

**2nd TSKF/ISKF
AUSTRALASIAN
CHAMPIONSHIPS 2019**



25 — 30 March, 2019

**Taupo Events Centre, Taupo
New Zealand**

Information Package 1



1. TRAINING/COMPETITION VENUE

Taupo Events Centre
AC Bath Avenue Taupo, New Zealand

2. EVENTS SCHEDULE

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Sunday 24 th	Monday 25 th	Tuesday 26 th	Wednesday 27 th	Thursday 28 th	Friday 29 th	Saturday 30 th
Guests Arrivals & Check-In	Seminar 9:30 - 11:30am	Seminar 9:30 - 11:30am	Seminar 9:30 - 11:30am	FREE DAY	Kyu Grade Competition Day & Some Black Belt Eliminations	Black Belt Competition Day 9:00am START
	Lunch	Lunch TSKFA Dojo Head Meeting	Lunch			
Welcome Function TBA	Seminar 2:30 - 4:30pm	Seminar 2:30 - 4:30pm	Seminar 2:30 - 4:30pm			
			Dojo Head Dinner TBA			
					9:00am START	Celebration Dinner TBA

3. WHAT TO BRING

- Current TSKF/ISKF Membership/Registration Card
- Medicare Card
- Mouth Guards
- Fighting Mitts (no red & blue mitts will be provided at the event)
- Chest Guards, breast protectors & optional groin guards (for all black and brown belts participating in kumite -no gear will be provided at the event)
- Hand Towel
- Bottled Water
- Basic First Aid Supplies



4. SCHEDULE OF FEES:

	Financial TSKFA Members Full Seminar/ Competition	Financial TSKFA Members Family Discount* for 3 rd Family Member +	Financial TSKFA Members Seminar Only	Financial TSKFA Members Seminar per day	Financial TSKFA Members Competition Only
Payable to TSKFA	\$240	\$120	\$190	\$80	\$90
Cash (hand to secretary on Day 1)	\$50	\$50	\$50	\$20	NIL
Total	\$290	\$170	\$240	\$100	\$90

* The Family discount is only available to the third and subsequent member of each family, after two other members of the same family have paid the full price.

5. FOR THE INDIVIDUAL ATTENDING:

- Every participating member, or their authorised parent or guardian should, read the competition rules and regulations carefully, and complete (clearly printed) Registration Form (page 6) and Medical Clearance Form (page 7) and return to your Dojo Head so they can be forwarded to TSKFA Administration by **8th March, 2019 at latest.**
- Every participating member should pay nomination to your Dojo head at the same time for collation of all Club entries. Fees from individuals will not be accepted at the event.
- Every participating member should ensure they have the required equipment (as per previous page). As this is an international event, no chest guards or mitts will be supplied by TSKFA. Please make arrangements to take your own gear.

6. FOR THE DOJO HEAD:

- Please email a list of all referees and table officials attending, who will be able to assist at the tournament and send by Sunday 1st February, 2019 to enable inclusion in the Competition Magazine to theseecretary@tskfa.com.au
- Note: Those unable to attend the whole training seminar & wish to attend part thereof, must submit nomination and payment in advance with the rest of the Club nominations. No attendees who arrive unregistered on the day will be accepted.
- Regardless that the event is hosted by TSKF NZ all funds for Australian Dojos will be collected by TSKFA and passed on electronically in a bulk transaction to TSKFNZ to save bank fees for International funds transfers and to enable us to collate all Australian Data.



- Fees to be posted as 1 cheque per Dojo at same time to The Secretary or deposited electronically and advise the Secretary of details by email.
Bank Account Name: TSKFA PTY LTD
Bank: Westpac
Branch:: Bundaberg QLD
BSB: 034-122
A/C #: 51 5446
- Do not send Registration and Medical Forms by mail or bring to NZ – please scan and email to thesecretary@tskfa.com.au.
- At this stage we have no information regarding the Welcome Function, Dojo Head Dinner or Celebration Dinner. Once we have the venues, times and prices the information will be forwarded to all TSKFA Dojos.
- At this stage we do not have the list of events for members. Once we have this it will be distributed with the electronic spreadsheet.
- The electronic spreadsheet for nominations will be forwarded to all Dojos once we have the details for the events and social functions.
- Dojo heads to collect the \$50AU cash from each member of their dojo and hand to D.Russo, Secretary, TSKFA, with list of names of persons paid at The Dojo on Day 1 of seminar. Club members should not be paying individually to The Secretary – as a Club please.
- There will be no Judging or Instructor accreditation held at this event in 2019.
- Please DO NOT SHARE this information package on social media – send to your members via email or distribute printed copies**



7. COMPETITION RULES

1. Should there be insufficient numbers in any of the divisions, the Organizers reserve the right to combine divisions, as they deem fair.
2. If the Competitor is under age 18 years, their parent or legal guardian must sign the waiver
3. No competitor over the age of 41 years is eligible to enter into Open Kumite Events.
4. All Competitors and Coaches must abide by the rules of the Federation.
5. All Competitors must abide by the Judge's decision.
6. All Competitors must be a current member of TSKFA/TSKFNZ to compete in the tournament
-Or- All Competitors who are members of other Shotokan Groups **must** provide proof of current financial membership and insurance along with registration and payment in order to compete in the tournament.
7. Individual Black Belt Kata Event – Senior competitors may only enter one kata event e.g. Open Men's/Women's Kata OR 41-50 Yr Kata OR Over 50's Kata
8. Team Kata Event – Competitors may only be a member of (1) team kata event
9. Team Kata Event – If your team has one or more black belt team members, then they must enter the Dojo Team Kata or Junior Dojo Team Kata Event. Mixing of Dojos to make team is not permitted.
10. Kata & Kumite requirements as per TSKFA Rules & Regulations Article 56 (see table on page 4 of this information pack)
11. All Black and Brown Belts must wear the appropriate protective equipment in their events - mouth guard, fighting mitts, chest protectors (female), chest guards (juniors), groin protectors (optional).
12. Every competitor must bring their own current TSKFA Membership card, training towel, first aid kit and Medicare card.
13. All entries must be fully completed with correct information, and then returned with the appropriate fees to the Dojo Head.
14. Dojo Heads should be responsible for ensuring that all Dojo members are entered into correct divisions prior to the tournament commencing.
15. Dojo Heads are responsible for ensuring correct height of students is recorded on nominations.
16. The Organizers reserve the right to refuse entry to seminar/competition/event to any individual.



8. REGISTRATION FORM

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Taupo New Zealand

NOMINATIONS CLOSE – March 8 th , 2019				
Family Name:		Given Name:		
Address:		Suburb:	P/Code:	
Male/Female	Age:	D.O.B:	Rank:	Height (cm):
I am a REGISTERED, INSURED member of _____ Dojo				

Please include me in the following:

Seminar Only	<input type="checkbox"/>
Competition Only	<input type="checkbox"/>
Seminar & Competition	<input type="checkbox"/>

Kata Competition Event # _____
Kumite Competition Event # _____
Team Kata (Team Name) _____

Welcome Function _____ Adults
Dojo Head Dinner _____ Adults
Celebration Dinner _____ Adults _____ Child _____ U4

Please return your nomination and payment to your Dojo Head no later than 8th March, 2019

DECLARATION

In consideration of and as a condition of acceptance of my entry in this seminar/competition, I the undersigned, for myself, my heirs, executors and administrators, hereby waive all claims for which I or they may otherwise have, arising out of any loss of life, injury or loss of any description whatsoever, which I may sustain or suffer in the course of or as a consequence of participating in the said seminar/competition and I hereby release and discharge all persons, jointly or severally involved in staging, officiating at, participating in or promoting the said seminar/competition, in respect of such loss of life, injury or loss of any description whatsoever. I agree to compete in the event/s according to the Rules and Regulations of the Organizers. I also agree that my image may be taken in photos/video at the event and may be used in the public domain.

The Parent/Guardian must sign this entry form if the Competitor is under 18yrs of age.

Competitors Name: _____

Competitors Signature: _____ Date: ____/____/____

Parent/Guardian's Signature: _____ Date: ____/____/____

**RETURN FORMS WITH PAYMENT TO YOUR DOJO HEAD
(PAYMENT MUST ACCOMPANY THIS FORM)
Individual forms sent directly to the Tournament Coordinator will be returned**



9. MEDICAL CLEARANCE FORM

Participants Full Name: _____

Date of Birth: _____ Dojo: _____

Do you have the following conditions?

- Heart Disease
- Epilepsy
- Diabetes
- Chronic chest condition
- High blood pressure
- Are you pregnant?
- Any other medical conditions, including injuries or psychological issues that may prevent you from participating?
- NONE OF THE ABOVE**

IF YOU ANSWERED YES TO ANY OF THESE MEDICAL QUESTIONS THEN A MEDICAL CLEARANCE MUST BE PROVIDED BY YOUR DOCTOR.

YOUR DOCTOR OR SPECIALIST CAN USE THIS FORM TO GIVE YOU CLEARANCE BY COMPLETING

Signed: _____

This medical Clearance form is to be filled out, signed-off and stamped by your doctor giving you clearance to take part in the 2nd TSKF Australasian National Karate Seminar and Championships

Participant's Name: _____ Date of Birth: ____/____/____

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Medical Condition requiring clearance: _____

Doctors Name: _____ Doctor's phone: _____

I, Dr _____

Say the participant named above suffers from the stated condition and I give medical clearance for this individual to participate in the TSKFA Nationals Seminar and Karate Championships

Notes: _____

Doctor's Signature: _____ Date: ____/____/____



10. REFEREES/OFFICIALS NOMINATION FORM

Dojo Heads to please nominate Referees and Table Officials who will be available to officiate at the Competition and return this form to the organizers by 1st February, 2019 to enable inclusion of names in Official Tournament Magazine.

NAME	REFEREE/RANK	TABLE OFFICIALS

Please Note: All Judges and referees must bring their own TSKFA whistles as they will not be provided for health reasons. Judges to wear TSKF white shirt, grey trousers/skirt and navy TSKF tie. Table officials wear either a white shirt or the TSKFA blue check shirt and black trousers and TSKF scarf (ladies) and navy TSKF tie (men). No whistles, ties and scarfs will be available at the event.

11. ACCOMMODATION

Our understanding is that most Clubs have already organized their airfares, transport and accommodation. Google provides plenty of options to research what works best for you. If anyone is really stuck please don't hesitate to contact thesecretary@tskfa.com.au and we may be able to assist with some options.