



OUR REF: KKF/CL/01

Date: 5th Feb, 2026

TERMS & CONDITIONS

1. GENERAL TERMS

1.1 Championship Organization

1.1.1 The championship is organized by Club Moja (An Affiliate to Kenya Karate Federation & Nairobi City County Sports association) under the rules and regulations of the World Karate Federation (WKF).

1.1.2 The organizers reserve the right to modify, postpone, or cancel any event due to unforeseen circumstances including but not limited to insufficient participation, venue issues, or force majeure events.

1.1.3 All decisions by the tournament committee, referees, and officials are final and binding.

1.2 Eligibility Requirements

1.2.1 Seniors and Novices Karatekas allowed to participate in the category of their qualification.

1.2.2 Age categories for Cadets & Juniors will be strictly enforced based on date of birth. Proof of age (passport or birth certificate) may be required.

1.2.3 Competitors must be medically fit to participate. By registering, participants confirm they have no medical conditions that would prevent safe competition.

2. REGISTRATION & PAYMENT

2.1 Registration Process

2.1.1 All registrations must be completed through the official online registration system

2.1.2 Late registrations may be accepted at the discretion of the organizers with an additional late fee.

2.1.3 Registrations are considered complete only when:

1. All required information is provided
2. Required documents are uploaded
3. Full payment has been received

2.2 Payment Terms

2.2.1 Registration fees are as published on the official championship website.

2.2.2 Accepted payment methods: [M-Pesa.] No Physical Payments Allowed

2.2.3 NON-REFUNDABLE POLICY:

Registration fees are NON-REFUNDABLE once payment has been made

No refunds will be issued for no-shows, withdrawals and disqualifications.

In case of event postponement, registration will automatically transfer to the new date

No exceptions to the refund policy will be made



2.3 Category Changes

2.3.1 Category changes may be permitted until 12th Feb with administrative fees.

2.3.2 No category changes will be allowed after the weigh-in/verification process.

3. COMPETITION RULES

3.1 Technical Regulations

3.1.1 The championship will follow Updated 2026 WKF competition rules.

3.1.2 Mandatory protective equipment:

1. WKF-approved gloves
2. WKF-approved shin/instep protectors
3. Gum shield (mouth guard)
4. Groin protector (Male Kumite)
5. Chest protector (Male & Female Kumite)

3.1.3 Traditional white karate gi (uniform) with approved patches only.

3.2 Weight Categories

3.2.1 Weigh-ins will be conducted [Time] before competition starts as per WKF guidelines.

3.2.2 Competitors failing to make weight will be disqualified without refund.

3.2.3 No weight allowance will be granted.

3.3 Code of Conduct

3.3.1 All participants, coaches, and officials must demonstrate proper martial arts etiquette.

3.3.2 Unsportsmanlike conduct will result in immediate disqualification and possible expulsion from the venue.

3.3.3 Coaches must remain in designated areas and may not interfere with officiating.

4. HEALTH & SAFETY

4.1 Medical Requirements

4.1.1 Any competitor with a medical issue must provide a Medical report that clears them to participate in the event failure to which the event organizers will not take liability of any risk related issues.

4.1.2 Participants acknowledge the risk of injury inherent in martial arts competitions.

4.1.3 The organizers are not responsible for medical expenses resulting from competition injuries.

4.2 Health Protocols

4.2.1 Current public health guidelines will be strictly enforced.

4.2.2 Participants may be required to provide proof of vaccination or negative tests as per local regulations.



4.2.3 Anyone displaying symptoms of illness may be refused entry without refund.

5. MEDIA & PUBLICITY

5.1 Media Rights

5.1.1 By participating, competitors grant the organizers irrevocable rights to use photographs, videos, and likenesses for promotional purposes.

5.1.2 Personal filming for private use is permitted but must not interfere with competition.

5.1.3 Commercial photography/videography requires prior written permission.

5.2 Data Protection

5.2.1 Personal information will be processed in accordance with data protection laws.

5.2.2 Participant information may be shared with affiliated federations for administrative purposes.

6. VENUE RULES

6.1 Access Control

6.1.1 Both Spectators and registered participants will be allowed in competition areas.

6.1.3 The organizers reserve the right to remove anyone from the venue for security reasons.

6.2 Equipment

6.2.1 Personal equipment must meet WKF safety standards.

6.2.2 Equipment will be inspected before competition. Non-compliant equipment will not be permitted.

7. LIABILITY & INSURANCE

7.1 Participant Responsibility

7.1.1 Participants compete at their own risk. The organizers, venue, and officials are not liable for:

1. Personal injury or death
2. Loss or damage to personal property
3. Financial losses related to competition participation

7.1.2 Participants must have adequate personal insurance covering sports injuries.

7.2 Force Majeure

7.2.1 The organizers are not liable for event cancellation or modification due to circumstances beyond reasonable control including:

1. Natural disasters
2. Government restrictions
3. Venue unavailability
4. Pandemic/epidemic situations



8. DISPUTE RESOLUTION

8.1 Complaints Procedure

8.1.1 Formal complaints must be submitted in writing to the tournament committee within 30 minutes of the incident.

8.1.2 A complaint fee of **KES.200** may be required, refundable if the complaint is upheld.

8.2 Arbitration

8.2.1 All disputes not resolved by the tournament committee will be referred to the [Kenya Karate Federation] for final arbitration.

9. ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

9.1 Agreement

9.1.1 By registering for this championship, participants (and guardians for minors) acknowledge they have:

1. Read and understood all terms and conditions
2. Agreed to abide by all rules and regulations
3. Accepted the non-refundable nature of registration fees
4. Assumed all risks associated with competition

9.2 Minor Participants

9.2.1 For competitors under 18 years, these terms must be accepted by a parent or legal guardian.

9.2.2 Guardians or Coaches must remain present at the venue throughout the competition.

SPECIAL NOTES:

⚠ REFUND POLICY HIGHLIGHTS:

NO REFUNDS under any circumstances once payment is processed

Registration is transferable to another qualified competitor until [Transfer Deadline]

Event postponement = registration transferred to new date

Event cancellation = no refunds issued

⚠ KEY ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS REQUIRED:

I understand registration fees are NON-REFUNDABLE

I accept all competition risks and waive liability claims

I agree to follow all rules and officials' decisions

I confirm I am medically fit to compete

I grant media rights to the organizers



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