

ROMA GLADIATOR OPEN

ROME, ITALY
15-16 MARCH 2025

SPORT STADIUM PALATORRINO, VIA FIUME GIALLO 47 (ZONA EUR TORRINO), ROME



romagladiatoropen@gmail.com
www.sportdata.org / www.fitae-itf.com

Invitation

December 27th, 2024

Dear ITF members,

This is to invite you to participate at the **ROMA GLADIATOR OPEN Taekwon-Do ITF Championship** to be held in Rome, Italy, organized by A.S.D. Sparta Pugilato, in cooperation with the Bos Academy team, associated to the Italian Taekwon-Do Federation FITAE-ITF and AICS (Associazione Italiana Cultura Sport).

ROMA GLADIATOR OPEN
TAEKWON-DO ITF CHAMPIONSHIP
ROME, ITALY
Sports Hall PALATORRINO, Via Fiume Giallo 47

- **Saturday March 15th, 2025**, according to the following program:

hrs. 09.30-19.00 Pre-Junior, Junior and Senior, Veterans / Individual competition/All Belts

- **Sunday March 16th, 2025**, according to the following program:

hrs. 10.00-16.00 Chicks, Dragons and Kids/Individual and Team Pattern Competition/All Belts

Please receive all the necessary information to attend the ROMA GLADIATOR OPEN event.

We are looking forward to meeting you in beautiful Rome.

On behalf of A.S.D. Sparta Pugilato Organization Team
Chairman GM Wim Bos

Information

Date and Place

The event will be held on March 15-16, 2025, in the
Sports Hall PALATORRINO, Via Fiume Giallo 47, Roma

How to get to the Sports Hall

The Sports hall can be easily reached in 30 minutes from the center of Rome.

- **From TERMINI Railway Station** (Rome city center):

by TAXI

(Note: take a regular white taxi) 36 min (15.5 Km) / 26 min without traffic

<https://goo.gl/maps/fHBazeUJqhQ2>

by PUBLIC TRANSPORT:

Metro B-B1 (dest. Laurentina), get off at Eur Palasport and take bus 777 to Palatorrino (tot. 50 min.)

- **From Leonardo da Vinci – Fiumicino International Airport:**

by TAXI (Note: take a regular white taxi) 17 min (19.5 km) <https://goo.gl/maps/AC9zLvcTR1w>

by PUBLIC TRANSPORT: 1 h 20 min, not advisable due to three interchanges

- **From Ciampino Airport:**

by TAXI (Note: take a regular white taxi) 25 min (19 km) without traffic <https://maps.app.goo.gl/wVbWAYnPqcv7QNMu6>

Click [HERE](#) to plan your journey in Rome

Sponsors:

[NI-KKO Sport](#)



[Top Ten Sports Italia](#)



[TKD Tekkers](#)



Accommodation

Participants may find their own accommodation around the sports hall area:

- [Sheraton Parco de' Medici Rome Hotel](#)
- [Holiday Inn Rome - Eur Parco Dei Medici](#)
- [Rome Marriott Park Hotel](#)
- [Novotel Roma Eur](#)

In addition, many B&B are available around the venue (EUR TORRINO area).

PLEASE NOTE: Early booking is advised for your accommodation in Rome, as the city will host the Jubilee Year in 2025 and is anticipating a significant influx of tourists.

The Sports Hall PALATORRINO

The Sports Hall [PALATORRINO](#), located in Via Fiume Giallo, 47, 00144 Rome (Zona Eur Torrino), hosts many national martial arts events.



Competition

The participation in the **ROMA GLADIATOR OPEN** Taekwon-Do ITF Championship of clubs or members of other ITF organizations is subject to the favorable opinion of the FITAE-ITF Board of Directors.

Competitors must be in possession and accept the following to participate:

1. ITF dobok.
2. Chicks, Dragons and Kids **might** wear an optional face mask protection during sparring. **Punches and kicks to the face are allowed.**
3. Pattern competition – athletes compete one against one at the same time.
4. Each bout consists of one pattern only.
5. There must be at least two (2) competitors in any division and/or category.
6. In the case of only one (1) competitor, he/she will be moved to a different category.
7. At registration weight/height measuring **ALL** Competitors must wear dobok trousers and a T or polo shirt.
8. Competitors **NOT** making the correct weight/height may be moved to a different category with an extra penalty fee of € 25,00.
9. For other matters, the ITF competition rules will be observed.
10. Medals will be given to the 1st, 2nd and one 3rd place winner.

Age Divisions

- **Chicks** (born in the year 2017-2018-2019)
- **Dragons** (born in the year 2015-2016)
- **Kids** (born in the year 2013-2014)
- **Pre-Junior** (born in the year 2010-2011-2012)
- **Junior** (born in the year 2007-2008-2009)
- **Seniors** (born in the year from 1990 to 2006)
- **Veterans** (born in the year 1989 or before) *

(*) Veterans who choose to compete in the Senior category will not be eligible to compete in any Veterans category.

Registration / Payments/Draws

Registration for this competition is exclusively through www.sportdata.org

Closing of the online registration: **Sunday 9th March 2025 at 23.00 hrs.**

Payments - On March 10, 2025, we will email an invoice to each participating club. The total amount due must be paid by bank transfer, **on or before March 12, 2025**, to:

ASD Sparta Pugilato

BANCO BPM S.P.A - ROMA AG.14

IBAN IT96I0503403215000000002253

SWIFT - BAPPIT21B07

Bank transfer reference: "Club name" Registration Rome Gladiator Open

- With copy of the invoice and bank transfer to: romagladiaoropen@gmail.com

Please note: There are NO ATMs available in the surrounding area.

Draws

- Once payments are received, the competition draws will be prepared and published online by Thursday, March 13th, 2025 at 11:00 PM (CET) on www.sportdata.org.
- Club managers and instructors are responsible for ensuring the accurate online registration of their athletes. Please double-check your registration lists carefully!

Competition Entry Fees

Individual: € 40

Team: € 50

2nd Extra Individual higher sparring category + € 30 (only Pre-Junior, Junior and/or Senior)



Umpires

Any School/Club/Gym must participate with Umpire(s) according to the following:

- Up to 3 competitors: 0 **Umpire** / More than 3 competitors: **minimum 1 Umpire or more**

School/Club/Gyms that **do not** participate with a requested Umpire shall pay - **with no exception** - the amount of **75 €** for the missing Umpire.

- Umpire outfit: dark blue (or black) pants, dark blue jacket, tie, white shirt and white shoes.
- Umpires will be provided with drinks, lunch and snacks. Please let us know a.s.a.p. any food restriction or allergy.
- Umpires shall receive compensation based on the role played during the event.
- Any Umpire wishing to officiate must make the inscription together with their team on the platform www.sportdata.org **on or before March 10th, 2025.**

Coach outfit

Tracksuit, sport shoes, towel.

Weigh In for Pre-Junior, Junior, Senior and Veteran

The Weigh In for **Pre-Junior, Junior, Senior and Veteran** will take place at the



Sports Hall PALATORRINO, Via Fiume Giallo 47, Roma

Friday 14/03/2025 - 18.00 - 21.00

Saturday 15/03/2025 - 07.30 - 08.30



PLEASE NOTE: To optimize event organization, we strongly recommend registering and weighing in **ON FRIDAY** (from 18.00 to 21.00 hrs)

Height measurement for Chicks, Dragons and Kids

Height measurements for Chicks, Dragons, and Kids will take place at the Sports Hall Palatorrino at the following times:

Friday 14/03/2025 time 18.00 - 21.00 or Sunday 16/03/2025 time 07.30 – 09.00

Sparring Equipment

- Hand and foot gear (color is not important).
- **Red and Blue Head** gear depending on the draw.
- **Transparent face mask OPTIONAL only for Chicks, Dragons and Kids***
- Transparent mouth guard.
- Groin guard (worn inside the dobok trousers).

*



Optional face mask - EXAMPLE



Saturday - Competition Program

Pre-Junior, Junior and Senior, Veterans / Individual competition /All Belts

07.30	Opening of the Sports Hall
08.45	Umpire gathering
09.00	Opening speech – Competitors and Coaches lining up
09.30-19.00	Pre-Junior, Junior, Senior, Veterans – All Belts Individual competition according to after the draw provided competition schedule.

Divisions/Categories/Pre-Junior (born in 2010/2011/2012)

Individual Male and Female **Pre-Junior Pattern Divisions**

Pre-Junior - Pattern						
White belt/White superior		Competitor's choice		Chon-Ji		
Yellow belt/Yellow superior		Competitor's choice	from	Chon-Ji	to	Do-San
Green belt/Green superior		Competitor's choice	from	Chon-Ji	to	Yul-Gok

Blue belt/Blue superior	Competitor's choice	from	Chon-Ji	to	Toi-Gye
Red belt/Red superior	Competitor's choice	from	Chon-Ji	to	Choong-Moo
Black I and II degree	Umpire's choice	from	Kwang-Gae	to	Ge-Baek

Individual Male and Female **Pre-Junior Sparring Categories**

Belt Division Pre-Junior

- Group 1: white and yellow belts
- Group 2: green and blue belts
- Group 3: red and black belts

Weight Classes

Male – Group 1 and 2

1. Individual Male Pre-Junior Sparring up to 40 kg
2. Individual Male Pre-Junior Sparring over 40 to 48 kg
3. Individual Male Pre-Junior Sparring over 48 to 56 kg
4. Individual Male Pre-Junior Sparring over 56 kg

Female – Group 1 and 2

1. Individual Female Pre-Junior Sparring up to 40 kg
2. Individual Female Pre-Junior Sparring over 40 to 48 kg
3. Individual Female Pre-Junior Sparring over 48 to 56 kg
4. Individual Female Pre-Junior Sparring over 56 kg

Male – Group 3

1. Individual Male Pre-Junior Sparring up to 40 kg
2. Individual Male Pre-Junior Sparring over 40 to 45 kg
3. Individual Male Pre-Junior Sparring over 45 to 50 kg
4. Individual Male Pre-Junior Sparring over 50 to 55 kg
5. Individual Male Pre-Junior Sparring over 55 to 60 kg
6. Individual Male Pre-Junior Sparring over 60 to 65 kg
7. Individual Male Pre-Junior Sparring over 65 kg

Female – Group 3

1. Individual Female Pre-Junior Sparring up to 40 kg
2. Individual Female Pre-Junior Sparring over 40 to 44 kg
3. Individual Female Pre-Junior Sparring over 44 to 48 kg
4. Individual Female Pre-Junior Sparring over 48 to 52 kg
5. Individual Female Pre-Junior Sparring over 52 to 56 kg
6. Individual Female Pre-Junior Sparring over 56 to 60 kg
7. Individual Female Pre-Junior Sparring over 60 kg

Duration of round - Group 1 and 2: 1 x 2 minutes

Duration of round – Group 3: eliminations and finals 2 x 2 minutes.

Individual Male and Female **Pattern - Junior, Senior and Veteran Cat.**

Junior Individual Male and Female						
White belt/White superior		Competitor's choice		Chon-Ji		
Yellow belt/Yellow superior		Competitor's choice	from	Chon-Ji	to	Do-San
Green belt/Green superior		Competitor's choice	from	Chon-Ji	to	Yul-Gok
Blue belt/Blue superior		Competitor's choice	from	Chon-Ji	to	Toi-Gye
Red belt/Red superior		Competitor's choice	from	Chon-Ji	to	Choong-Moo
Black I degree		Umpire's choice	from	Chon-Ji	to	Ge-Baek
Black II – III degree		Umpire's choice	from	Chon-Ji	to	Ju-Che
Senior Male and Female						
White belt/White superior		Competitor's choice		Chon-Ji		
Yellow belt/Yellow superior		Competitor's choice	from	Chon-Ji	to	Do-San
Green belt/Green superior		Competitor's choice	from	Chon-Ji	to	Yul-Gok
Blue belt/Blue superior		Competitor's choice	from	Chon-Ji	to	Toi-Gye
Red belt/Red superior		Competitor's choice	from	Chon-Ji	to	Choong-Moo
Black I degree		Umpire's choice	from	Kwang-Gae	to	Ge-Baek
Black II degree		Umpire's choice	from	Eui-Am	to	Ju-Che
Black III degree		Umpire's choice	from	Sam-Il	to	Choi-Yong
Black IV to VI degree		Umpire's choice	from	Yong-Gae	to	Moon-Moo
Veteran Male and Female						
Colored belts – one division		Competitors choice	from	Chon-Ji	to	Choong-Moo
Black Belts - one division.		Competitors choice	from	Kwang-Gae	to	Moon-Moo

Individual Male and Female Junior Sparring Categories

- Group 1: white and yellow belts
- Group 2: green and blue belts
- Group 3: red and black belts

Weight classes

Male – Group 1 and 2

1. Individual Male Junior Sparring up to 50 kg
2. Individual Male Junior Sparring over 50 to 58 kg
3. Individual Male Junior Sparring over 58 to 65 kg
4. Individual Male Junior Sparring over 65 kg

Female – Group 1 and 2

1. Individual Female Junior Sparring up to 45 kg
2. Individual Female Junior Sparring over 45 to 52 kg
3. Individual Female Junior Sparring over 52 to 60 kg
4. Individual Female Junior Sparring over 60 kg

Male – Group 3

1. Individual Male Junior Sparring up to 50 kg
2. Individual Male Junior Sparring over 50 to 55 kg
3. Individual Male Junior Sparring over 55 to 60 kg
4. Individual Male Junior Sparring over 60 to 65 kg
5. Individual Male Junior Sparring over 65 to 70 kg
6. Individual Male Junior Sparring over 70 to 75 kg
7. Individual Male Junior Sparring over 75 kg

Female - Group 3

1. Individual Female Junior Sparring up to 45 kg
2. Individual Female Junior Sparring over 45 to 49 kg
3. Individual Female Junior Sparring over 49 to 53 kg
4. Individual Female Junior Sparring over 53 to 57 kg
5. Individual Female Junior Sparring over 57 to 61 kg
6. Individual Female Junior Sparring over 61 to 65 kg
7. Individual Female Junior Sparring over 65 kg

Duration of round - Group 1 and 2: 1 x 2 minutes

Duration of round – Group 3: eliminations and finals 2 x 2 minutes.

Individual Male and Female **Senior Sparring Categories**

Categories

- Group 1: white, yellow and green belts
- Group 2: blue and red belts
- Group 3: black belts

Weight classes

Male – Group 1 and 2

1. Individual Male Senior Sparring up to 60 kg
2. Individual Male Senior Sparring over 60 to 68 kg
3. Individual Male Senior Sparring over 68 to 75 kg
4. Individual Male Senior Sparring over 75

Female - group 1 and 2

1. Individual Female Senior Sparring up to 50 kg
2. Individual Female Senior Sparring over 50 to 57 kg
3. Individual Female Senior Sparring over 57 to 65 kg
4. Individual Female Senior Sparring over 65 kg

Group 3 – Black Belts

Male

1. Individual Male Senior Sparring up to 57 kg
2. Individual Male Senior Sparring over 57 to 63 kg
3. Individual Male Senior Sparring over 63 to 69 kg
4. Individual Male Senior Sparring over 69 to 75 kg
5. Individual Male Senior Sparring over 75 to 81 kg
6. Individual Male Senior Sparring over 81 to 87 kg
7. Individual Male Senior Sparring over 87 kg

Female

1. Individual Female Senior Sparring up to 50 kg
2. Individual Female Senior Sparring over 50 to 55 kg
3. Individual Female Senior Sparring over 55 to 60 kg
4. Individual Female Senior Sparring over 60 to 65 kg
5. Individual Female Senior Sparring over 65 to 70 kg
6. Individual Female Senior Sparring over 70 to 75 kg
7. Individual Female Senior Sparring over 75 kg

Duration of round - Group 1 and 2: 1 x 2 minutes

Duration of round – Group 3: eliminations and finals 2 x 2 minutes.

Individual Male and Female **Veteran Sparring Categories**

- Group 1: white, yellow, and green belts
- Group 2: blue, red, and black belts

Weight classes - Group 1 and/or 2 - Male -70 kg, +70 kg / Female -55 kg, +55 kg

Duration of round - Group 1 and 2: Eliminations and finals 1 x 2 minutes

Sunday - Competition Program

Chicks, Dragons and Kids / Individual and Team Pattern competition

07.30	Opening of the Sports Hall
09.00	Umpires' briefing
09.30	Opening speech – Competitors and Coaches lining up
10.00-16.00	Chicks, Dragons and Kids - All Belts Individual and team competition

Chicks, Dragons and Kids (6-11 years)

Individual and Team Pattern / Individual Sparring / High Front Jumping kick

Individual Pattern

- **Chicks** **mixed** division Male and Female
- **Dragons** **mixed** division Male and Female
- **Kids** **mixed** division Male and Female

White belts/ White belt superior	Competitor free choice		Chon-Ji		
Yellow belt/Yellow superior	Competitor free choice	from	Chon-Ji	to	Do-San
Green belt/Green superior	Competitor free choice	from	Chon-Ji	to	Yul-Gok
Blue belt /Blu sup.	Competitor free choice	from	Chon-Ji	to	Toi-Gye
Red belt/Red sup.	Competitor free choice	from	Chon-Ji	to	Choong-Moo

Sparring

- **Chicks** division Male and Female
- **Dragons** division Male and Female
- **Kids** division Male and Female

Groups

- Group 1 white, yellow and green belts
- Group 2 blue and red belts

Height Classes

- **Chicks** -125 cm / + 125 cm
- **Dragons** -135 cm / + 135 cm
- **Kids** -145 cm / + 145 cm

Duration of round: 1 x 1.30 minutes

High Front Jumping Kick – Divisions

- **Chicks** division Male and Female
- **Dragons** division Male and Female
- **Kids** division Male and Female

Team Pattern

Team Pattern consists of:

- Chicks, Dragons and Kids (One Team Male/Female together)
- The performed pattern must be of the lowest rank competitor

Attention: Participation in the ROMA GLADIATOR OPEN Taekwon-Do ITF Championship is at your own risk.

The organization is not liable for any injuries or other issues that may arise during the event. We strongly recommend that your competitors maintain adequate insurance coverage to address any incidents that may arise during travel to and participation in the event.

We look forward to meeting you in Italy.

Please do not hesitate to address your questions to:
[**romagladiatoropen@gmail.com**](mailto:romagladiatoropen@gmail.com)