



Approved by the Executive Committee  
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# REGULATION NOTICE APPLICATION

## Information letter for the **Asia Open Championship 2019**

### 1. Goals and Objectives

The competitions shall be held for the following purposes:

- to further develop and promote Kettlebell Sport in the world, in the Continent Asia;
- to determine competitions winners;
- to strengthen and expand international cultural and sports relations.

### 2. Dates and Places of Competitions

#### **ASIA OPEN CHAMPIONSHIP**

**Taiwan, 26-28 July 2019**

Taipei Sports Complex

Taipei, Taiwan ROC

#### Programm:

Friday 26.07.2019 - **ARRIVAL DELEGATIONS, WEIGHTING 16.00-20.00**

Saturday 27.07.2019 - **COMPETITIONS LONG CYCLE , BIATHLON MEN AND WOMEN 10', SNATCH WOMEN 10', SNATCH MEN AMATEUR 10', DISABLE MEN AND WOMEN 10', MARATHON 30', 1H MEN AND WOMEN LONG CYCLE, JERK, 30' SNATCH MEN AND WOMEN**

Sunday 28.07.2019 – **COMPETITION INTERNATIONAL TRIATHLON, STRONG LIFTING, RELAY**



## **DISCIPLINE:**

### **MEN:**

- LONG CYCLE ELITE 32KG
- LONG CYCLE AMATEUR 24KG
- LONG CYCLE VETERANS 40-59 YEARS 24KG, 60-74 YEARS 16KG, +75 YEARS 12KG
- LONG CYCLE JUNIOR 19-22 YEARS 32KG (1997-2000)
- LONG CYCLE JUNIOR 16-18 YEARS 24KG (2001-2003)
- LONG CYCLE YOUTH 14-15 YEARS 16KG (2004-2005)

### **WOMEN:**

- LONG CYCLE ELITE 24+24KG ABSOLUTE
- LONG CYCLE ELITE 20+20KG
- LONG CYCLE ELITE 24KG
- LONG CYCLE AMATEUR 16+16KG
- LONG CYCLE AMATEUR 16KG
- LONG CYCLE VETERANS 35-54 YEARS 16KG, 55-64 YEARS 12KG, +65 YEARS 8KG (DOUBLE AND SINGLE KETTLEBELLS)
- LONG CYCLE JUNIOR 19-22 YEARS 20+20KG (1997-2000)
- LONG CYCLE JUNIOR 16-18 YEARS 16+16KG (2001-2003)
- LONG CYCLE YOUTH 14-15 YEARS 12+12KG (2004-2005)

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**MEN:**

RELAY JERK 24+24KG 3'X5 ATHLETE

**WOMEN:**

RELAY JERK 16+16KG 3'X3 ATHLETES

### **3. Competitions Management**

The general management of competitions organization and holding shall be performed by the WKSF Executive Committee.

The immediate competitions holding shall be assigned to the national and territorial federations for kettlebell lifting at the place of competitions, the Organizing Committee and the duly approved Main Jury.

The organizing committee of the following championships must provide auxiliary staff to judges (speaker, accompany athlete judge, musical director, assistant secretary, awards assistant, competition area assistant).

### **4. Competitions Participants**

National teams and sportsmen from the countries cultivating kettlebell lifting shall be admitted to participation in the competitions. The list of team members shall be defined before weighing of competitors. The number of team members in each weight category shall be limited 2 athletes in category and disciplines Elite Men and Women. Amateur and Veterans, Junior 19-22 years, 14-15 years, 16-18 years, Disable Men and Women No Limite.

One month before the national team's racing competition indicates up to 2 athletes in category and discipline, indicate weight category and not move more from the category (if athlete does not enter the category of weight indicated, it must be expelled from the competition).

The athlete from January 1st of the current year will be in international competition in Elit category with 32kg, until December 31 of the current year can not compete in Amateur category.



**Group: age groups and weights for each group**

**Weight category Men:** 63kg, 68kg, 74kg, 80kg, 87kg, 95kg, +95kg

**Weight category Women:** 52kg, 58kg, 65kg, 75kg, +75kg

**Weight category Your Men:** 52kg, 62kg, 72kg, +72kg

**Weight category Your Women:** 48kg, 58kg, +58kg

<b>Senior Men (SE):</b>	23-34 years - kettlebells 32kg,24kg
<b>Senior Women (SE):</b>	23-34 years - kettlebells 24kg,20kg,16kg
<b>Veterans Men (M):</b>	40-49 years, 50-59 years - kettlebells 24kg 60-69 years, 70-74 years - kettlebells 16kg +75 years - kettlebells 12kg
<b>Veterans Women (M):</b>	35-44 years, 45-54 years - kettlebells 16kg 55-64 years - kettlebells 12kg +65 years - kettlebells 8kg
<b>Juniors Men (U22):</b>	19-22 years - kettlebells 32kg,24kg
<b>Juniors Women (U22):</b>	19-22 years - kettlebells 24kg,20kg
<b>Juniors Men (U18):</b>	16-18 years - kettlebells 24kg
<b>Juniors Women (U18):</b>	16-18 years - kettlebells 16kg
<b>Youth Men (U15):</b>	14-15 years - kettlebells 16kg
<b>Youth Women (U15):</b>	14-15 years - kettlebells 12kg
<b>Disable Men (D):</b>	Absolute - kettlebells 16kg
<b>Disable Women (D):</b>	Absolute - kettlebells 8kg
<b>Students Men (ST):</b>	Absolute - kettlebells 24kg
<b>Students Women (ST):</b>	Absolute - kettlebells 16kg



**Relay Men:**

JERK 24+24kg 3 minutes x 5 athletes

**Relay Women:**

JERK 16+16kg 3 minutes x 3 athletes

**5. Competitions Programme and Winner Election**

The competitions shall be held under the World Kettlebell Sport Federation Rules valid as of the competition date.

The team championship in World Championships and Continental Championships and Open Cup shall be determined according to the results of scoring members of the countries (WKSF chart of the ranking points):

- Long Cycle Men + Long Cycle Women category Elit double kettlebells + Long Cycle Women category Elit single kettlebell + Long Cycle Men category Amateur 2 Athletes(50%)
- Biathlon Men + Biathlon Women category Elit double kettlebells + Snatch Women category Elit + Biathlon Men category Amateur 2 Athletes(50%)

**RANKING POINTS WKSF**

<b>Position</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>12</b>
<b>Points</b>	60	55	50	45	40	35	30	25	20	15	10	9
<b>Position</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>Etc.</b>
<b>Points</b>	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	0	0	0	0

Relay races shall be held as a separate kind of competition subject to participation of at least minimum 3 teams from various countries. In case with the European, Asian, American, Oceanian Championship – jerking two kettlebells upwards from the chest and subsequent lowering to vertical hang Jerk.

The time-limit of the exercises:

**Men** – 5 stages lasting 3 minutes each. Team line-up: 5 members of various weight categories;

**Women**– 3 stages lasting 3 minutes each. Team line-up: 3 members of various weight categories.

The relay race results shall be determined based on the maximum number of kettlebells jerks made by each member of the relay race team. The relay race results shall not be included in any total team score (Relay Men’s and Women’s included in the offset only in the case of the same amount of points in the team event).



## 6. Awarding

Competitions participants taking the 1<sup>st</sup>- 2<sup>nd</sup>- 3<sup>rd</sup> prizes:

- National Team Recognition 1-2-3 ranked in the overall standings with a trophy, diploma;
- Awarded 1-2-3 prizes in Relay race participants and teams with trophy, medal, diploma;
- Awarded 1-2-3 prizes in each discipline and weight category Elite with a trophy, medal, diploma;
- Awarded 1-2-3 prizes in each discipline and weight category Amateur with a medal, diploma;
- Awarded 1-2-3 prizes in each discipline and weight category Junior, Veterans, Disable with a medal, diploma.

## 7. Financing

Competitions participation costs (travel, meals, accommodation, initiation fee, accreditation) shall be incurred by the sending organizations.

Competitions organization and holding costs (sports premises leasing, advertising, posters, award attributes – diplomas, medals, valuable prizes, judges consideration etc.) shall be incurred by the competitions organizers, concerned organizations, and sponsors, the costs shall also be covered at the expense of the WKSF contributions from initiation fees on a share basis. World Championships and Championships or Continental Cups organizes a unique WKSF organ.

Costs from competitions that match 70 € in Asia Championships go (40 € per organizing committee and 30 € for WKSF).

Judges receive a fee of 50 € for each day of service.

The initiation fee shall amount to:

*ASIA OPEN CHAMPIONSHIP 2019 (Taiwan-Taipei) – men and women, senior, juniors, veterans, disable - €70 from each participant;*

Accreditation shall comprise the price of a license for participation in the international competitions in the current year – (€ 00) from each participant.

For those countries that failed to pay a collective membership fee (€ 00) to the WKSF.



## 8. Applications

A preliminary application for participation in the competitions shall be filed to the Organizing Committee and the WKSF at least 30 days prior to the competitions.

An individual application for participation in the competitions certified by a physician and the Federation (Association, Club...), a passport (identity card) and other documents stipulated by the competitions rules shall be filed to the Credentials Committee on the day of arrival.

Team national present only with equal clothing in national colors In the awards ceremony (sneakers, rackets, national jacket).

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