



2014

SUVA, FIJI

OCEANIA

KARATE

CHAMPIONSHIPS

11TH – 13TH SEPTEMBER 2014

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BULA,

Since the hosting of the first Oceania Championship in Noumea, New Caledonia, some 25 years ago, this will be Fiji's second opportunity to celebrate the Oceania Karate Championship since it became an OKF member in 1997.

It gives me great pleasure to welcome you all to Fiji and to Suva the host city of the 16th Oceania Karate Championship.

Our Continental Federation has its own unique challenges; and it is in understanding and embracing our uniqueness and differences, to become complimentary that OKF can enjoy the full potential of our membership. And when this mutual respect and understanding is coupled with having the political will amongst ourselves to be resourceful and to strive for excellence and professionalism within OKF this change will certainly have an even greater impact in enhancing a more conducive sporting environment for our karatekas.

Our efforts must equal those of athletes in their pursuit for excellence as we come together to celebrate the contributions of many over the years and in particular this Silver Jubilee of the Oceania Karate Federation.

I wish all the Athletes and their Coaches, Referees, National Federation Officials, Parents Guardians and Friends as well as the OKF Executive Committee members the very best during your stay here in Suva, and in Fiji.

VINAKA.

Makarita Lenoa
President of Karate Fiji
President of Oceania Karate Federation



USEFUL INFORMATION

All international flights arrive at Nadi International Airport and to get to Suva there is

Option 1 - Transfer to Domestic Flight to Nausori Airport,

OR

Option 2 – Transfer by Road to Suva

Transfers from Nadi Airport to Suva - Approx. from FJD50.00 – FJD60.00

Upon request transportation for National Federations from the Nadi International Airport to Suva Official Hotels will be arranged by the Organising Committee for delegation at a cost depending on the number travelling, and the time of Arrival.

Transfer from Nausori Airport to Suva by taxi - Approx FJD30.00

The Organisers are happy to be of any assistance so for any queries or assistance please contact :

Ms Angela Birch

Email: gelmt@connect.com.fj

OR

Ms Laverne Qiolevu

laverne.qiolevu@gmail.com

INSURANCE

Insurance

It is compulsory that all participants and members of delegations have their own medical insurance. Karate Fiji and the Oceania Karate Federation are taking no liability for either of these. **The Heads of the delegations have to sign the enclosed:**

Terms of Responsibility sheet and return it before 30th June 2014

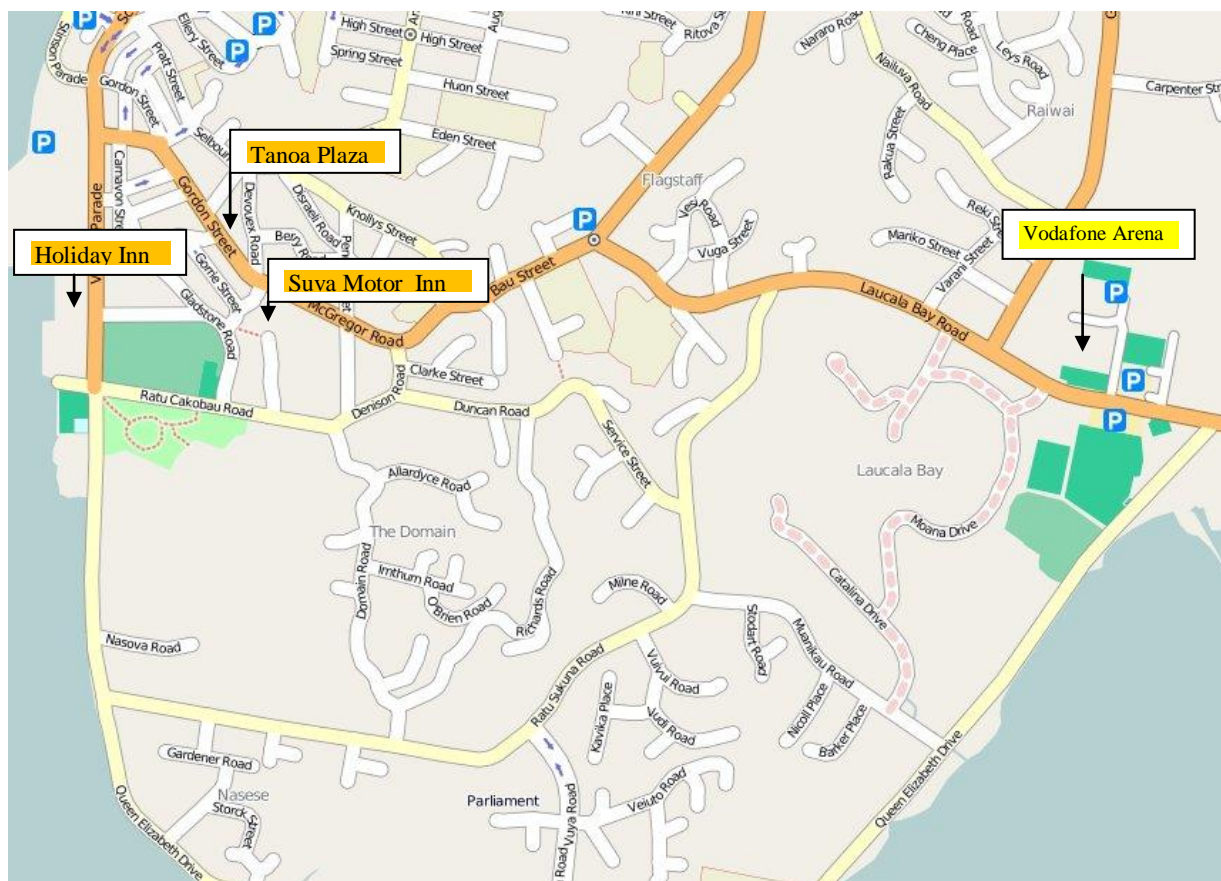


VENUE - VODAFONE ARENA



Address: Laucala Bay Road, Laucala, Suva.

Accommodation and **Championship** venues within 20 minutes of each other



A few of the Official hotels are shown on the map including the Competition Venue.





ACCOMMODATION


ALL ACCOMMODATION RATES ARE QUOTED IN FIJIAN DOLLARS

All within 30 minutes away from the VODAFONE ARENA, the Championship venue.
All properties provide WIFI at different charges.

OFFICIAL HOTELS


TANOVA PLAZA (15 minutes from Championship venue) HQ HOTEL			Hotel Rating 4*
	Room Type	Occupancy	Package Rates (per night basis)
	Superior	Single	FJD330.00
	Superior	Double	FJD340.00 (2A/2C aged 11 years and under)
	Superior	Triple	FJD350.00
	Superior	Quad	FJD360.00
	Deluxe	Single	FJD460.00
	Deluxe	Double/Twin	FJD470.00 (2A/2C aged 11 years and under)
	Deluxe	Triple	FJD480.00
	Deluxe	Quad	FJD490.00
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Maximum occupancy per room: 2A/2C (Under 12 Years) OR 4A in existing bedding - Rates are inclusive of full American Breakfast, and tax at 20% 			


HOLIDAY INN (15 minutes from Championship venue)			Hotel Rating 4*
	Room Type	Occupancy	Package Rates (per night basis)
	Standard	Single	FJD410.00
	Standard	Double	FJD410.00 (2A/2C aged 11 years and under)
	Standard	Triple	FJD440.00
	Superior	Single	FJD420.00
	Superior	Double	FJD420.00 (2A/2C aged 11 years and under)
	Superior	Triple	FJD450.00
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Currently undergoing refurbishment which will run through to December, 2014, so there is limited availability - Maximum occupancy per room: 2A/2C (Under 12 Years) OR 3A in existing bedding - Rates are inclusive of full American Breakfast, and tax at 20% - Extra beds are available at an additional charge 			


NOVOTEL (30 minutes from Championship venue)			Hotel Rating 4*
	Room Type	Occupancy	Package Rates (per night basis)
	Classic	Single	FJD220.00
	Classic	Double	FJD245.00 (2A/2C aged 15 years and under)
	Classic	Triple	FJD270.00
	Standard	Single	FJD230.00
	Standard	Double	FJD255.00 (2A/2C aged 15 years and under)
	Standard	Triple	FJD280.00
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Maximum occupancy per room: 2A/2C (Under 16 Years) OR 3A in existing bedding - Rates are inclusive of full American Breakfast, and tax at 20% - Extra beds are available at an additional charge 			



OFFICIAL HOTELS

QUEST SUVA (15 minutes from Championship venue)			Hotel Rating 4*
	Room Type	Occupancy	Package Rates (per night basis)
	Studio	Single	FJD215.00
	Studio	Double	FJD215.00
	Studio	Triple	FJD245.00 (includes an extra bed)
	2-bedroom	Double	FJD430.00 (2A/2C aged 11 years and under)
	2-bedroom	Quad	FJD430.00
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Maximum occupancy as per listing - Rates are inclusive of Continental Breakfast, and tax at 20% - Extra beds are available at an additional charge 			

BEST WESTERN SUVA MOTOR INN (15 minutes from Championship venue)			Hotel Rating 3*
	Room Type	Occupancy	Package Rates (per night basis)
	Studio	Single	FJD175.00
	Studio	Double	FJD190.00
	2-bedroom	Double	FJD265.00
	2-bedroom	Triple	FJD280.00
	2-bedroom	Quad	FJD295.00 (2A/2C aged 11 years and under)
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Maximum occupancy as per listing - Rates are inclusive of Continental Breakfast, and tax at 20% - Extra beds are available at an additional charge 			

STUDIO 6 (15 minutes from Championship venue)			Hotel Rating 3*
	Room Type	Occupancy	Package Rates (per night basis)
	Seaview	Single	FJD130.00
	Seaview	Double	FJD140.00
	Family Room	Triple	FJD170.00
	Family Room	Quad	FJD180.00
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Maximum occupancy as per listing - Rates are inclusive of Continental Breakfast, and tax at 20% - Extra beds are available at an additional charge 			



IMPORTANT INFORMATION

The National Elections date was announced on Friday, 28 March, and has been confirmed for Wednesday, 17 September 2014. Suva is expected to be very busy prior to the Elections, and all NFs attending the 2014 Oceania Championship are kindly requested to make their bookings as soon as possible. As long as space is secured, payments can be made from 31st May onwards. Rooms and rates are subject to availability on a first come, first serve basis.

The following deposit details will apply:	Due By:	Note:
25% deposit on all accommodation booked	31 st May, 2014	
Further 50% deposit on all accommodation booked	30 th June, 2014	non-refundable
Final 25% deposit due	31 st July, 2014	non-refundable

Bank details for all deposits/payments are as follows:

Particulars	Bank account details
Account:	Fiji Karate Federation
Bank:	BSP Bank
Address:	Pacific House, Private Mail Bag, Suva.
Branch number:	002 - Goes in front of account number
Account number:	398667
Swift code:	BOSPFJFJ - In capital letters
BSP Number:	069

CANCELLATION POLICY

Cancellations before 30th June will not incur any charges, however, any cancellations after 30th June will incur 50% of the full accommodation charges for that room, with any cancellations after 31st July incurring full charges.



ACCOMMODATION FORM

When making bookings please use the reservation form below.

All accommodation bookings for the 2014 Oceania Championships can be booked directly on email : gelmt@connect.com.fj

ACCOMMODATION BOOKING FORM

NAME OF FEDERATION: _____

CONTACT PERSON: _____

EMAIL/MOBILE: _____

1st PREFERENCE HOTEL _____

2nd PREFERENCE HOTEL _____

Room Configuration:	No. of Rms	Arrival Date (e.g. 9 th Sep)	No. of Nights
Single			
Double (1 bed)			
Double (2 beds)			
Triple (2 beds)			
Triple (3 beds)			
Quad (2 beds)			



**TRANSFER FORM:
FROM THE NADI INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT TO
SUVA OFFICIAL HOTELS AND VISA VERSA**

NATIONAL FEDERATION INFORMATION [Fill and send to: gelmt@connect.com.fj](mailto:gelmt@connect.com.fj)

FLIGHT DETAILS:

Date of Arrival: _____ **Flight No** _____ **Time of Arrival:** _____

Date of Departure: _____ **Flight No** _____ **Time of Dept:** _____

National Federation: Address:	
Number of People on ARRIVAL:	
Number of People for DEPARTURE	
Contact Person(Name & Surname):	
Position in National Federation:	
Email 1:	Email 2:
Phone:	Fax:

Return completed Form by 12 August 2014



TERMS OF RESPONSIBILITY

To be filled in, signed and sent back before 30th June 2014

I, _____ the undersigned, as the Head of Delegation of my country, duly enrolled to participate in the 16th Oceania Karate Championships, which will be held in Suva, Fiji from the 11th to the 13th of September 2014, with full knowledge of the Statutes, the Rules and the Norms of The OCEANIA KARATE FEDERATION and THE WORLD KARATE FEDERATION, pledge myself to faithfully accomplish the regulations of this before mentioned entity, and I take any and all administrative, civil and criminal responsibilities of whatever happens to our athletes, coaches and other members of our delegation participating in this Championships, before, during and after the competition, such as physical injuries, personal expenses, or monetary debts and casual material damages to the hotels, the venue, means of transportation etc.

Furthermore, I exempt from any legal, civil or criminal responsibilities the organizers of the Championships, the Oceania Karate Federation and the Karate Fiji Federation, its Executives and Board members and Organisers, as well as any person, company, or entity related to the event (sponsors, public and private entities).

I authorize the organizers of the event to use images, photos and the names of our competitors and other members of our delegation (since it is considered necessary) for the sport activities and publications of Karate, related to the event, without any monetary compensation.

Country /National Federation:	
Surname, First Name:	
Passport Number & Expiry Date:	
Position in the Federation:	
Address:	
Email:	
Ph:	

Fill in, Stamp, Sign and send to:

Karate Fiji gelmt@connect.com.fj
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Signature



TENTATIVE EVENTS PROGRAM

DATE	TIME	EVENT
WEDNESDAY 10 TH SEPT	9.00am – 1.00pm	Registration of Delegates at HQ Hotel
	4.30pm – 7.00pm	Registration continues at HQ Hotel
THURSDAY 11 TH SEPT.	8.00am- 9.00am	Registration of those arriving late Wednesday.
	8.00am – 10.00am	Weigh-In by country (venue tbc)
	8.30am – 11.00am	Technical Seminar open to Coaches/Referees/+18Athletes
	10.00am – 12.30pm	OKF EC Meeting (Olympic House)
	11.30am – 1.30pm	Referee Upgrade & Examination (Olympic House)
	2.00pm – 4.00pm	Draw & Information for Coaches
	5.00pm – 8.00pm	OKF Congress
SUMMARY – TENTATIVE COMPETITION PROGRAM		
Competition Program will be finalised after consultation with the OKF RC		
FRIDAY 12 TH SEPT.	8.30am- 4.00pm	Competition program in progress
	5.00pm – 6.00pm	OPENING CEREMONY
	6.15pm – 7.00pm	Finals categories tbd
SATURDAY 13 TH SEPT	8.30am – 6.00pm	Competition program continues
	7.00pm – 11.00pm	Sayonara



COMPETITION EQUIPMENT

All Competition equipment MUST EITHER be OKF or WKF APPROVED 2012 -2015 with the OKF or WKF logo

COMPULSORY IN - COMPETITION EQUIPMENT FOR THE OCEANIA CHAMPIONSHIP

	DESCRIPTION	APPROVED
1	Karate Mitts (Red & Blue)	WKF Approved 2012 – 2015 and OKF Approved 2012 – 2015.
2.	Shin Pad & Foot Protector (Red & Blue)	WKF Approved 2012 – 2015 and OKF Approved 2012 – 2015.
3	WKF Face Mask	Only WKF Approved 2012 -2015
4	WKF Body Protector (White)	Only WKF Approved 2012 – 2015.
5	Female Chest Protector (White)	WKF Approved 2012 – 2015 and OKF Approved 2012 – 2015.
6	Mouth Guard	Competitors own choice.
Recommended Items in Competition		
	Male Groin Guard (White)	WKF Approved 2012 – 2015 and OKF Approved 2012 - 2015
	Female Groin Guard (White)	WKF Approved 2012 – 2015 and OKF Approved 2012 - 2015

Important

The use of the WKF Face Mask is compulsory for Kumite Cadet Categories (male & female) and Children.

The use of the WKF Body Protector is compulsory for all Kumite male & female categories, Cadet, Junior and Senior Categories

OKF APPROVED ITEMS

TRADEMARK	MAIN OFFICE
	<p>SPORTS MASTERS AUSTRALIA 105 -119 Jardine St. Fairy Meadow, NSW, AUSTRALIA. Ph: +61242834363 Eml: info@smal.com.au</p>



WKF APPROVED ITEMS

TRADEMARK	MAIN OFFICE
	<p>DOUBLE D 2, rue Vladimir Jankelevitch 77184 Emerainville France Phone : +33 1 64 73 00 03 Fax : + 33 1 64 73 00 04 E-mail: nicolas.poy-tardieu@doubled.fr</p>
	<p>ARAWAZA 724, Chemin des Anglais Mascouche (QC) J7L 3R6 Canada Phone: + 1 450 477 4410 Fax: +1 450 477 4400 E-mail: sales@arawaza.com</p>
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	<p>DAEDO, S.L. C/ Balmes 55 08007 Barcelona Spain Tel : +34 93 2635350 / 93 4541514 Fax : +34 93 4535251 Email : daedo@daedosport.com</p>
	<p>BUDOLAND Am Grießenbach 8 83126 Flintsbach Germany Phone: 08034-90990-0 Fax: 08034-90990-11 E-mail: info@budoland.de</p>
	<p>SHUREIDO 1-1-6 Tomari, Naha-City Okinawa (Japan) 900-0012 Tel No: +81(98)861 5621 Fax No: +81(98)861 5525 Email: shureido@orange.ocn.ne.jp</p>



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	<p>WESING Fujian Weizhixing Sports Goods Co., Ltd. Binjiang Industrial Park, Xiamei Town, Nan'an City, Fujian Province 362302, China. Tel: +86-595-26889099 Fax: +86-595-8675 6390 E-mail: fu.yingwei@wesingsports.com</p>

ENTRY FEES :

Oceania Karate Championship Entry Fees

Fees approved at the Extraordinary Congress 21st March 2014 in Sydney, Australia.

Category	Kumite	Kata
INDIVIDUAL EVENT	AUD 75.00	AUD75.00
<p>For the first two(2) Individual Events, the fee is AUD75.00 + AUD75.00 (AUD150.00) and for each additional Individual Event entered the Fee is AUD25.00 per event.</p>		
TEAM EVENT	Kumite	Kata
Senior Male Team	AUD 60.00	AUD 40.00
Senior Female Team	AUD 40.00	AUD 40.00
Junior Male Team	AUD 60.00	AUD 40.00
Junior Female Team	AUD 40.00	AUD 40.00
Cadet Male Team	AUD 60.00	AUD 40.00
Cadet Female Team	AUD 40.00	AUD 40.00
Children's Team	AUD 60.00	AUD 40.00
<p>Please Note: All payments for Entry Fees to be paid to the OKF Treasurer and banked into the OKF Bank Account within the time frame indicated. We will advise of the Bank Account in due time.</p>		

Please note that Entry Forms will be sent separately



AGE & WEIGHT CATEGORIES

KATA EVENTS

EVENT: Male Individual Kata											
Children			Cadet			Junior			Under 21		Senior
1	10/11 Yrs	1	14/15 Yrs	1	16/17 Yrs	1	18/21 Yrs	1	+ 16 Yrs		
2	12/13 Yrs										
EVENT: Female Individual Kata											
Children			Cadet			Junior			Under 21		Senior
3	10/11 Yrs	2	14/15 Yrs	2	16/17	2	18/21 Yrs	2	+ 16 Yrs		
4	12/13 Yrs										
EVENT: Male Team Kata											
Children			Cadet			Junior			Under 21		Senior
5	10/13 Yrs	3	14/15 Yrs	3	16/17 Yrs	3	18/21 Yrs	3	+ 16 Yrs		
	3 per Team		3 per Team		3 per Team		3 per Team		3 per Team		
EVENT: Female Team Kata											
Children			Cadet			Junior			Under 21		Senior
6	10/13 Yrs	4	14/15 Yrs	4	16/17 Yrs	4	18/21 Yrs	4	+ 16 Yrs		
	3 per Team		3 per Team		3 per Team		3 per Team		3 per Team		

KUMITE EVENTS

EVENT: MALE INDIVIDUAL KUMITE									
Children (10 – 13Yrs)			Cadet (14 & 15Yrs)		Junior (16 & 17Yrs)		Under 21(18 -21Yrs)		Senior (+18Yrs)
7	10 Yrs Under 40kg	5	- 52kg	5	-55kg	5	-68kg	5	-60kg
8	10 Yrs Over 40kg	6	-57kg	6	-61kg	6	-78kg	6	-67kg
9	11 Yrs Under 40kg	7	-63kg	7	-68kg	7	+78kg	7	-75kg
10	11Yrs Over 40kg	8	-70kg	8	-76kg			8	-84kg
11	12 & 13 Yrs -45kg	9	+ 70 kg	9	+76kg			9	+84kg
12	12 & 13 Yrs -50 kg							10	Open
13	12 & 13Yrs - 55 kg								
14	12 & 13 Yrs +55kg								
EVENT: FEMALE INDIVIDUAL KUMITE									
Children (10 – 13Yrs)			Cadet (14 & 15Yrs)		Junior (16 & 17Yrs)		Under 2 (18 – 21Yrs)		Senior (+18Yrs)
15	10 Yrs Under 40kg	10	-47kg	10	-48kg	8	-53kg	11	-50kg
16	10 Yrs Over 4 kg	11	-54kg	11	-53kg	9	-60kg	12	-55kg
17	11 Yrs Under 40kg	12	+54kg	12	-59kg	10	+60kg	13	-61kg
18	11 Yrs Over 4 kg			13	+59kg			14	-68kg
19	12 & 13Yrs – 43kg							15	+68kg
20	12 & 13 Yrs -50kg							16	Open
21	12 & 13 Yrs +50kg								

TEAM KUMITE EVENTS

MIXED CHILDREN TEAM			EVENT: MALE TEAM KUMITE						
22	Boy -40kg		Cadet (14 & 15Yrs)		Junior (16 & 17Yrs)				Senior (+18Yrs)
	Girl -40Kg	13	3 Competitors	14	3 Competitors			17	5 Competitors
	Boy -45kg		1 Team Only		1 Team Only				1 Team Only
	Girl -45kg		EVENT: FEMALE TEAM KUMITE						
	Boy -50kg		Cadet (14 & 15Yrs)		Junior (16 & 17Yrs)				Senior (+18Yrs)
	Girl -50kg	14	3 Competitors	15	3 Competitors			18	3 Competitors
	Boy +50kg		1 Team Only		1 Team Only				1 Team Only