

FAMILY MARTIAL ARTS CENTER
TAEKWONDOLYMPICS SATURDAY, OCTOBER 21
WARWICK COUNTY PARK

September 5, 2017

Dear AFMAC Students and Parents:

I am pleased to announce we will hold our **22nd Annual TaekwondOlympics** Competition on **Saturday, October 21**, at **Warwick County Park** (Pavilion 2). The competition will start promptly at **1 PM**, and is open to AFMAC students ages 3-15 of all ranks, even Little Dragons and Beginners.

The registration form is attached to this letter. Please fill out your form carefully, and return it with payment to the office no later than **Thursday, October 5**. As we must order enough ribbons, medals, trophies and t-shirts in advance, no late registration forms will be accepted.

TaekwondOlympics is a family-oriented “decathlon” event designed to test the students’ martial art and athletic skills in a fun-filled, yet competitive manner. There are ten events you will enter. **Students will be divided by age, size, and rank into groups of four or five.** They will receive a ribbon (1st, 2nd, 3rd, or 4th Place) in every event they enter. Students who place first in each event will compete against each other - the winner receives a gold medal for that event. At the end of the day we add up everyone’s results. Whoever had the best overall performance will receive a three-foot Grand Champion trophy! If you’re not familiar with the events don’t worry - we will practice them in Wednesday night classes prior to the competition!

All competitors will receive a special *TaekwondOlympics* t-shirt that they can also wear to their classes. Instructors who judge will receive a free shirt. Parents and family members may purchase an extra shirt by ordering one on the registration form. After the competition is over we usually stay for a while and play some kickball or touch football.

Bring food and drinks to enjoy during the day. We should be finished with everything by about 4 PM. **IN CASE OF RAIN:** In the event of bad weather, we will hold the competition indoors at AFMAC. We will put a message on the AFMAC facebook page \no later than 10 AM the morning of the competition with instructions. Again, please turn in your registration form by **Thursday, October 5** so we can order the correct number of awards and t-shirts. If you have any questions, please see me in the office. Thank you, and good luck!

Sincerely,

Master James W. Saemann
Director

Family Martial Arts Center
AFMAC 2017 TaekwondOlympics Entry Form

NAME: _____ **AGE:** _____ **SEX:** _____
(as of 10-21-17)

RANK: _____ **HEIGHT:** _____ **WEIGHT:** _____
(as of 10-21-17)

All participants will be entered in all ten events.

ENTRY FEE:\$79 (Each entrant will receive a free TaekwondOlympics t-shirt, a \$25 value)

This registration form must be filled out COMPLETELY, and turned in along with the entry fee no later than **Thursday, October 5**. Incomplete or inaccurate registrations WILL BE RETURNED! **NO LATE FORMS WILL BE ACCEPTED UNDER ANY CIRCUMSTANCES FOR ANY REASON!**

I, the undersigned student, parent or adult guardian, hereby give permission for the student named above to compete in the AFMAC TaekwondOlympics **October 21, 2017** at AFMAC and/or at Warwick County Park. I understand that participation in a martial arts competition can be dangerous, and can result in serious injury to the competitor. I hereby release AFMAC, Inc., its instructors, employees, volunteers, and others associated with the tournament from liability with respect to such injuries.

I also agree **not to interfere** with the judging and/or the administration of the tournament. I understand that all judges decisions are **FINAL**, and cannot be protested. I understand that there is **no guarantee** of placing at any specific level, and that the judges appointed by AFMAC are solely responsible for deciding which competitors receive each award. I understand that competitors and spectators who become disrespectful or unruly can be ejected from the tournament, without refund of entry fee, at the discretion of the management of AFMAC, Inc.

Parent's Signature

Date

T-Shirt Size Desired for competitor: _____

(Youth Medium, Youth Large, Adult Small, Medium, Large, XL, XXL)

{When in doubt order the larger size}

If you would like t-shirts for parents or siblings not competing in the TaekwondOlympics, please enclose \$25.00 per shirt and indicate size(s) here: _____

Entry Fee: \$ **79.00**

Extra T-Shirts (\$25 each) \$ _____

TOTAL PAID \$ _____