



**The 6th
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Championships
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**THIS COMPETITION
IS A SEEDING EVENT FOR THE**

2017 BRITISH NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS.

**Ranking affects all A-Class Cadet, Junior
and Senior competitors.**

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Tournament Summary

Registration:	www.ma-regonline.com
Venue:	Richard Dunn Sports Centre, Rooley Avenue, Bradford, West Yorkshire BD6 1EZ United Kingdom
Date:	Sunday 14th May 2017 Doors Open 7am; First Matches 9.30am
Entry Deadline:	Monday 8th May 2017; at 21:59
Spectators:	£5 Free for under 5s
Competitor Fee:	A-class - £35 B-class - £25
Age Categories:	
Kids (8 and under)	born in 2009 or after
Child (9-11)	2008, 2007, 2006
Cadet	2005, 2004, 2003
Junior	2002, 2001, 2000
Senior	2000 or before
Veteran	1982 or before
Event Organiser:	Master Rick Simpson; Horizon Taekwondo Academy
Queries to:	info@horizontaekwondo.co.uk

Detailed Tournament Outline

Procedure:

- Clubs should register for the event **in advance** using www.ma-regonline.com
- Each Competitor and Coach must be entered accurately, including their British Taekwondo Membership Number (UK competitors only)
- Once the entry deadline has been reached the competitor list will go to the British Taekwondo Licence Audit
- **Competitors whose licences have not been renewed by this date will not pass the audit**
- Competitors not passing the audit will be removed from the entry list for the tournament and will not be permitted to compete
- Coaches not passing the audit will not be permitted to coach
- Competitors not passing the audit will be charged the full entry fee by the event organiser

Eligibility of Applicants:

- All competitors must have a valid British Taekwondo licence and insurance or those if competing from abroad must have a valid licence through their National Association; numbers will be checked with Membership Services.
- All competitors should check that their insurance is valid and ensure that **April 2017 renewals** are sent to Membership Services with enough time to be processed and returned back before the competition closing date of **8th May 2017**.
- All Competitors **MUST** bring their British Taekwondo or National Association licence book to the competition weigh in for inspection.

Groups:

A-Class 2nd Kup and above (red & black belts)
B-Class 9th Kup to 3rd Kup (yellow stripe to red stripe)

Kids (8 and under)	Born in 2009 or after
Open Class	Male -18kg -20kg -22kg -24kg -26kg +26kg
Open Class	Female -18kg -22kg -26kg +26kg
Child (9-11 years)	Born in 2008, 2007, 2006
A & B Class	Male -26kg -29kg -32kg -36kg -40kg -44kg -48kg +48kg
A & B Class	Female -26kg -30kg -34kg -38kg -43kg -48kg +48kg
Cadet (12-14 years)	Born in 2005, 2004, 2003
A & B Class	Male -33kg -37kg -41kg -45kg -49kg -53kg -57kg -61kg -65kg +65kg
A & B Class	Female -29kg -33kg -37kg -41kg -44kg -47kg -51kg -55kg -59kg +59kg
Junior (15-17 years)	Born in 2002, 2001, 2000*
A & B Class	Male -45kg -48kg -51kg -55kg -59kg -63kg -68kg -73kg -78kg +78kg
A & B Class	Female -42kg -44kg -46kg -49kg -52kg -55kg -59kg -63kg -68kg +68kg
Senior (17 and above)	Born in 2000 or before
A & B Class	Male -54kg -58kg -63kg -68kg -74kg -80kg -87kg +87kg
A & B Class	Female -46kg -49kg -53kg -57kg -62kg -67kg -73kg +73kg
Veteran	Born in 1982 or before**
A & B Class	Male -58kg -68kg -80kg +80kg
A & B Class	Female -49kg -57kg -67kg +67kg

* Juniors born in 2000 may compete as a Senior

** Veterans may compete as a Senior

Entry Fees:

- A class competitors: Each competitor pays £35 to enter the tournament
- B class competitors: Each competitor pays £25 to enter the tournament
- No-shows/withdrawals: Clubs will be expected to pay for competitors that do not show up or do not compete
- Audit fails: Clubs will be expected to pay for competitors that do not Membership Services' audit
- Spectators £5 per person, FREE for under 5s
- Competitor entries to be paid prior to the competition, to:
 - Bank: Santander
 - Name: "HTA"
 - Account #: 85248858
 - Sort code: 09-01-27
 - Reference: (team name)
 - Amount: £35 per A-class entry; £25 per B-class entry
- Please email info@horizontaekwondo.co.uk once payment has been made.

Competition Draw:

- The competition draw will take place after the weigh in on **Sunday 14th May 2017** and will be posted on www.ma-regonline.com.
- Where only 1 competitor remains in a group following the weigh in, they will be merged into another group using the following guidelines:
 - A and B class groups may be merged if necessary, and may not necessarily use Dae Do PSS for scoring
 - Competitors may be moved up 1 weight group only

Rules:

- Full WTF rules to be applied, including **full contact** to the **body** and **head shots** for **all age and skill groups**
- See "Scoring Systems for this Event" page for how scoring will be conducted
- There will be a meeting for all coaches at approximately 9.15am for any updates to the competition schedule and opportunity to ask any questions

Instant Video Review (IVR):

- There will be no Video Replay system for this tournament
- However, a Referee Review card appeal system will be utilised in accordance with British Taekwondo competition practices

Weigh In:

Saturday 13th May 2017

- There will be a weigh in at the competition venue from 4.00pm – 5.00pm
- Calibrated digital scales will be used, and a **maximum** of 0.099kg (99 grams) leniency will be granted
- Competitors attempting to weigh in at this session will not be permitted to re-try the following day
- Changes to weight groups at this time will require an administration fee of £10
- Competitors entered into the wrong age/Class categories will require an administration fee of £10

Sunday 14th May 2017

- There will be a weigh in on the morning of the competition at the competition venue 7.30am – 9.00am
- Calibrated digital scales will be used, and a **maximum** of 0.099kg (99 grams) leniency will be granted

Protests:

- Any protests must be made by the club coach within 10 minutes of the end of the contest to the Chief Referee.
- The Protest fee is £35 (refunded if protest is won).

Awards:

- Each Sparring Court will also award "Best Match of the day" trophies
- 1st, 2nd & 3rd place medal awards shall be made for each category.
- The top 3 teams will each receive a trophy to celebrate their top 3 standing by points awarded as follows:
 - Gold - 7pts,

- Silver - 3pts,
- Bronze - 1pt
- 3 pts for each win

Behaviour:

- All participants – spectators, competitors, coaches, officials – are expected to behave in an appropriate manner
- Any inappropriate behaviour will be dealt with by the competition organiser and offenders will be asked to leave, and in extreme cases, reported to the British Taekwondo Disciplinary Board
- We support British Taekwondo's policy of ZERO TOLERANCE on swearing – and include in this, racist behaviour and extreme violent remarks of any nature – offenders will be asked to leave, and in extreme cases, reported to the British Taekwondo Disciplinary Board and police where appropriate

Other Information:

- The Competition Organiser has the right to make any necessary changes to the above information.
- All competitors participate at their own risk, and neither the organisers nor the British Taekwondo shall accept responsibility for any damages, injuries or losses sustained or incurred.

Hotel Information:

Holiday Inn Express

0871 4234908 (+44871 4234908)

<http://www.hiexpress.com/hotels/gb/en/reservation>

Premier Inn

<http://www.premierinn.com>

Jury's Inn

01274 848500 (+441274 848500)

<http://bradfordhotels.jurysinns.com/>

Great Victoria

01274 728706 (+44 1274 728706)

<http://www.tomahawkhotels.co.uk/>

Hilton

01274734734 (+44 1274 734734)

http://www1.hilton.com/en_US/hi/hotel/LBABRHN-Hilton-Bradford-hotel/index.do

Midland

01274 735735 (+44 1274 735735)

<http://www.peelhotels.co.uk/hotels/midland-hotel-bradford-yorkshire-england/>

Scoring Systems for this event:

Age Group	B Class (9 Kup to 3 Kup)	A Class (2 Kup and above)
Kids (8 and under)	Manual scoring (open grades)	
Child (9 to 11)	Manual scoring	Electronic head & body scoring
Cadet (12-14)	Electronic head & body scoring	Electronic head & body scoring
Junior (15-17)	Electronic head & body scoring	Electronic head & body scoring
Senior (17-35)	Electronic head & body scoring	Electronic head & body scoring
Veteran (35+)	Manual scoring	Electronic head & body scoring

Manual scoring

Competitors will need to bring their own head guard, gum shield, body protector, forearm guards, gloves, groin guard and shin guards. All must be WTF or British Taekwondo approved.

Electronic head & body scoring

Competitors will need the same protective gear as Manual scoring, with the exception of the body protector and head guard which will be provided by the tournament organisation. Competitors will also require Dae Do electronic sensor socks.



www.luvtkd.com supply sensor socks – make sure you order well in advance of this competition. .

