

Kixstar Open 2026

2nd August
K2 Arena Crawley



Dear Coaches and Athletes,

On behalf of **Kixstar Dragon Taekwondo**, we are pleased to invite you to participate in our **Annual Kixstar Open Championship**, taking place on **Sunday, 2nd August 2026**, at the **K2 Crawley Arena**.

We are fully committed to ensuring the highest standards of organisation and professionalism to deliver a **safe, enjoyable, and competitive event** for all participants. Our goal is to provide an environment that promotes both sporting excellence and the spirit of Taekwondo.

We are 100% committed to making this event a success and to upholding the highest level of preparation, safety, and fairness throughout the competition.

We look forward to welcoming you and your athletes to **Crawley** for an exciting and memorable day of Taekwondo.

Best Regards,

Kixstar Dragon Taekwondo

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EVENT INFORMATION

Weigh-In:

- Saturday, 1st August 2026
- 4:00pm – 7:00pm
- K2 Arena, Pease Pottage Hill, Crawley RH11 9BQ

Please note: There will be no weigh-in on the day of competition.

Competition Day:

- Sunday, 1st August 2026
- 9am-6pm (Doors will open from 8am)
- K2 Arena, Pease Pottage Hill, Crawley RH11 9BQ

Competitor Fee: £55 per entry

Spectator Fee: £10 per person (free for under 5s – cash only)

Weight Changes: £25 per change

COMPETITION DETAILS

- **Systems To Be Used:**
 - Advanced Divisions (except Peewee): KPNP (v1) PSS and E-Headguards
 - B Class Divisions (and Peewee): Non-PSS system
- **PSS Socks:**
 - Available for purchase on the day subject to size availability
 - For pre-orders, please contact **Ki Martial Arts**

OFFICIALS & ORGANISATION

- **Chief Referee:** Joanne Leach-Flanagan
- **Event Organiser:** Saimoore Sarsoza/Donna Thomas
- **Queries:** kixstartkd@gmail.com
- **Registration:** www.ma-regonline.com
- **Registration Deadline:** 19 July 2026
- **Drawsheets:** Available online after 9:00pm on Saturday 1st August 2026

Event Registration & Competition Details

Registration Instructions

- Clubs must register in advance via www.ma-regonline.com
- All competitors and coaches must be entered accurately, including British Taekwondo Membership Number (UK competitors only)
- Competitors who do not pass the audit will be removed from the entry list and not permitted to compete
- Coaches who do not pass the audit will not be permitted to coach
- Competitors failing the audit will be charged the full entry fee
- All competitors must ensure their insurance is valid on the competition date

DIVISION	AGE	MALE WEIGHTS	FEMALE WEIGHTS
PEE WEE	8 & under (born 2018 and after)	-18kg, -20kg, -22kg, -24kg, -26kg, +26kg	-18kg, -20kg, -22kg, -24kg, -26kg, +26kg
CHILDREN	9 – 11 (born 2015, 2016, 2017)	-26kg, -29kg, -32kg, -36kg, -40kg, -44kg, -48kg, +48kg	-26kg, -29kg, -32kg, -36kg, -40kg, -44kg, -48kg, +48kg
CADET	12 – 14 (born 2012, 2013, 2014)	-33kg, -37kg, -41kg, -45kg, -49kg, -53kg, -57kg, -61kg, -65kg, +65kg	-29kg, -33kg, -37kg, -41kg, -44kg, -47kg, -51kg, -55kg, -59kg, +59kg
JUNIOR	15 – 17 (born 2009, 2010, 2011)	-45kg, -48kg, -51kg, -55kg, -59kg, -63kg, -68kg, -73kg, -78kg, +78kg	-42kg, -44kg, -46kg, -49kg, -52kg, -55kg, -59kg, -63kg, -68kg, +68kg
SENIOR	17 – 34 (born in or before 2009)	-54kg, -58kg, -63kg, -68kg, -74kg, -80kg, -87kg, +87kg	-46kg, -49kg, -53kg, -57kg, -62kg, -67kg, -73kg, +73kg

Classes & Competition System

Peewee/Children:

A Class: 3rd Kup and above (Red Tag and above)

B Class: 6th to 4th Kup (Green Belt to Blue Belt)

C Class: 9th Kup to 7th Kup (Yellow Tag to Green Tag Belt)

Cadets/Juniors/Seniors:

A Class: 3rd Kup and above (Red Tag and above)

B- Class: 9th Kup to 4th Kup (Yellow Tag to Blue Belt)

- Please note White Belts are not allowed to compete for safety reasons.
- Where only 1 competitor remains in a group following the weigh in, they will be merged into another group using the following guidelines:
 - A & B class group will not be merged
 - Competitors may be moved up 1 weight group only

Rules

- Full WT rules to be applied, including full contact to the body and head shots for all age and skill groups
- Competitors will need to bring their own head guard, gumshield, body protector, forearm guards, gloves, groin guard and shin guards. Peewee and Children are allowed to wear helmets with visors for the B and C class categories. All must be WT or British Taekwondo approved. For those competing in the Advance categories (except Peeweesees), Competitors will need the same protective gear as Manual scoring, with the exception of the body protector and head guard which will be provided by the tournament organisation. Competitors will also require KPNP electronic sensor socks.

Appeals

- Referee Review Card appeal system in line with British Taekwondo practice

Weigh-In Procedures

- Calibrated digital scales will be used and 0.1kg (100g tolerance for underwear for Peewees and Children categories).
- Changes to weight groups as well as wrong age/class entries will incur a charge of £25 admin fee

Entry Fees & Withdrawals

- £55 per entry. Non-payment will result in entries being removed from the Open
- Clubs are expected to pay for competitors that do not show up or do not compete
- Withdrawals: 50% penalty fee will incur if removed between 19 July - 25 July 2026 (5pm). Withdrawals made from 26 July 2026 onwards will incur a full fee

Protests

- Any protest must be made by the club coach within 10 minutes of the end of the contest to the Chief Referee
- The Protest fee is £50 (refunded if protest is won)

Behaviour & Conduct

- All participants are expected to behave appropriately
- Organiser will address misconduct; offenders may be asked to leave or reported to BT Disciplinary Board

Liability

- Organiser reserves right to make changes
- Competitors participate at own risk
- Organiser & British Taekwondo not responsible for damages, injuries, or losses

