



TSHWANE KARATE OPEN CHAMPIONSHIP

27 September 2025



Closing date

24 September 2025

Tournament briefing:

07:15

Tournament start:

08:00

Venue:

Voortrekker Hall, 285 Friederich Str.
Wierdapark, Centurion.

Entry fee:

Competitor : R120 per category.

Spectator : Free.

Entries via:

[Kihapp.com/21612/S/AC53DCF](https://kihapp.com/21612/S/AC53DCF)

(Limited to a max of 150 entries)

Entry Payments (by Club):

Martial Arts Enterprise

FNB Current (260216)

Account Number: 6244 6321 614

Reference: Club or Sensei's Name

Proof of Payment to:

Email: admin@ma-enterprise.net

Special medals awarded to 1st, 2nd
and 3rd places.

Repechage draw system used for
more than 3 competitors.



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 **WUKF RULES**
KATA
KUMITE
KOBUDO
TEAMS

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KARATE SHOP
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VOORTREKKER HALL, 285 FRIEDERICH STR.
WIERDAPARK, CENTURION
INFO: RUDI 082-959 9493

**FEE PER CATEGORY: R120
SPECTATORS: FREE**

ENTRIES (BY CLUBS):
[HTTPS://WWW.KIHAPP.COM/21612/S/AC53DCF](https://www.kihapp.com/21612/S/AC53DCF)



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DIVISIONS: KATA, TEAM KATA, KOBUDO & KUMITE:

(Age as on 27 September, 2025)

Categories will be drafted based on the entries received, we endeavor to give each competitors an opportunity to compete. We will combine categories with less than 3 entries and split groups with more than 8.

GENERAL CHAMPIONSHIP RULES

1. GENERAL RULES

- Should any tournament rules / arrangements be disregarded, the offending person / participant or spectator may be required to leave the championship / venue, immediately.
- Participants take part at their own risk. No claim may be made against the host or any of the officials officiating on the day of the tournament.
- It is the responsibility of each instructor to explain the conditions to the participant before entering the championship.
- Karateka must participate in white Gi's (Karate suits)
- Only the official application form will be accepted, legibly completed.
- We reserve the right to combine divisions where only one or two entries are received.
- No entry fees will be refunded on withdrawal.
- Only the official coaches will be allowed on the floor.
- The division for entries is detailed on the Kihapp system.
- No late entries will be accepted after the closing date. No exception or privileges will be granted.
- Any participant not reporting to his/her floor after 3 call-out's, will be immediately disqualified.

2. OFFICIALS

- Please note we cannot run efficiently without enough people to assist. Kindly offer some of your time to assist us.
- A meeting will be held at **07h15** on the day at the hall, whereby all referees, managers, coaches, instructors and table officials will be briefed regarding the rules and arrangement concerning the championship.
- Referees and judges may officiate in a gi if they partake, other officials or team managers should, wherever possible, wear grey / black trouser, white shirt, tie and blazer.
- Female officials or team managers should, wherever possible wear grey / black skirt or trousers, white blouse and blazer.

3. KATA RULES

- Any kata is allowed and kata may be repeated. Novice competitors may perform partial kata, encouraging beginners to enter.



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4. KUMITE RULES

- Red / White Gloves (not Cotton) and mouth protection is compulsory.
- No Blue equipment or WKF badges are allowed.
- Head / Face masks, Groin & Shin / Foot protectors are allowed.
- Chest protectors are recommended for female participants.
- The 4-point rule will be applied for students <13 (90 seconds) and
The 6-point rule will be applied for students >14 (120 seconds)
- Excessive contact will be strictly enforced.
- Only the appointed coach from each team may coach a participant while preparing for a fight. **COACHING WILL BE ALLOWED WHILST A FIGHT IS IN PROGRESS AS LONG AS IT IS DONE FROM THE COACHING CHAIR!**

5. SPECTATORS

- No spectator or supporter may move onto or interfere in the arena.
- On the day of the tournament no arguments with a referee will be permitted. Should there be a problem on the floor, it can be resolved by reporting it to the relevant floor manager, who will bring it to the attention of the tournament director. Formal complaints can be presented in writing and the tournament director will give feedback.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT.