

# AQUILA OPEN

2025



SUNDAY 19TH OCTOBER 2025

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Dear all athletes, coaches and supporters,

We look forward to welcoming you to the 2025 edition of the Aquila Open taking place on Sunday 19th October 2025 at UEL SportsDock, London.

Best of luck in your preparation for this event.

Aquila Taekwondo

## Event overview

**Event date:** Sunday 19th October 2025

**Location:** UEL SportsDock, University Way, Beckton, London, E16 2RD

**Deadline for entries:** Friday 3rd October 21:00

**Registration:** [www.ma-regonline.com](http://www.ma-regonline.com)

**Weigh-in:** Saturday 18th October 2025, 14:00 - 18:00 (NO Weigh-in on the morning of event)

**Scoring System:** KPNP for A-Class categories only, all B & C Class categories on manual scoring, manual scoring for veterans

**Entry Fee:** £55

**Weight Changes:** £20

**Chief Referee:** Clare Leybourne

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## Payment Details

Payments to be made through club coaches.

Invoices will be sent to club email.

Invoices will be sent immediately after entry and **must be paid within 1 week.**

We encourage you to only enter players whom you are sure will be participating.

## Categories

<b>Peewee</b> Born 2017 or later	Male: -18kg -20kg -22kg -24kg -26kg +26kg Female: -18kg -20kg -22kg -24kg -26kg +26kg
<b>Children</b> Born 2014, 2015, 2016	Male: -24kg -26kg -29kg -32kg -36kg -40kg -44kg -48kg +48kg Female: -24kg -26kg -29kg -32kg -36kg -40kg -44kg -48kg +48kg
<b>Cadet</b> Born 2011, 2012, 2013	Male: -33kg -37kg -41kg -45kg -49kg -53kg -57kg -61kg -65kg +65kg Female: -29kg -33kg -37kg -41kg -44kg -47kg -51kg -55kg -59kg +59kg
<b>Junior</b> Born 2008, 2009, 2010	Male: -45kg -48kg -51kg -55kg -59kg -63kg -68kg -73kg -78kg +78kg Female: -42kg -44kg -46kg -49kg -52kg -55kg -59kg -63kg -68kg +68kg
<b>Senior</b> Born 2007 or before	Male: -54kg -58kg -63kg -68kg -74kg -80kg -87kg +87kg Female: -46kg -49kg -53kg -57kg -62kg -67kg -73kg +73kg
<b>Veterans</b> Born 1990 or before	Male: -58kg -68kg -80kg +80kg Female: -49kg -57kg -67kg +67kg

## Classes

A-Class	2nd Kup and above (Red belt and above)
B-Class	6th Kup - 3rd Kup (Green belt to Red Stripe)
C-Class	7th Kup - 9th Kup (Yellow Stripe to Green Stripe)
Peewee & Children	A, B and C-Class
Cadet, Junior, Senior	A and B Class
Veterans	All grades



## Registration and Weigh-In

Weigh in will be held on Saturday 18th October 2025 at 1400 to 1800.

Athletes are advised to consult the British Taekwondo policy on “Making Weight and Training for Competition”.

The competition draw will take place immediately after weigh-in closes. A full set of draw sheets will be made available for any coaches and will be posted online at [www.ma-regonline.com](http://www.ma-regonline.com).

Coaches should pay particular attention for those athletes competing in the first few matches on each court and ensure they are at the venue in good time to warm up and prepare.

## Coaches

Coaches must hold a valid British Taekwondo Instructor Membership.

The minimum age for a coach is 18 years old. Coaches passes will only be issued if the above criteria are met.

All coaches must register online prior to the deadline date. Once this deadline has passed, no further coaches can be added. All coach information must be entered online through the recognised entry system. A ratio of 1 coach for every 5 players entered will be granted free entry, up to a maximum of 5 coaches. Additional coaches can be registered for a fee.

## Competition Rules

Full World Taekwondo Competition Rules will be applied as per the new rules adopted 1st September 2023.

KPNP Electronic Body Protector systems and headguards will be used for A-Class categories only.

These athletes will be provided with KPNP Electronic body protector and e-headguards. These athletes should bring their own KPNP socks and all other personal protective equipment.

All athletes must wear World Taekwondo recognised uniforms and protective equipment.

All athletes will have to pass inspection by officials before entering the competition area. Any contestant wearing non-recognised or approved equipment will not be permitted to compete.

Peewee and children's matches will be up to 3 x 1-minute rounds with 30-seconds rest.

Cadet, Junior, Senior and Veteran matches will be 3 x 1.5-minute rounds with 1-minute rest.

## Competitors/Coaches

All participants (athletes and coaches) must have valid British Taekwondo membership.

Anyone removed from the event system due to a lapsed membership or any other reason will not be permitted to participate/coach

Entry fees cannot be refunded in this cases.

Competitors must bring and show photo identification at weigh in. Coaches must bring and show photo identification at registration to collect coaches' passes and team packs and must attend in person.

## Jewellery & Piercings

All jewellery and piercings must be removed before athletes arrive at the inspection desk to prevent . . . delays. Athletes may miss or forfeit their match if they cannot meet competition rules.

## Match Appeals

The card system will be used within matches.

Any further protests must be promptly presented to the head of court and chief referee with the accompanying fee in order to be heard. If successful, the fee will be returned. If the protest is rejected then the fee will not be refunded.

Full details can be found within British Taekwondo's policy documents.

## Awards

Awards will be presented to athletes who place 1st, 2nd, 2 x 3rd places per category.

Team trophies will be presented for 1st, 2nd and 3rd place teams.

<b>1st Place</b>	9 points
<b>2nd Place</b>	6 points
<b>3rd Place</b>	3 points



## Important notes for coaches

Coaches must ensure that the email address used to register is the same email address that they can be contacted on for updates.

Coaches are responsible for ensuring that their players' categories and entry details are correct as no refunds will be given if errors have been made.

All information must be entered when registering players.

The club of any athlete remaining in the online system at the deadline will be responsible for paying the full entry fee even if that athlete does not compete.

## Spectators

Spectator tickets will be available on the door, cash only. Option to purchase spectator tickets at weigh-in, to beat the queue in the morning of the event.

<b>Under 5's</b>	Free
<b>Spectator</b>	£10



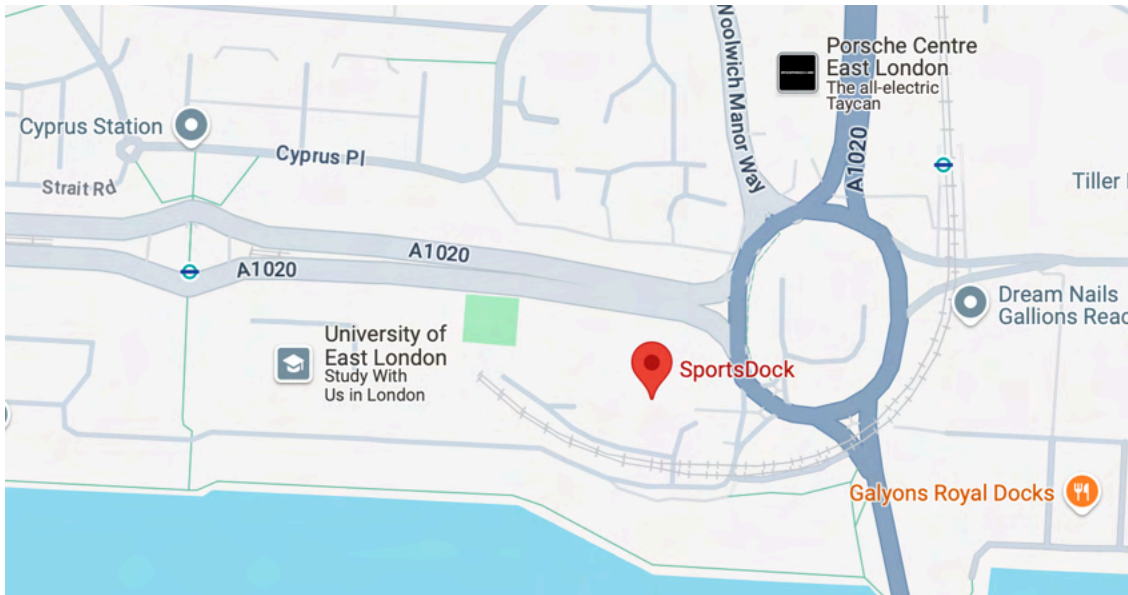
## Travel

**Address:** SportsDock, University of East London, Dockland Campus, University Way, London E16 2RD.

**Bus:** Bus routes near the Docklands Campus include 101, 173, 262, 300, 366, 376, 474 and N551.

**Tube / DLR:** The closest station to SportsDock is Gallions Reach on the Docklands Light Railway (DLR).

**Car:** Travel by coach or car may be advisable if transporting large equipment that would be difficult to carry on public transport. Please note parking spaces at the venue are limited.



## Enquiries

Any questions regarding the event, please feel free to contact us.

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We look forward to welcoming you to the Aquila Open.



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