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TOPAZ CUP 2026

5th INTERNATIONAL KARATE TOURNAMENT
24 October 2026, Oegstgeest The Netherlands

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5th International Topaz karate Cup

We are honored to invite you and your team to participate as competitors and coaches in the 5th International Topaz Karate Cup.

The tournament will take place on Saturday, October 24, 2026 at Sporthal de Cuyt in Oegstgeest. This venue is located next to the beautiful city of Leiden, where Topaz Sport is proudly based.

REGISTRATION



Registration is open until October 14, 2026. All registrations must be completed online through: www.sportdata.org

Onsite registrations will not be accepted. The full event schedule and the draws will be published on Sportdata by June 20rd.

For any registration questions:

Email: info@topazkarate.nl - Mobile: +31 6 30 88 000 1 - Telephone: +31 71 230 10 44

ENTRY FEE

- Individual kata or kumite: € 40 per category
- Team kata & Junior (max.3 competitors): € 100 per team per category
- Team Senior (max.3 competitors): € 100 per team per category

PAYMENT

Registrations are confirmed only after full payment is received.

PayPal



Bank details:

- Topaz Sport International
- NL08 INGB 0007 3445 22
- Reference: [Team name or Participant name]

PRIZES

Individuals:

Medal and certificate for 1st, 2nd and 3rd place in each category

We kindly ask each delegation to bring their national flag for the opening ceremony.

We look forward to welcoming you to Leiden and Oegstgeest for an unforgettable tournament.

ACCOMMODATION

- We do not provide accommodation or act as an intermediary
- We can recommend hotels in the area and provide contact details upon request

VENUE

- The tournament will take place at the Sporthal de Cuyt, De Voscuyl 36, 2341 BJ Oegstgeest
- Free parking is available at the nearby parking place
- For information about directions and public transport consult the website: <https://9292.nl/>



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CATEGORIES

| KATA MALE | | KATA FEMALE | |
|-----------|----------------|-------------|----------------|
| Cat. | Age | Cat. | Age |
| U10 | 5 to 9 years | U10 | 5 to 9 years |
| U13 | 10/11/12 years | U13 | 10/11/12 years |
| U16 | 13/14/15 years | U16 | 13/14/15 years |
| U19 | 16/17/18 years | U19 | 16/17/18 years |
| Seniors | 18 and older | Senior | 18 and older |
| Veterans | +35 | Veterans | +35 |

| KUMITE | | | |
|----------|----------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|
| Cat. | Age | Male (kg) | Female (kg) |
| U10 | 5 to 9 years | -29/ +29 | -29/ +29 |
| U13 | 10/11/12 years | -30, -37, -42, +42 | -30, -37,-42, +42 |
| U15 | 13/14 years | -42, -48, -52, +52 | -40, -47, -52, +52 |
| U17 | 15/16 years | -51, -57, -65, +65 | -47, -54, -61, +61 |
| U19 | 17/18 years | -60, -67, -76, +76 | -51, -59, -66, +66 |
| Seniors | 18 and older | -61, -67, -75, -84, +84 | -50, -55, -61, -68, +68 |
| Veterans | +35 | -75, +75 | -61, +61 |

| TEAM KATA MALE | | TEAM KATA FEMALE | |
|----------------|-------------|------------------|-------------|
| Junior team | Senior Team | Junior team | Senior Team |

| TEAM KUMITE MALE (3 Players) | | TEAM KUMITE FEMALE (3 Players) | |
|------------------------------|--------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------|
| Juniors (3 Player) | Seniors (3 Player) | Juniors (3 Player) | Seniors (3 Player) |

| PARA KARATE |
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| Visual Impairment All |
| Intellectual Disability (IQ<75) All |
| Intellectual Disability – severe impairment (e.g. Down Syndrome) All |
| Wheelchair athletes |



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CONDITIONS

- This championship is open to WKF affiliated members only
- WKF-rules will be applied. Repechages and two third places for all categories
- Age categories are based on the competitor's age on the day of the championship
- If a category does not have enough participants, it may be merged with another category
- Each team may bring a maximum of two referees. Compensation will be arranged by agreement

KATA RULES

- Competitors U10 & U13 years old are allowed to repeat kata Heian kata (free choice)
- U13, U14, U15 years old: two different kata must be performed before repetition is allowed (Heian katas, plus Tekki Shodan and Bassai Dai)
- 16 years and older: a different kata must be performed in each round (Performance of non-repeating free katas)
- U10, U13, U15 categories will have two competitors on the tatami simultaneously.

KUMITE RULES

- Competitors must have the following protective gear: blue and red competition belts, blue and red gloves, blue and red foot/shin guards, chest protector, groin protector, and mouthguard. These items are mandatory for all competitors.
- For age categories U10 to U16 and younger, head protection is mandatory. Only WKF-approved equipment is permitted.
- Coaches and competitors must be ready when called and must follow all instructions from officials to ensure a smooth and efficient competition flow.



MATCH DURATION

- U10: 1 minute; U13 and U15: 1 minute 30 seconds; U16 and U17: 2 minutes; Seniors: 3 minutes

IMPORTANT NOTES

- Competitors must be in the venue at least 60 minutes before the start of their category
- Only competitors and authorized coaches are allowed in the competition area
- All medalists must wear a karate gi or club tracksuit during the award ceremony
- A professional photographer may take pictures during the event for promotional purposes. Anyone with concerns should contact the event team prior to the event
- It is the responsibility of each individual, or parent of a competitor if under 18 years of age, to have their own insurance cover for the event. Please advise your competitors accordingly regarding insurance cover. It is the responsibility of the clubs and coaches to ensure that all competitors are aware of this and have been advised of adequate cover
- The event team cannot accept responsibility for any such injury, loss or accident arising from your participation in our event and ask that you are aware, agree and accept this by entering or giving permission to enter this event
- Each competitor (or their parent if under 18) is responsible for their own insurance cover
- The organizers, venue and event staff cannot accept responsibility for any injury, loss or accident resulting from participation in this event



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