

WTKA Team GB

Unified Martial Arts World Championship 22-October to 28-October - CARRARA - ITALY

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

Competition

Where does the World Championships take place?

The World Championships take place in Italy, in Marina di Carrara (Tuscany). Set in beautiful position between marble queries in the mountains and the blue sea, it's an ideal base for a fantastic holiday, and not far from world famous sites such as Florence, Pisa, Lucca, Volterra, Cinque Terre, etc. (30 minutes, 1 hour away).

Where exactly is the venue of the competition?

Everything takes place in the "CARRARAFIERE" complex, a massive venue in Marina diCarrara, Viale Colombo, 1 km west (towards sea) off the Carrara exit of Genova-Livorno motorway.

When does World Championships start? What time do we have to be there?

The competitions start on Thursday 24th October at 10.00 hours after the Opening Ceremony. All competitors need to be there at 08.00 in the morning to attend the Opening Ceremony

Which area will I be competing on?

On registration day, your Coaches and National Delegations will receive a complete info pack where it will state the exact tatami number of every single discipline, specialty and category. This information is also on display at the venue.

How many divisions can I enter?

You can enter as many divisions as you like, but your entries most be authorised by your coach.

How much do the divisions cost?

Your 1st division is included in the cost. Each additional division cost £45.00 each

<u>Hotel</u>

What is the name of the hotel we will be staying in?

We are hoping retain the same hotels as previous years, Hotel Roma & Hotel Gabrini both in Marina Di Massa, but this is dependent on their availability and the size of the squad. Once we have confirmation we will let you know.

Can we book our own accommodation?

No, all accommodation must be book through WTKA GB to be able to attend the World Championships.

Are meals included?

Yes, breakfast and an evening meal are included.

Flights & Transportation

Are the costs of the flights included?

No, flights are not included.

Are transfers from and to Pisa airport included?

Yes, but only on Tue 22th & Wed 23th Oct for incomming flights, and Mon 28th Oct for out going fights

NB: We will endeavour to arrange transfers close to your flight times, but to ensure we utilise the coaches efficiently this can not be guaranteed.

If your flight arrives late in the evening we can not guarantee there will be a transfer

How do we get to the venue from the hotel?

Shuttle buses are provided throughout the day for transportation to and from the venue, these are included in the total price.

Insurance

Does the price include insurance?

Yes, £5M Public and Products Liability Insurance for Competitors is included.

Does this include travel Insurance?

No, the above mentioned insurance policy is not a substitute for a Travel Insurance policy and therefore we strongly recommend that the you arrange suitable Travel Insurance which covers you for the Martial Arts.

Medical Certificate

N.B. All competitors MUST have a WTKA medical certificate to compete at the World Championships. These are included in the costs. Medicals will be arranged closer to the time.

Competition Attire

What attire is included in the price?

The price includes the Official National Uniform for competitors

I do not want the uniform, is there any alternative clothing?

No unfortunately not

Can additional Hoddies or T-Shirts be purchased?

Yes

Is a fight suit/tracksuit included in the price?

No, fight suits/tracksuits can be purchased in an addition These are for Mat Sports only.

<u>Other</u>

Can we put our weapons in our luggage?

We cannot guarantee ANY type of weapon will be allowed within your luggage, therefore we recommend weapons go through as additional luggage categorised as 'Demonstration Equipment'

Can WTKA GB arrange transportation of weapons?

No this must be arranged by yourself

IF YOU HAVE ANY ADDITIONAL QUESTIONS PLEASE DO NOT HESITATE