



WORLD SHOTOKAN KARATE CHAMPIONSHIPS

**BIELSKO-BIAŁA
POLAND
2015**



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PRESIDENT OF BIELSKO-BIAŁA WELCOMING



Dear Karate Friends from the whole World. Bielsko-Biała is not only a resident economic and culture centre but it is a city with huge sports traditions.

The history of sport in Bielsko-Biała has more than one hundred years. This period was the time of many great successes and spectacular triumphs of players associated with our city, it is enough to mention achievements of great boxers- Zbigniew Pietrzykowski and Marian Kasprzyk.

We do not base only on memories. We have ambitions to play an important role on the sports map of Poland. Therefore, we allocate enormous financial means for development of sports infrastructure and supporting talented athletes in Bielsko-Biała.

It is a great satisfaction that the World Shotokan Karate Association granted the sports club from Bielsko-Biała right to organize the World Championships in this discipline after ESKA European Karate Championships 2011 organized also by KSA Atemi. I am sure that this sports event will be a huge organizing success.

We are pleased to host in our city the best athletes from the whole World. I am convinced that the competition in all categories will be fierce and all karate fans gathered in the new sports arena will be spectators of many exciting fights.

I wish all competitors the results meeting their expectations, trainers and activists – the satisfactions from their pupils' performance, and fans – many sports emotions.

Jacek Krywult

President of Bielsko-Biała



VICE-PRESIDENT OF POLISH KARATE FEDERATION WELCOMING



I am very proud that the World Shotokan Karate Association has entrusted the Polish Karate Federation with the task of organizing the WSKA World Karate Championships of 2015. The City of Bielsko-Biała as well as the club “KSA Atemi” have been in charge of preparing this event, and I should like to give my special thanks to the organizers, volunteers and helpers who have made this possible.

Since Karate Shotokan is the most widely practiced style of karate in the world, a large number of high class athletes will participate in these World Championships. The Polish national team has always been very successful, and I wish all participants the very best.

I am the most grateful to all the sponsors and donors of these Championships for their generous support. My special thanks go to the Polish Ministry of Sport and Tourism and to the City of Bielsko-Biała – without their financial support, this tournament would not have been possible.

On behalf of the Polish Karate Federation I would like to invite You for the WSKA World Karate Championship 2015, and I am sure that we all will enjoy unforgettable days in Bielsko-Biała.

Wacław Antoniak

Vice-President of the Polish Karate Federation



GENERAL INFORMATION ABOUT POLAND

Poland is a country situated in Central Europe. It covers more than 320 thousand square kilometers and has a population of over 38 million people. Poland's official language is Polish. The climate is moderate there, which means that summers are usually hot and sunny, winters cold and springs and autumns quite mild. The longest river in Poland is the Vistula River.



While the north of Poland has an access to the sea, the south of Poland is dominated by the mountains. The Tatra Mountains are perfect for winter sports and hiking, so they attract a lot of tourists and climbers from all over the Europe. The Baltic Sea, on the other hand, is known for its healthy climate, sandy beaches and popular holiday resorts.



Poland belongs to the European Union and has a great economic potential. There are many universities and academies which offer the highest level of education. Polish culture and art have a long history and are distinguishable abroad. Although Poland is highly developed and influenced by contemporary trends, it also retains its own unique tradition.

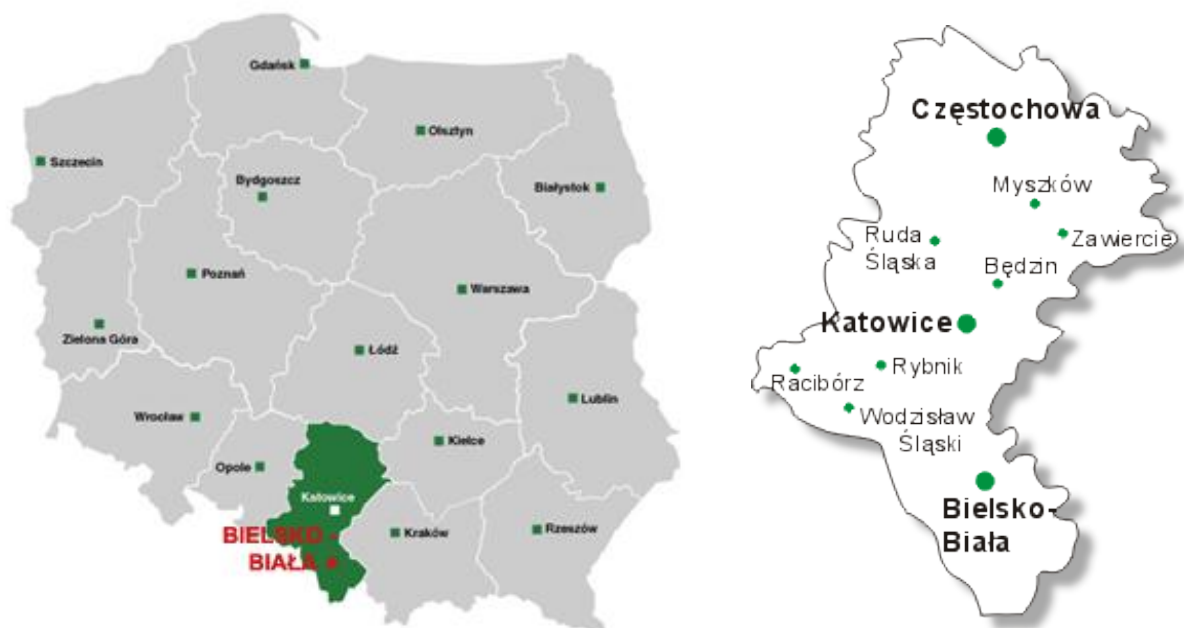
The most popular sport in Poland is football. Poland is also the **birthplace** of many **prominent** people. Mikołaj Kopernik, Fryderyk Chopin, Adam Mickiewicz, Kazimierz Pułaski, Maria Skłodowska-Curie, Karol Wojtyła (Pope John Paul II), Ryszard Kapuściński, Andrzej Wajda and Adam Małysz are among them.

▪ OFFICIAL NAME	REPUBLIC OF POLAND
▪ POLITICAL SYSTEM	PARLIAMENTARY REPUBLIC
▪ CAPITAL	WARSAW (WARSZAWA)
▪ AREA	312.685 km ²
▪ POPULATION	Over 38 million
▪ OFFICIAL LANGUAGE	POLISH
▪ CURRENCY	PLN (1 Euro = 4,10 PLN)
▪ PRESIDENT	ANDRZEJ DUDA
▪ MEMBER OF	UE, NATO, UN
▪ TIME ZONE	UTC + 1 – WINTER UTC + 2 – SUMMER
 POLISH EMBLEM	 POLISH FLAG

SILESIA – POSITIVE ENERGY

The Śląskie Voivodeship

The Silesian Voivodeship is the most important Polish industrial region, located in the southern part of Poland. The unique economic position occupied by the Silesian Voivodeship is owed to the fact that its share in the GDP is one of the highest in the country. The region neighbours Opolskie, Łódzkie, Świętokrzyskie and Małopolske voivodeships, bordering the Czech Republic and Slovakia from the south. Six European capitals are within the reach of 600 kilometres from Katowice, namely Warsaw, Prague, Bratislava and Berlin.



Silesia is full of positive energy, taking its source from diversity in respect of ethnicity, culture and tourism. The Silesian region has a range of Poland's most diverse tourist attractions, including the beautiful limestone rocks of the Kraków-Częstochowa Jurassic Highland Chain, with perfect conditions for rock climbing, the mountain ranges of the Silesian Beskids and Żywiec Beskids with the well-known in Europe ski resorts of Szczyrk, Ustroń, Wisła and the Upper Silesian agglomeration with an industrial legacy of almost 200 years. These areas are diverse, yet they form a unity - the strong Silesian Voivodeship.



BIELSKO-BIAŁA „LITTLE VIENNA“

Bielsko – Biała is the capital town of the region with a population of about 180,000. It is an academic centre with its own independent state institution. Known years ago as “The Town of a Hundred Industries”, Bielsko-Biała proudly continues the economic traditions of the region as a thriving centre of trade and industry, in which medium and small-sized businesses are predominant.

Charmingly spread at the foot of the Silesian and Little Beskid Mountains, the town is one of the most interesting places in the south of Poland, gladly visited by tourists. Visitors are attracted to Bielsko-Biała, known as “Little Vienna” not only by the beauty of its architecture but also by the enchanting landscape of the surrounding Beskidy Mountains. One of the most known attraction of the city is Cable Car to Szyndzielnia. The journey in little "gondolas" that includes 6 people takes about 6 minutes and is over 1800 meters long, taking the passengers 450 meters up from the bottom level.

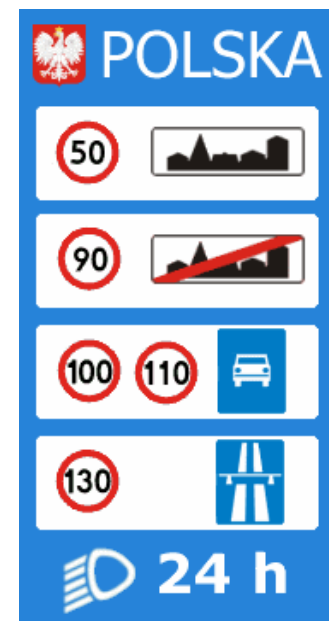


TRAVEL INFORMATION

- HOW TO GET TO BIELSKO-BIAŁA ?

By car:

Bielsko-Biała lies on historical routes linking the north and east of Europe with the south of the continent. Its border vicinity makes it an important centre of trade, industry and tourism. The A1 road leading from northern Poland, crossing central Poland and Silesia enters Bielsko-Biała, where it turns to the west towards the Polish-Czech border and the town of Cieszyn, the largest border crossing on the southern border. From the south, Bielsko-Biała can be reached by the road S69 leading from the Polish-Slovakian border crossing in Zwardoń. The road No. 52 leads from Bielsko-Biała to Małopolska province. The road links Bielsko-Biała and Cracow, passing through Małopolska towns, such as Kalwaria Zebrzydowska, Wadowice, Andrychów and Kęty. A slightly longer but much quicker access from Bielsko-Biała to Cracow is by the road No. S1 leading to Tychy and from here further on by No. 86 to the A4 Katowice-Cracow motorway.



By train:

The rail network facilitates getting around the region as well as enables making longer journeys by national and international long distance and express trains. The journey along the distance between Warsaw and Bielsko-Biała is comfortable and quick due to the services offered by the Polish Rail Intercity. Bielsko-Biała Main Railway Station is located at 2 Warszawska St. Enquiries can be made at the rail information service (+48 22 39 19 757).



By plane:

Bielsko-Biała is accessible from three airports, all about 80 km away from the town: [Balice located near Cracow \(110km\)](#); [Pyrzowice - near Katowice \(ok.80km\)](#); [Czech Ostrava, close to the Polish border \(65km\)](#). Bielsko-Biała will soon have its own airport in Aleksandrowice with facilities operating small passenger and cargo aircraft. We can organize transfer for your team from airport to hotel and from hotel to airport. For more information please contact the organizer by e-mail: konnrad@wp.pl



- **CLIMATE**

The average temperature level varies from 4⁰C to 4,5⁰C (in the ridge parts of mountains) to 8⁰C in the area of Bielsko-Biała. The highest level of the average temperature fall in July (about 18⁰C), in the mountain area (about 13⁰C). The coldest month is January for which the average temperature level amounts to about -2⁰C, in the mountains about -5⁰C. The highest monthly rainfall amounts are noticed in July, and the lowest in September and October. In the area of Bielsko, snowfalls occur from November to April. The month with the highest snowfall amount is January. The average temperature in Bielsko-Biała in October is 5,5⁰C, the warmest: 11,2⁰C and the coldest: 0,8⁰C.

- **CURRENCY**

Polish currency is the zloty (zł, PLN). One zloty is divided into 100 groszy (1zł = 100 gr). Banknotes with the following denominations 10, 20, 50, 100 and 200 zł and coins with the following denominations 1, 2, 5, 10, 20 and 50 gr and 1, 2, 5 zł are in the circulation. Currencies may be exchanged in numerous bureaux de change (“kantor”) or in banks. Currency exchange points are usually located in city centers, at railway stations, airports, in some hotels and in places with higher numbers of tourists.



- **IN CASE OF EMERGENCY**

A trip to Poland is above all a chance to rest, relax and have fun. However, anywhere you go you may encounter situations which turn out to be less pleasant. Therefore before setting off it is worth finding out some basic information about how to cope with unforeseen events.

To call an emergency service using a landline or a public phone, please dial:

999 – Ambulance

998 – Fire Brigade

997 – Police

986 – Municipal Wardens (Straż Miejska)

To call an emergency service using a mobile phone, please dial **112** - all services



- **MEDICAL INSURANCE**

When in Poland, foreign nationals may be required to cover the cost of medical assistance offered by the public health service. Free emergency treatment is available to visitors from the European Union and several countries with which Poland has signed international agreements (Albania, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Croatia, former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Montenegro, Russia and Serbia). EU nationals are required to produce a valid European Health Insurance Card (EHIC).

If you are not a national of any of the countries above, you will need to make your own arrangements and you are strongly advised to obtain a suitable medical insurance cover before you leave home.

- **VISA INFORMATION**

Since December 21, 2007, Poland is part of the Schengen Area, a zone without controls on internal borders which comprises of 28 countries. Third-country nationals may enter Poland if they are in possession of a valid travel document and a visa (if required).

When crossing the border third-country nationals are also obliged to justify the purpose and conditions of intended stay and prove that they have sufficient means of subsistence, both for the period of intended stay and for return to their country of origin or transit to a third state into which they are certain to be admitted, or are in a position to acquire such means lawfully.

Moreover, they must not be listed as persons who have been refused entry, and they must not be considered a threat to public policy, national security or the international relations of any of the Schengen states. The visa application should be submitted to and examined by the relevant consular post in accordance with its territorial competence.

Applicants should contact relevant consular post in order to obtain the application as well as information on the electronic registration of the application and visa fees. The application will be examined no later than 15 calendar days after the date of submission of the full set of documents.

Polish delegations are not present in some countries. In this case, the applicant is obliged to submit the application to the relevant Polish consular post in another country, or in another Schengen consulate which represents Poland in visa matters.

For more information please go to official website of Ministry of Foreign Affairs Republic of Poland: <http://www.msz.gov.pl/en>



Ministry
of Foreign Affairs
Republic of Poland



ACCOMMODATION

All necessary information about accommodation are available on official website of WSKA Championships 2015:

<http://www.wska2015.com/en/zakwaterowanie.html>

To book an accommodation please use special reservation form and send it back to the organizing committee (hotels@wska2015.com) by latest June 30th, 2015. You can also fill e-form on the website. The reservation will only be fully confirmed if the respective bank transfer has been received by September 10th, 2015.

After receiving your booking form we will send you the confirmation that your reservation was made correctly.

Payments for accommodation can be done only by bank transfer on the following account:

KSA Atemi Ul. Widok 12 43-300 Bielsko-Biała

SWIFT CODE (BIC): PKOPPLPW

IBAN: PL 32 1240 6449 1111 0010 6169 8939

For more information please contact us: info@wska2015.com



- **THE HEADQUARTERS HOTEL – HOTEL QUBUS ******



The luxury, four-star hotel is distinguished by its excellent location and the exceptional standard for the service provided. The hotel is located in the very centre of the city on Mostowa Street, in a modern commercial and retail complex, 7km from the championship venue. As a

result, guests are able to take advantage of a multiplex, a shopping mall, banks, currency exchange bureaus, cafés and clubs.

Comfortable accommodation

Modern design, luxury furnishings and a high standard are just some of the features of the rooms at Qubus Hotel Bielsko-Biała. Every room offers a wide range of satellite, TV channels, free high-speed internet access, telephone and air conditioning.

Restaurants & Bars

The hotel has available the modern Torino Lobby Bar- excellent place for a traditional Italian lunch. The elegantly furnished 4 Elements Restaurant entices with a carefully prepared, seasonal menu of cuisines from various parts of the world, while the summer terrace encourages the spending of time in the fresh air.

Address:

Hotel Qubus ****
2 Mostowa Street
43-300 Bielsko-Biała, Poland



- **HOTEL ORBIS MAGURA *****

The Orbis Magura Hotel is situated at the foot of the picturesque Beskidy Mountains, close to the city center. The hotel has convenient access to the international airports of Katowice-Pyrzowice and Krakow-Balice. The hotel is an ideal starting point for exploring the beauty of the Beskidy Mountains and visiting remarkable cities in the southern part of Poland. The hotel offers 133 rooms equipped with satellite TV and Canal+, telephone, free Internet access and mineral water. Spacious, bright and comfortable rooms are ideal for both leisure and work. Distance from Orbis Magura Hotel to championship venue is 3 km.



Conference and meeting rooms

The hotel offers 4 multi-functional conference and meeting rooms for up to 300 persons - it is our pleasure to offer you for free! (available on request).

Address:

Hotel Orbis Magura ***
Żywiecka Street 93
43-300 Bielsko-Biała, Poland



- **PARKHOTEL VIENNA ******



Vienna's traditions and atmosphere are coming back to Bielsko. Park Hotel Vienna, one of the most modern hotels in the south of Poland, was built in Bielsko, a city known as 'Little Vienna' at the beginning of the 20th century. Hotel meets the expectations of travellers from Poland, Europe and worldwide who foster tradition. This luxurious, exquisite, elegant and cosy Hotel warm-heartedly welcomes all Guests offering them an exceptional combination of tradition and modernity. Park Hotel Vienna is placed 4 km from "Hala pod Dębowcem" - the championship venue.



Address:

Parkhotel Vienna ****
 Bystrzańska Street 48
 43-309 Bielsko-Biała, Poland



- **HOTEL DĘBOWIEC ** (100m from sports hall)**

Dębowiec Hotel, nestled in the foothills of Dębowiec and Szyndzielnia Mountains, is situated in a lovely residential suburb of Bielsko-Biała, far from the city noise yet close to downtown. The hotel, fully retrofitted in 2011-2012, can accommodate 200 guests in single and double rooms as well as in rooms with maximum occupancy of 3 or 4, with a view of the Silesian Beskids and Little Beskids mountain ranges. There is a large, free on-site parking for cars and coaches.

Every room features a full bathroom, TV, telephone and Internet access. Guests are invited to use our restaurant, coffee shop, recreational center and a fully equipped state-of-the-art conference center. The small coffee shop next to the front desk serves hot and cold drinks and snacks. Cafe open until 9:00 pm.



Address:

Dębowiec Hotel **
Armii Krajowej 220
43-316 Bielsko-Biała, Poland



- **HOTEL SAHARA ******



Sahara Hotel in Bielsko-Biała was designed for the most demanding Guest who wants to spend time in nice atmosphere. The hotel is situated in the capital of Podbeskidzie at the foot of Szyndzielnia, in the leisure part of the town, on the one hand in a quiet and secluded place but on the other – neat to the centre and numerous city attractions. Sahara Hotel is placed 500 m from “Hala pod Dębowcem” where Karate Championship take place. In Sahara Restaurant our Guest can taste typical Polish as well as European and regional dishes. Plentiful breakfast buffet will allow you to start a day in a good mood.



Address:

Hotel Sahara ***
Falista Street 13
43-300 Bielsko-Biała, Poland



- **CHEAP ACCOMMODATION**

HOTEL BESKIDY PARK

Armii Krajowej Street 316

43-316 Bielsko-Biała, Poland

Phone: +48 33 814 62 24

E-mail: repcja@beskidypark.pl

WWW: www.beskidypark.pl



HOTEL VICTORIA

Bratków Street 16

43-303 Bielsko-Biała, Poland

Phone: +48 33 811 80 37

Fax.: +48 33 811 80 37

WWW: www.victoria.bbosir.bielsko.pl



ACCOMMODATION – PRICE LIST

RECCOMENDED HOTELS OF WSKA 2015	Single - price per room	Double (one king-size bed) - price per room	Twin (two single beds) - price per room	Triple - price per room	Other informations
Hotel QUBUS **** (The headqesrters hotel of WSKA Championships)	43 rooms 280 PLN (with breakfast)	42 rooms 380 PLN (with breakfast)	32 rooms 380 PLN (with breakfast)	-	Dinner (soup, main course, juice) 60PLN Dinner (soup, main course, dessert, juice) 70 PLN
Hotel Magura ***	32 rooms 200 PLN (with breakfast)	-	81 rooms 260 PLN (with breakfast)	10 rooms 300 PLN (with breakfast)	Dinner buffet – 50 PLN
Parkhotel Vienna **** (50 rooms: 30 as triple the rest single or double)	220 PLN (with breakfast)	-	280 PLN (with breakfast)	320 PLN (with breakfast)	Dinner served (soup, main course, dessert, water, coffe/tea) 60 PLN Dinner buffet (2 soups, 2 kinds of meat, vegeterian dish, desserts, water, coffe/tea) 70 PLN (minimum 25 people)
Hotel Dębowiec ** (100m from sportshall)	7 rooms 140 PLN (with breakfast)	44 twin rooms 220 PLN (with breakfast)	12 triple rooms 280 PLN (with breakfast)	6 quadruple rooms 380 PLN (with breakfast)	There is possibility to organize dinner / lunch – for more information, please contact Organizers.
Hotel Sahara **** (exlusive)		17 double rooms 450 PLN (with breakfast)			Dinner buffet – 80 PLN
Cheap accomodation					
Hotel Beskidy Park	Prices for negotiations with breakfast. Avaivable space for 105 people in single rooms, double, triple and studios (3+2).				For more information please contact organizers.
Hotel Victoria	Prices for negotiations with breakfast. Avaivable space for 45-50 people in double rooms, triple, quadruple and studios (3+2).				For more information please contact organizers.





WORLD SHOTOKAN KARATE ASSOCIATION

World Championships 2015

Poland, Bielsko-Biała, 3-4 October 2015

Accommodation Application Form

1. Details for invoice:

Name of Federation:		Country:
Address:	Phone:	E-mail:
Name of Contact Person:	Position in national federation / delegation:	
Other details (if needed):		

2. Hotel booking form:

Hotel	Check-in	Check-out`	No. of people	Type of rooms
Example	30.09.2015	05.10.2015	30	10 x twin , 1 x triple, 7 x single room

After receiving your booking form we will send you confirmation that your reservation was made correctly. Payments for accommodation can be done only by bank transfer on the following account:

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TRANSFERS

For all teams who booked their accommodation by our form or on-line on official website of WSKA 2015 (in recommended hotels) we provide free transfer during championships from hotel to sportshall.

We can organize transfer from the following airports to hotels:

Airport	Specification	Bus (max. 9 people)	Bus (max. 19 people)	Coach (max. 52 people)
<u>Kraków Airport</u>	Bus/Coach hire price for both ways (airport - hotel - airport)	1000 PLN	1600 PLN	3000 PLN
	approx. price per person in euro for maximum number of people in bus/coach (airport-hotel-airport)	27 EUR	20 EUR	15 EUR
<u>Katowice Airport</u>	Bus/Coach hire price for both ways (airport - hotel - airport)	1000 PLN	1600 PLN	3000 PLN
	approx. price per person in euro for maximum number of people in bus/coach (airport-hotel-airport)	27 EUR	20 EUR	15 EUR
<u>Wrocław Airport</u>	Bus/Coach hire price for both ways (airport - hotel - airport)	2000 PLN	3300 PLN	4900 PLN
	approx. price per person in euro for maximum number of people in bus/coach (airport-hotel-airport)	54 EUR	42 EUR	23 EUR
<u>Warszawa Chopin Airport</u>	Bus/Coach hire price for both ways (airport - hotel - airport)	2600 PLN	4400 PLN	6800 PLN
	approx. price per person in euro for maximum number of people in bus/coach (airport-hotel-airport)	70 EUR	55 EUR	32 EUR
<u>Warszawa Modlin Airport</u>	approx. price per person in euro for maximum number of people in bus/coach (airport-hotel-airport)			
<u>Ostrava Airport</u> <u>(Czech Republic)</u>	Bus/Coach hire price for both ways (airport - hotel - airport)	1000 PLN	1600 PLN	3000 PLN
	approx. price per person in euro for maximum number of people in bus/coach (airport-hotel-airport)	27 EUR	20 EUR	15 EUR



<u>Prague Airport</u> (Czech Republic)	Bus/Coach hire price for both ways (airport - hotel - airport)	3600 PLN	5800 PLN	8800 PLN
	approx. price per person in euro for maximum number of people in bus/coach (airport-hotel-airport)	95 EUR	75 EUR	42 EUR
<u>Berlin Airport</u> (Germany)	Bus/Coach hire price for both ways (airport - hotel - airport)	4400 PLN	6800 PLN	11000 PLN
	approx. price per person in euro for maximum number of people in bus/coach (airport-hotel-airport)	120 EUR	87 EUR	52 EUR

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WORLD SHOTOKAN KARATE ASSOCIATION

World Championships 2015

Poland, Bielsko-Biała, 3-4 October 2015

Transfers Application Form

1. Details for invoice:

Name of Federation:	Country:	Address:
Name of Contact Person:	Phone:	E-mail:
Other details (if needed):		

2. Transfers booking form

Arrival information		
Arrival date:	Arrival place:	
Arrival time:	Flight number:	Total number of person:
Other:		

Departure information		
Departure date:	Departure place:	
Departure time:	Flight number:	Total number of person:
Other:		

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SAYONARA PARTY

We would like to invite You to the traditional Sayonara Party which will be held on the 4th of October (Sunday) at 9 p.m. in the best music club in southern Poland – Klimat Klub (50 m from the Headquarters Hotel Qubus). The club will be reserved only for holders of tickets (competitors, coaches, referees etc.). More information will be available on official website of WSKA Championships and on official Facebook profile.



www.klubklimat.pl



THE CHAMPIONSHIPS VENUE

The sports, entertainment and exhibition hall established in Bielsko-Biała is one of the key investments in this part of Poland. The sports hall is situated in desirable location of Bielsko-Biała, surrounded by mountains with easy destination. It is also surrounded by bike paths and scenic hiking trails. In the immediate vicinity of the hall is a cable railway to Szyndzielnia and Dembowiec slope, on which in the future is planned launching of a modern summer-winter infrastructure.



The hall includes the only one in Europe folding wooden floor made in the latest technology and also taraflex, suitable for sports competitions at the highest level. For the safety of users, the hall and the car parks are monitored around the clock. The object is equipped with Building Management System (BMS) and Emergency Alert System (DSO) which allows to organize events on the highest level. The object can be reached from the city center by bus number 8.

For more information visit: <http://www.wska2015.com/en/lokalizacja.html>

Address:

The Sports and Entertainment Hall „Pod Dębowcem“
26 Karbowa Street
43-300 Bielsko-Biała, Poland



SCHEDULE OF ACTIVITIES

Wednesday 30th Septmber		
12.00 – 14.30	Judging Committee Meeting	Hotel Qubus
15.00 - 20.00	Referee course Signs/signals, behaviour, essentials, recording, video clips, pract. exam. Kata *	Sports and conference complex „Pod Dębowcem“ (Championships Venue)
20.30 – 21.30	Technical committee meeting	Hotel Qubus
Thursday 1st October		
09.00 – 12.00	Meeting Executive Board	Hotel Qubus
09.30 – 11.30	Referee course Exam. (Clips)	Sports and conference complex „Pod Dębowcem“ (Championships Venue)
13.00 – 16.30	Referee course Exam. (Judging)	Sports and conference complex „Pod Dębowcem“ (Championships Venue)
17.00 – 19.30	*Referee Course Kata Standardisation (referee/judges must attend, coaches optional)	Sports and conference complex „Pod Dębowcem“ (Championships Venue)
Friday 2nd October		
09.00 – 12.00	Referee course examination	Sports and conference complex „Pod Dębowcem“ (Championships Venue)
12.00 – 13.00	Coaches Meeting	Hotel Qubus
14.00 – 15.00	Referee alignment meeting	Hotel Qubus
16.00 – 18.00	Congress	Hotel Qubus
Saturday 3rd October		
09.00 -	Youth & Junior events	Sports and conference complex „Pod Dębowcem“ (Championships Venue)
Sunday 4th October		
09.00 -	Cadet & Senior events	Sports and conference complex „Pod Dębowcem“ (Championships Venue)
21.00 -	Sayonara Party	Klub Klimat

* indicates that Gi's will be required



CATEGORIES

A Children - 14 to 15 Years inclusive

- 1 Male individual Kumite (4 per country)
- 2 Male individual Kata (4 per country)
- 3 Female individual Kumite (4 per country)
- 4 Female individual Kata (4 per country)

Note: 14/15 year olds can participate in Individual Cadet Kata categories (but not Kumite)

B Cadets - 16 to 17 Years inclusive

- 1 Female Cadet Individual Kata (4 per country)
- 2 Female Cadet Individual Kumite (4 per country)
- 3 Female Cadet Team Kumite (3 person team)
- 4 Male Cadet Individual Kata (4 per country)
- 5 Male Cadet Individual Kumite (4 per country)
- 6 Male Cadet Team Kumite (3 person team)

Note: Cadets can participate in Individual Junior Kata and Kumite categories

C Juniors - 18 to 20 Years inclusive

- 1 Female Junior Individual Kata (4 per country)
- 2 Female Junior Individual Kumite (4 per country)
- 3 Female Junior Team Kumite (3 person team)
- 4 Male Junior Individual Kata (4 per country)
- 5 Male Junior Individual Kumite (4 per country)
- 6 Male Junior Team Kumite (3 person team)

Note: Juniors can participate in Individual Senior Kata and Kumite categories

D Seniors - 21 Years and above

- 1 Female Senior Individual Kata (4 per country)
- 2 Female Senior Individual Kumite (4 per country)
- 3 Female Senior Team Kata (3 person team)
- 4 Female Senior Team Kumite (3 person team)
- 5 Male Senior Individual Kata (4 per country)
- 6 Male Senior Individual Kumite (6 per country)
- 7 Male Senior Team Kata (3 person team)
- 8 Male Senior Team Kumite (5 person team)

E Team Kata

- 1 Female Junior 14 -20 Years inclusive
- 2 Female Senior 18 years and over
- 3 Male Junior 14 - 20 Years inclusive
- 4 Male Senior 18 years and over

Please note that the age of the competitor on the first day of the championship is applicable for all age categories.



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