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EUROPEAN FEDERATION

SHOTOKAN KARATE-DO *of* UNITED NATIONS European Federation

SKS-SKDUN HUNGARY FEDERATION and City of DEBRECEN

have the honour and the pleasure to invite you to

13th SKDUN European Shotokan Karate Championship

13th SKDUN European Shotokan Karate Cup

held at Imre Hódos Sports Hall

of Kassai Street 32-34, 4028 Debrecen, Hungary

12-14 April 2024





I sincerely welcome the participants of the 2024 Shotokan Karate European Championship !

I am delighted that the competition will be held in Debrecen, one of Hungary's historic and beautiful cities where a number of important sports competitions have been held recently.

Debrecen is one of the most dynamically developing cities.

It is also one of the sport and cultural capitals of the country.

Besides the traditional large events e.g. Campus-days, and world-famous Flower Carnival.

Debrecen is also the host of prestigious sport events like the:

- U19 basketball world championship**
- European Men's Handball Championship Group matches**
- U17 Women's World Basketball Championship**
- FINA World Aquatics Championships**

In Hungary, martial arts have gained popularity. More and more of our youth recognize the unique opportunity inherent in karate for those who want their body and spirit to develop along with their character and harmony. I have accepted the patronage over this important event with delight because I'm sure the European Championships will be a great and fair competition which is typical of the martial arts. I wish all the participants, competitors, coaches, judges and technical experts of the European Championships to be successful I sincerely hope that all our guests will have the opportunity to enjoy the hospitality of the Hungarians, to admire the beauty of the city of Debrecen and the excellence of the Shotokan karate athletes.



DEBRECEN

László Papp
Mayor of Debrecen town





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HOW TO ARRIVE TO DEBRECEN BY AIR:

- **DEBRECEN AIRPORT** – situated 10 km from the center of Debrecen.
- **BUDAPEST AIRPORT – LISZT FERENC** - situated 220 km from Debrecen (approx 2,5 hour transfer time).

The event manager for accommodation and transport, Mr. Zoltan Timar will organize transport from **BUDAPEST AIRPORT** to Debrecen and back.

You need to contact Mr. Zoltan Timar before 10th March 2024 to book transportation and to find out information about the prices. After this date the prices will be 50% higher.

The price depends on the type of transport and number of people travelling (Car: max 4 people, minibus: 7-8 people, minibus : 17 people, Coach/Bus: 35 people, Coach/Bus: 49 people).

Budapest airport: car: € 50 /person (2 people/car), € 30 / person (4 people/car)

minibus 7- 8 people: € 30 / person , minibus 15-17 people: € 30 / person

Bus/coach more than 20 people: € 30 / person

Debrecen airport to Debrecen accommodation: return ticket €10/person

If the distance between the accommodation and the Sport's hall requires daily transportation extra costs will apply.

ACCOMMODATION

All the participants: competitors, coaches, referees and officials have the chance to book various types of accommodation in City of Debrecen or max. 30 km from sport's hall. To arrange your accommodation please contact Zoltan Timar by e-mail zoltim69@gmail.com or Mobile: **+36703829043** (please contact him primarily by email), providing him with all the necessary information (number of persons in your group, list of rooms required, type of the rooms: single, double, triple, quadruple, or multiple room +5 persons and the period of stay)

The prices of the accommodation are very attractive and will be with half board: breakfast and dinner.

The price is different according to the type of the room and number of the persons accommodated in the room.



VISA

Participants who need a **VISA** must contact the organizer as soon as possible, time delays may result in your visa not being granted in time for the event. **This is your responsibility.**

OFFICIALS

The Chief referee will approve registered referees and judges, SKDUN qualified referees and judges will have their previously issued ID and qualification badges, these will allow automatic entry as SKDUN officials to all areas of the venue as required. Please remember to bring your SKDUN official issued ID and tie, red for referees and blue for judges and your whistle.

Non SKDUN qualified applicants will be approved by the Chief referee and the Chief referee designate, and have a badge issued as required. Any enquiries or questions contact Mihaela Popescu by email: mickypopescu@yahoo.com or on mobile: +40723686001

Referees and Judges will need to register on Sportdata before 15th March 2024.

Make sure to include only the days when you will be available. **IMPORTANT**, please let the Chief referee designate, Mihaela Popescu know in advance if you have registered but cannot attend due to illness, work etc. Those who are also competing (only allowed in Asai Ryu/Veteran categories, no other categories), please let her know in which categories you entered in order for her to accurately schedule and designate officials to the various tatami.

EVENTS SCHEDULE

Thursday 11th April 2024

12:00 – 20:00: REGISTRATION AND CHECKING WEIGHT FOR COMPETITORS in Imre Hodos Sport's hall. Without checking of weight, competitors will not be permitted to participate in kumite. Team managers can collect an envelope with the identity badges for their pre-registered competitors, coaches and officials. Without their competition identity badges, they will not be allowed to enter the sports hall.

Anyone who has failed to register on Sportdata will not be given an official badge and will not be allowed access into the competition area! When you register on Sportdata, all the participants (competitors, coaches, officials) need to include one passport type photo.

For information regarding registration on Sportdata you can contact the Chief of the competition secretariat:

Mr. **Bogdan Brata**, mobile: +40745168006, or by email: bogdanbrata@yahoo.com



Friday 12th April 2024

09.00 – 12.00: 13th SKDUN European Karate Championship

(Veterans: all categories kata and kumite, Seniors: kata individual, kata Asai, kata team).

13.00 – 20.00: 13th SKDUN European Karate Cup (all categories).

Saturday 13th April 2024

09.00 – 19.00: 13th SKDUN European Karate Championship (kata individual: Childrens, Minicadets, Cadets, Juniors and Youths, kata team Cadets and Juniors, kumite individual: Childrens, Minicadets and Cadets, kumite team Cadets).

Official Opening Ceremony and Master

9.00 – 13.00: 13th SKDUN European Karate Cup (few categories, probably over 16 years old. We will inform you after the end of the registration on Sportdata)

Sunday 14th April 2024

09.30 – 18.00: 13th SKDUN European Karate Championship

(kumite individual: Juniors, Youths and Seniors, Kumite team Juniors and Seniors)

DEADLINE FOR REGISTRATION ON SPORTDATA IS 18th of MARCH.

WE WILL INFORM YOU ABOUT THE DETAILED SCHEDULE OF THE COMPETITION AFTER THE END OF THE REGISTRATIONS ON SPORTDATA

AWARDS

13th SKDUN European Shotokan Karate Championship (3 kyu – Dan grade)

- Cup, medal and diploma for 1st place in individual event, medals and diplomas for 2nd & 3rd
- Cups (for team events), diploma and medal for all winners in team events
- Special cups for 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th and 5th places for BEST NATIONAL TEAMS!

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13th SKDUN European Shotokan Karate Cup (9 – 4 kyu)

- Cup, medal and diploma for 1st place in individual event, medals and diplomas for 2nd & 3rd
- Cups (for team events), diploma and medal for all winners in team events
- Special cups for 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th and 5th places for BEST NATIONAL TEAMS!

All participants will receive a certificate of participation.

Deadline for registrations on Sportdata is 18th March 2024.

NO ENTRIES WILL BE PERMITTED AFTER 18th March 2024 unless agreed with the SKDUN ORGANISING PRESIDENT and CHIEF REFEREE.



COMPETITION FEES

- Individual events – € 30 per person per event.
- Kata and Kumite Team events – € 60 per team per event.
- Duo Kata – €40 per team.

There will be an ADDITIONAL LATE ENTRY ADMINISTRATION FEE for any accepted late registration after 18th March :

- + € 10 for individual events.
- + € 25 for team events.

Registration fees for coaches – € 30 per coach.

To protest - € 50 per protest (only one protest is allowed during one match if the protest is not correct).

NOTE: Late registrations might be accepted by agreement with organizing president and chief referee and only in exceptional circumstances till **30th of March 2024** (Thursday). New registrations or changes will NOT be permitted during the competition



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