

Archives 2011

JANUARY

Calendar of Events

Taekwondo Victoria Inc. is pleased to advise members of the following events:

Note: All members must have a Taekwondo Australia badge on the left shoulder of their dobok when they compete!

Calendar of Events 2011 *Calendar dates may change subject to confirmation of National & International Calendars*

Date	Event	Venue	Link / Details
January 22nd & 23rd Jan	Poomsae Training Camp	Evolution Taekwondo 1/6 Deblin Drive, Narre Warren	Sat 9:00am – 4:00pm Sun 8:30am – 3:00pm
February 4th Feb	High Performance Team Victoria Training	Team Taekwondo Coburg	
6th Feb	Poomsae - A Squad Training	Eltham	9:30am-12:30pm
6th Feb	Poomsae - Development Squad Training	Factory 2, 26 Bridge St, Eltham	9:30am - 11:30am
13th Feb 17th-21st Feb	US Open	Poomsae - A Squad NO TRAINING Austin Texas	
20th Feb	Poomsae - Team Vic General Training	Box Hill	9:30am - 12:00pm
27th Feb	A Squad Training	Factory 2, 26 Bridge St, Eltham	9:30am - 12:30pm
March 4th Mar	High Performance Team Victoria Training	Allan's Taekwondo Point Cook	
6th Mar	Poomsae - A Squad Training	Eltham	
6th Mar	Poomsae - Development Squad Training	Eltham	
13th Mar	Poomsae judges course	Cragieburn Secondary College, 102 Hothlyn Dve Cragieburn	Registration from 8:30am Finish 4:30pm
13th Mar 20th Mar	A Squad Training Poomsae - Team Vic General Training	Eltham Box Hill	9:30am - 12:00pm

20th Mar	Team Victoria Coaches Meeting	Wheelers Hill	2:00pm - 5:00pm
27th Mar	Victorian Sparring	Box Hill	
3rd Apr	High Performance Team Victoria Training	MTC Malvern	10am - 12noon
3rd Apr	Poomsae Competition 1on1	Box Hill	8:00am - 2:00pm
3rd Apr	Poomsae - A Squad Training	Eltham	
3rd Apr	Poomsae - Development Squad Training	TBC	
9th & 10th Apr		Belgium Open	
10th Apr	Team Victoria Camp - Electronic System	Darebin Community Sports Stadium YMCA 857 Plenty Rd ,Reservoir, VIC 3073	9:00am - 11am Under 14 years 11am - 1pm 14 years +
10th Apr		Poomsae - A Squad Training	Eltham
17th Apr	Poomsae - Team Vic General Training & renewal for "Easter Members"	Box Hill	9:30am - 12:00pm
24th Apr		Poomsae NO TRAINING - Easter	
May			
1st May		Poomsae - A Squad Training	Eltham
1st May		Poomsae - Development Squad Training	TBA
7th May	High Performance Team Victoria Training	Carlo's Taekwondo 67L, Matthews Ave, Airport West	11:45am - 1pm (arrive 11:30am)
8th May		Poomsae - A Squad Training	Eltham
14th & 15th		Gold Coast Open	
15th May	Poomsae - Team Vic General Training	Box Hill	9:30am - 12pm
22nd May		Poomae - A Squad Training	Eltham
29th May	Poomsae - Victorian Muye Competition	Box Hill	8:30am - 5:00pm
29th May	Team Victoria Coaches Meeting	Wheelers Hill	2:00pm - 5:00pm
June			
4th & 5th Jun	Victoria Sparring Tournament	SNHC	
5th Jun	Poomsae - A Squad & Development Squad Training	TBA	
19th Jun	Poomsae - Team Vic General Training	TBA	9:30am - 12:00pm
26th Jun	High Performance Team Victoria Training – Sparring	Darebin Sports Community Stadium YMCA 857 Plenty Road Reservoir	Under 14 year olds 9.00am to 10.30am Over 14 year olds 10.00am to Noon

2nd Jul	High Performance Team Victoria Training	Powerhouse Campellfield	10am - 12 noon
3rd Jul	Poomsae - A Squad & Development Squad Training		TBA
14th Jul		Malaysian Open	
17th Jul			
17th Jul	Poomsae - Team Vic General Training	Box Hill	9:30am - 12:00pm
23rd & 24th Jul	State Sparring Competition "Victorians" (ALL Belts)		Croydon Leisure Centre
30th Jul	High Performance Team Victoria Training	Evolution Narre Warren	10am - 12 noon
31st Jul	Poomsae State Selections Coloured Belts	Box Hill	8:00am - 5:00pm
August			
7th Aug	State Team Training - All Black Belts & Qualified Colour Belt	Box Hill	
7th Aug	Poomsae - A Squad & Development Squad Training		TBA
14th Aug	State Team Training - All Black Belts & Qualified Colour Belt	Box Hill	
21st Aug	Poomsae - Team Vic General Training	TBA	9:30am - 11:30am
21st Aug	Team Victoria Coaches Meeting	Wheelers Hill	2:00pm - 5:00pm
28th Aug	State Team Training - All Black Belts & Qualified Colour Belt	Box Hill	
September			
3rd Sept	High Performance Team Victoria Training	MTC Glen Waverly	3pm - 5pm
4th Sept	Poomsae - A Squad & Development Squad Training		TBA
8th - 11th Sept	Australian National Titles		Canberra
18th Sept	Poomsae - Team Vic Training		TBA
October			
3rd Oct	Poomsae - Team Vic Renewal & Sign-up for new members	Box Hill	9:30am - 12:00noon
8th Oct	Team Victoria Camp - Electronic System		Allan's Taekwondo Point Cook
November			
6th Nov	Poomsae - A Squad & Development Squad Training		TBA
13th Nov	Team Victoria Coaches Meeting	Wheelers Hill	2:00pm - 5:00pm
20th Nov	Poomsae - Team Vic General Training	Box Hill	9:30am - 12:00noon
December			

KORYO TAEKWONDO CENTRE

Established 1976

POOMSAE SEMINAR

The Koryo Taekwondo Centre will be conducting a Poomsae Seminar in Melbourne on Saturday 15th & Sunday 16th of January 2011.

This Seminar is open to all Taekwondo Players throughout Australia and will cover the following,

Poomsae Taeguk 1 to Taeguk 8

Poomsae Palgae 1 to Palgae 8

All Current W.T.F Black Belt Forms

Poomsae Judging overview.

The Seminar will be conducted by Koryo Taekwondo Master Instructor Russell Wood.

Qualifications World Taekwondo Federation Rank: 7th Dan

Kukkiwon Certificate Number: 05003575

Taekwondo Australia Membership Number: 1998110024

Taekwondo Australia Poomsae Judge Presenter

Kukkiwon Diploma for Taekwondo (2010)

W.T.F Citation (2006)

Received an Australian Sports Medal in 2000 from Queen Elizabeth for outstanding contribution to Taekwondo in Australia. International Poomsae Gold Medalist New Zealand 2008, Belgium 2009 & Korea 2010

Seminar fee \$50.00 (Covers both days) or \$25.00 for one day.

Interested applicants should contact The Koryo Taekwondo Centre for additional information.

Phone 0393086019 Mobile 0405 659 684

Email: woody100@people.net.au Web Address : <http://home.people.net.au/~koryo/>

Poomsae Training Camp -January 22nd / 23rd 2011

If you are interested in attending the Poomsae Training Camp,

FEBRUARY

TVI Sparring Event Committee Calling for Volunteers!

Taekwondo Victoria events are not 'one person effort'; they are a team effort and, like many organizations, we fully rely on volunteer's assistance to help us run these throughout the year. We never take our volunteers generous contribution for granted, but instead, we express full appreciation and gratitude for their generosity.

The assistance we always require is in the following areas:

- **Assistance in operating computer systems**
- **Assist in laying of mats and packing up**
- **Marshaling**
- **Presentation of medals**
- **General help on the competition day**
- **Basically, just being available**

The fact is, the more help we get the higher the chance that the competition will run to schedule, be more successful and with fewer participant's complaints. To achieve the successful outcome, your assistance is very much appreciated. If you think you may be able to give up some of your time to work together with us and assist at our Black and Coloured Belts sparring and Poomse events, please email your interest and contact information to the coordinator: Lucy Curcio, via curcio@optusnet.com.au or call on 0411511845. Anyone can participate.

US OPEN RESULTS – TEAM VICTORIA POOMSAE

Competing against National teams from Mexico and the US, as well as strong teams from a total of 15 countries, Team Victoria had outstanding results at the US Open Poomsae Championships.

Team members included:

Greg Butterworth (coach), Bronwyn Butterworth, Katelyn Bugden, Frank De Pasquale, Carla De Pasquale, Melissa Kenihan, Jensen Lai, Lachlan Mackay, Taliha Maggs, Jessica Moro, Jarod O’Gorman, Anita O’Gorman, Rodney O’Gorman, Daniel Rourke, Mark Shearer and Renee Williamson. Supporters were Amanda Bugden and David Mackay.

Results:

Bronwyn Butterworth	Female 2nd Masters	Gold
Melissa Kenihan	Female 1st masters	Silver
Katelyn Bugden	Female Junior	Bronze
Lachlan Mackay	Male Junior	Bronze
Jessica Moro	Female 1st Senior	Bronze
Renee Williamson	Female 2nd Senior	Bronze
Frank De Pasquale, Mark Shearer & Rodney O’Gorman	Male Senior Team	Silver
Katelyn Bugden, Jessica Moro & Carla De Pasquale	Female Junior Team	Silver
Daniel Rourke, Jensen Lai & Lachlan Mackay	Male Junior Team	Bronze
Bronwyn Butterworth, Melissa Kenihan & Anita O’Gorman	Female Senior Team	Bronze

The team worked very well together at all levels. Special consideration to the “parents”, who acted as security guards for our bags, “mindors” for the juniors outside of training times, and were always ready to help in any way at all! Also to Frank De Pasquale, who took a lot of the organisational load off me during the trip. The entire team should be very proud, not only of their results, but also that they conducted themselves with professionalism at all times. Many favourable comments were made towards them from other countries coaches and competitors.

Greg Butterworth



MARCH

**2011 Victorian Taekwondo Sparring Competition
FOR COMPETITORS AGED 8YRS AND ABOVE**

27th March 2011 – Black belts

**AQUALINK BOX HILL
Surrey Drive, BOX HILL, Vic**

TOURNAMENT DETAILS & ENTRY FORM

Also available from our web site at: www.tkdvic.com.au

ENTRIES ONLINE: OPEN 4th March & CLOSE 18th March 2011 2011

Victorian Taekwondo Sparring Competition

Dear club instructor,

On behalf of Taekwondo Victoria Inc, it is our pleasure to invite you and your club to participate in the 2011 Victorian Championships at the **Aqualink BOX HILL, Surrey Road, BOX HILL.**

In the interests of safety for younger and less experienced competitors and in line with current practice, no head kicks will be allowed for competitors in the 8-9, 10-11, 12-13 and 14-15 year age divisions.

Detailed competition information is enclosed for your information.

Athletes will be required to be registered as sport athletes with Taekwondo Australia and all Victorian athletes must be financial in regards to monies owed to TVI.

EVENT ACCESS

To effectively manage the event and maintain a safe environment for the participants, only active coaches will be permitted access to the playing area. Security will prohibit entry by unauthorised persons to the competition area.

Current TA coach accreditation is required to coach athletes on the court. Please ensure you check your card for expiry dates.

**TVI is currently working to assist those coaches who have not been able to gain access to coach accreditation courses in Victoria. Please monitor the TVI website for upcoming information in this regard.*

Competition entries open on-line on Friday 4th March and close on Friday 18th March 2011. Please note that as the online system is automated, no entries can be processed after this date. Entry is only available via the Online system at www.tkdvic.com.au

We extend a warm welcome to our first time competitors and our interstate visitors coming from Qld, NSW, TAS and SA. We hope you enjoy the competition. Our gratitude is extended to the referees, without whom there would be no competition. TVI acknowledges the huge contribution by our volunteers, who generously give their time and contribute enormously to the success of the event. On behalf of Taekwondo Victoria Inc. we hope all participants enjoy the weekend and benefit from the Taekwondo community coming together - We all play a part in the success of our sport.

Kind regards,

TVI Event team

Hosted by: TVI (Taekwondo Victoria Inc.)

Sunday 27th March – All Black belt competitors

Aqualink BOX HILL - Surrey Drive BOX HILL (Melways Map 47 Ref. B11) starting at 7.00 am

Tournament Rules: WTF Competition Rules.

No head kicks for 8-9, 10-11, 12-13 and 14-15 year age divisions

Draw Single Elimination or Repechage System depending on number of entrants.

Registration: Online entry is open from 4th March 2011 at www.tkdvic.com.au or www.peopleinaction.net.au

Closing Date: Friday 18th March 2011

Entry Fees: By online entry only:

One division - \$55.00

Two divisions - \$80.00 (Athletes can compete in two age groups if eligible)

Spectator Fees: Single - \$5.00; Family - \$12.00; Children under 6 Years of age - Free

Entry Problems: Nikky: email: tvievents@peopleinaction.net.au phone: 0487 197 662

Eligible Competitors: Registered members of Taekwondo Australia

Age Divisions: All competitors ages are **as at 31 December 2011** unless otherwise stated.

Refunds: All requests for a refund must be made in writing stating the reason for your request to;

Taekwondo Victoria Events

69 Telford Drive,

BERWICK 3806

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- Refunds will be issued using your original payment method.
- Refunds will be assessed in accordance with the following:
 - Where a medical certificate is provided we will provide a full refund.
 - Cancellations made 7 days prior to the event will be refunded as follows:
 - Where a non-medical cancellation is requested we reserve the right to assess the request on its own merit. We will not disallow a refund where in the opinion of Taekwondo Victoria there are reasonable grounds for a cancellation and we will provide a full refund.
 - Where in the opinion of Taekwondo Victoria the cancellation is due to a 'Change of Mind', we will provide a refund equivalent to the entry fee paid less an administrative fee of \$30.00.
 - Cancellations made 6 days prior to the event and up to 14 days after the event will be refunded as follows:
 - Where a medical certificate is provided we will provide a refund.
 - Where a non-medical cancellation is requested we reserve the right to assess the request on its own merit. We will not disallow a refund where in the opinion of Taekwondo Victoria there are reasonable grounds for a cancellation.
 - All refunds in this case will incur a \$10.00 administration fee.

Contest Duration: Senior games 3 rounds x 2 minutes (30 seconds between rounds)

Junior games 3 rounds x 1.5 minute (30 seconds between rounds)

****Match duration may be altered subject to competition time constraints***

Awards: All events will recognise first, second and third placing with Gold, Silver and Bronze Medals - If a competitor is in a final match uncontested, the individual will receive a **medal**.

Weigh in : Competitors weigh-in will be conducted on 26th March 2011 from 2.00 – 5.00 pm at Aqualink BOX HILL, Surrey Drive, BOX HILL (the actual competition venue). Regional and Interstate Club competitors will have an option to weigh-in on the morning of the day of competition.

Please Note: Juniors will get one weigh-in which will qualify them into their competition division. Due to **duty of care** issues & **State Junior policy regarding developing children**, Juniors are not permitted to lose weight & re-weigh.

Please also note - the following must be presented at the weigh-in: -

- *Signed Competitors entry confirmation from online registration at weigh in (signed by their Head Instructor)*
- *Competitors Taekwondo Australia membership card, photo ID and proof of insurance (if not insured with TA.)*

➤ *Minimum acceptable dress during weigh in will be T shirt and shorts with a 0.5kg allowance.*

Protective Equipment: Competitors must provide and wear WTF approved protective equipment (head protector, mouth guard (clear), arm guards, chest protector, groin guard, shin guards, hand gloves, foot gloves (optional)). There will be NO variation to these rules.

Coach registration: All coaches will be required to present their current TA Coaching Accreditation card.

Competition Draw: A full list of competitors will be posted on the internet prior to the competition at: www.tkdvic.com.au

Copies of the Draw will be available at the weigh in and at the venue on the day of the competition.

Competition Schedule: Please log on to www.tkdvic.com.au during the week of competition.

Competition Divisions: NO HEAD CONTACT IN ALL JUNIOR DIVISIONS

Age Groups : All competitors must have reached this minimum age by the start of the Games. Other than for the minimum age, a participant's **age as at 31 December 2011** (as below) will be used for determining age grouping, unless otherwise stated.

08 – 09yrs, 10 – 11yrs, 12 – 13yrs, 14 – 15yrs, 15 – 17yrs. * Open (15+), 31 – 40 yrs, 41 – 50 yrs.

Belt Divisions : Black Belts

Additional Information to ALL Instructors, Participants, Coaches and Officials:

1. *Weight and age categories may vary depending on the number of participants. It will be at the discretion of the Tournament Organising Committee to add, alter, delete or amalgamate weight and age divisions depending on registration numbers.*

2. *Taekwondo Australia Limited registered members are required to bring their Taekwondo Australia Card for identification, currency of membership and insurance verification.*

3. *Competitors weigh-in will be conducted on Saturday 26th March 2011 from 2.00 – 5.00 pm at Aqualink BOX HILL, Surrey Drive, BOX HILL (the actual competition venue). Regional and Interstate Club competitors will have an option to weigh-in on the morning of the day of competition.*

4. *Competitors are required to wear the standard white dobok (white pants, white top and belt according to their level).*

5. *Any REFUNDS must be applied for according to the documentation mentioned above under 'Refunds'. ALL documentation without any exemption must be submitted immediately after the tournament which will allow orderly and timely process to take place. Tournament Refund Claims must be posted to: Tony Susac, 69 Telford Drive, BERWICK Vic 3806 or e-mail: tsus1@hotmail.com within 7 days after the completion of tournament.*

6. *All appeals regarding any 'Unjust' decision must be made in writing and accompanied with \$100.00 appeal fee which will be refunded in the case of successful appeal –**NO verbal complaints will be handled.***

7. *ANY and ALL Queries, Complaints or Praises must be directed IN WRITING to the Tournament Director immediately as they occur on the day of the tournament or immediately after the tournament. All correspondence to: Tony Susac, e-mail: tsus1@hotmail.com*

8. *Tournament Director and the Event Organizers reserve the right to make any changes or amendments they may feel would enhance the satisfactory conclusion of the tournament, at short notice on the day of the tournament.*

9. *Any Instructor, Head Instructor, Coach, Competitor or any Official, including any person present in any capacity, deemed behaving in an uncivilized manner and using unacceptable language, directed at any official, spectator or opposition competitor will, without prejudice or favour, be asked to leave and will not be invited to participate in any of our future competitions.*

10. *The Event Organizers will ensure that ALL involved have a fair go on the day and that everyone is treated in a fair and humane manner. In order to achieve the successful and smooth conclusion to this tournament, ALL the guidelines published in this Competition Pack and presented herewith will, without prejudice or favour, be strictly adhered to.*

Key contacts

For Entry Related Queries contact Nikky on Phone: 0487 197 662 or e-Mail

tvievents@peopleinaction.net.au

Tournament Director Draw and Online Entries

Mr Tony Susac Mr Chris White

Report to the Taekwondo Community

March 27th Sparring Competition - Report to the Taekwondo Community

The Sparring competition run on March 27th was a huge success with players, helpers and officials from a wide range of Victorian clubs coming together and working as one to make sure that it was a memorable event for all involved. Especially for those who competed for the very first time.

This competition was different to most that Taekwondo Victoria has run in the past, in that entry was restricted to Black Belts only and the draw was a „Round Robin“ rather than the usual „single elimination“ format. Whilst still attracting close to 200 competitors, the changed format allowed us to provide an enhanced competition experience by ensuring each player had multiple opportunities to compete on the day, facing a different opponent each time.

I have seen passion and I have seen tears; I have heard the deafening raw of cheers and I have heard silence. I have also seen people walking off the courts bruised and battered but with a happy glow on their faces and then there were those who were walking off the court saying, “I have not won but I have learnt why I did not win”.

This is what a competition is all about – getting involved regardless of the result. Winning is obviously rewarding but there can only be one winner. Those walking off the court saying “I have not won but I have learnt ...” are also winners. Most accepted the loss as they would accept the win and learned where need to improve in some areas of their skills – this is the mark of a maturing athlete.

To organise and run any tournament is a huge task and almost impossible for any one person to achieve on their own. So when any of us takes on this kind of task we do so counting and depending on many people to assist

Six weeks ago, when I volunteered to look after this year’s Tournaments, the task appeared huge. However, with the assistance of a very competent team of officials and volunteers, who always give their very best, our combined planning and organising efforts made the task easier as the day drew closer.

My task was to provide overall governance of the tournament in a strict but fair manner, and to make it all come together. This included creating a checklist to ensure that all of our bases were covered in the lead-up to the tournament thus providing a smooth running event. Now that this groundwork has been done and documented, we have a template and a checklist which will be used and further fine-tuned during our next competition in July.

While every volunteer deserves equal mention, as everyone was a very important link in the chain, I must mention Gordon whose marshaling was something out of the book! (very professional, to schedule and without any time wastage). Thank you to Gordon and all those who worked with him, also Lucy, Alf, Allan and Nikky for their huge contribution. Without these people and the small teams that assisted them in each area, there would not have been a competition.

This tournament was a genuine team effort and credit for its success must be shared equally by ALL of the helpers, referees, coaches and officials that made it happen.

The Referees performed an exceptional job, as they always do. And without complaint. The shortage of referees is, unfortunately, often an issue. However, while the program may be impacted by a reduction in courts operating, those most affected are often the Referees themselves. Long periods officiating without a break, is naturally fatiguing and may result in an occasional error. While this might cause concern among players and coaches, there is a simple solution. Get involved! More referees are needed. This can be achieved by Instructors encouraging their eligible students to attend the seminars and create a greater pool of properly trained and qualified Referees.

Tournaments are our “window to the world” which gives the general population an insight and opinion of what and who we are. I am happy to report that the March 27th Sparring Tournament was conducted successfully, according to the original plan put in place, and without any changes or alterations to the rules or the draw. I feel that the Instructors, officials, referees, coaches, volunteers and competitors were united as one for the benefit of Taekwondo in Victoria.

Finally, any successful organisation should always be listening and I am happy to take on board any constructive criticism or suggestions in relation to this or future events.

Our next sparring event is the Victorian Championships, to be held at Croydon Leisure Centre on the 23rd & 24th July – we look forward to your continued support, assistance and participation at this event and to build further on what we have achieved at this March event.

T Susac

Tournament Director
Taekwondo Victoria Inc

Victorian Poomsae Judging Seminar

Sunday 13th March
Craigieburn Secondary College
102 Hothlyn Drive Craigieburn
8:30am – 4:30pm.

BOOKINGS CLOSE:
Tuesday 8th March 2011
All Entries to be sent to:
Technical Director
1/1 Laser Drive
Rowville 3178

Dear Instructor,

On behalf of Taekwondo Victoria Inc, it is my pleasure to invite you and your club to participate in the first 2011 Victorian Poomsae Judging Seminar.

We have not had a local judging course since 2009 so this is a timely opportunity to refresh existing judges, and to recruit new judges for upcoming competitions.

Without judges, we cannot have competitions!

With reduced numbers of available judges it makes holding smooth and successful competitions very challenging. This seminar will increase in the number of Poomsae Judges available in Victoria which will give T.V.I. and T.A. a greater resource to draw upon for the coming technical competitions.

This of course will not happen without your support. Therefore we urge you to attend this seminar along with as many of your students as possible. Give your club the chance to participate and put back into our sport.

Master Julius Burai, Master Robert Schembri and Master Russell Wood will be presenting this Poomsae Judge Seminar at Craigieburn Secondary College.

There will be 3 levels of participation for this seminar:

Poomsae Judges Refresher – for existing judges wishing to freshen up on rules and renew their qualification.

Poomsae Participation Certificate – for all students that undertake the training successfully.

Poomsae Judge NEW – for first time judges.

Eligible participants that successfully complete the seminar will be qualified to judge at a state and a national level.

To qualify to be a judge, you must hold a DAN level certificate.

Juniors are still strongly encouraged to participate to help further their taekwondo knowledge and experience and to improve their chances of success at a state and national level.

Participants are encouraged to obtain a copy of "The Textbook of Taekwondo Poomsae" as much of what will be taught, practiced and discussed can be found in this publication. (ISBN: 978-89-7336-740-5) There will be copies of this book available for order at the seminar.

Instructors are also reminded that participants need to be registered with Taekwondo Australia to participate and all athletes are required to present their 2011 TA card at registration. (A printout of their TA membership status from the TA website will suffice if card is lost). Unregistered athletes will be unable to participate.

To assist the ease of administration all entries will be payable via credit card or debit card or by money order made payable to Taekwondo Victoria Inc.

Yours sincerely,

Derek Upward

Technical Director

Taekwondo Victoria Inc.

tkdvictechnicaldirector@hotmail.com

General Information

Eligible Participants: To be eligible to be qualified as a poomsae judge you must:

- be a registered member of Taekwondo Australia Inc (2011)
- have at all times acted in a proper manner and not have engaged in any conduct that would bring the Association, our sport or any of our staff into disrepute or censure.

Registration: All participants MUST bring their current 2011 Taekwondo Australia registration card. Players without registration cards or proof of TA membership will not be permitted to participate.

Schedule: Sunday 13th March, 2011

Registration from 8:30 am

Seminar starts 9:00 am

Lunch 12:00 – 12:45

Finish 4:30pm

Liability: All participants do so at their own risk. The organisers can under no circumstances be held responsible for any damages, injuries, or loss to individuals or equipment.

Course Entry Fees: Poomsae Judges Refresher \$45.00

Poomsae Participation Certificate \$55.00

Poomsae Judge NEW \$95.00

Equipment: Full Dobok. Tracksuit recommended as there will be periods of theory.

Training Journal/notepad and pens.

Waterbottle.

Lunch & snacks. There are shops approximately 10 mins down the road that can meet lunch needs, however time is limited.

Checklist

Participants: Have you printed your declaration form and completed the following:

- Signed by participant (or Parent / Guardian if under 18)**
- Signed by Head Instructor**
- Current TA registration card**

APPLICATION FOR POOMSAE JUDGING SEMINAR

All applicants must be Red or Black Belt, registered TA member 2011.

NAME D.O.B.
GRADING RED BELT GUP BLACK BELT DAN
TAEKWONDO AUSTRALIA REGISTRATION NUMBER
ADDRESS
PHONE MOBILE
EMAIL
CLUB
HEAD INSTRUCTOR
HEAD INSTRUCTOR SIGNATURE _____

I wish to apply for the Taekwondo Victoria Poomsae Judges Seminar Sunday the 13th of March. As a member Taekwondo Australia, I undertake to participate in all of the required sessions to the best of my ability. I will notify the instructors / coaches immediately should I be injured, or should anything such as illness arise to interfere with my full participation at the course. I have completed the medical report in full detail. I acknowledge that this information is private in nature, and will only be distributed to those coaches and officials that are working directly with me as and if required. Information on this form may, in the case of an emergency, also be shared with ambulance and/or medical personal.

SIGNED DATE

Member

I / we support this application

SIGNED DATE

Parent / Guardian (if under 18)

This application to be returned to Taekwondo Victoria Technical Director no later than 8th March 2011 via post to: 1/1 Laser Drive,
Rowville 3178

Course Fee to be paid by money order (Taekwondo Victoria Inc.) or credit card with the application form.

For Credit Card Payment

MC/VISA (We do not accept Amex cards). Add 3% card levy.

I, _____ authorise Taekwondo Victoria to debit the credit card below

the amount of \$ _____ being payment for Poomsae Judges Seminar, 2011.

Name on Card Signature _____

Card Number _____ Expiry ____ / ____

PRIVACY STATEMENT

This form is to be completed in full by the Applicant or by the Parent/Guardian if the Applicant is under 18 years of age.

It is essential that all known details of pre-existing injuries, allergies or other medical conditions are declared on this form.

The applicant supplies this information under the following conditions:

All information will be held in strictest confidence.

Member contact details will be used internally for team business.

Student contact details will not otherwise be shared with any third party organisations, without first contacting the student in question.

At the discretion of the Coach / Instructor, some medical information may be advised to other Instructors within the team. This will occur where it is deemed necessary that they be aware of conditions, allergies or injuries which might effect the student's performance or limit their capacity to take part in certain activities, or which may be aggravated by certain exercises.

Information on this form will also be shared with ambulance and/or medical personnel in the case of an accident or other medical emergency.

APRIL

Victorian “One on One” Open Poomsae Championships

**Sunday 3rd April 2011
Box Hill Aqualink
Surrey Drive, Box Hill**

**ENTRIES CLOSE: Wednesday 30th March, 2011
NB – No late entries will be accepted!
(Note – for this competition it is paper entry only)**

Dear Head Instructor,

On behalf of Taekwondo Victoria Inc. it is our great pleasure to invite you and

your players to participate in the Victorian “One on One” Poomsae Open on

Sunday 3rd April, 2011 at the Box Hill Aqualink, Surrey Drive, Box Hill (near cnr

Elgar & Canterbury Roads)

This is a Poomsae tournament for colour and black belts of all ages.

This

tournament is being hosted by Team Victoria, and all profits will go towards

sending Victorian Poomsae players overseas.

Detailed competition information and registration forms are enclosed – please

note that all entries are to be submitted direct to Taekwondo Victoria Inc.

Competition entries close on Wednesday 30th March, 2011 - note that incomplete &/or late entries cannot be accepted and will be returned.

Please

take care in completing your entries and submit them on time to avoid disappointing your players. Remember, all members **MUST** be current members of Taekwondo Australia, and must wear a TA badge on their left

shoulder.

We look forward to your player's participation in what should be an excellent competition for our Taekwondo Victoria members. Judges are invited to contact Derek Upward (technicaldirector@tkdvic.com.au) to indicate an ability to participate at this event.

Yours sincerely,
Derek Upward Barry Akehurst
Victorian Technical Director President

Conducted by: Taekwondo Victoria Inc

Date & Location: Sunday 3rd April, 2011

Box Hill Aqualink

Surrey Drive, Box Hill (near corner Canterbury & Elgar Roads)

All Enquires: E-mail: technicaldirector@tkdvic.com.au

Eligible Competitors: To be eligible to contest the Victorian "One on One" Poomsae Open athletes must:

- be a registered member of Taekwondo Australia Inc (2011)
- have at all times acted in a proper manner and not have engaged in any conduct that would bring the Association, our sport or any of our staff into disrepute or censure.

Registration: All competitors MUST bring their current 2011 Taekwondo Australia registration card. Players without registration cards will not be permitted to compete.

Event Fee: \$50 per person – All colour belt divisions and Black Belt Division Two.

\$65 per person – Black Belt Division One.

Note: This event will help to subsidise players from Team Victoria competing at International events in 2011.

(payment by money order ONLY to "Taekwondo Victoria Inc.")

Closing Date: Wednesday 30th March, 2011

Late or incomplete entries will not be accepted and will be returned

Lodgement of Entries: All entries are to be lodged with Taekwondo Victoria Inc by the closing date.

Send entries by mail (no faxed entries) to:

Taekwondo Victoria Inc

"One on One" Poomsae Open

21 Mayfair Avenue

Lower Templestowe, 3107

Tournament Rules: Colour Belt & Black Belt Division Two members will be divided into groups of 4

players. Two players compete at the same time. Judges will award a winner based on majority decision at the end of the match. The winner progresses to the next round. Losers in first round will play off for 3rd and 4th place.

Judging based on the following criteria:

1st "accuracy", then "power", then "expression of Ki", then "best artistic impression".

Division One Black Belts will compete on WTF format patterns.

Awards: Medals or trophies will be awarded to First, Second Third and Fourth place.

Competition Schedule: 2011 (indicative only)

Officials and Judges arrive 8.00 am

All belts registration at 8.15 am

Competition Starts 8.30 am

Liability: All participants in the tournament take part at their own risk. The organiser can under no circumstances be held responsible for any damages, injuries or loss to individuals or equipment.

Spectator Prices: Entry by Gold Coin donation (all profits to Team Victoria athletes)

Divisions: Final divisions will be decided once all applications have been received. In the event of an uncontested competitor, the competitor may choose to enter another division, compete alone (thus winning 1st place), or ask for a full refund.

DECLARATION

I, the applicant, or parent or legal guardian of the applicant, hereby acknowledge and declare for myself, my heirs, executors

and legal representatives that, in relation to

(STATE PLAYER/S FULL NAME/S): _____

(One form may be used for more than one player if the players concerned are juniors AND immediate family, otherwise separate forms are required)

1. I have been advised by the association and understand the risks of Hepatitis B and HIV infection and undertake that the above player/s will provide and use their own personal drink container and towel, each marked with their name.

2. I have the following condition / allergy which could affect medical assessment or treatment (specify which player the condition relates to)

3. The above player/s has/have not knowingly used any drugs or substances for the purpose of enhancing performance and

I acknowledge that they may be tested at any time by the Australian Sports Drugs Agency (prohibited substances include

anabolic steroids, beta-blockers, stimulants, such as caffeine, narcotics/analgesics, such as codeine, pseudoephedrine

found in medicine for colds and flu, and diuretics) – refer DRUGS HOTLINE: 1800 020 506.

I GIVE PERMISSION FOR DRUG TESTING TO BE UNDERTAKEN BY ASDA in relation to the above player/s in terms of

recognized testing standards, should the above player/s be selected for testing.

4. In the event of any illness and/or accident, I hereby authorise and direct the association and/or its authorised representatives to seek and obtain all necessary medical and/or surgical treatment as may be required and I accept the responsibility for payment and/or reimbursement of all medical expenses incurred on my behalf by the association.

5. I undertake that I/the above player/s will observe all regulation and by-laws of the association and shall comply with all

reasonable directions and decisions of its officials and instructors.

6. I hereby acknowledge that a condition of entry to the event is that I will indemnify and keep indemnified the association,

its committees, trustees, servants, agents, instructors or members against any liability arising from my participation in the

event or from any pre-event training and preparation or other activity related to the event and from travel to and from the event or activities.

7. I understand that the above player/s cannot compete if they have been concussed within 30 days prior to this competition

and hereby confirm that they have not been so concussed. I also confirm that, in the event that a concussion has occurred

prior to that, medical clearance for participation has been obtained.

8. I acknowledge that photographs may be taken during the competition by the organisers or other persons and that I may

appear in those photographs. In the event that I appear in the photographs, I authorise Taekwondo Victoria to use and

authorise use of the photographs taken at this competition for promotional purposes, including publication on the association

websites. I will make no claim against Taekwondo Victoria for any fee or royalty in relation to the use of the photographs.

9. I further declare that, should the above player/s be selected for a team as a result of this event:

a) They will train at the standard expected by the appointed team officials and attend all meetings, training sessions

and appointments required as a team member as directed from time to time by any official of the Association.

b) Should they fail to meet any obligations as set out herein or fail to observe any regulation or by-law of the Association or fail to comply with any reasonable direction of any officer of the Association or shall, in the opinion of

the Association, fail to satisfy any requirements or obligations of a team member, then and in the event I acknowledge that they may be dismissed from the team of the Association and I/they shall not make any claim or demand for any compensation, damages, and/or outgoings incurred by me or them.

10. Any expenses agreed to be paid on my/their behalf by the Association will be and are subject to my conduct, demeanor,

performance and behavior being satisfactory in the opinion of the Association and I acknowledge that failure to fully and

properly satisfy obligations hereunder may render me/them liable to refund to the Association part or all of such expenses.

I, _____ being the APPLICANT / PARENT / LEGAL GUARDIAN OF THE APPLICANT, hereby acknowledge and declare that I have read and fully understand the terms and conditions set out in the application and consent to be bound by such conditions.

Grand Master Kyung Chan KIM is coming to Australia!



GM Kim is a member of the WTF Poomsae Committee and is the Instructor for the WTF Poomsae Judges seminars. His qualifications include:

- Referee Chairman at World Poomsae Championships
- Korean National Team Head Coach, 2008 World Championships
- Coach of numerous World Champions
- Multiple National Champion & 7 times Hanmadang Poomsae Champion
- Korean Taekwondo Association Referee Chairman
- Member of Poomsae Technique Research Committee (KTA / WTF / Kukkiwon)
- 9th Dan Grand Master

GM Kim will be in Melbourne during the April School Holidays, and will be running numerous seminars, as well as a Poomsae Training Camp. Program to include:

- Basic movements
- WTF rules
- Poomsae
- Scoring criteria
- Taekwondo theory
- Exercise / fitness development

Dates are as follows: 13th – 18th April

Camp: Saturday & Sunday 16th & 17th April. 9am – 5pm (two three hour sessions per day)

Cost: \$120.00 (\$100.00 Team Victoria members). Open to all TA members. Numbers strictly limited, on first in basis!

Elite Poomsae Athlete Seminar: 9.00am – 12 Noon, Wednesday 13th, Thursday 14th & Friday 15th April. Cost = \$90.00 (Team Victoria members) \$150.00 (all other TA members).

Open to all Team Victoria A Squad members, and others by application (Maximum number 15)
Applications from technicaldirector@tkdvic.com.au

Other / Final Seminar dates and venues to be advised.

Instructors wishing to host GM Kim at their club, please contact Greg Butterworth on 9850 2121

New Zealand Open

A combine group of Victorian Clubs have just returned from New Zealand after competing in the 2011 New Zealand Open. The clubs which included Koryo Taekwondo Centre, Trainers Taekwondo, Gisborne Taekwondo and J.B Taekwondo won a total of 30 Medals, 20 Gold, 8 Silver and 2 Bronze. 28 of these medals were won in Poomsae events and 2 in Sparring **Team Members Koryo T.K.D** Rachel McIntosh. 2 Gold & 2 Silver. Poomsae & Sparring. (Black Belt) Taylor Summersby. 4 Gold. (Black Belt) Russell Wood. 5 Gold (Black Belt) Russell Copland. 1 Gold & 1 Silver (Yellow Belt) **Trainers T.K.D** Shane Morrison. 2 Gold & 1 Bronze (Black Belt) Bruce Kemp. 1 Gold & 1 Bronze (Red Belt) Gabriel Magiauis. 1 Silver (Blue Belt) **J.B T.K.D** Julius Burai. 1 Gold & 2 Silver (Black Belt) Jensen Lai. 2 Gold & 1 Silver (Black Belt) **Gisborne T.K.D** Mariah Mc Gowan. 2 Gold & 1 Silver. Poomsae & Sparring (Blue Belt) 1 Silver.



MAY

Victorian Open Muye Championships

Entry Form
Sunday 29th May, 2011
Box Hill Aqualink
Surrey Drive, Box Hill

ENTRIES CLOSE: Wednesday 25th May, 2011
(no late or incomplete entries will be accepted)

[www.tkdvic.com.au /](http://www.tkdvic.com.au/)

<http://www.peopleinaction.net.au>

2011 Victorian Open Muye Championships

Dear Instructor,

On behalf of Taekwondo Victoria Inc, it is my pleasure to invite you and your club to participate in the Victorian Open Muye Championships on Sunday 29th May 2011 at the Box Hill Aqualink, Surrey Drive, Box Hill.

This is a technical tournament for colour and black belt competitors of all ages; Junior, Open and Masters divisions.

Detailed competition information is enclosed.

Please also be aware that all athletes must bring their **signed** confirmation of entry form from the online entry process as well as their Taekwondo Australia "Sports Membership" card to registration.

Competition entries close on Wednesday 25th May, 2011. Please Note: as the online system is fully automated, no late entries can be processed after this date.

All entries are via the on line booking system at <http://www.peopleinaction.net.au>

Thank you for your continued support of Taekwondo Victoria. I hope you enjoy this program of technical events and look forward to your club's participation in what should be a spectacular competition for our many technical competitors.

Yours sincerely,

Barry Akehurst

President

Taekwondo Victoria Inc.

General Information

Eligible Competitors: To be eligible to contest the Victorian "Open Muye Championships", athletes must:

- be registered as a "Sports Member" of Taekwondo Australia Inc (2011)
- have at all times acted in a proper manner and not have engaged in any conduct that would bring the Association, our sport or any of our staff into disrepute or censure.

Registration: All competitors MUST bring their current 2011 Taekwondo Australia registration card. Players without T.A. Sport Registration cards will not be permitted to compete.

Competition Schedule: Sunday 29th May, 2011 (indicative only)

Officials and Judges arrive 8:00am

All belts registration at 8:30am

Competition Starts 9:00am Sharp

Liability: All participants in the tournament take part at their own risk. The organiser can under no circumstances be held responsible for any damages, injuries, or loss to individuals or equipment.

Spectator Prices: Adults: \$5 Under 15: \$2 Under 6: Free Family: \$10 (2 adults + 3 children)

Divisions: Final divisions will be decided once all applications have been received. In the event of an uncontested competitor, the competitor may choose to enter another division, compete alone (thus winning 1st place), or ask for a full refund.

Event Rules

Awards: Medals or trophies will be awarded to First, Second and Third place in all divisions. In the "One on One" competition there will also be an award for the "Repechage winner".

"One on One" Poomsae

Tournament Rules: Two players compete at the same time. Judges will award a winner based on majority decision at the end of the match. The winner progresses to the next round. Where numbers permit all groups will be divided into the 4 way system, so that all members get at least two matches. Judging based on the following criteria:

First "accuracy", then "power", then "expression of Ki", then "best artistic impression".

"Pairs" Poomsae

Tournament Rules: Each Pair may consist of any gender blend. Both contestants must be in the same age group. If contestants are of different grading, they will be entered at the level of the higher partner. That is – one Yellow Belt and one Blue belt compete as Blue Belt. Judging will be out of 10.0, with WTF style judging rules applied. One pair will compete at a time!

"Team" Poomsae

Tournament Rules: Each Team may consist of any gender blend. Between three and eight members can enter as a team. All contestants must be in the same age group. If contestants are of different grading, they will be entered at the level of the higher partner.

Individual Music Poomsae

Tournament Rules: Each contestant should complete an individually choreographed routine to music. The pattern will be judged on "artistic merit" as well as Taekwondo technique. Routines must be based on Taekwondo technique. No weapons, "props" or "partners" permitted! (only hands and feet!) Minimum dress standard is Taekwondo dobok pants. (Tasteful / modest uniforms required!) Deduction for under / over time = 0.5 /10.0 (time = 60 to 120 seconds!)

Technical Breaking

Tournament Rules: This competition is for "Senior" members only. That is, 18 years of age or over, as at 29th May. Minimum Rank is Black Belt. Each contestant must supply own holders. TVI will supply holders with safety goggles / face shields, which **MUST** be worn by all participants. Male contestant's boards are 20mm in thickness and 300mm square. Female contestant's boards are 15mm in thickness and 300mm square. Contestants must notify TVI of number of boards required on application form. All boards will cost \$4.00, and will be supplied by TVI. (unbroken boards may be taken home by contestant). No padding is to be worn on the hands or feet when breaking. Scoring to be determined as per the Breaking scoring sheet (Appendix I, attached). NB – five "breaks" are to be performed, each of a different technique. 4

Power Breaking

Tournament Rules: This competition is for "Senior" members only. That is, 18 years of age or over, as at 29th May. Minimum Rank is Black Belt. Power Breaking is for hand techniques only. Male contestant's boards are 20mm in thickness and 300mm square. Female contestant's boards are 15mm in thickness and 300mm square. Contestants must notify TVI of number of boards required on application form. All boards will cost \$4.00, and will be supplied by TVI. (unbroken boards may be taken home by contestant). No padding is to be worn on the hands when breaking. 10mm spacers will be used by contestants between boards (supplied by TVI). Power break will be performed on two standard size cement blocks (supplied by TVI). No jumping will be allowed when power breaking. In case of a draw the lighter player wins.

Self Defence

Tournament Rules: This is a "pairs" competition, Both players must attack and defend. Time limit = 60 to 120 seconds. Techniques permitted are all Taekwondo techniques, including grabbing and throws. The emphasis should be on realistic self defence. Weapons are permitted, however, no "live" blades will be permitted. See attached sheet for judging criteria. (Appendix ii). Any "injury" incurred will result in disqualification of both contestants.

Age groups and information required for the on line entry system:

With the exception of breaking competition, all ages are as at 31st December 2011

Weight (only required for Power Breaking applicants) _____ kg
(note – all contestants in the Breaking competition must be 18 years of age on the day of the competition!)

Breaking events are for Black Belts ONLY!

Breaking competitors – number of boards required

Divisions to be contested: Victorian Open Muye Championships.

Day / Date

Sunday 29th May

Box Hill Aqualink

Surrey Drive,

Box Hill

9am – 5pm

Event

“One on One” Poomsae Championships

(individual competition only)

Pairs Poomsae (2 competitors – same age group)

Team Poomsae (3 – 8 competitors – same age group)

Music Poomsae (individual – time limit = 60 – 120 seconds)

Technical Breaking (minimum age = 18 on day of competition!)

Power Breaking (minimum age = 18 on day of competition!)

Self Defence

COMPETITION ENTRY FEES

No competitor is required to pay for more than 5 events. First event = \$45.00.

Subsequent events as per table:

1st event = \$45.00

2 events = \$60.00

3 events = \$70.00

4 events = \$75.00

5 events = \$80.00 PLUS number of boards required for breaking contestants @\$4.00 per board

Pay by credit card on line at <http://www.people in action.net.au>

Self Defence)

Rules for Judging / Advice for competitors

TIME LIMIT 60 – 120 seconds (0.5 deduction for under / over time)

Judging ceases at end of 2 minutes!

2 Players

JUDGES CRITERIA

1 Continuous movement

2 No “live” weapons

3 Grabbing / throwing allowed

4 Must be based on realistic self defence

5 Requires a variety of actions

6 Both partners must attack and defend

7 NO INJURIES

NOTES Any injury incurred will result in disqualification of both competitors

Team Victoria – USA Open 2011 Report

Coaches Attended

Alf Dell'orso – Senior Development Director
Murat Eryurek – Junior Development Director
Andrew Rozinsky – State Coach
Allan Malachowski – State Coach

Lucy Curcio – USA OPEN 2011 Team Victoria Manager

More than a thousand athletes from all over the world were Austin over the weekend for the U.S. Open Taekwondo Championship. The international competition featured some world and Olympic champions.

Team Victoria Sparring Coaching targeted this event for the State Junior and Intermediate players. The intent of this world class event was to obtain insight into the new shift in World Class Sparring. The State Coaching team regularly studied the scoring, refereeing and player performance displayed by the world class players.

Team Victoria Sparring players were challenged by the tournament. Notably 6 of our team players reached the quarter finals. The team did not medal (apart from Murat Eryurek in the Masters 33-40 Year Old Black Belt division) but took a huge step in development and experience.

Notably Isabella Poalacci (Team Taekwondo) and Gerome Curcio (Melbourne Taekwondo Centre) missed out on Bronze medals by losing to a golden point in the quarter finals.

USA Taekwondo officials were very warm, professional and delightful to all Australian representatives. Team Victoria Australian Players - Interviewed by YNN TV in Austin USA

Click: <http://austin.ynn.com//Default.aspx?ArID=276728>



Ultra Masters 33-40 Year Old Black Belt Gold Medalist Murat Eryurek
More Team Photo's will be updated shortly....watch this space.

JUNE

2011 Victorian Taekwondo Winter Open Sparring Competition - FOR COMPETITORS AGED 8YRS AND ABOVE

4th June – Coloured Belts

5th June – Black Belts

STATE NETBALL CENTRE - Brens Drive, PARKVILLE

Please Note: In Order To Be Eligible To Compete In The Nationals In September All Athletes Must Compete In A Minimum Of Two Competitions This Year In Victoria. One Of Which Must Be The Selection Event In July.

TOURNAMENT DETAILS & ENTRY FORM

Also available from our web site at: www.tkdvic.com.au

ENTRIES ONLINE: OPEN 2th May & CLOSE 24th May 2011

Please Note: Apply Early - Any Entry Application Received After The Official Closing Date Will Attract A Late Entry Fee Of \$20.00

Dear club instructor,

On behalf of Taekwondo Victoria Inc, it is our pleasure to invite you and your club to participate in the 2011 Victorian Championships at the **STATE NETBALL CENTRE - Brens Drive, PARKVILLE**.

In the interests of safety for younger and less experienced competitors and in line with current practice, no head kicks will be allowed for competitors in the 8-9, 10-11, 12-13 and 14-15 year age divisions.

Detailed competition information is enclosed for your information.

Athletes will be required to be registered as **Sport Athletes** with Taekwondo Australia and all Victorian athletes must be financial in regards to monies owed to TVI.

EVENT ACCESS

To effectively manage the event and maintain a safe environment for the participants, only active coaches will be permitted access to the playing area. Security will prohibit entry by unauthorised persons to the competition area.

Current TA coach accreditation is required to coach athletes on the court. Please ensure you check your card for expiry dates.

**TVI is currently working to assist those coaches who have not been able to gain access to coach accreditation courses in Victoria. Please monitor the TVI website for upcoming information in this regard.*

Competition entries open on-line on Friday 2nd May and will close on Tuesday 24th May 2011. Please note that as the online system is automated, no entries can be automatically processed after this date. Entry is only available via the Online system at www.tkdvic.com.au.

Any entry application received after the official closing date will need to be adjusted manually and will attract an additional fee of \$20.00 – To avoid this from happening, please enter early.

We extend a warm welcome to our first time competitors and our interstate visitors coming from Qld, NSW, TAS, WA and SA. We hope you enjoy the competition. Our gratitude is extended to the referees, without whom there would be no competition. TVI acknowledges the huge contribution by our volunteers, who generously give their time and contribute enormously to the success of the event. On behalf of Taekwondo Victoria Inc. we hope all participants enjoy the weekend and benefit from the Taekwondo community coming together - We all play a part in the success of our sport.

Kind regards,
TVI Event team

Hosted by: TVI (Taekwondo Victoria Inc.)

Saturday 4th June – All Coloured belt competitors starting at 3.30 pm with Weigh-in at 12.30 pm.

Sunday 5th June – All Black Belts Competitors starting at 8.00 am.

STATE NETBALL CENTRE - Brens Drive, PARKVILLE

Tournament Rules: WTF Competition Rules – please note: These rules may be adjusted – details will follow.

No head kicks for 8-9, 10-11, 12-13 and 14-15 year age divisions

Draw Single Elimination or Repechage System depending on number of entrants.

Registration: Online entry is open from 2nd May 2011 at www.tkdvic.com.au or www.peopleinaction.net.au

Closing Date: Tuesday 24th May 2011

Entry Fees: By online entry only:

One division - \$77.00

Multiple divisions - \$77.00 each (Athletes will be able to compete in more than one division where eligible)

Spectator Fees: Single - \$10.00; Family - \$25.00; Children under 6 Years of age - Free

Entry Problems: Nikky: email: tvievents@peopleinaction.net.au phone: 0487 197 662

Eligible Competitors: Registered members of Taekwondo Australia with Sports Taekwondo Australia membership card.

Age Divisions: All competitors ages are **as at 31 December 2011** unless otherwise stated.

Refunds: All attempts will be made to match all entrants. In cases where it may not be possible to match a

competitor then such competitor will be deemed uncontested and will receive a medal.

There will be NO Refunds, however, in cases of special consideration refunds must be applied for in writing within 7 days after the completion of the Competition. The outcome will depend on the Executive

Council decision. In cases where refund is granted it will be issued using your original payment method.

All applications must be made in writing stating the reason for your request to the following address:

Taekwondo Victoria Events, 69 Telford Drive, BERWICK 3806 Vic

Contest Duration: Senior games 3 rounds x 1.5 minutes (30 seconds between rounds)

Junior games 3 rounds x 1.0 minute (30 seconds between rounds)

14 – 17 games 3 rounds x 1.5 minute (30 seconds between rounds)

***Match duration may be altered subject to competition time constraints**

Awards: All events will recognise first, second and third placing with Gold, Silver and Bronze Medals - If a competitor is in a final match uncontested, the individual will receive a **medal**.

Weigh in : Competitors weigh-in will be conducted on Saturday 4th June 2011 from 12.30 pm at State Netball And Hockey Centre, Brens Drive PARKVILLE, (the actual competition venue).

Please Note: Juniors will get one weigh-in which will qualify them into their competition division. Due to **duty of care** issues & **State Junior policy regarding developing children**, Juniors are not permitted to lose weight & re-weigh.

Please also note - the following must be presented at the weigh-in: -

- *Signed Competitors entry confirmation from online registration at weigh in (signed by their Head Instructor)*
- *Competitors Sports Taekwondo Australia membership card, photo ID and proof of insurance (if not insured with TA.)*
- *Minimum acceptable dress during weigh in will be T shirt and shorts with a 0.5kg allowance.*

Protective Equipment: Competitors must provide and wear WTF approved protective equipment (head protector, mouth guard (clear or white), arm guards, chest protector, groin guard – males (female optional), shin guards, hand gloves, foot gloves (WTF recommended).

No Damaged Equipment Will Be Allowed - There will be NO variation to these rules.

Coach registration: All coaches will be required to present their current TA Coaching Accreditation card.

Competition Draw: A full list of competitors will be posted on the internet prior to the competition at: www.tkdvic.com.au

Copies of the Draw will be available at the weigh in and at the venue on the day of the competition – Cost \$2.00 ea.

Competition Schedule: Please log on to www.tkdvic.com.au during the week of competition.

Competition Divisions: NO HEAD CONTACT IN ALL JUNIOR DIVISIONS

Age Groups : All competitors must have reached this minimum age by the start of the Games. Other than for the minimum age, a participant's **age as at 31 December 2011** (as below) will be used for determining age grouping, unless otherwise stated.

08 – 09yrs, 10 – 11yrs, 12 – 13yrs, 14 – 15yrs, 14 – 17yrs head kicks * Open (15+), 31 – 40 yrs, 41 – 50 yrs.

Belt Divisions : ALL Black And Coloured Belts.

Additional Information to ALL Instructors, Participants, Coaches and Officials:

1. *Weight and age categories may vary depending on the number of participants. **It will be at the discretion of the Tournament Organising Committee to add, alter, delete or amalgamate weight and age divisions depending on registration numbers.***
2. *Taekwondo Australia Limited registered members are required to bring their Taekwondo Australia Card for identification, currency of membership and insurance verification.*
3. *Competitors weigh-in will be conducted on Saturday 4th June starting at 12.30pm at the SNHC (the actual competition venue).*
4. *Competitors are required to wear the standard white dobok (white pants, white top and belt according to their level).*
5. *Any REFUNDS must be applied for according to the documentation mentioned above under 'Refunds'. ALL documentation without any exemption must be submitted immediately after the tournament which will allow orderly and timely process to take place. Tournament Refund Claims must be posted to: Tony Susac, 69 Telford Drive, BERWICK Vic 3806 or e-mail: tsus1@hotmail.com within 7 days after the completion of tournament.*
6. *All appeals regarding any 'Unjust' decision must be made within 10 minutes from occurring. These appeals must be in writing on prescribed form and accompanied with \$100.00 appeal fee which will be refunded in the case of successful appeal – **NO verbal complaints will be handled.***
7. *ANY and ALL Queries, Complaints or Praises must be directed IN WRITING to the Tournament Director immediately as they occur on the day of the tournament or immediately after the tournament. All correspondence to: Tony Susac, e-mail: tsus1@hotmail.com*
8. *Tournament Director and the Event Organizers reserve the right to make any changes or amendments they may feel would enhance the satisfactory conclusion of the tournament, at short notice on the day of the tournament.*
9. *Any Instructor, Head Instructor, Coach, Competitor or any Official, including any person present in any capacity, deemed behaving in an uncivilized manner and using unacceptable language, directed at any official, spectator or opposition competitor will, without prejudice or favour, be asked to leave and will not be invited to participate in any of our future competitions.*
10. *In cases of unruly behaviour during the fight referee reserves rights to discontinue such fight until order is restored.*
11. ***The Event Organizers will ensure that ALL involved have a fair go on the day and that everyone is treated in a fair and humane manner. In order to achieve the successful and smooth conclusion to this tournament, ALL the guidelines published in this Competition Pack and presented herewith will, without prejudice or favour, be strictly adhered to.***

Key contacts

For Entry Related Queries contact Nikky on Phone: 0487 197 662 or e-Mail

tvievents@peopleinaction.net.au

Tournament Director Draw and Online Entries

Mr Tony Susac Mr Chris White

Phone: 0439 617 144 Phone: 0419878832

e-Mail: tsus1@hotmail.com e-Mail: ChrisJWhite@bigpond.com

Liability: All participants in the competition take part at their own risk. The organisers can under no circumstances be held responsible for any damage, injuries or loss to individuals or equipment.

2011 Victorian Winter Open -Report to the Taekwondo Community

Victorian Winter Open which was run on 3rd and 4th June was a huge success which was enjoyed by over 400 competitors. Players from almost all Victorian clubs as well as a huge number of Interstate players competed; many for the first time.

Tournament was run over two days; first day being allocated for the coloured belts starting with juniors at 4.00 pm, followed by the next age division and so on until the competition finished about 7.30 pm. This gave families sufficient time for their children to compete and still be home early. Sunday's part of the competition was for the Black Belts. It started as per the schedule at 9.00 am with senior competitors first. Competition finished approximately at 3.00 pm after which the venue was returned into its' normal pre-competition state.

As one could imagine, to organize any tournament demands commitment and many people to assist; this kind of task is a huge one and impossible to be achieved by any one person alone –it is the whole group, in this instance 'the Taekwondo Community' getting together and giving their best. Competency of our officials and volunteers, whose generosity is always at the highest, giving their best as well as timely planning and organizing, enabled me to provide overall governance of the tournament, making it all come together providing a smooth running event. I herewith express total respect, thanks and appreciation to a group of dedicated volunteers without whom none of this would have been possible.

Gordon Twaddell as marshal –he made sure that the players were there and ready on time; Lucy Curcio, who made sure that all computer operators were at their stations and other volunteers in their positions and assisting where needed; Allan Malachowski and his team assured that weigh-in was conducted on time and in a very professional manner; referees, as they always do, performed an exceptional job.

We were all one big team working together and making sure that our tournaments which give people an insight and opinion of what and who we are, are successful. I am pleased to report that the 2011 Taekwondo Victoria Winter Open Tournament was conducted successfully in a friendly and warm atmosphere and according to the plan put in place. There were no prolong time wastages and, as at some previous tournaments, being there from 7.00 and finishing at 10.00 pm. The feeling was that we arrived, did what we needed to do and left early and well in time for other family tasks with very few disruptions.

I feel that every competitor (win or lose), Instructors, officials, referees, coaches, volunteers and the rest of the Taekwondo community were united for the benefit of Taekwondo in Victoria –we all enjoyed the occasion.

As always I listen and am ready to take on board any constructive criticism or suggestion which will only make us even better doing our tasks in the future and making Taekwondo events even better. If you wish to comment here is my email address: tsus1@hotmail.com.

Our next sparring tournament is the last for this year; it is the Victorian Selection Championships for the Nationals which is being held at Croydon Leisure Centre on the 23rd & 24th July. I look forward to your continued support, assistance and participation at this event.

PS. I would like to recommend that those Instructors who have senior belts in their clubs encourage them to attend our referee seminars or coaching courses when advertised. Same goes for the volunteers. This would give us a larger pool of these officials which would then make our event even more professional and better and easier to manage. This would also make our current official's job easier. So, please encourage your students to attend these seminars, courses or to volunteer when called upon –spreading the load makes it easier for everyone.

T Susac

Tournament Director
Taekwondo Victoria Inc

Coaching Accreditation Scheme

**Level 1 – Taekwondo Australia Coach Education Course
Sunday June 26th, 2011; Venue- SNHC**

Application Form

Name: Mr/Mrs/Ms/Miss:

State: Level of accreditation being sought: **Level 1**

Address:

Suburb: _____ Post Code: _____ E-mail.....

Phone Number: (_____) _____ Date of Birth: ____ / ____ / ____

Rank: Dan/Gup TA - M'ship No: _____

Name of Head Instructor:

Which club do you train with?

Signature of applicant: _____ Date: _____

Parent or guardian if the applicant is under the age of 18 years: (Min age 16 yrs)

Signature: _____ Date: _____

How to apply

Forward the following in the mail to;

**Russell Trainor, Coach Education Presenter, Taekwondo Victoria
289 Blind Creek rd , Cardigan. 3352**

1. Course Application Form

2. 1 x Passport sized Photograph

3. Cheque or Money Order for \$200 made out to *Taekwondo Australia- Victoria.*

4. Certificate of completion, General Principles of Coaching, go to-

<https://learning.ausport.gov.au>

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Club	Name	Age	Belt	Award
JB Taekwondo	Julius Burai		Black	Gold
JB Taekwondo	Ben Smith		Black	Bronze
Brisbane Caboolture TKD	Aimee Lakerdis		Black	Gold
Brisbane Caboolture TKD	Beau Brown		Black	Gold
Sydney DOS TKD	JackNewberry		Black	Bronze
Sydney DOS TKD	Feris Sefian		Green	Bronze
Chung Do Kwan TKD			Vincent	



JULY

Coaching Accreditation Scheme

**Level 1 - Sports Specific Taekwondo Coaching Course
Sunday July 17th Unit 1 / 6 Deblin Drive Narre Warren**

Application Form

Name: Mr/Mrs/Ms/Miss:

State: Level of accreditation being sought: **Level 1**

Address:

Suburb: _____ Post Code: _____ E-

mail.....

Phone Number: (_____) _____ Date of Birth: ____ / ____ / ____

Rank: Dan/Gup TA - M'ship No: _____

Name of Head Instructor:

Which club do you train with?

Signature of applicant: _____ Date: _____

Parent or guardian if the applicant is under the age of 18 years: (Min age 16 yrs)

Signature: _____ Date: _____

How to apply

Forward the following in the mail to;

Jodi Brown, Coach Education Presenter

Unit 1 / 6 Deblin Drive Narre Warren

1. Course Application Form

2. 1 x Passport sized Photograph

3. Cheque or Money Order for \$200 made out to *Taekwondo Australia- Victoria*

4. Certificate of completion, General Principles of Coaching, go to-

<https://learning.ausport.gov.au>

EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST

JOB DESCRIPTION & SELECTION CRITERIA

JOB SPECIFIC INFORMATION

Job Title:	Setup Mats at the start and Pack-up at the end of our Victorian Selection competition in Croydon. Setting up should begin approx. 7.00 am and finish by 8.00 am on Saturday 23rd July. Pack-up should be completed by 5.00 pm on Sunday 24th July.
Number of courts:	6 (six) 10m x 10m courts
How long should it take:	6 people team approx. 2 hours the total
When:	23rd & 24th July 2011
Location:	11 Civic Square, Croydon VIC 3136
Special Note:	All mats are currently stored off site but will be transported to Croydon – Transport is not part of this offer.
Who can apply:	Any reliable Taekwondo Club looking for an opportunity to raise funds for their fund raising activity
Is this an ongoing task:	This is 1 (one) off with possibility to continue in the future
Salary package:	Quotations invited
Report to:	Tournament Director
Contact for enquiries:	Tony Susacby e-mail on tsus1@hotmail.com or (0439 617 144)
Closing date for applications:	15th July 2011

2011 Victorian Taekwondo Championships

FOR COMPETITORS AGED 8YRS AND ABOVE

23rd July – Coloured Belts

24th July – Black Belts

**Croydon Leisure & Aquatic Centre, 11 Civic Square,
CROYDON Vic.**

Please Note the following: In order to be eligible to compete in the nationals all athletes are required to compete in A **Minimum Of Two Competitions**

This Year In Victoria. If you are unable to meet this requirement but still wish to participate, you are hereby invited to apply for **Special Consideration**

providing you have genuine reasons for doing so. **Your Special Consideration application needs to be posted to**

Tony Susac, 69 Telford Drive, BERWICK Vic. 3806 ASAP – you will be advised of the outcome.

Please also note: In order to be able to compete in the Nationals all athletes need to be registered with the State Team. Information with regard

to how and where to register for the Victorian State team, and details of the State Team Training programme will be made available to all Coloured belt medalists and all black belt entrants at the competition. It will also appear on the TVI website soon after the competition

TOURNAMENT DETAILS & ENTRY FORM

Now available from our web site at: www.tkdvic.com.au and www.peopleinaction.net.au

ENTRIES ONLINE: OPEN 17th June & CLOSE 15th July 2011

Please Note: Apply Early - Any Entry Application Received After The Official Closing Date Will Attract A Late Entry Fee Of \$20.00

Dear club instructor,

On behalf of Taekwondo Victoria Inc, it is our pleasure to invite you and your club to participate in the 2011 Victorian Championships at the **Croydon Leisure & Aquatic Centre, 11 Civic Square, CROYDON Vic.,**

In the interests of safety for younger and less experienced competitors and in line with current practice, no head kicks will be allowed for competitors in the 8-9, 10-11, 12-13 and 14-15 year age divisions.

Detailed competition information is enclosed for your information.

Athletes will be required to be registered as **Sport Athletes** with Taekwondo Australia and all Victorian athletes must be financial in regards to monies owed to TVI.

EVENT ACCESS

To effectively manage the event and maintain a safe environment for the participants, only active coaches will be permitted access to the playing area. Security will prohibit entry by unauthorised persons to the competition area.

Current TA coach accreditation Card is required to coach athletes on the court. Please ensure you check your card for expiry dates.

It is important that every Instructor provides sufficient number of qualified coaches for their competitors. Coaches passes will be available online prior to the Competition.

Who is a qualified Coach? All those who hold **current** Coach Registration Card are qualified and will be permitted to officiate. Those who have never held a Coach Registration Card are not qualified and will not be allowed on the floor. Those who hold an expired Coach Registration Card but are in process of renewing will be allowed to officiate providing their written request is received prior to 23rd July 2011. In cases of any queries regarding Coaching issues please contact Mr Russell Trainor on info@trainortaekwondo.com.au

Competition entries open on-line on Friday 17th June and will close on Friday 15th July 2011. Please note that as the online system is automated, no entries can be automatically processed after this date. Entry is only available via the Online system at www.tkdvic.com.au or www.peopleinaction.net.au

Friday 15th July is the official closing date for competition entries. Entries received after this date and **until 22nd July** will need to be adjusted manually and will attract an additional fee of \$20.00. To avoid this surcharge please enter early.

We extend a warm welcome to our first time competitors and our interstate visitors coming from Qld, NSW, TAS, WA and SA. We hope you enjoy the competition. Our gratitude is extended to the referees, without whom there would be no competition. TVI acknowledges the huge contribution by our volunteers, who generously give their time and contribute enormously to the success of the event. On behalf of Taekwondo Victoria Inc. we hope all participants enjoy the weekend and benefit from the Taekwondo community coming together - We all play a part in the success of our sport.

Kind regards,
TVI Event team

Hosted by: TVI (Taekwondo Victoria Inc.)

Date: Saturday 23rd July – All Coloured belt competitors starting at 9.00 am.

Sunday 24th July – All Black Belts Competitors starting at 8.00 am.

Venue: Croydon Leisure & Aquatic Centre, 11 Civic Square, CROYDON Vic.,

Draw Single Elimination or Repechage System depending on number of entrants.

Registration: Online entry is open from 17th June 2011 at www.tkdvic.com.au or www.peopleinaction.net.au

Entry Problems: Nikky: Phone: 0487 197 662 or email: tvievents@peopleinaction.net.au

Closing Date: Friday, 15th July 2011

Eligible Competitors: Any Black and Coloured Belt currently registered with TA as Sports Taekwondo Australia member.

Age Divisions: All competitors ages are **as at 31 December 2011** unless otherwise stated.

Entry Fees: By online entry only: One division - \$88.00; Multiple divisions - \$88.00 each (Athletes will be able to compete in more than one division where eligible)

Refunds: All attempts will be made to match all entrants. In cases where it may not be possible to match a

competitor then such competitor will be deemed uncontested and will receive a medal.

There will be NO Refunds, however, in cases of special consideration, refunds must be applied for in writing within 7 days after the completion of the Competition. The outcome will depend on the Executive

Council decision. In cases where refund is granted it will be issued using your original payment method.

All applications must be made in writing stating the reason for your request to the following address:

Taekwondo Victoria Events, 69 Telford Drive, BERWICK 3806 Vic.

Weigh in : Competitors weigh-in will be conducted on Friday, 22nd July 2011 from 4.00 pm at the Box Hill Aquatic Centre, Surrey Drive.

Please Note: Juniors will get one weigh-in which will qualify them into their competition division. Due to **duty of care** issues & **State Junior policy regarding developing children**, Juniors are not permitted to lose weight & re-weigh.

Please also note - the following must be presented at the weigh-in: -

- *Signed Competitors entry confirmation from online registration at weigh in (signed by their Head Instructor)*
- *Competitors Sports Taekwondo Australia membership card, photo ID and proof of insurance (if not insured with TA.)*
- *Minimum acceptable dress during weigh in will be T shirt and shorts with a 0.5kg allowance.*

Tournament Rules: WTF Competition Rules – please note: These rules may be adjusted – details will follow.

No head kicks in ALL junior divisions ie. 8-9, 10-11, 12-13 and 14-15 year age.

Age Groups : All competitors must have reached this minimum age by the start of the Games. Other than for the minimum age, a participant's **age as at 31 December 2011** (as below) will be used for determining age grouping, unless otherwise stated.

08 – 09yrs, 10 – 11yrs, 12 – 13yrs, 14 – 15yrs, 14 – 17yrs head kicks * Open (15+), 31 – 40 yrs, 41 – 50 yrs.

Contest Duration: Senior games 3 rounds x 1.5 minutes (30 seconds between rounds)

Junior games 3 rounds x 1.0 minute (30 seconds between rounds)

14 – 17 games 3 rounds x 1.5 minute (30 seconds between rounds)

Match duration may be altered subject to competition time constraints

Protective Equipment: Competitors must provide and wear WTF approved protective equipment (head protector, mouth guard (clear or white), arm guards, chest protector, groin guard – males (female optional), shin guards, hand gloves, foot gloves (WTF recommended)).

No Damaged Equipment Will Be Allowed - There will be NO variation to these rules.

Awards: All events will recognise first, second and third placing with Gold, Silver and Bronze Medals - If a competitor is in a final match uncontested, the individual will receive a **medal**.

Competition Draw: A full list of competitors will be posted on the internet prior to the competition at: www.tkdvic.com.au

Copies of the Draw will be available at the weigh in and at the venue on the day of the competition – Cost \$2.00 ea.

Competition Schedule: Please log on to www.tkdvic.com.au during the week of competition.

Spectator Fees: Single - \$10.00; Family - \$25.00; Children under 6 Years of age - Free

Additional Information to ALL Instructors, Participants, Coaches and Officials:

1. Weight and age categories may vary depending on the number of participants. It will be at the discretion of the Tournament Organising Committee to add, alter, delete or amalgamate weight and age divisions depending on registration numbers.

2. Taekwondo Australia Limited registered members are required to bring their Taekwondo Australia Card for identification, currency of membership and insurance verification.
3. Competitors weigh-in will be conducted as per the above.
4. Competitors are required to wear the standard white dobok (white pants, white top and belt according to their level).
5. Any REFUNDS must be applied for according to the documentation mentioned above under 'Refunds'. ALL documentation without any exemption must be submitted immediately after the tournament which will allow orderly and timely process to take place. Tournament Refund Claims must be posted to: Tony Susac, 69 Telford Drive, BERWICK Vic 3806 or e-mail: tsus1@hotmail.com within 7 days after the completion of tournament.
6. All appeals regarding any 'Unjust' decision must be made within 10 minutes from occurring. These appeals must be in writing on prescribed form and accompanied with \$100.00 appeal fee which will be refunded in the case of successful appeal – **NO verbal complaints will be handled.**
7. ANY and ALL Queries, Complaints or Compliments must be directed IN WRITING to the Tournament Director immediately as they occur on the day of the tournament or immediately after the tournament. All correspondence to: Tony Susac, e-mail: tsus1@hotmail.com
8. Tournament Director and the Event Organizers reserve the right to make any changes or amendments they may feel would enhance the satisfactory conclusion of the tournament, at short notice on the day of the tournament.
9. Any Instructor, Head Instructor, Coach, Competitor or any Official, including any person present in any capacity, deemed behaving in an uncivilized manner and using unacceptable language, directed at any official, spectator or opposition competitor will, without prejudice or favour, be asked to leave and will not be invited to participate in any of our future competitions.
10. In cases of unruly behaviour during the fight referee reserves rights to discontinue such fight until order is restored.
11. **The Event Organizers will ensure that ALL involved have a fair go on the day and that everyone is treated in a fair and humane manner. In order to achieve the successful and smooth conclusion to this tournament, ALL the guidelines published in this Competition Pack and presented herewith will, without prejudice or favour, be strictly adhered to.**

Key contacts –

For **Entry Related Queries** contact Nikky on phone: 0487 197 662 or e-Mail
tvievents@peopleinaction.net.au

For **draw and IT related issues** contact Mr Chris White, phone 0419878832 or e-mail
ChrisJWhite@bigpond.com

For **rules and governance:** Tournament Director Mr Tony Susac phone: 0439 617 144 or e-Mail:
tsus1@hotmail.com

Liability: All participants in the competition take part at their own risk. The organisers can under no circumstances be held responsible for any damage, injuries or loss to individuals or equipment.

1st LETTER TO INSTRUCTORS July 2011

Dear club instructor,

First of all, thank you for your overwhelming support at the Victorian Winter Open Competition in June 2011.

Once again, on behalf of Taekwondo Victoria Inc, it is my pleasure to invite you and your students to participate in our 2011 Victorian Taekwondo Championships. This event will be held at the **Croydon Leisure & Aquatic Centre, 11 Civic Square, CROYDON Vic., on 23rd and 24th July 2011** and it is for All Coloured and Black Belt competitors aged 8 years and above.

Please Note the following: In order to be eligible to compete in the nationals all athletes are required to compete In A **Minimum Of Two Competitions This Year In Victoria**. If you are unable to meet this requirement but still wish to participate, you are hereby invited to apply for **Special Consideration** providing you have genuine reasons for doing so. **Your Special Consideration application needs to be posted to Tony Susac, 69 Telford Drive, BERWICK Vic. 3806 ASAP – you will be advised of the outcome.**

Please also note: In order to be able to compete in the Nationals, all athletes need to be registered with the State Team. Information with regard to how and where to register for the Victorian State team, and details of the State Team Training programme will be made available to all Coloured belt medalists and all black belt entrants at the competition. It will also appear on the TVI website soon after the competition

Entry is now available via the Online system at www.tkdvic.com.au or www.peopleinaction.net.au. This service is now open and will close at midnight on 15th July 2011. Please note that as the online system is fully automated, no entries can be automatically processed after this date.

Friday 15th July is the official closing date for competition entries. Entries received after this date and **until 22nd July** will need to be adjusted manually and will attract an additional fee of \$20.00. To avoid this surcharge please enter early.

Tournament Pack-Comprehensive details are published in the Tournament Pack which is available for download and for your attention on www.tkdvic.com.au. Please pay special attention to all the information as published therein as it will be your only guide during this competition. Special attention must be given to the section labeled '**Additional Information to ALL Instructors, Participants, Coaches and Officials**' as this competition will be governed strictly as per the details published there in.

Re: the Coaches-It is important that every Instructor provides qualified coaches for their competitors. Coaches passes will be available online prior to the Competition. **Please note: I do not issue Coaches Passes** (please refer to on line registration).

Who is a qualified Coach? All those who hold **current** Coach Registration Card are qualified and will be permitted to officiate. Those who have never held a Coach Registration Card are not qualified and will not be allowed on the floor. Those who hold an expired Coach Registration Card but are in process of renewing will be allowed to officiate providing their written request is received prior to 23rd July 2011. In cases of any queries regarding Coaching issues please contact Mr Russell Trainor on info@trainortaekwondo.com.au

Weigh-in—will be conducted on **Friday 22nd July at the Box Hill Aquatic Centre, Surrey Drive from 4.00 pm to 8.00 pm**. Please be sure that all the information entered on your student's online entry form is accurate. The following must be produced at the weigh-in:

- Signed Competitors entry confirmation from online registration (signed by Head Instructor).
- Competitors Sports TA membership card, photo ID and proof of insurance (if not insured with TA).

Please monitor www.tkdvic.com.au for schedule and the time table which will be on the website during the week leading to the competition.

In case of any issues regarding this competition please contact the appropriate person as per below:

For Entry Related Queries contact Nikky on phone: 0487 197 662 or e-Mail tvievents@peopleinaction.net.au

For draw and IT related issues contact Mr Chris White, phone 0419878832 or e-mail ChrisJWhite@bigpond.com

For rules and governance: Tournament Director Mr Tony Susac phone: 0439 617 144 or e-Mail: tsus1@hotmail.com

**Tony Susac
Tournament Director**

2nd LETTER TO INSTRUCTORS JULY 2011

Dear club instructor,

Despite all the necessary information relating to the 23rd and 24th July event having already been published and available from www.tkdvic.com I have received few enquiries which I now feel I need to reinforce.

1. As previously informed, weigh-in will be conducted at the Box Hill Aquatic Centre, Surrey Drive, BOX HILL between 4.00 and 8.00 pm on 22nd July 2011. We expect most competitors to complete their weigh-in on that day,

however in case of those who are coming from distant parts of Victoria or interstate, they will be allowed to weigh-in first thing on Saturday and Sunday morning (the days of actual competition). You will need to contact me by e-mail (tsus1@hotmail.com) prior to 22nd to arrange for this.

2. Also, as previously informed but for those who didn't read my last letter and the Tournament Pack, Competition will take place at the **Croydon Leisure & Aquatic Centre, 11 Civic Square, CROYDON Vic., on 23rd and 24th July 2011**. Saturday's competition will start at 9.00 am until completed and Sunday's at 8.00 am until completed.

3. Entry is now available and will remain open until 15th July via the Online system at www.tkdvic.com.au or www.peopleinaction.net.au. As informed earlier, online system is fully automated and entries received after this date can't be automatically processed. This being the case any entry received after the 15th July will need to be manually adjusted and will attract a surcharge of \$20.00. To avoid this surcharge please enter early.

4. For those who haven't as yet but are considering to apply for special consideration as mentioned in the Tournament Pack, please do so as soon as possible.

5. **Tournament Pack** has been published and can be downloaded from www.tkdvic.com.au.

6. **Coaches**—If you are a qualified Coach you will need to apply for your Coach Pass online -Please note: I do not issue Coaches Passes. If you have issues with your qualification or in case of any queries regarding the coaching, please contact the TVI's coaching coordinator Mr Russell Trainor on info@trainortaekwondo.com.au

Officials—If you are attending this competition in an official capacity, you are hereby requested to send in your details so that you may be included on the list of officials and will be entitled to a free entry into the venue. Please note: if your name is not on the list you will be required to pay spectator entry fee. To avoid this from happening please send your details to me ASAP. My email address is tsus1@hotmail.com

Volunteers—In order to achieve satisfactory conclusion to this competition I require a sufficient number of volunteers to assist me on the day and leading up to it. The work involved will be marshaling, time keeping, computer operating, helping to set up and pack down and general housekeeping where required. As I can't achieve all this alone therefore request your assistance as per the following:

Clubs entering up to 4 competitors provide 1 volunteer

Clubs entering 5-10 competitors provide 2 volunteers

Clubs entering over 10 competitors provide 3 or more volunteers.

The above is now a permanent rule and a condition of competitor's entry into TVI tournament events.

Please provide me with the names of volunteers from your school so that they can be included on our officials list for a free entry to the centre.

Please monitor www.tkdvic.com.au for schedule and the time table which will be on the website during the week leading to the competition.

In case of any issues regarding this competition please contact the appropriate person as per below:

For Entry Related Queries contact Nikky on phone: 0487 197 662 or e-Mail

tvievents@peopleinaction.net.au

For draw and IT related issues contact Mr Chris White, phone 0419878832 or e-mail

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For rules and governance: Tournament Director Mr Tony Susac phone: 0439 617 144 or e-Mail:

tsus1@hotmail.com

Tony Susac

Tournament Director

ADDRESS TO INSTRUCTORS AND PROGRAM

Program and Governance

Dear participants and officials,

Same as in the previous instances this is the only address that will be given to you during this event. Please pay attention to every point published herein as every part of this competition will be governed according to the information below as well as in our Tournament Pack published 5 weeks ago. On behalf of Taekwondo Victoria Inc, it is my pleasure to welcome you to our July 2011 Victorian Taekwondo Championships.

We extend a warm welcome to all competitors, especially to those who have travelled a long way from country and regional Victoria to be here today – it is our wish that you are awarded for your effort.

Our referees and volunteers play a major role in running and the success of our competition events. We therefore extend our gratitude to each and every one of them - without them there would be no competition. I would, therefore request that we all show our appreciation to them, by at the very least extending courtesy and respect during this and all our events; respect that we all, as human beings owe to each other and rightly deserve.

TOURNAMENT RULES & GOVERNANCE

All rules governing this competition have been included in our Tournament Pack, published and available for your information on the TVI website. There should be no competitor or Instructor present that should not be aware of its' contents. Please re-read the printed information you have already received before distracting officials from their duties, with unnecessary questions, as every interruption impacts on the smooth running of the program.

I will now mention some of those rules which will be strictly enforced during the day and according to which this tournament will be governed and conducted.

1. First of all, as Tournament Director, I accept any and all responsibility for the success or otherwise of this event. Therefore, as ultimately the buck stops with me, I will, without prejudice or favour, enforce all the rules governing this event in a fair manner and according to the details published in the Tournament Pack.

2. In the interests of safety for younger and less experienced competitors and in line with current practice **No head kicks will be allowed for competitors in the junior divisions.**

3. Competitors must provide and wear WTF approved protective equipment (head protector, mouth guard (clear or white), arm guards, chest protector, groin guard – males (female optional), shin guards, hand gloves, foot gloves (WTF recommended).

No Damaged Equipment Will Be Allowed On The Court - There will be NO variation to these rules.

4. **Athletes and Instructors** are required to be insured and registered as sport athletes with TKD Australia.

5. **All athletes and Instructors** must be financial in regards to any monies owed to TVI.

6. To effectively manage the event and maintain a safe environment for the participants and all present, only registered and current coaches will be permitted to officiate on the court. **If you are not registered and current you are not allowed on the competition area.**

7. Coaching passes are (if not already obtained) available from www.peopleinaction.net.au or from me by special arrangement.

8. **Meal Vouchers for the Eligible officials** will be available from me during the two days of the tournament– one voucher per person per day.

9. Official Passes are also available from me or at the entrance to the centre on the day. **Please note:** You are required to request your official pass from me via e-mail in order to have your name listed at the entrance. It is your responsibility to request yours well in time – **NO NAME ON THE LIST OF OFFICIALS - NO FREE PASS** and you will be required to pay entry fee of \$10.00 which **MAY** be refunded later via official TVI Claim Form stating the reason for not complying with this rule.

10. All participants in the competition take part at their own risk. The organisers will under no circumstances be held responsible for any damage, injuries or loss to individuals or equipment.

11. Our head marshal is Gordon Twaddell – please pay special attention to him or his team directions and listen for your name to be called – you will only be called 3 times - **if you don't appear and face your opponent at the third call you will forfeit your fight.**

12. Tournament will be run on five courts

13. Games duration will be as follows:

- a) Senior games duration 3 x 2.0 minutes rounds (30 seconds between rounds)
- b) Junior games duration 3 x 1.5 minutes rounds (30 seconds between rounds)
- c) 14 – 17 games duration 3 x 2.0 minutes rounds (30 seconds between rounds)

Match duration may be altered subject to competition time constraints

14. Program Schedule For Saturday 23rd July – Coloured Belts

Weigh-in for those who were unable to attend on Friday 22nd will be conducted starting at 8.00 AM at the

Competition venue (the actual event venue).

Venue setup will begin at 7.00 AM and should be completed and ready for competition by 9.00 AM.

Actual competition will start at 9.00 AM or soon after according to the following time table:

- 1. 08.30 AM – Coaches and Referees addressed by Referee Co-ordinator.
- 2. 09.00 AM - Open and Seniors
- 3. 10.00 AM – 13 years old and under
- 4. 10.30 AM – 14 to 17 years old
- 5. 03.00 PM - Competition scheduled to finish

15. Program Schedule For Sunday 24th July – Black Belts

Weigh-in for those who were unable to attend on Friday 22nd or Saturday 24th will be conducted starting at

8.00 AM at the Competition venue (the actual event venue).

- 1. Actual Competition starts at 9.00 AM
- 2. 09.00 AM - open and seniors
- 3. 10.00 AM - 13 years and under
- 4. 10.30 AM - 14 – 17 years old
- 5. 03.00 PM competition scheduled to finish
- 6. 03.00 PM to 4.00 PM - pack up all mats and equipment

7. **4.00 – 5.00 PM** – short meeting of all instructors and others interested. Your input and suggestions regarding our future events are important to us all. We therefore welcome and value your opinions. You will be able to put those forward at this meeting.

16. Tournament Draw is now completed and published on the www.tkdvic.com.au and www.peopleinaction.net.au websites. Please check and in case of any queries or discrepancies contact the appropriate person for attention.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION TO ALL INSTRUCTORS, PARTICIPANTS, COACHES AND OFFICIALS

1. *Weight and age categories may vary depending on the number of participants. **It will be at the discretion of the Tournament Organising Committee to add, alter, delete or amalgamate weight and age divisions depending on registration numbers.***
2. *Taekwondo Australia Limited registered members are required to bring their Sports Taekwondo Australia Card for identification, currency of membership and insurance verification.*
3. *All competitors **MUST** have the Taekwondo Australia badge on their left upper sleeve. Badges from any other Association shall not be visible. This rule does not apply to your Club badge.*
4. *Competitors weigh-in will be conducted on Friday 22nd July between 4.00 and 8.00 pm at the Box Hill Aquatic Centre (blue room upstairs), Surrey Drive, Box Hill.*
5. *Competitors are required to wear the standard white dobok (white pants, white top and belt according to their level).*
6. *Any REFUNDS must be applied for ONLY according to the documentation mentioned in the Tournament Pack under 'Refunds'. ALL documentation without any exemption must be submitted immediately after the tournament which will allow orderly and timely process to take place. Tournament Refund Claims must be posted to: Tony Susac, 69 Telford Drive, BERWICK Vic 3806 or e-mail: tsus1@hotmail.com within 7 days after the completion of tournament. Claims past 7 days will not be processed.*
7. *All appeals regarding any 'Unjust' decision must be made by Coaches within 10 minutes from occurring. These appeals must be in writing on prescribed form and accompanied with \$100.00 appeal fee which will be refunded in the case of successful appeal – **NO verbal complaints will be handled.***
8. *ANY and ALL Queries, Complaints or Compliments must be directed IN WRITING to the Tournament Director immediately as they occur on the day of the tournament or immediately after the tournament. All correspondence to: Tony Susac, e-mail: tsus1@hotmail.com*
9. *Tournament Director and the Event Organizers reserve the right to make any changes or amendments they may feel would enhance the satisfactory conclusion of the tournament, at short notice on the day of the tournament.*
10. *Any Instructor, Head Instructor, Coach, Competitor or any Official, including any person present in any capacity, deemed behaving in an uncivilized manner and using unacceptable language, directed at any official, spectator or opposition competitor will, without prejudice or favour, be asked to leave the competition and may not be invited to participate in any of our future competitions. This rule will be strictly enforced.*
11. *In cases of unruly behaviour during the fight referee reserves rights to discontinue such fight until order is restored.*
12. ***The Event Organizers will ensure that ALL involved have a fair go on the day and that everyone is treated in a fair and humane manner. In order to achieve the successful and smooth conclusion to this tournament, ALL the guidelines published in this notice or in the Tournament Pack and presented herewith or previously, will without prejudice or favour, be strictly enforced.***

On behalf of Taekwondo Victoria Inc. I hope all participants, spectators, volunteers and officials enjoy the Competition and benefit from the Taekwondo community coming together. We all (not just one or two of us but ALL of us) play a major part in the success of our organisation and our sport.

Good luck to everyone

Tony Susac – Tournament Director
Taekwondo Victoria Inc.

Victorian Technical Championships & Selections for National Championships

**Sunday 31st July 8am – 5 pm
Aqualink, Surrey Drive, Box Hill**

**Individual / Team / Pair Selections – colour belt
divisions**

**Individual Practice competition – black belt
divisions**

**ENTRIES OPEN:
Saturday 16th July**

**ENTRIES CLOSE:
Sunday 24th July**

**NOTE: all entries to be completed on line at:
www.tkdvic.com
www.peopleinaction.net.au**

2011 Victorian Taekwondo Selection Championships

Dear Instructor,

On behalf of Taekwondo Victoria Inc, it is my pleasure to invite you and your club to participate in the 2011 Victorian Technical Selection Championships at Box Hill Aqualink, Surrey Drive. This is a technical competition for Poomsae and Self Defence competitors wishing to qualify for the 2011 National Taekwondo championships in Canberra on September 8 – 11, 2011.

Competitors placing 1st or 2nd in the coloured belt divisions will qualify to represent Victoria at the 2011 National championships. Black belt competitors need not place in this competition but are encouraged to compete for the competition practice. Unfortunately, due to time and venue availability, no events other than Black Belt standard individual poomsae can be provided for this year.

All colour belt divisions for this competition are as per the National Championships in Brisbane. Detailed competition information is enclosed for your information.

Instructors are advised that athletes need to be registered as a "Sports Member" with Taekwondo Australia to compete and all athletes are required to present their 2011 TA card at registration. Unregistered athletes will be unable to complete the on line application form.

Competition entries open on-line on Wednesday 13th July and close on Sunday 24th July. Please note that, as the online system is automated, no entries can be processed after this date.

Entry is only available via the Online system at www.tkdvic.com.au / www.peopleinaction.net.au

Please note: In line with National championships procedure and in relation to the ease of administration, in particular refunds; all entries will be payable **via credit card or debit card only.**

Our continued thanks also go to all of the clubs who enter their enthusiastic athletes. We also greatly appreciate the ongoing support of the judges who officiate at these competitions and our wonderful volunteers who give up their time to ensure the smooth running of these events.

Without the contributions of any of these groups, our competitions would not be a success.

Any judges who are able to help with this competition, please notify our Judging Co-ordinator, Mr Julius Burai, at: julius.burai@optusnet.com.au

Yours sincerely,

Barry Akehurst

President

Taekwondo Victoria Inc.

General Information

All ages are as at 31st December 2011 – Individual Traditional Poomsae

Eligible Competitors: To be eligible to contest the Victorian Technical Championships, athletes must:

- be registered as a "sports member" of Taekwondo Australia Inc (2011)
- have at all times acted in a proper manner and not have engaged in any conduct that would bring the Association, our sport or any of our staff into disrepute or censure.

Registration: All competitors MUST bring their current 2011 Taekwondo Australia Sports registration card. Players without registration cards or proof of TA Sports membership will not be permitted to compete.

Competition Schedule: Sunday 31st July, 2011 (indicative only)

Officials and Judges arrive 7.30 am

All belts registration at 8.00 am

Competition Starts 8.30 am

NOTE: No-one can compete in more than one pair (including self defence), and/or one team and/or one family group!

Liability: All participants in the tournament take part at their own risk. The organiser can under no circumstances be held responsible for any damages, injuries, or loss to individuals or equipment.

Entry Prices: Payable at venue

Spectators: \$5 Under 6: Free

Family: \$15 (2 adults+3 children)

Competition Entry Fees: Standard Fee

First event: \$65.00

Team / Pair event Only \$50.00

Each additional event add \$15.00

Final Timetable will be published on the Taekwondo Victoria website after entries close.

www.tkdvic.com.au

Event Rules

Awards: Medals or trophies will be awarded to First, Second and Third place in all divisions.

Dobok Requirements: No "striped" doboks. No prominent "brand" logos, (Club / State logos accepted). No Black V-neck for colour belts, including Cho Dan Bo, who compete as Red Belts. Poom uniform accepted for Poom gradings only. All competitors **MUST** wear the Taekwondo Australia green badge on the left shoulder of their dodok (no badge = no competition!)

"Individual" Poomsae

Tournament Rules: Players compete two patterns, as prescribed by their grading.

Judging as per WTF / TA rules, that is, one player at a time, judged out of ten.

Gender: Male Female

Age Division: 7 – 10 11 – 13 14 – 18 19 – 30 31 – 40 41 – 50 51 +

Patterns: As listed in table below

"Pairs" & "Team" Poomsae (based on highest ranking team member)

Gender any

Age Divisions 7 – 13 14-35 36+

Rank Yellow Blue Red

Team Size Pairs – Two (2)

Team – Minimum of Three (3), maximum of Eight (8)

Patterns Pairs & Teams will compete in belt level according to the **HIGHEST** ranked member.

Colour belt pairs and teams **MUST** choose from the patterns listed below according to the **HIGHEST** ranked member.

No-one can compete in more than one "Pairs" or "Team" Poomsae group!

Belt Level

Yellow

Blue

Red

Pattern Choice

Taeguk 1, 2 or 3 (Il Jang, Ee Jang, Sam Jang)

Taeguk 4, 5 or 6 (Sa Jang, Oh Jang, Yuk Jang)

Taeguk 6, 7 or 8 (Yuk Jang, Chil Jang, Pal Jang)

Family Traditional Poomsae (based on highest ranking team member)

Divisions Adults Siblings Parent and Child/ren

Rank Yellow Blue Red

Team Size Minimum of two (2) – Maximum of eight (8).

Each team to consist of direct family members (spouse, brother, sister, mother, father).

Patterns Team will compete in belt level according to the **HIGHEST** ranked member of the team.

Each family group **MUST** choose from the patterns listed below according to the **HIGHEST** ranked member.

No-one can compete in more than one "Team" Traditional Poomsae group!

Belt Level

Yellow

Blue

Red

Pattern Choice

Taeguk 1, 2 or 3 (Il Jang, Ee jang, Sam Jang)

Taeguk 4, 5 or 6 (Sa Jang, Oh Jang, Yuk Jang)

Taeguk 6, 7 or 8 (YukJang, Chil Jang, Pal Jang)

Note: competitors will be entered in their belt division and grouped after entries close.

Individual Creative Music Poomsae

Gender any

Age Divisions 7 – 13 14-35 36+

Rank Yellow Blue Red

Colour belts will be divided by belt colour and age

Pattern Time Minimum 1 minute / Maximum 2 minutes

Each contestant should complete an individually choreographed routine to music. The pattern will be judged on "artistic merit" as well as Taekwondo technique. Routines must be based on 90% minimum Taekwondo technique. No weapons, "props" or "partners" permitted! (only hands and feet!) Minimum dress standard is Taekwondo dobok pants. (Tasteful / modest uniforms required!) Deduction for under / over time = -0.5 /10.0 Music MUST stop at finish of routine.

Pair & Team Creative Music Poomsae

Gender any

Age Divisions 7 – 13 14-35 36+

Rank Yellow Blue Red

Teams will compete in belt level according to the HIGHEST ranked member of team and age division

Team Size Pairs – Two (2)

Team – Minimum of Three (3), maximum of Eight (8)

Pattern Time Minimum 1 minute / Maximum 2 minutes

Each team should complete an individually choreographed routine to music. The pattern will be judged on "artistic merit" as well as Taekwondo technique. Routines must be based on 90% minimum Taekwondo technique. No weapons or "props" permitted! (only hands and feet!) Minimum dress standard is Taekwondo dobok pants. (Tasteful / modest uniforms required!) Deduction for under / over time = -0.5 /10.0 Music MUST stop at finish of routine.

No-one can compete in more than one "Team Music" group!

Note: competitors will be entered in their belt division and grouped after entries close.

NOTE: Divisions in all events may be amended after entries close dependent on the number of entries received

Self Defence (Hosinsul)

Gender any

Age Divisions 7 – 13 14-35 36+

Rank Yellow Blue Red

Teams will compete in belt level according to the HIGHEST ranked member of team and age division

Team Size Two (2)

Time Two minutes maximum (routine should be 60 – 120 seconds).

Weapons Weapons must be deemed safe by head of court (ie – no "live" blades)

Both members must attack AND defend

Attacks may be "bare hand", or include use of weapons (no "live" blades are permitted!) Judging will be based on safety of competitors. Any "injury" incurred will result in disqualification of both contestants. Deduction for under / over time = -0.5 /10.0

Primary judging consideration is "realistic / effective" self defence.

Note: divisions may be amended dependent on the number of entries.

To complete entry process please proceed to

www.tkdvic.com.au

www.peopleinaction.net.au

Checklist

COMPETITORS: Have you printed your declaration form and completed the following:

- Signed by competitor (or Parent / Guardian if under 18)**
- Signed by Head Instructor**
- Sports Taekwondo Registration**

AUGUST

2011 State Team

Training for Nationals at Box Hill Aquatic Centre - 14.8.2011



Conducted by: Murat Eryurek, Carmen Marton, Allan Malachowski

SEPTEMBER

2011 ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING NOTICE

Dear Head Instructors September 9th 2011

NOTICE OF TAEKWONDO VICTORIA INCORPORATED (A0033304)

2011 ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Notice is hereby given that the Annual General Meeting of the members of Taekwondo Victoria Incorporated, will be held on Sunday 30th October 2011, commencing at 3.00

pm at the:

**State Netball & Hockey Centre
Brens Drive, Parkville.**

Annual General Meeting (AGM)

In accordance with clause 22.4 of the TVI Constitution, notice is hereby given that the AGM will be held, as specified above.

Clause 22.4 (a) (i) the agenda will be published & forwarded to you prior to the meeting.

Quorum

Clause 26.1 "A quorum for General Meeting of the Association shall be 10% of the Voting Members".

David Burns

Secretary-General TVI

OCTOBER

NOTICE TO VICTORIAN STATE TEAM TO COMPETE AT THE NATIONALS IN SEPTEMBER, 2011 – CANBERRA

INTRODUCTION

To take part in the 2011 National Championships you must be a fully paid up member of the Victorian State Team. To be eligible for the State Team you must have competed/entered in at least two of the TVI run competitions held in 2011, and one of these must be the State Championship being held in Croydon on July 23rd/24th. While all Black Belts who compete/enter are eligible, Coloured belts must medal at the State Championships to be eligible to be part of the State Team.

APPLYING TO BE PART OF THE STATE TEAM

All Black belts and eligible Coloured belts must apply to join the State team. This can be done on line. Follow the links from the TVI website or go to www.peopleinaction.net.au to complete your on line application. The fee for this Team membership is \$55.00. This includes the three training sessions detailed below. On line entry will open immediately after the Championships on July 23rd/24th and will close at midnight on July 31st.

ELIGIBILITY

- Competed/entered in at least two of the TVI run competitions held in 2011, and one of these must be the State Championship being held in Croydon on July 23rd/24th.
- While all Black Belts who compete/enter are eligible, Coloured belts must medal at the State Championships to be eligible to be part of the State Team.
- Signed up for State Team and paid fees on line by 31st July, 2011.
- Be a current paid up member of Taekwondo Australia.
- Have registered to compete at the Nationals via the Taekwondo Australia website at www.taekwondoaustralia.org.au .

SPECIAL CONSIDERATION

If you do not meet the above criteria in any way and still wish to compete in the National Championships you will need to complete and submit a Special Consideration Form by 31st July, 2011. This form is attached to this notice and must be completed by the Athlete wishing to compete, countersigned by their Head Instructor and sent to Mr. Tony Susac via email to tsus1@hotmail.com or via post to TVI State Team, 69 Telford Drive, BERWICK 3806 Vic to arrive no later than 31st July, 2011.

UNIFORMS

All members of the State Team are expected to wear the State Team Polo shirt and display the Victoria leg strip on their Doboks. We will be supplying the same Polo shirts as last year, so those athletes who already have a Polo shirt from last year do not need to buy a new one. For those athletes who do not have a polo shirt, or a "Victoria" leg strip, these will be available for purchase at the first training session on August 7th. (Cash Only Please) If stocks run out, orders will be taken on August 7th and supplied to Athletes at the last training session on August 28th. Prices for these are as follows:-

State Team Polo Shirt \$35.00 each

“Victoria” leg strip \$15.00 each

TRAINING SESSIONS

While these are not compulsory we do encourage all Team members to attend as many of these sessions as they can. Details are as follows:-

Dates 7th, August Training and Badge/ Polo Shirt purchase

14th August Training only

28th August Training and Badge /Polo shirt pick up

Venue Aqualink Box Hill

Surrey Drive,

Box Hill

Victoria 3128

Times Sparring training 10.00am - 11.00 am (arrive 9.45am)

Poomsae Training 11.00am - 12.30 pm (arrive 10.45am)

FURTHER ENQUIRIES

Please direct any enquiries you may have regarding this State Team via email in the first instance to Mr. Tony Susac at - tsus1@hotmail.com

SPECIAL CONSIDERATION FORM TO COMPETE AT 2011 NATIONALS

Name _____ Male/Female _____

Address _____

Suburb _____ Postcode _____

Taekwondo Australia registration number _____

Email _____ Telephone _____

Age Group _____ Weight Division _____

Belt Colour _____ Result at 2011 State Championships _____

Club Name _____ Instructor Name _____

Reason why not meeting Eligibility Criteria

Reason why you should be awarded Special Consideration

Supporting comments from Head Instructor

Signed _____ (Athlete) Date _____

Signed _____ (Head Instructor) Date _____

Return form to : State Team Special Consideration,

69 Telford Drive, BERWICK 3806 Vic

Or via Email to Tony Susac at tsus1@hotmail.com

Victorian Poomsae Judging Seminar

Sunday 23rd October
Fairhills High School
330 Scoresby Rd
Knoxfield 3180

8:30am – 4:30pm.

Min Age 12
Min belt Red

BOOKINGS CLOSE:
Thursday 20th October 2011
All Entries via:

www.peopleinaction.net.au

2011 Victorian Poomsae Judging Seminar

Dear Instructor,

On behalf of Taekwondo Victoria Inc, it is my pleasure to invite you and your club to participate in the second 2011

Victorian Poomsae Judging Seminar.

Master Julius Burai, Master Robert Schembri and Master Russell Wood will be presenting this Poomsae Judges

Seminar at Fairhills High School, KnoxField.

All 3 presenters spent time with Grand Master Kyung Chan Kim when he was here in Australia earlier this year.

Grand master Kim is the WTF Poomsae Committee Vice Chairman, and the Poomsae Referee Chairman.

Julius Burai judged and competed at the recent National Championships in Canberra. Russell Wood and Robert

Schembri both competed in the 6th World Championships in Vladivostok, Russia at the end of July 2011, and have

brought back the latest trends and information for poomsae.

There will be 3 levels of participation for this seminar:

Poomsae Judge NEW – for first time judges.

Poomsae Judges Refresher – for existing judges wishing to freshen up on rules and renew their qualification.

Poomsae Participation Certificate – for all students that undertake the training but are not eligible to be qualified

as a judge (age and belt restrictions apply). To qualify to be a judge, you must hold a DAN level certificate.

Eligible participants that successfully complete the seminar will be qualified to judge at a state and a national level.

Participants are encouraged to obtain a copy of “The Textbook of Taekwondo Poomsae” as much of what will be

taught, practiced and discussed can be found in this publication. (ISBN: 978-89-7336-740-5) There will be copies

of this book available for order at the seminar. (\$50.00 including GST).

Registration for this seminar will be done via the People in Action website:

www.peopleinaction.net.au

Registration will be at 8:30 am for 4th dan and above, and for blackbelt players 36 years and above to allow the

higher dan patterns to be covered.

All other players, registration is at 10:00am.

I strongly recommend that all interested participants “brush up” on all the patterns from Il Jang to as high as they

know to help make the day run smoothly.

Yours sincerely,

Derek Upward

Technical Director

Taekwondo Victoria Inc.

General Information

Eligible Participants: To be eligible to be qualified as a poomsae judge you must:

- be a registered member of Taekwondo Australia Inc (2011)
- have at all times acted in a proper manner and not have engaged in any conduct that would bring the Association, our sport or any of our staff into disrepute or censure.

Registration: All participants MUST bring their current 2011 Taekwondo Australia registration card. Players without registration cards or proof of TA membership will not be permitted to participate.

Schedule: Sunday 23rd October, 2011

Blackbelts, 4th Dan and above,

And Registration at 8:30am

Blackbelts 36 years and above (inc 1st 2nd 3rd Dan)

(Ilyeo, Hansu, Chonkwon, Jitae will be covered in this session)

Blackbelts, 1st 2nd 3rd Dan,

And Registration at 10:00am

Redbelts

(Blackbelt Patterns will be covered in this session)

Lunch 12:30 – 1:00

Colour belt patterns

Judging Theory & Basics.

Practical judging practice.

Finish approx. 4:30pm

Liability: All participants do so at their own risk. The organisers can under no circumstances be held responsible for any damages, injuries, or loss to individuals or equipment.

Course Entry Fees: Poomsae Judges Refresher \$45.00

Poomsae Participation Certificate \$55.00

Poomsae Judge NEW \$95.00

Equipment: Full Dobok. Tracksuit recommended as there will be periods of theory.

Training Journal/notepad and pens.

Waterbottle.

Lunch & snacks. There are shops approximately 10 mins down the road that can meet lunch needs, however time is limited.

NOVEMBER



Koryo Taekwondo Centre Bev Walker 2011 Trophy

Junior / Senior Poomse

**Sunday 27th November
Craigieburn College
Hothlyn Drive
Craigieburn**

**TOURNAMENT DETAILS & ENTRY FORMS
ENTRIES CLOSE: Tuesday 1st November, 2011**

Koryo Taekwondo Centre
11 Perry Court Roxburgh Park 3064
Phone 0393086019 Mobile 0405 659 684
Email: woody100@people.net.au Web Address : <http://koryotaekwondo.com.au/>

Standard / Creative

Junior / Senior Poomse

Dear Head Instructor,

On behalf of Koryo Taekwondo Centre it is my great pleasure to invite you and your

members to participate in the Bev Walker 2011 Trophy on Sunday 27th November 2011 at the Craigieburn Secondary College, Hothlyn Drive Craigieburn. This is a Poomsae tournament for colour and black belts aged 5 to 99 years. Detailed competition information and registration forms are enclosed – please note that all entries are to be submitted direct to the Koryo Taekwondo Centre. Competition entries close on Tuesday 1st November, 2011 - note that incomplete & / or late entries cannot be accepted. Please take care in completing your entries and submit them on time to avoid disappointing your players. We look forward to you and your member's participation in what should be an excellent competition for our Taekwondo Victoria members.

Yours sincerely,

Russell Wood - Head Instructor

Koryo Taekwondo Centre

11 Perry Court Roxburgh Park 3064

Phone 0393086019 Mobile 0405 659 684

Email: woody100@people.net.au Web Address : <http://koryotaekwondo.com.au/>

Bev Walker 2011 Trophy Junior / Senior Poomse

Conducted by: Koryo Taekwondo Centre.

Date & Location: Sunday 27th, November 2011

Craigieburn Secondary College

Hothlyn Drive, Craigieburn

Enquires: Russell Wood, Head Instructor - Koryo Taekwondo Centre

Mobile: 0405 659 684 Home: 03 9308 6019

E-mail: woody100@people.net.au

Eligible Competitors: To be eligible to compete in the Bev Walker Trophy Poomse Competition entrées must:

☞ be insured and a current registered member of Taekwondo Australia Inc

☞ have at all times acted in a proper manner and not have engaged in any conduct that would bring the Association, our sport or any of our staff into disrepute or censure.

Entry Fee: \$30 for first event plus \$10 for each additional event

(Payment by money order to Russell Wood must be attached to Application Form)

Closing Date: Tuesday 1st November, 2011

Late or incomplete entries will not be accepted and will be returned

Lodgement of Entries: All entries are to be lodged with the Tournament Director by the closing date.

Send entries by mail only to: Russell Wood, 11 Perry Court, Roxburgh Park Vic 3064

Tournament Rules: *Modified WTF Poomsae Competition Rules.*

Standard Individual Poomsae will consist of 4 competitors per group.

Two competitors will compete on the floor at the same time with both winners competing for Gold and Silver whilst the other two compete for 3rd & 4th place.

Awards: Medals for 1st, 2nd and 3rd places in all divisions as stated on the application form. Divisions may be combined depends on numbers.

Plus 4 Trophies for best club and competitors.

Competition Schedule: Sunday 27th November 2011

Officials and Judges arrive 8.00am - Competition Starts 9.00am

Note: Competition Schedule is indicative only - will be confirmed once competitor's numbers are established.

Liability: All participants in the tournament take part at their own risk. The organiser can under no circumstances be held responsible for any damages, injuries or loss to individuals or equipment.

Spectator Prices: *Entree is free for spectators*

DECEMBER



District Team League 2012

Kixsport 3rd Trial Event - 4th December 2011

The next trial will be held on the 4th December starting at 1pm (arrive 12.30pm) and finishing at 4pm. Maroondah Indoor Sports Centre, 376 Canterbury Road, Ringwood

Kixsport invites all coaches and players to witness this development and attend the 3rd Trail Event. Please notify Kixsport if you wish to become involved on **0418 330 629** or **03 970 30788**, email admin@kixsport.com . For more information visit www.kixsport.com .



Kixsport athletes wear white uniform pants and a coloured team top. They do not wear belts because they are graded into 3 different levels of skill, A, B or C. For the Test Events coaches will nominate their athletes skill level.

Overview

KixSport has developed the District Team League to provide regular opportunities for competitive combat sports athletes to practice and improve match skills, simply by competing more often.

Kixsport district team competitions provide an exciting development for the sport and with the use of electronic scoring systems the future is very exciting for the sport athlete.

Kixsport has been developed by senior coaches as a vehicle to increase competitive opportunities and to improve the sport experience for athletes of all levels.

Cricket, Basketball and AFL have initiated dynamic changes over the last few decades which have enabled them to grow significantly and have raised their profiles. Based on these observations KixSport has introduced a dynamic shift for combat sport athletes.

A successful, regular and local competition will give clubs a far greater community profile that will enhance club membership recruitments. The greater community presence will improve marketing and sponsorship opportunities for clubs and their athletes.

KixSport is a team district league with teams comprise of five players in five weight divisions. There are five age divisions with male & female teams. Within these divisions there are three skill level categories called A, B & C (**A** level athletes will be very good red belts and seasoned black belts, **B** level will be inexperienced black belts, red belts and good blue or very good yellow, **C** grade will be white, yellow or inexperienced blue belts). Kixsport Athletes do not wear belts. The competition is held over a twelve week season with home and away matches held fortnightly.

At the conclusion of the season, KixSport will select athletes to a state team based on their season's performance. That team will compete against other state teams from which national teams can be selected for international team events. Also regular athlete and team awards will be given out at the KixSport season awards functions.

Kixsport is open to all Australian athletes regardless of club, style and affiliation and all Kixsport athletes have total freedom of association.