



23rd EUROPEAN OPEN KYOKUSHIN KARATE CHAMPIONSHIP

KYOKUSHIN KARATE EUROPEAN CUP KATOWICE 2026 | POLAND

Place: The city of Katowice

Date: December 12th – 13th 2026

Place: The Sport Hall "ARENA KATOWICE", Bukowa 1

Organizer:

International Karate Organization Kyokushinkaikan

Polish Kyokushin Federation IKO Poland

Shihan Jacek Czerniec, IKO Branch Chief of Poland

Club TKKF "CZARNI"

Honorary Patronage:

1. Major of City Katowice
2. Marshal of the Silesian Voivodeship

Technical partner:

JOMA

More info: www.ikopoland.com

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Registration: the registration process will take place via the website: mykyokushin.net between
October 8 – November 15

Official Hotel:

NOVOTEL KATOWICE CENTER ** Aleja Walentego Roździeńskiego 16**

Reservations can be made until **October 31th**,

address e-mail: tkkfczarni66@gmail.com

Price at the official hotel with breakfast:

Room type	Single/double rate/room/night
Single Room	110.00 Euros /room/night / 450 PLN
Double Room	125,00 Euros /room/ night / 530PLN

Payment for the hotel should be made by **October 31** to the organizer's account:

Currency: **EURO**

BENEFICIARY: TKKF "CZARNI" ul. Radosna 35 c, 40-472 Katowice

BANK: ING BANK ŚLĄSKI

IBAN: PL 65 1050 1214 1000 0090 8392 7203

COD SWIFT: INGBPLPW

Currency: **PLN**

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BANK: ING BANK ŚLĄSKI

IBAN: PL 28 1050 1214 1000 0023 2392 2209

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Transportation to and from the competition venue will be provided by the organizer.

Departure will be from in front of the official hotel.

Departure time will be announced later

Fees:

KATA	KUMITE	KATA+KUMITE	SAYONARA PARTY
100	100	160	60
EURO	EURO	EURO	EURO
or	or	or	or
430 PLN	430 PLN	680 PLN	250 PLN

Payment can be made by bank transfer until **December 8** or in cash on the spot on December 11. If you pay by bank transfer, you must have the transfer confirmation printed during verification.

Organizer's bank account number:

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All age categories are set as of December 11, 2026.

All participants and team members of the Championships must have a valid insurance.

The organizer does not provide any insurance and does not take responsibility in this area.

THE 23rd EUROPEAN OPEN KARATE CHAMPIONSHIP

KUMITE+18 years old

Prizes for places 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th –will fight for 3rd place, also 4th -8th places will receive trophies

Category	Mandatory protective gear	Match duration
Men Open	Groin cup, Optional: Mouth guard	Elimination round: 2 minutes -> 2 minutes Semifinal and final round: 3 minutes -> 2 minutes -> 2 minutes -> weight (10 kg) -> 2 minutes (mandatory decision)
Women Open	Breast pads, Optional: Mouth guard	Elimination round: 2 minutes -> 2 minutes Semifinal and final round: 3 minutes -> 2 minutes -> 2 minutes -> weight (5 kg) -> 2 minutes (mandatory decision)

KYOKUSHIN KARATE EUROPEAN CUP

KATA Juniors (Prizes for places: 1st, 2nd, 3rd)

BOYS kata category	GIRLS kata category	Kata Elimination	Kata Final (for top 6 only)
Boys: 8-9 y.o.	Girls: 8-9 y.o.	Taikyoku Sono San	Pinan Sono Ichi
Boys: 10-11 y.o.	Girls: 10-11 y.o.	Pinan Sono Ichi	Pinan Sono Ni
Boys: 12-13 y.o.	Girls: 12-13 y.o.	Pinan Sono San	Pinan Sono Yon
Boys: 14-15 y.o.	Girls: 14-15 y.o.	Tsuki No Kata	Gekisai Sono San
Boys: 16-17 y.o.	Girls: 16-17 y.o.	Gekisai Sono San	Bassai

KATA+18 years old (Prizes for places: 1st, 2nd, 3rd)

Category	Kata Elimination	Kata Final (for top 6)
Men 18-34 y.o.	Bassai	Kanku
Men 35-49 y.o.	Saifa	Sushiho
Men +50 y.o.	Saifa	Seienchin
Women 18-34 y.o.	Bassai	Kanku
Women 35-49 y.o.	Saifa	Sushiho
Women +50 y.o.	Saifa	Seienchin

KUMITE Boys (Prizes for places 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 3rd - no fights for 3rd place)

BOYS			
Category	Weight	Mandatory protective gear	Match duration
8-9 y.o.	-25 kg; -30 kg; -35 kg; +35 kg;	Head gear (with face cover), Body protectors, Groin cup, Fist guards, Shin pads, Knee protection, (IKO standard)	Elimination and finals round: 60 seconds -> 60 seconds
10-11 y.o.	-30 kg; -35 kg; -40 kg; -45 kg; -50 kg; +50 kg;	Head gear (with face cover), Body protectors, Groin cup, Fist guards, Shin pads, Knee protection, (IKO standard)	Elimination and finals round: 90 seconds -> 90 seconds
12-13 y.o.	-40 kg; -45 kg; -50 kg; -60 kg; -70 kg; +70 kg;	Head gear (with face cover), Body protectors, Groin cup, Fist guards, Shin pads, Knee protection, (IKO standard)	Elimination and finals round: 90 seconds -> 90 seconds
14-15 y.o.	-50 kg; -55 kg; -60 kg; -65 kg; -70 kg; 75 kg; -80 kg; +85 kg	Head gear (with face cover), Groin cup, Fist guards, Shin pads, Knee protection, (IKO standard)	Elimination and finals round: 120 seconds -> 120 seconds
16-17 y.o.	-55 kg; -60 kg; -65 kg; -70 kg; -75 kg; -85 kg; +85 kg;	Head gear (no face cover), Groin cup, Fist guards, Shin pads, Knee protection, (IKO standard) Optional: Mouth guard	Elimination and finals round: 120 seconds -> 120 seconds

KUMITE Girls (Prizes for places 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 3rd - no fights for 3rd place)

GIRLS			
Category	Weight	Mandatory protective gear	Match duration
8 – 9 y.o.	-25 kg; -30 kg; +30 kg	Head gear (with face cover), Body protectors, Groin cup, Fist guards, Shin pads, Knee protection, (IKO standard)	Elimination and finals round: 60 seconds-> 60 seconds
10-11 y.o.	-30 kg; -35 kg; -40 kg; -45 kg; -50 kg; +50 kg	Head gear (with face cover), Body protectors, Fist guards, Shin pads, Knee protection, (IKO standard)	Elimination and finals round: 90seconds -> 90 seconds
12-13 y.o.	-40 kg; -45 kg; -50 kg; -55kg; -60kg; +60kg	Head gear (with face cover), Body protectors, Fist guards, Shin pads, Knee protection, (IKO standard)	Elimination and finals round: 90seconds -> 90 seconds
14-15 y.o.	-50 kg; -55 kg; -60 kg; -70 kg; +70 kg;	Head gear (with face cover), Breast pads, Fist guards, Shin pads, Knee protection, (IKO standard)	Elimination and finals round: 120 seconds -> 120 seconds
16-17 y.o.	-50 kg; -55 kg; -60 kg; -65 kg; +65 kg	Head gear (no face cover), Breast pads, Fist guards, Shin pads, Knee protection, (IKO standard) Optional: Mouth guard	Elimination and finals round: 120 seconds ->120 seconds

Kumite Seniors Men (Prizes for places 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 3rd - no fights for 3rd place)

Category	Weight	Mandatory protective gear	Match duration
35-44 y.o.	-75 kg -85 kg; +85 kg	Head gear (no face cover), Groin cup, Fist guards, Shin pads, Knee protection (IKO standard), Optional: Mouth guard	Elimination and finals round: 90 seconds -> 90 seconds
45 y.o. and over	-75 kg -85 kg; +85 kg	Head gear (no face cover), Groin cup, Fist guards, Shin pads, Knee protection (IKO standard), Optional: Mouth guard	Elimination and finals round: 90 seconds -> 90 seconds

Kumite Seniors Women (Prizes for places 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 3rd - no fights for 3rd place)

Category	Weight	Mandatory protective gear	Match duration
+35 y.o.	-55 kg; -65 kg; +65 kg	Head gear (no face cover), Groin cup, Fist guards, Shin pads, Breast pads, Knee protection (IKO standard), Optional: Mouth guard	Elimination and finals round: 90 seconds -> 90 seconds

Competitors must have their own protective gear. The organizer will only provide body protectors (HOGO).

IMPORTANT NOTE:

- No weight allowance is permitted. Competitors are required to meet the weight limit corresponding to the category in which they are registered.
- Competitors must wear a karate gi free of competition numbers from other tournaments and other emblems (only Kanji on the left chest is permitted).
- In the senior age categories (Kumite Open +18 years old, 18-34 y.o., 35-44 y.o., 45 y.o. and over), a rank limit applies: a minimum of 4th kyu (green belt) is required.

SCHEDULE:

December 11th – Friday – 12:00-19:00

Verification of all participants in the Conference Hall official hotel - **foreign teams**

NOVOTEL KATOWICE CENTER **** Aleja Walentego Roździeńskiego 16

Verification of all participants in the Hotel IBIS - **polish teams**

Katowice Al. Walentego Roździeńskiego 18

To pass the verification you must bring: IKO Membership Card, Passport, Doctor's Agreement, Waiver form.

15:00 – 17:30 Judge Seminar with exam **Hotel Courtyard by Marriott Katowice**

City Center, 13 University Street (500 meters from the official hotel)

17:30 European Meeting of BC's and DO's **Hotel Courtyard by Marriott Katowice**
City Center, 13 University Street

December 12th - Saturday

8:00 Doors open

9:00 Judge briefing

10:00 Official opening ceremony Kyokushin Karate European Cup

10:30 Start of the competition

December 13th – Sunday

8:00 Doors open

9:00 Judge briefing

10:00 Official opening ceremony 23rd European Open Kyokushin Karate Championship

10:30 The start of the competition

20:00 Sayonara Party - Official Hotel "NOVOTEL KATOWICE CENTER" ****

The places are limited

December 8th - Monday

9:00–11:00 Shihan Gorai Technical Seminar

Hotel Courtyard by Marriott Katowice City Center, 13 University Street (500 meters from the official hotel)

Organizational details will be published on the www.ikopoland.com website and sent to the email addresses provided in the registration.

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