



6th Cadet, Junior, U21 & Senior **SOUTH ASIAN KARATE CHAMPIONSHIP - 2022**

27 & 28, NOVEMBER | COLOMBO, SRI LANKA

Organized by
South Asian Karate Federation (SAKF)

Hosted by
Sri Lanka Karate-do Federation (SLKF)
(Under the Ministry of Sports in Sri Lanka)

Member
Asian Karate Federation (AKF)

AKF Member of
World Karate Federation (WKF)

WKF Recognized by
International Olympic Committee (IOC)



Invitation

for the
**South Asian Karate
Championship 2022**



Dear Friends,

It is with great pleasure I extend a warm welcome to you and your team to take part in the Cadet, Junior, U21 & Senior & South Asian Karate Championship - 2022 and the latest WKF Competition rules Referee Seminar which is to be held on 27th & 28th November 2022 at the Sugathadasa Indoor Stadium in Colombo, Sri Lanka.

We all know that most of the Karate activities have been inactive in the past due to the restrictions of the Corona pandemic. However, now again we have gradually started to get back to our normal work routine successfully, for that, the World Karate Federation President, Mr.Espinos and Asian Karate Federation President Major General Masser Al Razooqi are both encouraging and strengthening us by giving us much needed advice and blessings.

We Sri Lankans, are looking forward to meet you all and build new friendships at the South Asian Championships in Sri Lanka.

With best regards,
Yours in Karate-do,

H. M. Sisira Kumara
President
South Asian Karate Federation.



Message

from the
Sports Minister

I take this opportunity to wish the participants and the Sri Lanka Karatedo Federation for the upcoming south Asian Karate do championship scheduled on the 28th November 2022 in Colombo Sri Lanka.

I wish all the participants the very best with the blessings of the triple gem.
Do your best Children!

Roshan Ranasinghe
Minister of Sports, Youth Affairs
and Minister of Irrigation



Message

from the
AKF President



The South Asian Karate Federation (SAKF) is one of the 5 pillars Regional Organisations of the Asian Karate Federation (AKF). Since the Pandemic Covid-19 began in 2019, all sporting activities of the 5 AKF Regional Organisations, including AKF itself, had been halted.

The AKF, however, has started its recovery path in the last quarter of 2021. Since then, the AKF Regional Organisations have one by one joining the recovery pathway and started to plan and organising sporting activities. Now, we are seeing the organising of the South Asian Karate Championships for Cadet, Junior, U21 & Senior to be organised in 2022, in the city of Colombo, Sri Lanka.

We believed all Karate fans and athletes from the South Asia Region will be looking forward to the Championship which is to be held from 27th to 28th November 2022.

On behalf of the AKF, I would like to thank the President of SAKF, Mr. Sisira Kumara and his Executive Committee for the courageous decision to plan and organise the Championship, and I wish every one a safe, and successful Championship.

Major General Nasser Al Razooqi
AKF President

REFEREE SEMINAR



Referee Seminar to be held on the 27th November 2022 at the Galadari Hotel (Official Hotel) in Colombo.

The 2022 latest WKF Competition rules Referee Seminar will be conducted by the WKF Referee and the Secretary of the AKF-RC, Mr. Michael Huang Chen from 9.30 am to 3.00 pm on the 27th November 2022 at the Galadari Hotel in Colombo.

AKF member countries WKF / AKF / and National referees are allowed to participate in the Seminar.

SOUTH ASIAN KARATE CHAMPIONSHIP



South Asian Karate Championship to be held on the 28th November 2022 at the Sugathadasa Indoor Stadium, Colombo. The Sugathadasa Indoor Stadium is located in the city of Colombo. The seating capacity is 5000 persons; the 2006 South Asian Games (SAF) and the 2017 South Asian Karate Championship was held at this venue and it's equipped with changing rooms, canteen, VIP Lounge and conference hall etc.

Competition Rules :

- TOURNAMENT FEE WILL NOT BE CHARGED
- Participation in the Championship and the referee course is only for the members of the WKF/AKF and South Asian Karate Federation.
- The Championship will be conducted as per the current WKF rules.
- Referee Seminar Fee USD 50 per referee.
- All referees must register before the seminar and pay the fee on the spot at the official hotel.
- All referees will be issued a certificate of participation
- Team Kata (3 Members per team)
- Team Kumite Male Seven Members per team (Minimum Three Members)
- Team Kumite Female Four Members per team (Minimum Two Members)
- Last date for the submission of entry will be 10th November 2022, kindly use the links sent to your official Email ID's to register your athletes, officials, and referees separately.
- Organizing committee/players/officials or any individual will not be held responsible in case of any injury during the course of the championship however, the best possible First Aid will be provided.
- Only WKF Approved safety equipment will be allowed during the championship
- Organizing committee will provide complimentary accommodation to the NF President, General Secretary, the EC members of the SAKF on the 27th & 28th; and for Three officiating referees from each Countries on 27th & 28th November 2022.
- If you need more details or any assistance please contact Mr.R.J.Alexander at rjalex67@yahoo.com and copy to slkf75@yahoo.com or call +94-77-3650651.

AGE & CATEGORIES



Cadet : Age 14/15

Ind.Kata Male/Female

Kumite Female (kg) : -40, -47, -54, +54

Kumite Male (kg) : -45, -52, -57, -63, -70, +70

Junior : Age 16/17

Ind.Kata Male/Female

Kumite Female (kg) : -40, 48, -53, -59, +59

Kumite Male (kg) : -50, -55, -61, -68, -76, +76

Under 21 : Age 18-20

Ind.Kata Male/Female

Kumite Female (kg) : -40, -45, -50, -55, -61, -68, +68

Kumite Male (kg) : -50, -55, -60, -67, -75, -84, +84

Senior Kata Age 16+. Kumite Age 18+

Ind.Kata Male/Female

Kumite Female (kg) : -45, -50, -55, -61, -68, +68

Kumite Male (kg) : -50, -55, -60, -67, -75, -84, +84

Team Kumite Female (Senior) (Maximum 4 players per team)

Team Kumite Male (Senior) (Maximum 7 players per team)

Team Kata Junior Age 14-17 Male & Female

Team Kata Senior Age +16

Team Kumite Senior Male 18+ (5+2 Members, Minimum 3 Members)

Team Kumite Senior Female 18+ (3+1 Members, Minimum 2 Members)

Age will be calculated as on the date of Championship. You will be required to provide proof of your date of birth at the time of registration.

EVENT PROGRAMME (TENTATIVE)



Date : 27th November 2022 Sunday

Time	Event	Venue
8.00-9.00	Registration for Referee Seminar	Galadari Hotel
8.00-14.00	Registration for athletes	Galadari Hotel
9.00-12.00	Referee Seminar Kumite	Galadari Hotel
12.00-13.00	Lunch	Galadari Hotel
13.00-15.00	Referee Seminar Kata	Galadari Hotel
16.00-18.00	Coaches & Managers, Meeting & Draw	Galadari Hotel
19.00-20.30	SAKF Congress	TBD

Date : 28th November 2022 Monday

Time	Event	Venue
07.30-08.30	Weighing of all Kumite athletes	Stadium
08.45-20.00	Championship	Stadium
3.30-4.00	Opening Ceremony	Stadium
20.00-20.45	Medal Ceremony and the Closing of the SAKC 2022	

Date : 29th November 2022 Tuesday

Time	Event
10.00	Check out



Cadet, Junior, Under-21 & Senior South Asian Karate Championship 2022

ENTRY FORM A

Must be typed and submit on or before **30th September 2022**

E-mail:

Fax No:

COUNTRY	
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NAME OF THE FEDERATION	
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ADDRESS	

TELEPHONE	
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FAX	
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EMAIL	
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WILL PARTICIPATE (YES/NO)	
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IF YES, PLEASE SPECIFY THE NUMBER OF:		
DELEGATION LEADER		
REFEREE COURSE CANDIDATES		
OFFICIATING REFEREES		
COACHES		
OFFICIALS		
COMPETITORS (CADET-MALE)		
COMPETITORS (CADET-FEMALE)		
COMPETITORS (JUNIOR-MALE)		
COMPETITORS (JUNIOR-FEMALE)		
COMPETITORS (UNDER 21-MALE)		
COMPETITORS (UNDER 21-FEMALE)		
COMPETITORS (SENIOR -MALE)		
COMPETITORS (SENIOR -FEMALE)		
OTHERS		
TOTAL		

Name of the President/Secretary General: _____

Signature & Stamp : _____ Date: _____

TERM OF RESPONSIBILITY

Please fill out this form and send it back to the Sri Lanka Karatedo Federation on or before

30TH SEPTEMBER 2022 E-mail. slkf75@yahoo.com

I, _____ the undersigned, as the Chief of Delegation of my country, duly enrolled to participate in the **Cadet, Junior, U21 & Senior South Asian Karate Championship**, which will be held in Colombo, Sri Lanka on 27th & 28th November 2022, with full knowledge of the Statutes, the Rules and the Norms of the SAKF, pledge myself to faithfully follow 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, departure on time, etc.

Furthermore, I exempt from any legal, civil or criminal responsibilities the organizers of the Championships, the SAKF and the Sri Lanka Karatedo Federation, its members/office bearers, its directors, 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 (as considered necessary) for the sport activities and publications of Karate, related to the event, without any monetary compensation.

Dated:

Signature & Seal of NF President/General Secretary:

Country	
Surname, First Name	
Passport No. & Expiry Date	
Credit Card Details & Expiry Date	
Position in the NF	
Address	
Tel	
Fax	
E-mail	

6th South Asian Karate Championship 2022

Accommodation

Official Hotel :

Galadari Hotel Colombo

Address :

No. 64, Lotus Road, Colombo 01, Sri Lanka.

Telephone : +9411 25 44 544

Website : www.galadarihotel.lk



From the Airport

The Bandaranaike International Airport is 20 miles away, which will take Approximately 40 minutes in a taxi.

Vehicle Type	One Way Transfer (US\$)
1-3 Pax Car	30\$
8 Pax Van	50\$

Airport Reception

Our staff will meet participants at the airport. Please send your travel itinerary well in advance to our Secretariat (below). Our staff will be there to assist and transfer you to the hotel.

Accommodation – Booking Form

A block of rooms have been reserved with a preferred rate (from \$ 105) at the Galadari Hotel Colombo for the participants, and you can book directly by visiting; <http://travelmyasia.com/sakf2022>

Hotel	Single room (US\$)/(BB)	Double room (2 Pax) (US\$)/(BB)	Triple room (3 Pax) (US\$)/(BB)
Galadari Hotel Colombo	105	127	125

Shuttle service charge is \$20 per person.

Hotel Deposit & Room Charges

A credit card guarantee or cash deposit may be required by the hotel upon check-in to cover any personal incidental charges. Participants will be responsible for their own personal expenses (i.e. minibar, room service, telephone, internet, etc.).

During check-out, upon returning the room key to the hotel reception, the credit card imprint or cash deposit will be returned once all room charges have been cleared.

Alternative Accommodation

Hotel	Single room (US\$)/(BB)	Double room (US\$)/(BB)	Triple room (US\$)/(BB)
Galadari Hotel	105	127	125
Marino Beach Hotel	110	130	150
Global Hotel	80	85	100
GSH	41	47	72
Fair way	76	82	105
The Ocean Colombo	98	98	110
Omega Hotel	43	47	63
Ceylon city Hotel	68	70	100
Mirage Hotel	58	62	81
Pearl Grand Hotel	80	85	135
Wonder Hotel	60	83	98

You can book directly by visiting: <http://travelmyasia.com>

Shuttle Service

Sugathadasa Sport Complex is 11 km away from the official hotel and it takes 35 minutes to reach the stadium. Shuttle service from the hotels to the stadium vice Versa will be available on 26th & 30th November 2022 morning and evening. There will be a shuttle service from the hotel to the stadium and you will be charged US\$20 per person for the service.



Visa Information

Short-stay visitors to Sri Lanka require an Electronic Travel Authorization (ETA) Visa to enter the country. This visa option is for businesspeople, tourists and all visitors to Sri Lanka whose intention is to stay for less than 30 days. On the basis of reciprocity, citizens of The Republic of Singapore, The Republic of Maldives and The Republic of Seychelles are exempt from the requirement of obtaining ETA to visit Sri Lanka.

Applying for a Sri Lanka ETA visa

The simplest and quickest way to apply for a Sri Lanka ETA Visa is to make an online application with the Sri Lanka ETA visa application form

Online Visa Application (eta.gov.lk)

Tourist visa with Multiple Entry for 30 days costs \$35. Processing typically takes two business days, after which point you will be notified whether your application was accepted or rejected. Accepted applicants are entitled to enter Sri Lanka within three months of the date of issue.

Once an ETA visa to Sri Lanka has been obtained, visa holders must be able to demonstrate the following requirements at point of entry into Sri Lanka: A passport valid for a minimum period of six months; A round trip ticket to show at the port of entry in Sri Lanka (only if you are travelling by air); AND Evidence of sufficient funds to cover your expenses during your stay in Sri Lanka.

Contact Us

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