



“LATVIA OPEN 2022”

EVENT REGULATION

INVITATION

Latvian Kickboxing Federation invites Kickboxing clubs to participate in the annual C class WAKO kickboxing championship “**LATVIA OPEN 2022**” in **26-28 of August 2022**.

Championship is organized by Latvian Kickboxing Federation in cooperation with Council of Latvian Sport Federations, Sport Department of the Ventspils city and sport club “Favorīts”. (+371 26359633 Darya Strutinska)

All applications for participation in the championship must be submitted before the **21th August, 2022** by e-mail info@wakolat.lv.

SCHEDULE

The championship will take place in **Ventspils**, the city of Latvia in **sport-hall “Ventspils”, Sporta street 7/9**.

August, 26 (Friday):

Arrival of teams and judges.

16:00 – 20:00 – **Weigh in and medical check (sport-hall “Ventspils”, Sporta street 7/9.)**

21:30 – Draw **(NO CHANGES AFTER THE DRAW!)**

August, 27 (Saturday):

10.00 - Qualification fights (Ring and Tatami sports); Qualification and Finals for Creative forms

14:00 – Opening Ceremony

14:30 – Break

15:00 - Qualification fights (Ring and Tatami sports)

August, 28 (Sunday):

11:00 – Finals (Ring and Tatami sports), awarding ceremony

RULES

Championship is held under amateur WAKO rules, which can be found on <https://wako.sport/rules/>

Head referee – Mr. Eduard Špakov (Lithuania, +370 66253650)



On preliminary agreement with the organizing committee, judges from countries-participants are welcome.

Protests during the competition - to the name of Head referee with pledge 50 EUR, no later than 10 minutes after the fight. Final decision will be given by the member of the appeal committee.

**CLASSES
AND
WEIGHT
DIVISIONS**

Kick-light/Light contact:

Children 7- 8-9 y. (girls / boys)

-23kg, -26 kg, -29 kg, -32 kg, -36 kg, +36 kg

Younger Cadets 10-12 y. (girls / boys)

-28 kg, -32 kg, -37 kg, -42 kg, -47 kg, +47 kg.

Older Cadets 13-15 y.

-42 kg, -47 kg, -52 kg, -57 kg, -63 kg, -69 kg, +69 kg (boys)

-42 kg, -46 kg, -50 kg, -55 kg, -60 kg, -65 kg, +65 kg (girls)

Juniors 16-18 y., Seniors 19 and older

-57 kg, -63 kg, -69 kg, -74 kg, -79 kg, -84 kg, -89 kg, -94 kg,
+94 kg (male)

-50 kg, - 55 kg, -60 kg, -65 kg, -70 kg, +70 kg (female)

K-1 rules and Full contact:

Older Cadets 13-14 y. (till first knockdown; knee kicks body only)

(To take a part in this category competitor should have signed parental/legal guardian consent)

-42; -45; -48 kg, -51 kg, -54 kg, -57 kg, -60 kg, -63,5 kg, -67 kg,
+67 kg (boys)

-36 kg; -40kg; -44kg; -48kg; -52kg; -56kg; -60kg; +60 kg (girls)

Younger Juniors 15-16 y.

-48 kg, -51 kg, -54 kg, -57 kg, -60 kg, -63,5 kg, -67 kg, -71 kg, -75 kg,
-81 kg,+81 kg (male)

-36 kg, - 40 kg, -44 kg, - 48 kg, -52 kg, -56 kg, -60 kg, +60 kg (female)

Older Juniors 17 – 18 y., Seniors 19 y. and older

-54 kg, -57 kg, -60 kg, -63,5 kg, -67 kg, -71 kg, -75 kg, -81 kg, -86 kg,



-91 kg, +91kg (male)

-52 kg, - 56 kg, -60 kg, -65 kg, -70 kg, +70 kg (female)

Creative Forms

MUSIC: Creative Forms Competitors cannot use Music of any sort, ALL FORMS will be performed WITHOUT MUSIC

AGE: For Creative forms competition the allowed age groups are:

- CHILDREN 7 - 8 – 9 year old (Boys and Girls)
- YOUNGER CADETS 10 - 11, 12-13 year old (Boys and Girls)
- OLDER CADETS 14 - 15 year old (Boys and Girls)
- JUNIORS 16 - 18 year old (Men and Women)
- SENIORS 19 + year old (Men and Women)

All for Boys, Girls, Ladies & Men will be separated Art. 4. AGE CATEGORY SPECIFICATIONS: Age divisions will be determined in the following manner at All WAKO Championships: A competitor will be placed in an age division according to their Date of Birth.

DIVISIONS: In Creative Forms competitions there are 10 divisions

- **Men, Women:** Creative Open Hand, Creative Weapons, Open Hand, Weapons and Teams
- **Boys and Girls:** Open Hand, Weapons and Teams

MEDICAL SERVICE

Championship organizers are responsible for providing medical service to official championship participants during the championship (in accordance with their health insurance).

Each participant must have a valid identity document (with photo) and medical certificate, signed by a qualified Medical Doctor of the same country of residence of the kickboxer.

All participants, who do not have a medical certificate, will not be allowed to compete!

MEDALS AND AWARDING

Winners of 1st places will be awarded with a medals, diplomas and commemorative prizes, 2nd and 3rd places – diplomas and medals.

Teams will be awarded with championship cups.



STARTING FEE

Starting fee for **Ring and Tatami Sports 20 EUR** per competitor in each discipline (price is suitable for competitors who are members of their country kickboxing federation, which is WAKO member, **for others 35 EUR**)

Each club can present several fighters in each weight division.

ENTRY-FORMS

Entry-forms have to be sent **no later than August, 21, 2022** by e-mail: info@wakolat.lv; (+371 26359633)

ACCOMMODATION

By request info@wakolat.lv

EQUIPMENT

All participants must have their own protective gear and uniform according to WAKO rules
<https://wako.sport/wp-content/uploads/2022/05/WAKO-EQUIPMENT-BOOK-rev.6-04.05.2022.pdf>

VISA

All participants must take visas in Latvian embassies in their countries if needed.
About visa questions please contact: info@wakolat.lv or +371 26359633

REGISTRATION, WEIGH IN

- 1) National pass or ID card (no more driving license according to the new WAKO rules)
- 2) Each participant must have a medical certificate, **signed by a qualified Medical Doctor of the same country of residence of the kickboxer.**
- 3) Insurance.
- 4) Money in cash for starting fee.