

2008 NEW ENGLAND TAEKWONDO CHAMPIONSHIP

Saturday, October 18, 2008 at Tewksbury Memorial High School

Hosted by: Kwon's Taekwondo Inc

Tournament Chairman: Grandmaster Young A. Kwon

Dear Taekwondo Colleagues & Friends:

It is my pleasure to invite you to the 2008 New England Taekwondo Championship at the Tewksbury Memorial High School Gymnasium, Tewksbury, Massachusetts on Saturday, October 18, 2008. I look forward to a great day of competition and camaraderie. Your attendance and participation will greatly enhance the quality of the tournament.

The tournament will consist of forms, board breaking and sparring. Modified current rules and regulations of the WTF will govern this event.*

In order to expedite the preparation of the tournament, pre-registration is strongly advised. The latest a postmarked pre-registration will be accepted is Friday, October 10, 2008.

Also enclosed are the forms detailing registration. If you have any questions or concerns, please call me at 978.858.3699 or email kwons.tkd@verizon.net.

Thank you and I hope to see you on Saturday, October 18th.

Sincerely,



Grandmaster Young A. Kwon
Tournament Chairman

*For safety purposes and efficiency, only officials, competitors and coaches will be allowed on the tournament floor. To show respect and provide a level of professionalism, proper attire is required.

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COMPETITOR ENTRY FORM

Please fill in the following information below and on your competitor tag.

Full Name _____ Age _____ Gender _____

Address _____ Home Phone # _____

City/Town _____ State _____ Zip Code _____ Cell Phone # _____

Belt Color/Dan _____ Height _____ Weight _____

TKD School Name _____

Instructor _____ School Phone # _____

TKD School Address _____

(For age 5 and under – maximum 2 stations)

Please circle event choice (s): **Sparring** **Forms** **Breaking** Otherwise – maximum 3 stations. Must purchase board at the tournament so everyone has the same size.

Liability Waiver:

In consideration of your acceptance of my entry, I do hereby for myself, my heirs, executors, and administrators waive, release and forever discharge any and all rights and claims for damages which I may accrue to me against Kwon's Taekwondo Inc., **Tewksbury Memorial High School** and all members of the tournament or their respective officers, agents, representatives, successors, and/or assigns and against any association with or entry in the above athletic meet, or which may arise out of traveling to, participating in, and returning from such athletic meet. I understand that Taekwondo is a bodily contact sport, and I further understand the contents of the **2008 Rules and General Information** published by the Director and I agree with them in their entirety.

Signature of Competitor/ If Competitor is Under 18 years of age- Signature of Parent or Legal Guardian _____

_____ Date

Medical Treatment Authorization

The undersigned parent or legal guardian of the competing minor represents that he has the authority to consent to the medical care and treatment of such competing minor by the designees of Grandmaster Young A. Kwon, Kwon's Taekwondo Inc., 885 Main Street, Tewksbury, MA. The parent or legal guardian of the competitor, whereupon the undersigned parent or legal guardian of the competitor does hereby consent to such medical care and treatment by the designee of Kwon's Taekwondo, Inc. and shall hold Grandmaster Young A. Kwon and his designees harmless and indemnified against loss related representation, authorization, and subsequent medical care and treatment.

Signature of Competitor/ If Competitor is under 18 years of age- Signature of Parent or Legal Guardian _____

_____ Date

Competitor Registration Fees:

Pre-Registration 1 Event \$50 2 Events \$60 3 Events \$70

Same Day Registration 1 Event \$65 2 Events \$75 3 Events \$85

Money order or bank certified check only.

Payable to Kwon's Taekwondo, Inc.

To pay by Visa or MasterCard. Please fill in the information below.

Card & Number _____

Expiration Date _____

Card Holder's Name _____

Billing Address _____

Authorized Signature _____

2008 New England Taekwondo Championship

_____ Full Name

_____ Belt Color / Dan

_____ Age, Height & Weight

_____ Taekwondo School

Sparring **Breaking** **Forms**

Entry forms should be post marked by Friday, October 10, 2008, to 885 Main St., Tewksbury, MA 01876. Fax entries by Tuesday, October 14, 2008
Tel: 978.858.3699, Fax: 978.858.3899.

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POOMSE (Forms) will be divided by gender, age, and rank

WTF recognized forms

Black, Red, Blue/Green, Yellow/White

Ages 18-34, 35 yrs. and up

Ages 5 and under, 6-7, 8-9, 10-11, 12-13, 14-15, 16-17, Black belt ages 14-17

BREAKING will be divided by gender, age, and rank

Must purchase boards at the tournament so everyone has the same size.

For age 5 and under 2 stations maximum – wood only

Otherwise 3 stations maximum-wood only

Black, Red, Blue/Green, Yellow/White

Ages 18-34, 35 yrs. and up

Ages 5 and under, 6-7, 8-9, 10-11, 12-13, 14-15, 16-17, Black belt ages 14-17

GYROOGI (Sparring) will be divided by gender, age, rank and weight

Black, Red, Blue/Green, Yellow/White

Ages 18-34, 35 yrs. and up

Ages 5 and under, 6-7, 8-9, 10-11, 12-13, 14-15, 16-17, Black belt ages 14-17

Black Belt Men

Fin Weight:	under 118.8 lbs
Fly Weight:	118.9-127.6 lbs
Bantam Weight:	127.7-136.4 lbs
Feather Weight:	136.5- 147.4 lbs
Light Weight:	147.5- 158.4 lbs
Welter Weight:	158.5- 171.6 lbs
Middle Weight:	171.7- 184.8 lbs
Heavy Weight:	Over 184.8 lbs

Black Belt Women

Fin Weight:	under 103.4 lbs
Fly Weight:	103.5-112.2 lbs
Bantam Weight:	112.3-121.0 lbs
Feather Weight:	121.1- 129.8 lbs
Light Weight:	129.9- 138.6 lbs
Welter Weight:	138.7- 147.4 lbs
Middle Weight:	147.5- 158.4 lbs
Heavy Weight:	Over 158.4 lbs

Equipment: Required for sparring are a chest protector, head gear, mouthpiece, groin guard, forearm and shin protectors. Standard WTF approved uniforms.

Sparring Rules: Modified current rules and regulations of the WTF will govern this event. The Tournament Chairman, based upon appropriate justification, reserves the right to alter division classification.

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SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

9:00 – 9:30 am Participant Check – in
9:30 – 10:00 am Official Meeting
10:30 am Opening Ceremony

Competition begins immediately after the Opening Ceremony

Competitor Entry Fees:

Pre- registration	1 Event \$50	2 Events \$60	3 Events \$70
Same day registration	1 Event \$65	2 Events \$75	3 Events \$ 85

Competition:

Sparring WTF Rules Apply
Forms WTF Recognized Forms
Equipment Standard WTF approved Uniform and Gear
(Chest protector, head gear, mouthpiece, groin guard, forearm and shin protectors)

Boards: You must purchase the boards at the tournament.

Awards: 1st Place - Gold Medal 2nd Place - Silver Medal 3rd Place - Bronze Medals (2)

Registration Deadline: Mail Registration - October 10, 2008
Fax Registration- October 14, 2008 (Fax 978.858.3899)

General Admission:

Adults- \$10 Children 6 through 12 - \$5.00 Children 5 and under – free

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DIRECTIONS TO NEW ENGLAND TAEKWONDO TOURNAMENT

From 495 North or South:

Take exit 38 (Rte 38) Take a left off the exit onto Main St. Stay on Main St. (Rte. 38) for about 2 miles. Take a right at the 1st set of lights after **TD Banknorth (Pleasant St.)**. Tewksbury Memorial High School is approximately ½ of mile on the left.

From 93 North or South:

Take exit 42, Dascomb Road, Tewksbury; take left off the exit toward Tewksbury. Follow Dascomb Road about 3 miles to Rt. 38 (Main Street). Go straight through the set of lights (crossover Rte. 38) onto Pleasant Street. Tewksbury Memorial High School is located about ½ a mile on the left.

From Rte. 3:

Take Route 3 South to 495 North. See 495 directions from **(New Hampshire)** above.