto:treasurer@karateab.org). Each respective bank will have its own secure approval process in setting up an e-transfer interac payee. Once set-up all you need to do is select 'Karate Alberta' as the payee and input the payment amount to be transferred from your bank account. There is no security question or password required! IMPORTANT - there will be a small 'message' option for your e-transfer - generally 40-characters in length. Please write Fall Tournament 2019 – (name of your dojo).

- Receipts will be handed out following tournament
- a. *Athletes aged 18, 19 and 20 years old may compete in individual U21 as well as Senior individual and Senior team divisions.*
- b. *Advanced Divisions Only – 2020 KC Nationals and Jr & Sr Pan American date matrix:*

Youth	12 as of May 1, 2020
Cadet, Junior & U21	14, 16, 18 as of August 24, 2020
Senior Kumite	18 as of Mar 20, 2020
Senior Kata	16 as of Mar 20, 2020

- c. *Participants in all Advanced Divisions must be aware that unless they are of age to compete in the said category at the 2019-2020 season's key international events (on the dates of these events, such as the 2020 Cadet & Junior Pan American Karate Championships, the 2020 Senior Pan American Karate Championships, etc.), they may NOT represent Canada (in the said divisions) at these competitions.*
- d. Please ensure you are in the correct division prior to the tournament. Participation and results will not be considered if you compete in the wrong division.

- e. Any questions regarding the provincial team can be directed to the Head Coach.
- Divisions are shown on bottom of pages 7 and 8. **Consolidation or Separation of divisions will occur at the discretion of the tournament organizers. Please check Sportdata - day before the tournament.**
- In the event a competitor must withdraw after the registration deadline an email must be sent to the Tournament Director, Rob Montgomery, ([manager@calgarywadokai.com](mailto:manager@calgarywadokai.com)) at least 48 hours prior to the tournament date.

- **Refunds:** will only be given for medical reasons OR when the consolidation of divisions results in the cancellation of a match for the competitor. Refunds are given in the form of a credit to the dojo to be used towards the next tournament. We do not give individual refunds.
- The tournament will be run following the rules established by the WKF with modifications allowed by Karate Alberta.

## Officials

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- Officials please contact Patricia Karl ([ptrckr152@gmail.com](mailto:ptrckr152@gmail.com)) to indicate your availability.

## Ring-side Coaches

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- Pre-registration on SportData is **MANDATORY** for all Coaches
- Coaches shall be in appropriate coaching attire – track suit and closed toe shoes
- Coaches should be trained in Comp Intro
- Coaches cannot interfere with the match



# Flag Event 4-6 year old combined

- Kata – athletes will be paired and present their kata simultaneously - Hantei for best kata
- Kumite - Each participant with two flags, one flag on either side of belt (left/right): blue & red competitors
- Participant who captures both of their opponent's flags is declared the winner or the most flags after 1.5 minute run time, if tied - Hantei
- 2 matches for everyone: no single winner in Kata or Kumite, everyone receives One Medal

## Kata

<i>Novice and Intermediate</i>	<i>Advanced</i>
<b>Rule Supplement</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• May use any kata from their style curriculum.</li> <li>• Novice division may restart a kata once without penalty.</li> <li>• Competitors in Novice divisions may repeat katas as required. Intermediate can repeat after 3<sup>rd</sup> Round.</li> <li>• Athletes will compete simultaneous kata</li> <li>• Maximum 10 competitors per division for Novice and 12 for Intermediate</li> <li>• Drawsheet will be Single elimination</li> </ul>	<b>Rule Supplement</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• WKF Rules</li> <li>• Drawsheet will be Repechage</li> <li>• Divisions with only 2 or 3 competitors will be single elimination</li> </ul>

### Para- Karate Athletes (Para Recreational)

New

Categories	
<b>Intellectual Challenges</b> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. WKF Para Category Rules</li> <li>2. Recreational Categories – athletes with moderate to severe intellectual impairments (Autism, FASD, FXS, etc)</li> </ol>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Male Junior &amp; Female Junior (age 12-17)</li> <li>• Male Senior &amp; Female Senior (age 18+)</li> </ul>
<b>Physical and Visual Limitations</b> – Athletes with physical limitations: wheelchair user, amputees, Cerebral Palsy*, Multiple Sclerosis* etc. *without cognitive impairments and Athletes with visual limitations: Blindness, severe visual impairment.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Male Junior &amp; Female Junior (age 12-17)</li> <li>• Male Senior &amp; Female Senior (age 18+)</li> </ul>
<b>Kata Rules for Persons with Disabilities</b> <b>Criteria:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The technical evaluation with understanding of competitor's category limitations</li> <li>• The athletic evaluation with understanding of competitor's category limitations</li> </ul>	<b>Scoring:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 5-7 referees judge the Katas in two specified categories, according to the points system</li> </ul>

# Kumite

<i>Novice and Intermediate</i>	<i>Advanced</i>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Divisions A, B, and C, D Kumite events shall be 2 minutes run time or first to 8 points.</li> <li>Drawsheet will be Single elimination</li> <li>Maximum 10 competitors per division for Novice and 12 for Intermediate</li> </ul> <p><b>Safety Equipment</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Events A, B - Hand pads and Mouth guard mandatory, addition equipment optional</li> <li>Events C, D, E novice and intermediate - Hand pads and Mouth guard mandatory, addition equipment optional</li> <li>Events C, D, E advanced - Hand Pads, Shin and instep (Blue or Red), Mouth guard mandatory, addition equipment optional</li> <li>Events F &amp; H Advanced - WKF regulation</li> <li>Event H (Masters) - Hand pads and Mouth guard mandatory, addition equipment optional</li> <li>Male groin protection for males</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>All competitors will compete in Kumite by weight</li> <li>Kumite events shall be 2 minutes stop time, and 3 minute stop time for Mens U21 and Senior</li> <li>Drawsheet will be Repechage</li> <li>Divisions with only 2 or 3 competitors will be single elimination</li> </ul> <p><b>Safety Equipment</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Events A, B - Hand pads and Mouth guard mandatory, addition equipment optional</li> <li>Events C, D, E novice and intermediate - Hand pads and Mouth guard mandatory, addition equipment optional</li> <li>Events C, D, E advanced - Hand Pads, Shin and instep (Blue or Red), Mouth guard mandatory, addition equipment optional</li> <li>Events F &amp; H Advanced - WKF regulation</li> <li>Event H (Masters) - Hand pads, shin 7 instep and Mouth guard mandatory, addition equipment optional</li> <li>Male groin protection for males</li> </ul>
<p><b>Rule Supplement</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Divisions may be consolidated to ensure three or more competitors per event</li> <li>Combining between 18+ and juniors is not allowed</li> <li>Events may be single elimination unless otherwise announced</li> <li>Polycarbonate safety glasses may be worn upon approval by the Chief Official</li> <li>Religious headwear is accepted</li> </ul>	<p><b>Rule Supplement</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Polycarbonate safety glasses may be worn upon approval by the Chief Official</li> <li>Religious headwear must meet WKF standards</li> </ul>

KUMITE Events	
A-B	Hand pads and Mouth guard mandatory, addition equipment optional
Novice & Intermediate C, D, E, G, H	Hand pads and Mouth guard mandatory, addition equipment optional
Advanced C, D, E, H	Hand Pads, Shin & instep (Blue or Red), Mouth guard mandatory, addition equipment optional
F & G Advanced	WKF regulation

## TOURNAMENT INDIVIDUAL REGISTRATION

# Tournament

Saturday October 19, 2019

Calgary, Alberta

KA# \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Postal Code: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Alberta Health Care #: \_\_\_\_\_

Birth Date (mmm/dd/yy) \_\_\_\_\_ Gender: \_\_\_\_\_ Weight (kg): \_\_\_\_\_

Belt Colour (Kyu Only) \_\_\_\_\_ Club Name \_\_\_\_\_

Division(s): (e.g. A4) \_\_\_\_\_

Event: Kata \_\_\_\_\_ Kumite \_\_\_\_\_ Team Kata \_\_\_\_\_

Payment Total: \_\_\_\_\_

### Acknowledgement, Waiver and Release

I, \_\_\_\_\_, hereby acknowledge that I am aware and understand that the art and sport of karate is potentially hazardous and that a participant is exposed to risks in said activity. I further acknowledge that in the course of doing karate I may receive injuries that may be serious and permanent.

I hereby acknowledge and accept all hazards and risks in the doing said activity and hereby remise, release and forever discharge the Karate Alberta Association, its officers, servants, employees, successors, agents and assigns from any and all claims and demands whatsoever for damages, loss or injury, however arising which may now or may hereafter be sustained by me in consequence of my participation in the Karate Alberta Tournament of Saturday October 27, 2018 including, without limiting the generality of the foregoing, training, practice, competition, demonstration, traveling to or from any of the foregoing, and any other matter related in any way to the said activity.

I CONSENT THAT ANY PICTURES OR VIDEO FURNISHED BY OR TAKEN OF ME CAN BE USED FOR PUBLICITY, PROMOTION OR TELEVISION SHOWING, AND WAIVE COMPENSATION IN REGARDS THERETO.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_

Competitor/Guardian \_\_\_\_\_ Witness \_\_\_\_\_