



LEAGUE - 5

Recreational Virtual Tournament

July 10 & 11, 2021

eKata, Para & Weapons - Saturday, July 10th - 8:00am
eKumite - Sunday, July 11th - 8:00am

Registration Information

- \$25.00 per division.
- **Registration begins:** Friday, June 11, 2021
- **Registration closes:** Saturday, July 3, 2021 - 11:59pm
Late fee - Additional \$200 per division from July 4 - 6, 2021
- All registration through SportData.org - **Students please register with your Sensei.**
- Independent competitors may register individually.

Registration Tutorials

- https://youtu.be/6v_HcxyF9_4
- https://youtu.be/YBD8rDi0a_s
- <https://youtu.be/rQPv8bDfXYQ>

RECREATIONAL LEAGUE

In response to membership demand, the Ontario Karate Federation has initiated our Recreational League. The league has planned 8 recreational tournament events for 2021 and will have divisions consisting of: Kumite, Kata, Para and Weapons.

Due to Covid-19 restrictions, Recreational League will start with online tournaments and transition to in-person events once restrictions are lifted.

Recreational League Schedule for 2021

- Recreational League 1 – *eTournament* – February 2-7, 2021
- Recreational League 2 – *eTournament* – March 9-14, 2021
- Recreational League 3 – *eTournament* – April 25, 2021
- Recreational League 4 – *eTournament* – June 5-6, 2021 (Toronto Open)
- **Recreational League 5 – eTournament – July 10-11, 2021**
- Recreational League 6 - August 2021
- Recreational League 7 - October 2021
- Recreational League 8 - November 2021

Recreational League Awards

- Athletes who accumulated the highest points at the end of the season will be entered into a raffle for a chance to win \$1000 cash. One entry per athlete.
- 1st, 2nd and 3rd place will be awarded medals. For online tournaments, medals will be made available for pickup from OKF headquarters.
- **Grand Champions** will be announced at the end of the League season and will be awarded the Grand Trophy.
- Tournament results with points will be posted online.

RULES

WKF rules with usual recreational modifications will be followed.

www.wkf.net/pdf/WKF_Compensation%20Rules_2020_EN.pdf

Age Eligibility - The club instructor/coach and/or athlete or athlete representative are responsible for registering their athletes in the appropriate age category.

Youth Recreational athletes may not participate in multiple age categories. 16+ years and Adults may participate in multiple age appropriate categories.

Draws - All divisions will use **single elimination** draws without repechage as per general eTournament custom.

Para Kata - All divisions will follow WKF rules. See link above.

Kata Rules

- Kata may be repeated in recreational. Your competitor may submit multiple performances or you may upload the same performance to each round.
- Kata should be selected from WKF kata list & OKF Recreational list.
- Kata name and official kata number should be announced by athlete.
- Recreational competitors must choose their kata according to their belt colour. A kata one belt above their current level may also be selected.
- Brown and black belts may perform any kata.
- Direct questions to OKF Technical Committee: <https://www.ontariokarate.org/committees>

eKumite Rules

- Video example of eKumite:
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=BNRO1PEiy-4>
- Participant demonstrates their best kumite techniques to a ball or similar object.
- The ball / object needs to have a minimum size of 0.2 meters. It can rest on a pole or hang on a rope.
- The height of the ball has to be about the same height as the athlete.



The match will last 30 seconds. It starts with a bow. After 30 seconds the referees will stop their judging, even if the athlete continues in the video.

Criteria for Judging

- Technical quality, precision.
- Ability to combine techniques.
- Speed / Strength
- Five referees will judge the performance from 5 to 10 points.
- Possible points: 5.0 (lowest vote) - 7.5 (average vote) - 10.0 (highest vote).
- The highest and the lowest score will be deleted.*

Example:

	<u>Fighter 1</u>	<u>Fighter 2</u>
Ref 1	5.7*	7.0
Ref 2	7.0	8.4*
Ref 3	6.4	5.1*
Ref 4	8.2*	7.4
Ref 5	6.6	8.1
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Sum	20.0	22.5 (Winner)

In the event of a tie, the majority of votes by the referees will decide.
ie: 3 referees decided for Fighter 1 and 2 referees decided for Fighter 2.

Allowed Techniques

- All jodan techniques as found in WKF rules.

Quality of Recording

- Recommended resolution 1080p (Full HD) - Minimum resolution 720p (HD).
- Your recording must provide good quality audio capture without background noise.
- DO NOT EDIT YOUR VIDEO - no change of video, audio, overlays, cutting, speed up or slow down recording.

Uniform

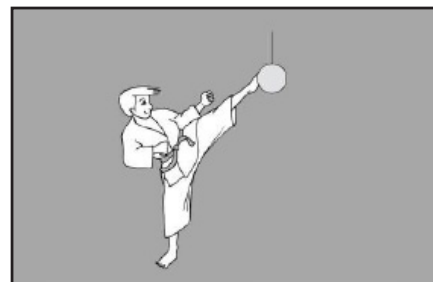
- Adequate karategi according to the dress code.
- Athletes must wear rank belt which reflects current level in their sport.

Location

- Videos may be recorded anywhere - rooms or open air as long as location provides enough space and flat surface.
- Make sure the location is quiet and has adequate light conditions.
- Make sure the location is free from items and there is no risk of injury.

Camera Position

- If outside, do not position the camera against direct sunlight.
- When positioning the camera make sure the distance is adequate to record the entire area of your Kumite performance and athlete is visible throughout the entire performance.
- DO NOT put the camera on the floor - we recommend a height of 80cm.
- If you do not have a tripod use a table or other stable surface.



Impression of the athlete in action. The whole athlete should be visible during the entire video.

RESOURCES

SportData general rules and conditions:

https://www.sportdata.org/etournament_howto.html

Video tutorials about eTournament features:

https://www.sportdata.org/etournament_tutorials.html

SportData promotional video:

<https://youtu.be/QkhFVu4deqY>

eTOURNAMENT PROCESS

Each competitor has to record and upload the video performance to Sportdata directly or on a supported video platform with submitted video URL. SportData allows you to upload four videos/URL during the registration period.

To speed up the process of submitting the videos in our eTournaments we enabled the function to upload all required videos during the registration period. With this simple option you can upload all videos at once, without waiting for the matches to be called. You select which video is for which round.

Supported video platforms and file sharing systems:

CodePen, DailyMotion, Deviantart, Facebook, Flickr, GettyImages, Gfycat, Giphy, Hulu, Instagram, Kickstarter, Livestream, Meetup, Reddit, Scribd, Sketchfab, Slideshare, SoundCloud, SpeakerDeck, Spotify, Ted, Twitch, Twitter, Vimeo, Wordpress, Youtube, Dropbox, One Drive, Amazon Drive, etc.

After the upload or video URL submission, the video will be validated in order to make sure it meets all requirements.

Draws and Timetable to be published:
Tuesday, July 6th 2021 - Midnight

Deadline for video Upload:
Friday, July 9th 2021 - Midnight

REFEREES

eTournament referees must register in Sportdata as **eReferee**. eReferee is not a regular referee registration and it follows a separate registration process.

Honorarium for eReferees is \$1.00CA / per video.

eReferee video tutorials: <https://youtu.be/ULGIYcSeXzA>

Registering as eReferee

- Visit SportData.org: <https://www.sportdata.org/karate/set-online/?subsy...>
- Select **LOGIN** from top right corner.
- Click **REGISTER AS E-REFEREE**
- Enter your registration information. Please note your login and password as you will require them for future event login and to access files for judging.
- Please ensure you have working email and phone number for communication.
- Once completed, you will receive an activation link to the email you used for registration.
- After you activate your account, SportData requires identity verification. For this you can send a copy of your ID or let us know and we will confirm your identity.
- *Registration and validation is done only once and same account is used on all subsequent tournaments.*

To sign in for tournaments, login to [SportData.org](https://www.sportdata.org) using the **LOGIN** button outlined above. Enter your eReferee account and password. Find the tournament on **EVENTS** page and register for it.

If you require assistance with registration or during tournament please contact:

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