

20th Senior Oceania Karate Championship



**12th April 2019
Sydney Australia
Bulletin**

Message from the President, Mr Michael Kassis



Dear Members of the Oceania Karate Federation Family.

On behalf of the Oceania Karate Federation Executive Committee (OKFEC) a very warm welcome to the 20th Senior OKF championship hosted by the Australian Karate Federation.

I know it is an honour for the Australian Karate Federation to be hosting this prestigious event, I am sure the organising committee will do its utmost to offer the best facilities and services in order to make the most successful and memorable event

I hope in addition to the challenge of the competition you will find some time to explore the great City of Sydney and the surrounding areas of Australia.

This year is an important time for all athletes to achieve the best results to qualify for the 2020 summer Olympics Tokyo.

Finally, I take this opportunity to wish all athletes and coaches success at this important event. The OKF EC is looking forward to seeing your wonderful talent on the tatami.

Yours in Karate Do

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Michael Kassis'. The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long, sweeping underline that extends to the right.

Michael Kassis President OKF

Introduction

The Oceania Championship

The Oceania Championship is the continental championship for the Oceania Region. The tournament is recognized and supported by the World Karate Federation.

The number of competitors is limited to 2 per division.

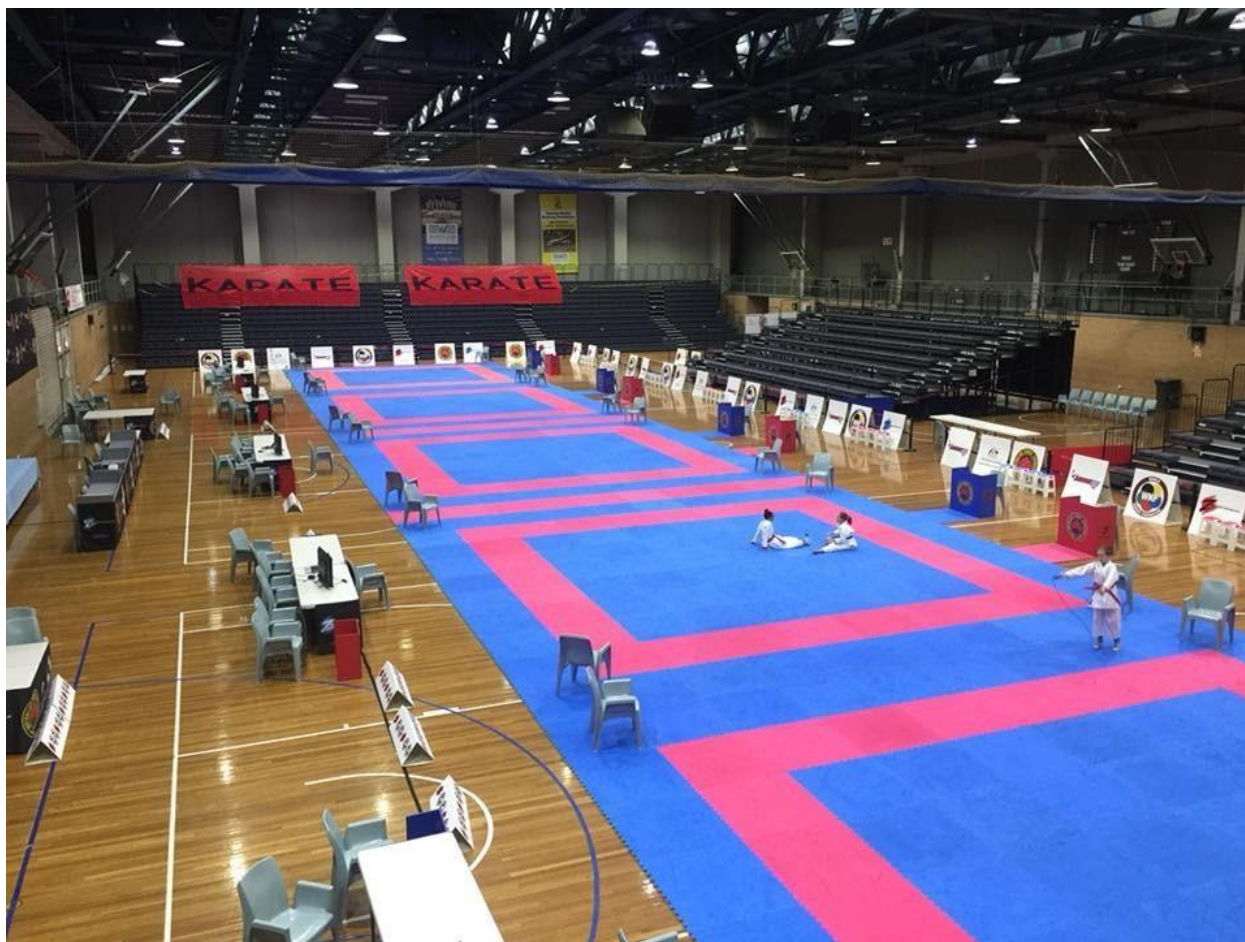
WKF competition Rules will be applied.

WKF Approved Items

The Oceania Championship complies with the highest level of presentation. In order to guarantee the correct delivery of the event, and to ensure the suitable quality of the tournament, all protective equipment must be WKF approved.

Venue

Whitlam Leisure Centre Liverpool



Accommodation

Official Hotel: Mercure Liverpool



Address: 424-458 Hoxton Park Rd, Liverpool NSW 2170

Reservation: <https://www.accorhotels.com/gb/hotel-7015-mercure-sydney-liverpool/index.shtml>

Organiser and Contacts

Organising Committee: Ian Basckin - ian@auskarate.com.au

Australian Karate Federation: Natasha Ramrakha - administrator@akf.com.au

Online Registration

Registration for the Oceania Championship is available between the 1st February 2019 and 5th April 2019. Referee's and Coaches must be registered online.

No onsite registration will be accepted. In case of any questions concerning the online registration please directly contact the Sportdata software team via the email address office@sportdata.org. Individuals and National Federations are responsible for the quality of the entered registration data. Once the online registration is closed, any comments will have to notified to the software and to the WKF at latest five day before the first day of competition.

https://www.sportdata.org/wkf/sportsid/veranstaltung_info_main.php?active_menu=calendar&vernrr=307#a_eventhead

Categories

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Age as at 12th April 2019.

Name	Age	Gender	Event	Restriction	Maximum Entries
*Senior	16 + years	Male	Kata		2 per NF
*Senior	16 + years	Female	Kata		2 per NF
Senior	18 + years	Male	Kumite	-60 kg	2 per NF
Senior	18 + years	Male	Kumite	-67 kg	2 per NF
Senior	18 + years	Male	Kumite	-75 kg	2 per NF
Senior	18 + years	Male	Kumite	-84 kg	2 per NF
Senior	18 + years	Male	Kumite	+84 kg	2 per NF
Senior	18 + years	Female	Kumite	-50 kg	2 per NF
Senior	18 + years	Female	Kumite	-55 kg	2 per NF
Senior	18 + years	Female	Kumite	-61 kg	2 per NF
Senior	18 + years	Female	Kumite	-68 kg	2 per NF
Senior	18 + years	Female	Kumite	+68 kg	2 per NF
Senior	18 + years	Male	Kumite	Open*	2 per NF
Senior	18 + years	Female	Kumite	Open*	2 per NF
Senior	16 + years	Male	Team Kata		2 per NF
Senior	16 + years	Female	Team Kata		2 per NF

Programme

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Day	Time	Event
April 11 th - Thursday	Morning	Registration of Delegation
		Weigh In
		OKF Executive Meeting
		OKF Congress
		Referee Seminar
	Afternoon	Coaches Meeting and Draws
April 12 th - Friday		Senior Male & Female Kata Elimination
		Senior Individual Kumite Elimination & Repechage
		Opening Ceremony
		Senior Individual Kata Medal Bouts*
		Senior Individual Kumite Medal Bout*
		Medal Ceremony

* **Please Note** – For finals and Kata medal bouts male coaches to wear a dark suit, shirt and tie- while female coaches may choose to wear a dress, pantsuit or a combination of jacket and skirt in dark colours as per WKF Rules for medal bouts.

Entry Fees

All prices are in Australian Dollars (AU\$).

For the first two (2) Individual Events, the fee is \$75.00 + \$75.00 (\$150.00) and for each additional Individual Event entered, the Fee is \$25.00 per event.

	Kata	Kumite
All Individual Events	\$ 75.00	\$ 75.00
Senior Male Team Events	\$ 40.00	\$ 60.00
All Other Team Events	\$ 40.00	\$ 40.00

PLEASE TRANSFER THE CORRECT AMOUNT OF THE TOTAL FEES TO THE O.K.F. BANK ACCOUNT AS FOLLOWS:

NAME OF BANK	COMMONWEALTH BANK OF AUSTRALIA
BRANCH	STAFFORD HEIGHTS, QUEENSLAND, AUSTRALIA
BANK SWIFT CODE	CTBAAU2S
ACCOUNT NAME	OCEANIA KARATE FEDERATION
BSB NO.	064 – 202
ACCOUNT NUMBER	1000 1459

Please Note: ALL Bank Transfer Fees are the responsibility of the Country transmitting payments by Telegraphic Transfer to the O.K.F. Bank Account Payments by transfer are NET of Bank Charges.

Commitment

To be filled in, signed and sent back before 1st April 2019 to

I,.....the undersigned, as the Head of Delegation of my country, duly enrolled to participate in the 20th Senior Oceania Karate Championship, which will be held in Australia, on the 12th of April 2019, with full knowledge of the Statutes, the Rules and the Norms of The OCEANIA KARATE FEDERATION and THE WORLD KARATE FEDERATION, pledge myself to faithfully accomplish the regulations of this before mentioned entity, and I take any and all administrative, civil and criminal responsibilities of whatever happens to our athletes, coaches and other members of our delegation participating in this Championship before, during and after the competition, such as physical injuries, personal expenses, or monetary debts and casual material damages to the hotels, the venue, means of transportation etc.

Furthermore, I exempt from any legal, civil or criminal responsibilities the organizers of the Championship, the Oceania Karate Federation and the Australian Karate Federation, its Executives and Board members and Organisers, as well as any person, company, or entity related to the event (sponsors, public and private entities).

I authorize the organizers of the event to use images, photos and the names of our competitors and other members of our delegation (since it is considered necessary) for the sport activities and publications of Karate, related to the event, without any monetary compensation.

Country / National Federation	
Surname, First Name	
Passport Number & Expiry Date	
Position in the Federation	
Address	
Email	
Phone	