

BELGIAN OPEN

Poomsae • Freestyle • Para

40th edition

3rd November 2019

Hasselt – Belgium



Organization

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OVR Provider Martial Events
<https://www.martial.events/en>

Location **De Alverberg** • Herkenrodesingel 33 • 3500 Hasselt

Accommodation Park Inn by Radisson Hasselt
 Sint-Jozefsstraat 10/2.2, 3500 Hasselt

Sponsors



Competition

PLANNING

2nd November - Saturday 16:00-20:00 Registration for all categories @ sports hall De Alverberg

3th November - Sunday 09:00 Start competitions

CONTESTANTS

Age According to WT categories for poomsae and freestyle.

The age category is based on the year of birth. For example: if the athlete will be 18 years old in 2019, but on the day of the competition he/she is still 17 years old, then he/she must compete in the category 18-30 years old (U30).

Graduation 1st DAN/POOM and higher – WT regulations

Uniform WT approved poomsae competition uniforms

Categories

RECOGNIZED POOMSAE COMPETITION

Individual	Pair	Team
▫ Cadet (12-14)	▫ Cadet (12-14)	▫ Cadet (12-14)
▫ Junior (15-17)	▫ Junior (15-17)	▫ Junior (15-17)
▫ U30 (18-30)	▫ U30 (18-30)	▫ U30 (18-30)
▫ U40 (31-40)	▫ O30 (31+)	▫ O30 (31+)
▫ U50 (41-50)		
▫ U60 (51-60)		
▫ U65 (61-65)		
▫ O65 (66+)		

FREESTYLE POOMSAE COMPETITION

FS Individual	FS Pair	FS Mixed Team
▫ U17 (12-17)	▫ U17 (12-17)	▫ O11 (12+)
▫ O17 (18+)	▫ O17 (18+)	

PARA TAEKWONDO COMPETITION P20-P30

- Junior (12-15)
- U30 (16-29)
- O30 (30+)

Para-athletes perform 1 poomsae of their choice.

Contestants can participate 1 time in each discipline, taking into account age categories and gender. e.g. 1x individual, 1x pair, 1x team.

It is not possible to participate 2x in the same discipline. e.g. 2x poomsae pair

COMPETITION RULES

General	WT competition rules applies to all competitions for poomsae and freestyle.
Protest	Only the official coach is allowed to protest within 10 minutes of the pertinent contest to the poomsae referee director. An amount of € 150 will have to be paid for each protest. The decision of the referee chairman is final.
Doping	Some contestants chosen at random will be tested. The list of prohibited products will be equal to the list of IOC.
Tournament system	U30 and U40: Single elimination tournament system All other categories: Cut-off system. The organization is allowed to change this due to organizational matters.
Music freestyle	Athletes must bring their music in MP3 format on USB-stick. Apple audio format is not allowed. The music shall be the choice of the contestant; however, any political, social and religious content is not allowed.

COMPULSORY POOMSAE

Announcement	The compulsory poomsae will be announced before the competition on the website: www.belgiantaekwondofederation.be
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INDIVIDUAL A-CLASS

Cadet	Taegeuk 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 jang, Koryo, Keumgang
Junior	Taegeuk 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 jang, Koryo, Keumgang, Taebak
U30	Taegeuk 6, 7, 8 jang, Koryo, Keumgang, Taebak, Pyongwon, Sipjin
U40	Taegeuk 6, 7, 8 jang, Koryo, Keumgang, Taebak, Pyongwon, Sipjin
U50	Taegeuk 8 jang, Koryo, Keumgang, Taebak, Pyongwon, Sipjin, Jitae, Chonkwon
U60	Koryo, Keumgang, Taebak, Pyongwon, Sipjin, Jitae, Chonkwon, Hansu
U65	
O65	

PAIR A-CLASS & TEAM A-CLASS

Cadet	Taegeuk 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 jang, Koryo, Keumgang
Junior	Taegeuk 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 jang, Koryo, Keumgang, Taebak
U30	Taegeuk 6, 7, 8 jang, Koryo, Keumgang, Taebak, Pyongwon, Sipjin
O30	Taegeuk 8 Jang, Koryo, Keumgang, Taebak, Pyongwon, Sipjin, Jitae, Chonkwon

Compulsory poomsae	2 taegeuk/poomsae per round. The organization is allowed to reduce this due to organizational matters (with exception of U30-U40).
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GENERALREGISTRATION

Website

<https://www.martial.events/en>

Registrations must be done by TEAM (by the club admin).

Registrations are only allowed for:

- athletes,
- coaches

National teams can also enter 1 MNA Official.

Other functions are not allowed.

Deadline

21 October 2019 (23:59 Belgian time GMT +1)ENTRY FEE

Poomsae/Freestyle/Para

POOMSAE	FREESTYLE	PARA
65€ per individual	65€ per individual	65€ per individual
75€ per pair	75€ per pair	
85€ per team	85€ per mixed team	

Athletes participating in 2 or more categories, pay for 2 or more categories.

Bank details

Account name: Taekwondo Vlaanderen**Name of bank:** Belfius**Address of bank:** Havermarkt 36-38**ZIP:** 3500**Place:** Hasselt**Country:** Belgium**IBAN:** BE21 0682 3723 0503**SWIFT/BIC:** GKCCBEBB**Reference:** BO 2019 + team name*Poomsae: In case of pair/team with another club, please specify*

Entry fees are obligated at all times and must be paid in EURO. Additional currency charges must be paid by the participating team/competitor. All currency charges which are charged to the account of the organization must be balanced in cash during registration.

No show

There will be no refund if a registered competitor/team fails to show up for the competition. In case the competitor has not been removed from the list of participants before the deadline his/her team or official must fully (100%) pay the entry fee(s) for participation. In case of no show the invoice will be send to the team after the tournament.

Coach	1 coach will be granted free admission per team. For every 5 contestants within the same team, 1 coach is granted free admission with a maximum of 3 coaches. E.g.: 7 participants = 1 coach free admission; 12 participants = 2 coaches free admission. An extra coach costs € 25.
Modifications	30€ for all modifications after the deadline of 21 October 2019. This must be paid in cash at the registration desk at the sports hall.
Spectators	10€ per person Children until 9 years old = free entrance.
<u>INFORMATION</u>	
Membership	Valid license of a recognized taekwondo federation that offers WT taekwondo. No valid license (with photo/identity card) means no participation.
Coaching	Coaching is only allowed in sportswear (no dobok). All coaches must be 18 years or older.
Access to competition area	Only for 1 coach + 1 athlete (except for poomsae pair/team) and only with the personal and original accreditation badges made by the organization.
Visa	VISA applications can be sent max. 3 weeks prior to the competition (until Wednesday 11/10/2019) to the organization. All applications that arrive after this deadline, will not be treated. See attachment.
Liability	All competitors participate at their own risk. The organization shall not accept responsibility for any damages, violence, injuries or losses sustained or incurred and specifically note that they also take no responsibility for any damages, losses, injuries or other consequences due to (directly or indirectly) acts of terrorism or terrorist threats. All contestants must bring their own documents and forms for any medical treatment in Belgium. If not, this will have to be paid in cash immediately.
First aid	Will be provided by the organization and is only to be used in case of an emergency.
Press	Only official press members with personal press card will be granted access to the competition areas.
Outline	The organizers reserve the right to make changes in the outline if necessary.

Commercial business Commercial business is not allowed under any circumstances without any written permission of Taekwondo Flanders. Only contracted business is allowed in the venue. A penalty of 10.000,00 EUR shall be paid cash when violating this rule. The organization will have full authority to remove violators from the venue and event. Please note that you will automatically comply with the rules of Taekwondo Flanders written in this outline when accessing the venue or any part of the event.

ACCOMODATION AND TRANSPORT

Special rates Special rates are available at **Radisson Blu** and **Park Inn**, situated at only 2,5 km from the sports hall.
Promotional code: TW1119 (minimum 2 nights)



Nearby airports Brussels National Airport (BE): 80 km
Maastricht (NL): 50 km
Eindhoven (NL): 75 km

Airport shuttle Can be booked through VC services.
For more information contact: info@vcservicesbelgie.be
Website: <http://www.vcservicesbelgie.be/>
Max. 8 persons per bus

Venue shuttle Transport from Radisson Blu and Park Inn to the sports venue will be organized. Information follows.