

January 12th 2025

Jelgava sports hall Matora street 44a

JELGAVA OPEN CHILDREN'S KARATE CHAMPIONSHIP



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REGULATIONS

GOALS AND OBJECTIVES:

- To popularize Karate-Do as a sport;
- To promote the sport among young people.

ORGANIZER

Jelgava karate club "VITUS" (reģ. Nr. 40008203257) in collaboration with the Latvian Karate Federation (LKF) (reģ. Nr. 40008024026), with support from Jelgava Centre of Sports Service and championship organizer Vitālijs Mišins (phone: +371 29585311, e-mail: vitalymishin@gmail.com).

PLACE AND DATE

January 12th 2025, from 10.00 in Jelgava Sports hall (Matera street 44a, Jelgava, Latvia, LV-3001). Registration and payment of fees for participation to 9.00-9.45 at the event site. All participants need to have a ID and a karate identity document showing age and kyu. From 9.30 to 10.00 team representative and judge briefing.

JUDGES

An LKF panel of judges. Main judge – Santa Drozdova

The consideration of protest will be 100 EUR and to file a grievance you must have video footage.

Chief secretary – Viktorija Agafonova (phone: +371 29118019, e-mail: viktorija.agafonova@karate.lv).

RULES

WKF Rules with changes by the organizer.

PARTICIPATION IN THE CHAMPIONSHIP

Boys and girls from 7 to 12 years of age may participate in the championship, without division by weight and certification belts. Registration limit for participants – the first 250 applicants. **Participation is allowed only in your own age group.** If the athlete does not correspond to the category that was presented when submitting the application, the athlete is disqualified and may not participate in further competitions. In this case, the participation fee is not returned! His coach is responsible for the athlete's timely exit to the tatami. The team representative and/or coach is responsible for the participant's compliance with a specific age and weight category, as well as for the preparation of a specific athlete for the competition.

All participants must wear kimono (Karate Gi)!

Adult participants are responsible for insurance and their own health during the competition. If the participant is a minor, the responsibility is assumed by the parents or guardians. The team representative and/or coach is responsible for the participant's compliance with a specific age category, as well as for the preparation of a specific athlete for the competition. It is the duty of the team representative to introduce each athlete of the team to the conditions of this REGULATION.

FEE

EUR 30 per one category. No discounts for participation in more than one category. The participation fee can be paid by transfer to the account number LV42HABA0551036971005 AS Swedbank, HABALV22 of the association "Jelgava karate club "VITUS"" (reg. no. 40008203257).

CATEGORIES

The competition will be held according to the "round-robin" system. **The organizer has the right to change the categories.**

KATA	boys	7 yrs., 8 yrs., 9 yrs., 10 yrs., 11 yrs., 12 yrs.
	girls	7 yrs., 8 yrs., 9 yrs., 10 yrs., 11 yrs., 12 yrs.
KUMITE	boys	7 yrs., 8 yrs., 9 yrs., 10 yrs., 11 yrs., 12 yrs.
	girls	7 yrs., 8 yrs., 9 yrs., 10 yrs., 11 yrs., 12 yrs.

Terms of KATA. The size of the arena is 8 m x 8 m. Three referees. "Round Robin system" system. Contestants are allowed to perform any kata from the WKF list + Taikyoku. Athletes up to 9 years old must know at least 1 KATA; from 10 to 11 years old – perform at least 2 different KATA, from 12 years – perform at least 3 different KATA (repeating the last KATA is forbidden). Athletes perform KATA simultaneously (maybe with their qualification belts). In all KATA categories for athletes from 10 years of age. Failure to observe the rules related to bowing is subject to disqualification (the number of bows must comply with the WKF rules).

Terms of KUMITE. The size of the arena is 8 m x 8 m. Three referees. **The duration of the fight for children up to 9 years old – 1 min., from 10 to 12 years old – 1.5 min. The fight takes place until an athlete has a 8-point lead.** "Round Robin" system.

Participants' equipment: hand gloves and leg protectors for the foot and lower leg according to the WKF model, dental protectors are mandatory. **Protective vests are mandatory for all athletes!** Breast protector for girls – optional. In boy's categories, hip (groin) guard (bandage) – mandatory for 12 years olds athletes.

Athletes, their coaches and parents are independently responsible for any injuries obtained as a result of not using the equipment! The organizers of the championship do not provide the participants with the necessary equipment. Belts, belt and leg protectors for AO in blue, for AKA in red.

PRIZES

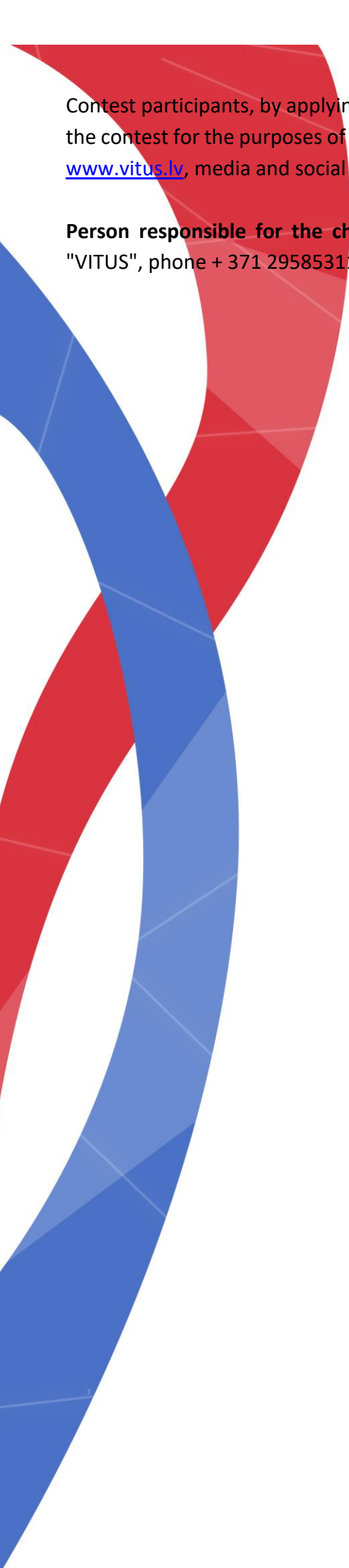
Awarding of the winners and prizewinners is conducted in parallel to the tournament. 1st places winners will be awarded with cups, 2nd and 3rd places winners will be awarded with medals. Two 3rd places in all categories! The three best clubs in the overall ranking will be awarded cups.

REGISTRATION

Electronic registration of participants by the 9th of January 2025 at www.karateregistration.lv. The password for registration can be obtained by e-mail from Boris Krasnov – ijka.latvia@gmail.com, phone +371 29621418.

PROTECTION OF PERSONAL DATA

Jelgava karate club "VITUS" as the organizer of the competition respects the privacy of the competition participants. By applying for the competition, the participant agrees to the processing of his personal data for the purpose of organizing the competition, based on Article 6, Paragraph 1, Subparagraph a) of the General Data Protection Regulation. The processing of personal data is carried out in order to correctly represent the result provided by the athlete, in relation to the results of other participants. The publicly visible results show the participant's chosen category, first name, last name, club and place won. In order to determine the category and group belonging to the athlete, in accordance with the rules of the competition, in addition to the name and surname of the Data Subject, gender and age are also required. In order to protect the personal data of the Data Subject, the data is minimized as far as possible upon request by writing to the e-mail vituskarateclub@gmail.com



Contest participants, by applying for the contest, agree to the use of photos and video materials taken during the contest for the purposes of the contest organizer, including, but not limited to, publication on the website www.vitus.lv, media and social portals.

Person responsible for the championship – Vitaly Mishin (5th Dan WKF, President Jelgava Karate Club "VITUS", phone + 371 29585311, e-mail: vituskarateclub@gmail.com).