









General information

European Challenge Taekwon-do Tournament "Baltic Amber Cup 2018" will be held on 09th – 11th of November 2018 in Riga National Sports Arena, Maskavas str. 160, in Riga, Latvia.

Organizer: Latvian Taekwon-do Federation, Liepājas iela 3b, Riga, LV1002,

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1. COMPETITORS:

Taekwon-do ITF practitioners from 8 Kup - 2 Dan, from invited organization's teams by Baltic Amber Cup 2018 organizing committee. Age of competitors will be controlled by their documents (passport). From each club is allowed unlimited number of competitors in each division. AGE DIVISIONS: Children (8-10), Cadet (11-13), Junior (14-15/16-17), Adult (18-35) and Veteran (36+).

Participants must have a medical insurance policy valid at the time of the competition in the territory of Latvia.

2. The program of Events:

<u>Individual Patterns</u>, for Male & Female, age groups: Children, Cadet, Junior, Adult, Veteran <u>Individual Sparring</u>, for Male & Female, age groups: Children, Cadet, Junior, Adult, Veteran <u>Individual Power Test</u>, for Male & Female, age groups: Cadet, Junior, Adult & Veteran

3. Trophies and awards.

We award all individual winners for 1^{st} , 2^{nd} , 3^{rd} place with medals and diploma of competitions and winners in Team Overall for 1^{st} , 2^{nd} , 3^{rd} place with Team Cups and diplomas.

Money prizes.

It will be money prizes in **Adult age division only,** in those categories where at least 8 and more athletes participate, cash prizes from sponsors of competitions will be played out:

SPARRING, (18-35) 1st Place - 200EUR, 2nd Place - 100 EUR, 3rd Place - 50 EUR;

PATTERNS Black belts (16+) 1st Place - 100EUR, 2nd Place - 70 EUR, 3rd Place - 40 EUR;



4. **PROGRAM OF COMPETITIONS.**

4.1. **Individual Patterns.**

Nº	code	Age groups	Age	Kup / Dan
1	YG-1	Male Yellow & Green belts	8-15 y.o.	8-5 Kup
2	YG-1	Female Yellow & Green belts	8-15 y.o.	8-5 Kup
3	YG-2	Male Yellow & Green belts	16+years	8-5 Kup
4	YG-2	Female Yellow & Green belts	16+years	8-5 Kup
5	BR-1	Male Blue & Red belts	8-15 y.o.	4-1 Kup
6	BR-1	Female Blue & Red belts	8-15 y.o.	4-1 Kup
7	BR-2	Male Blue & Red belts	16+ years	4-1 Kup
8	BR-2	Female Blue & Red belts	16+ years	4-1 Kup
9	BL-1	Male Black belts	10-15 y.o.	1-2 Dan
10	BL-1	Female Back belts	10-15 y.o.	1-2 Dan
11	BL-2	Male Black belts	16+ years	1-2 Dan
12	BL-2	Female Back belts	16+ years	1-2 Dan

Will be only one (designated) pattern in preliminary bouts and two (optional & designated) patterns in Final & Semi-final.

4.2. **Individual Sparring.**

Nº	cods	Age groups	time	Weight category
1	— D	Children (8-10 years), Male	2 x 1 min	-25kg, -30kg, -35kg, -40kg, -45kg; +45kg;
2		Children (8-10 years), Female	2 X 1 111111	-25kg, -30kg, -35kg, -40kg, -45kg; +45kg;
3	С	Cadets(11-13 years), Male	2 x 1.5 min	-40; -45; -50; -55; -60; -65; +65kg
4		Cadets (11-13 years), Female		-35; -40; -45; -50; -55; - 60;+60kg
5	B-1	Juniors (14-15 years), Male	2 x 1.5 min	-45; -50; -55; -60; -65; -70; +70kg
6		Juniors (14-15 years), Female		-40; -45; -50; -55; -60; -65;+65kg
7	B-2	Juniors (16-17 years), Male	2 x 2 min	-45; -51; -57; -63; -69; -75; +75kg
8	D-Z	Juniors (16-17 years), Female		40; -46; -52; -58; -64; -70; +70kg
9	A	Adults (from 18 years), Male	2 x 2 min	-52; -58; -64; -71; -78; -85 ; -92; +92 kg
10		Adults (from 18 years),Female		-47; -52; -57; -62; -67; -72; -77; +77 kg
11	v	Veterans (+36 years), Male	2 x 1.5 min	-64; -73 -80; -90; +90kg
12	V	Veterans (+36 years),Female		-54, -61, -68, -75; +75kg

It's planning to use video repeat system in sparring competitions.

The Organizer reserves the right to merge weight classes or divisions if competitor numbers falls below 4.



4.3. Individual Power Test.

- 4.3.1. Competitions are held separately in the Male and Female divisions, by age groups: Cadets (11-13), Juniors (14-17 years), Adults and Veterans (18 years and over)
- 4.3.2. Competitions are held on the electronic measuring system "Real Strike". Strikes are applied on a vertically suspended bag equipped with electronic sensors.
- 4.3.3. Each blow is applied from the ready stance and only after command "Sijak" of the
- 4.3.4. **Hand technique.** The athlete have 1 minute to perform 3 attempts of blows.
- 4.3.5. The permitted technique of striking by hand: **Up jumok**, **Sonkal**, **Dung jumok** (impacts by the forearm, elbow and other unauthorized parts are not counted).
- 4.3.6. **Kick technique.** The athlete have 1 minute to perform 3 attempts for striking with the foot. The permitted technique of kicking: **Ap kumchi**, **Pal dung**, **Pal cal**, **Dwit chuk**.

5. Number of referees

Each club (team) ensures at least 1-2 qualified referees for the whole day. The referees must be dressed according to the ITF rules. All referees have the obligation to attend the registration together with the competitors from their team.

If the team does not have judge for the work in this competition, so it loses the rights to make a protest.

<u>Attention:</u> The Organizing committee will cover Hotel accommodation for referee (8.3) and the dinner in the day of Events.

6. The procedure of official protest.

In case of protest, the official representative of team or coach must:

- a) Immediately after the end of the disputed bout, turn to the Jury president at the table near the ring, and verbally declare the desire to file a protest.
- b) The judge start a time count of 5 minutes, during which the coach write and submits a protest to the Jury president table together with fee payment of 50 € (euro).
- c) The protest is considered by the Chief of Umpires committee of the competition. During the consideration of the protest, the competitions on this ring are suspended until a final decision is made. In any case payment does not refundable.

7. Participation & Accommodation Combined Fee.

All competitors must pay combined fee. Team leaders are responsible for payment for all team members in single payment (not separately by each competitor).



You can choose from two kinds of Combined Fee:

7.1 Or Early payment with Deposit to Bank account.

The collective payments of **70 Euro** per each competitor must be deposited to the organizer bank account before deadline.

Payment shall be deposited in following beneficiary's account **no later than 15th October 2018:**

Payment to: Latvijas Tekvon-do Federacija,

Organization ID Nr. 40008023321 bank name: SEB Banka, BIC code (SWIFT): UNLALV2X

Account: LV17 UNLA 0050 0115 1551 2

ATTENTION! Please state following information when paying into bank account: Deposit for AMBER CUP 2018, Name of club (team) and Competitors amount.

Example: AMBER CUP 2018, SONKAL (Sweden), 12 competitors

This kind of fee is non-refundable.

7.2. Or **Payment by Cash on registration.**

The collective payments of **80 Euro** per competitor must be paid in cash at the time of team registration on 09th of November 2018.

7.3. The **Combined Fee** payment includes:

- Accommodation in 3 stars hotel (Double or Triple room)
- Breakfast
- Accreditation for competitions.
- Medical assistance in Sport hall during the competition days

8. Hotel Accommodation

Hotel accommodation will be provided by organizing committee at **Package B** (**3 stars Hotel**) (with breakfast) **FREE of CHARGES** in a period from 09th up to 11th of November 2018 (3 days/2 nights) to next persons:

- 8.1. To **all competitors** of this event (twin or triple rooms)
- 8.2. To 1 (one) **Head-coach** if the Team have 10 (ten) and more competitors
- 8.3. To 1-2 (one or two) **International Class A or B Umpire** in Twin room.
- 8.4. To Honour ITF Guests which have Latvian TKD Federation personal invitation.
- 8.5. Accommodation at the expense of the organizing committee is possible only with advance booking until **October 15**th, 2018.

8.6. Cost for accommodation for **other members** of delegation is:

Duration of stay:	Package A **** (4 -stars Hotel in Riga Center)	Package B *** (3-stars Hotel near the Hall)
2 days / 1 nights	40 €	30€
3 days / 2 nights	80€	60€
4 days / 3 nights	120€	90 €
Extra Day	40€	30€

All prices above are **per person** for a **double room** with breakfast. For single room prices add **15** € per day.

If deposit for accommodation is received after 15st of October 2018, prices are higher **by 10%**

Transfer

If you need transfer from AIRPORT or RAILWAY station to the hotel or/and to the stadium, please contact us before Deadline. Cost for transfer 15.00 EUR per person. Transfer includes a meeting at the airport or the Railway station, bus to the hotel and to the Sports Hall, transfer to the airport or Railway station.

9. Penalties

- 9.1. For the change of the weight category or section in the Patterns competition during registration, the penalty for each change in the application is 5.00 EUR
- 9.2. For submission of the final application after the specified deadline or delay of the team for registration 50.00 EUR

10. Entry forms.

Please, preliminary report about your principal decision to participate in our Championship as soon as possible by email. All forms you can download on web: www.ambercup.lv

Dead line for Entry Form is October 15th, 2018

Dead line for Payment by bank transfer is October 15th, 2018

For information please contact: Master Vjacheslav Semenkov, by email: itf.latvia@gmail.com, or mobile ph. + (371) 295-100-10.

PRE-SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

(Possible further changes)

Friday 09th of November, Arrival to Riga (place of meeting will be announced later)

15:00 - 19:00	registration for all team members, weight control;
18.00 - 19.00	meeting for Referees;
19.00 - 20.00	meeting for team coaches & officials;

Saturday 10[™] of November, Competitions day for Adults, Veterans and Juniors.

breakfast in the hotel,
arrival to Competition Area, Maskavas str.160, Rigas Sporta Maneza.
meeting for Referees;
start of competitions for ADULTS & VETERANS;
start of competitions for JUNIORS 14-15 & 16-17;
Break for lunch.
Opening & Awarding ceremony for morning part
Final part of competitions.
Awarding ceremony for afternoon part.
Banquet for head of delegations.

Sunday 11th of November, Competitions day for Children & Cadets.

07:00 - 08:00	breakfast in the hotel,
08:00 - 08:30	arrival to Competition Area, Maskavas str.160, Rigas Sporta Maneza.
08:30 - 11:00	start of competitions for CHILDREN (8-10 years);
10:00 - 15:00	start of competitions for CADETS (11-13 years);
15:00 - 15:40	Awarding ceremony;
16:00 - 17:00	Departure from the Hall;

Monday 12th of November, Seminar in Latvian Taekwon-do Central School (Liepājas str. 3b)

08:00 - 09:00	breakfast in the hotel,
10:00 - 13:00	Seminar Part 1, Patterns (Chon Ji – Hvarang)
13:00 - 14:00	Break for lunch.
14:00 - 16:00	Seminar Part 2, Patterns (Chung Moo – Juche)

Seminar conducted by Master V. Semenkov (8.dan).

Entry fee 30.00 EUR (for Blue belts and up).

If you interested for participation, pls. send entry form and info at before October 15th.