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TRADITIONAL TAEKWONDO
CIRCUIT



SIGNATURE SERIES EVENT

REGISTRATION NOW OPEN!

MAY 2, 2026

HVCC, TROY NY



ICO TEAM USA
SELECTION EVENT

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ADIDAS TAEKWONDO CIRCUIT

NEW YORK 2026

The Adidas Traditional Taekwondo Circuit launches its inaugural season in New York, bringing elite competition without barriers to athletes across all disciplines. This is more than a tournament. It's a pathway to the National Team, international competition, and the highest level of traditional martial arts excellence—open to every athlete willing to step on the mat and put in the work.

What makes this different

The Adidas Taekwondo Circuit delivers what athletes need:

- No membership fees
- Multiple disciplines welcome (WT, ITF, TSD, and more)
 - Official Adidas Combat Sports sponsorship
- Professional event execution with elite referees
- Clear pathway from local competition to National Team
 - Free athlete rankings and seeding system
- Non-political, athlete-first competition environment

Your Pathway Forward

NEW YORK SIGNATURE EVENT → MAY 2, 2026

Compete. Earn seeding points. Begin your journey.

U.S. OPEN TEAM TRIALS → July 2, 2026 (Orlando)

Top athletes compete for National Team positions.

2026 ADIDAS NATIONAL TEAM

Represent the circuit at elite national and international events.

PLUS: ICO WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS SELECTION

Top four finishers in each non-Rumble division receive Team USA appointment letters for the ICO World Championships in Thonon-les-Bains, France (October 14–18, 2026).

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FOR ATHLETES

WHAT YOU GET

- Adidas Signature Series medals for top 4 in each division
- Seeding points toward U.S. Open Team Trials
- FitoFan points toward Athlete of the Year recognition
- Team USA appointment opportunity (ICO World Championships)
- Professional refereeing and world-class event execution
- Fair, non-political competition welcoming all styles
- Free athlete rankings and performance tracking
- 20 GRAND CHAMPION SWORDS TO TOP PERFORMERS FOR EACH AGE GROUP

FOR COACHES

WHAT YOU GET

- No membership fees or required certifications
- Adidas Traditional Taekwondo Circuit T-shirt (pre-registered coaches)
- FitoFan Coach of the Year points
- Professional environment that motivates athletes
- Developmental Rumble format (not one-and-done elimination)
- Quality competition to strengthen your program
- Non-political space focused on athlete development
- Access to high-caliber officials and experienced event staff
- Opportunity to collaborate with coaches across disciplines

FOR PARENTS

WHAT YOU GET

- Professional, safe, and inspiring competition environment
- Clear communication and organized event execution
- Accessible opportunities without heavy politics or costs
- Developmental focus where growth matters, not just wins
- Clear pathway to elite opportunities (National Team, Worlds)
- Transparent rules and fair judging standards
- World-class experience without gatekeeping
- Investment in your child's martial arts journey

EVENT INFORMATION NEW YORK 2026



Est. Schedule

9:00 a.m. Obstacle Course Competition
10:00 a.m. Traditional Forms & Weapons
12:00 p.m. Board-breaking Competition
3:30 p.m. Point-style Sparring Competition
3:30 p.m. Olympic-style Sparring



Registration Fees

Early Registration \$99 first event | \$25 each add.
Regular Registration \$119 first event | \$25 each add.
Late Registration \$139 first event | \$25 each add.



Coaches

\$30 per coach, includes Adidas Traditional Taekwondo Circuit T-shirt (First 50 coaches Pre-registration required to receive shirt on event day)



Spectators

\$10 per person (ages 6+) — Online through FitoFan
\$15 per person — At the door day of event

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Awards & Recognition

WHAT ATHLETES RECEIVE

- Adidas Circuit medals (top 4 finishers)
- GRAND CHAMPION SWORDS (per age group)
- Team USA appointment letter (top 4, Black Belts)
- Seeding points toward U.S. Open Team Trials
- FitoFan points toward Athlete of the Year

WHAT COACHES RECEIVE

- Adidas Traditional Taekwondo Circuit T-shirt
- FitoFan Coach of the Year points
- Professional development environment



Location & Venue Features

**Hudson Valley Community College
McDonough Sports Complex
80 Vandenburg Avenue, Troy, NY 12180**

- Multiple matted rings with professional setup
- High-caliber referees and experienced event staff
- Concessions available throughout the day
- FREE parking

COMPETITION CATEGORIES

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AGILITY COURSE

Race Format

- Practice period not to exceed 5minutes
- 2 timed course attempts per athlete
- Best time is used for placement
- Awards to top 4 per division

TRADITIONAL WEAPONS FORMS

REQUIREMENTS

- Traditional martial arts weapons only (no live blades)
- Weapon must remain in contact with body throughout form
- No releases or inverted aerial maneuvers
- 90-second time limit

FORMAT: Single elimination. All ages. All belt levels.

JUDGING CRITERIA: Technique, Power, Focus, Presentation, Weapon Control

SPARRING COMPETITION

POINT-STYLE SPARRING

ICO Qualifying Division

Traditional tournament format with controlled contact.. .

REQUIRED EQUIPMENT: Mouthguard, hand pads, foot pads, full headgear, clear face shield (17U), groin cup (males).

MATCH FORMAT: 2 minutes running time or 10-point gap. Sudden victory overtime if tied.

OLYMPIC-STYLE SPARRING

Controlled head contact all divisions

REQUIRED EQUIPMENT: Black belts 10 & up must have their own KPNP socks

MATCH FORMAT: Three (3) Rounds of One (1) Minute Best of 3 Wins

TRADITIONAL BOARD BREAKING

****Adidas National Team Event ****

REQUIREMENTS

- 5 to 13yrs = Small Boards
- 14yrs & UP = Medium Boards
- All boards must be purchased on site
- \$40 per 10 pack

RACE EVENT FORMAT:

- Race Hand Breaking (Feeder): Timed 10 board event
- Race Spin Hook Kick : Timed 10 board event

POWER EVENT FORMAT:

(Spacers Provided)

- Power Side Kick/Back Kick: Single Attempt
- Power Stomp Kick: Single Attempt
- Power Hand Technique: Single Attempt

Detailed Event Rules @ www.tkdcircuit.com

TRADITIONAL FORMS

****Adidas National Team Event****

*****ICO Qualifying Division *****

- **Kukkiwon (WT)**
- **ITF (International Taekwondo Federation)**
- **TSD (Tang Soo Do/Moo Duk Kwan)**
- **Combined** – Any traditional form appropriate for your rank

FORMAT: Brazilian Repechage. All ages. All belt levels.

JUDGING CRITERIA: Technique, Power, Focus, Presentation

STEP ON THE MAT PUT IN THE WORK

IMPORTANT DEADLINES

EARLY REGISTRATION
Closes Feb 28, 2026
Save \$20+

REGULAR REGISTRATION
Closes April 15, 2026
Standard pricing applies

LATE REGISTRATION
Closes April 26, 2026
LATE pricing applies

INFINITE OPPORTUNITY ONE CIRCUIT



This is your opportunity to compete at the highest level.

This is your pathway to the National Team and beyond.

This is your circuit—where performance matters more than politics, where every athlete has access to world-class competition, and where your growth is the priority.

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OVER 800 SPECTATORS**

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