

Montana State



Taekwondo Tournament

Saturday • May 15, 2021

Glacier High School Gym

375 Wolfpack Way • Kalispell, Montana

Referee meeting at 8:45 • Competition starts at 9:30 am

We would like to invite you to the **2021 Montana Taekwondo Association State Championships**. The tournament will be held Saturday May 15th at Glacier High School (use the North entrance).

You Must be a MTA member before registering for the tournament. Go the MTA web site and "Join" <https://www.montanataekwondo.org/join-online/>

To register for the tournament, go to <https://www.montanataekwondo.org/>

Early Bird April 20th-30th\$45
Regular Registration May 1st-May 8th\$55
Late Registration May 9th-May 12th\$75
Registration Closes May 12th no registration will be accepted after this date.

Schedule of Events & Tournament Information

Due to COVID and our agreement with Glacier High school do not show up early. Athletes will only be allowed in the gym during their check in and competition times. They may be accompanied by 2 family members per athlete. We will also ask you to leave the building once your competition is completed.

Saturday, May 15th:

Place- Glacier High School
375 Wolf Pack Way
Kalispell MT 59901

8:45-9:00 AM:

- Referee Meeting
- State Team Weight-Ins (in your officials' uniform)

8:00-9:00 AM

- **Check-in** White-Sr. Yellow Belts **ONLY**

9:30-11:00 AM:

- Kinder Kicks, White-Sr. Yellow Competition (Forms and Sparring)

10:00-10:30 PM:

- **Check-in** Green-Sr. Blue **Only**

11:00-12:30 PM:

- Green-Sr. Blue Competition (Forms and Sparring)

12:30-1:00 PM:

- Lunch for Officials

12:30-1:00 PM:

- **Check-In** Red-Black Belt **Only**

1:00-Finish:

- Red and Black Belt Competition (Forms and Sparring (no Daedo this year))
- State Team Fight Offs
- Special Awards



STATE TEAM REQUIREMENTS

If you wish to compete for the Montana State Team, you must:

1. Be 12 years old or older
2. Red Belt or Higher
3. Have a current MTA membership
4. Be a current Official (must have taken this year's officials course)
5. Weight-In, in your Officials Uniform
6. Work this year's State Championships as an official

All athletes winning their divisions will receive:

- MTA State Team Uniform
- Scholarships will be determined based off State Championship Participation and the allowing budget (to be determined)

If you have any questions, please contact your instructor.



Competition Divisions by Age, Rank & Event

Divisions

All division will be determined the day of the event based on, age, size and belt rank.

Competition Rules & Requirements:

This tournament will follow the Montana Taekwondo Association guidelines for rules of competition.

FREE-SPARRING

Free-sparring includes, but is not limited to, the following:

1. The competition will conform to the standard double elimination format with three rounds.
2. Contact will be controlled and points will be awarded only for legal, controlled, accurate punching and kicking techniques to legal target areas.
3. Kicks to the body with the proper technique, foot placement and proper amount of force will be awarded 2 points and **a bonus points for a rotating body kick** (3 point for Back kick), good punch to body is 1 point
4. Kicking to the head will be permitted for green belt and above all ages; however, kicking will be controlled and only minimal contact will be allowed such kicks will be given **3 points will be awarded for any head contact that is light and a bonus point for rotating head kick.** Excessive, willful or careless contact whether or not it results in injury will be penalized in accordance to MTA competition rules, this includes the Daedo sparring as well.
5. **All competitors shall provide the following WT-approved safety equipment:** headgear, mouth guard, chest protector,

forearms guards, shin and instep guards, groin cup (males) and clean uniform.

6. The 20 point spread will be used, and tie breaking overtime rules will be followed as per the MTA rules of competition.

FORMS

Singles Forms—Divisions for “singles” forms will be drawn based on rank. **All forms will be accepted.** Competitors should perform the form appropriate to their rank for example (white: Basic Form #1 or #1; yellow: #1 or #2; green: #3 or #4; blue: #5 or #6; red: #7 or #8; 1st Dan black: Koryo, etc.) as per the MTA rules of poomse competition. We will use the decision and bracket method of competition in a double elimination format.

REFEREES

Please wear the Official MTA Referee uniform, Black slacks, Black shoes/shocks or Kicking Shoes, Black belt and Referee Polo shirt. All Referees in uniform and work all day will receive referee promotional credits, official reviews, lunch and snacks.

Referee Meeting time will be 8:45-9:00am