

Competition information update

Welcome to the 2022 Golden State International Wushu Championships & USAWKF Kungfu Team Trials hosted by World Taiji Science Federation (WTSF), sanctioned by the United States of America Wushu-Kungfu Federation, Inc. (USAWKF), and sponsored by KungFuDirect.com. To ensure the smooth progress of the competition, the organizing committee will update competition regulations and procedures according to the actual preparations for the competition. Specific information is as follows:

Important Safety Tips

1. Epidemic Prevention Safety:

- 1) If the participants have **symptoms** of "new crown disease", or tests **positive**, please do not participate in this event, and the competition registration fee will be fully refunded.
- 2) In the GYM, except for athlete who have already in the ring and start to compete, it is recommended to wear a mask.
- 3) Athletes who have no event for a short period of time, can take a short rest in the outdoor court or return to the hotel according to the time interval.

2. Competition Safety

- 1) Please strictly abide by the arrangements of the tournament, pay attention to the area of practice, and compete, and make full preparations for the competition, to avoid accidental injuries to yourself and others. The Organizing Committee will set up a first-aid station on the venue and arrange full-time personnel to provide emergency rescue measures.
- 2) During the competition, the organization committee will also arrange two security police officers. If there is an emergency, please contact the security personnel and the organizing committee for assistance.

Supplementary Regulations Update

If the supplementary provisions are different from the previous content, the latest published content shall prevail.

1. Event Tickets

Team leaders, coaches and athletes can enter and leave the competition venue free of charge with the ID badge and wristbands issued by the organizing committee. Spectator tickets can be purchased directly at the door. It is recommended that each team be led by team leaders and coaches, and parents of athletes should attend as little as possible.

2. Event Arrangement

For event with less than 3 participants, the organizing committee will select similar event of the same age and gender and combine them; at the same time, the projects with too many participants are also divided into groups. Therefore, the item codes of some athletes will be partially changed, and the item codes displayed in the adjusted system shall prevail.

3. Opening ceremony

- 1) Opening Ceremony Time: On September 4th, 7:30am will gather in the competition GYM of all teams; 8:00am-8:40am Team Marching in; 8:40am roll call for first Competition events of each ring; 9:00 Competition starts.
- 2) Teams with 5 peoples or more can contact the Organizing Committee to make an team sign; Teams with less than 5 people can enter the field together with the last "Golden State International Wushu Championships Individuals";
- 3) Each team needs to recommend 2 marching guides for the team, one of whom is responsible for holding the admission sign, and the other is responsible for command or as a flag bearer. Please report to the organizing committee before August 20th for the name and contact information for the 2 marching guides for the team.
- 4) The order of team admission is according to the alphabet order for the first English letter of each team's name. The schematic diagram of the admission procession and admission route will be announced separately through the admission guide and the organizing committee. It is recommended that all teams enter the venue in uniform or wearing performance costumes.
- 5) Opening Ceremony ends: Follow the guides of each team to line up and clear the field in time to ensure that the first competition event starts on time.

4. Competition Ring Schedule

- 1) The preliminary timetable for the venue project has been set. Please check the News section of the Gowushu.com website. The detailed timetable will be update in this NEWS section on August 20.
- 2) The schedule of the rings is estimated timetable, athletes must arrive at the competition Gym at least 1 hour in advance to ensure that they will not miss the competition event.
- 3) When the competition times of the two events are very close, the athletes may apply to the Head judge of the two venues in advance to postpone or advance the competition according to the specific situation of the time difference. The head judge may adjust the order of the competition as appropriate. If the entire group is not able to participate in the competition at the end of the competition, it will be regarded as a forfeiture.
- 4) The Judge team can adopt the method of perform at the same time according to the style and characteristics of the from, while ensuring the quality of the judgement and the safety of the venue.

- 5) The time of the Taiji bare hands form is 3-6 minutes. The Judge will blow the whistle at 3 minutes, it is recommended competitors to end it from in with in 1 or 2 minutes and ensure that the total routine time does not exceed 6 minutes. For athletes who are overtime, the Head Judge has the right to terminate the athlete's performance. Taiji weapon forms can be practiced in less than 3 minutes, also we recommend that all Taiji weapon forms should take no more than 4 minutes.
- 6) When the score is obviously unreasonable, the head judge may give extra or deducted points before showing the final score of the athlete. The head judge can add or subtract points from 0.01 to 0.10 points without the approval of the chief- referee.

5. Competition Awards

- 1) The competition certificate is a digital certificate. Athletes can download it directly in the competition registration account. If the coach or school signs up on their behalf, please contact the coach and school to download the certificate.
- 2) The medals and trophies of the in-person competition can be directly collected at the on-site award receiving table; the Kung Fu team trial certificate will be mailed uniformly after the competition has been reviewed and confirmed by the United States of America Wushu-Kungfu Federation (USAWKF).
- 3) The results of the all-around competition can only be announced after the competition of all age groups is over. The all-around trophy can be collected on site at the award receiving table. If the athlete cannot collect it on-site, it can be mailed by the organizing committee, The postage fee shall be borne by the athlete.
- 4) *The size of the all-around trophy is large, If the athlete is flying, please understand the consignment requirements of each airline in advance. If the organizing committee needs to mail it on its behalf, please contact the organizing committee. The postage fee shall be borne by the athlete.
- 5) The results of the competition will be announced through the competition website gowushu.com; the registration website bowuu.com; the organizer website wtjsf.org, and various online platforms of the organizer, and will be reported through other news media.

6. Judge Team Requirements

- 1) The Arbitration Committee, Chief Referee and Deputy Chief Referee of this competition are all international level referees or experienced referee leaders.
- 2) The head judge, deputy head judge and scoring judge of each judge group are respectively held by professional referees at the international level, Pan American level, national level and national level, and priority will be given to the judges for the competition without students.

- 3) Referee Rotation: In this competition, there will be two referee rotations in different venues at noon and in the afternoon.
 - 4) Invalid score: five judges give the score, remove the highest score and the lowest score, and the middle three scores are averaged; if there are only four judges, the highest score and the lowest score are removed, and the middle two scores are averaged; In case of short-term special circumstances, if there are only three Judges to score, the average of the three scores will be taken. This ensures that the Judge's scoring is accurate and valid.
 - 5) to ensure the fairness and rigor of the competition, in addition to the feedback from the coaches and athletes in accordance with the arbitration procedure during the competition, you can also send an email to clubtaichi@yahoo.com during or after the competition for feedback and complaints to the judge, judge group. The Organizing Committee will carefully select future referees according to the specific circumstances.
7. Team Leader and Coach Welcome Banquet
The organizer invites 1 team leader and 1 coach of each team to participate in the "Championships Welcome Banquet" held in the ballroom of the Crown Hotel in Union City on Saturday, September 3rd from 7:00pm to 9:00pm. Please contact the Organizing Committee before August 20 to register.

The detailed schedule of the competition and name list of officials and Judge team will be announced after August.

For more information, please check the news section of the event website gowushu.com

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Preliminary Competition Schedule

(Detailed schedule will be updated in gowushu.com News after August 20)

In-Person Competition Rings schedule

Ring1-1	9am-12:30pm	All Taiji individual events
Ring1-2	1pm-5:30pm	0-6yrs all events; 7-8yrs bare hands
Ring1-3	6pm-9pm	7-8yrs, all Weapons
Ring2-1	9am-12pm	9-10yrs, all bare hand
Ring2-2	12:30pm-4:30pm	9-10yrs short weapons & soft weapons
Ring2-3	5:00pm-8:30pm	9-10yrs long weapons
Ring3-1	9am-12:30pm	11-12yrs, all bare hand
Ring3-2	1pm-4:10pm	11-12yrs all short weapon
Ring3-3	4:40pm-9pm	11-12yrs soft and long weapon
Ring4-1	9am-12:30pm	Jiti Taiji; Health Qigong; 13-14yrs all bare hands
Ring4-2	1pm-5pm	13-14yrs all short and soft weapon
Ring4-3	5:30pm-9pm	13-14yrs all long weapon
Ring5-1	9am-12:20pm	15-16yrs; 17-18yrs all bare hands
Ring5-2	12:50pm-4:10pm	15-16yrs; 17-18yrs, all short weapons
Ring5-3	4:40pm-9:20pm	15-16yrs soft weapons, 15-16yrs and 17-18yrs long weapons
Ring6-11	9am-1pm	All Kungfu Jiti; 19yrs and up bare hands
Ring6-2	1:30pm-4:50pm	All Duilian; 19yrs and up short and soft weapons
Ring6-3	5:30pm-8:30pm	17-18 soft weapons and all 19yrs up long weapons

Online Competition Rings schedule

Ring1	August 20-25 2022 (Judge Group1 score)	All Contemporary Wushu
Ring2	August 20-25 2022 (Judge Group2 score)	All traditional kung fu
Ring3	August 20-25 2022 (Judge Group3 score)	All Taiji Health Qigong, and Jiti

