

2012 Adirondack AAU TAEKWONDO CHAMPIONSHIP

*****QUALIFYING EVENT FOR 2012 AAU NATIONALS AND JUNIOR OLYMPIC GAMES*****

****BRACKETED FORMS FEATURING BRAZILIAN REPECHAGE****

****MATCHTOOL ELECTRONIC SCORING****

Saturday February 4th, 2012

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

**Spectator fee: \$10.00
Coaches fee: \$25.00
Athlete fee: \$75.00
(includes 1 spectator pass)**

**7:45 AM Doors open
8:30 AM Officials meeting
9:00 AM 14-17 and all adult BB's (ALL events)
11:45 AM 5-9 All belts (ALL events)
2:30 PM 10-13 All belts (ALL events)
4:00 PM 14-17 Colored belts (ALL events)
4:30 PM All adult colored belts (ALL events)**

**Sanctioned By: Adirondack Amateur Athletic Union
Tournament Director : Joe Hasan**

Mail Applications to:

**Adirondack Events
PO BOX 1160
Latham, NY 12110**





November 13, 2011

Dear Instructors and School Owners:

It is my pleasure to invite you to the 2012 Adirondack AAU Taekwondo Championship on Saturday February 4th 2012. This qualifying event will be once again held at Hudson Valley Community College's McDonough Sports Complex, doors open at 7:45am. Please read through this packet carefully to familiarize yourself with some of the exciting changes for 2012.

As always, **all 14 year old and above black belts compete FIRST!** As a competitor for many years I understand how difficult it is to step into the ring after a day full of officiating and try to perform as well as those that have been resting for the day. This scheduling format also allows our younger athletes a chance to watch the people that they look up to in class, and generally do not get a chance to watch compete.

2012 HIGHLIGHTS

- **Qualifier for 2012 Nationals and Junior Olympic Games**
 - Nationals – Ft. Lauderdale 7/2 - 7/7
 - JO Games – Houston 7/28 – 7/30
- **All new 3.5" custom medals (top 4 finishers in each division)**
- **Awards for top supporting school, and top supporting travel school**
- **Ring sponsorship opportunity for schools and/or businesses**
- **Repechage bracketed forms**
- **Additional spectator seating!!!**
- **1 FREE SPECTATOR PASS WITH EACH ATHLETE REGISTRATION**
- **1 COMPLIMENTARY HOTEL ROOM NIGHT FOR TRAVEL TEAMS WITH AT LEAST 20 ATHLETES**

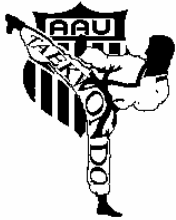
Finally, any currently certified AAU official who works the entire day (must finish out all assignments to their ring), will receive lunch plus a stipend. Officials who choose to compete in the morning, and officiate immediately afterwards through the end of the day will also receive a stipend.

If you have any questions about this event or any Official's clinics leading up to the event please do not hesitate to contact me either at 518.331.0761 or via email at joehasan@aautaekwondo.org

Sincerely,

Joe Hasan
Director: Adirondack AAU Taekwondo

2012 ADIRONDACK AAU TAEKWONDO CHAMPIONSHIP



*February 4th, 2012
Hudson Valley Community College
Troy, NY*



Competition Staging Times

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9:00 AM	14-17 and All Adult Black belts (All events)
11:45 AM	5-9 All belts (All events)
2:30 PM	10-13 All belts (All events)
4:00 PM	14-17 Colored belts (All events)
4:30 PM	All adult colored belts (All events)

****Athletes should arrive in staging no later than 15 minutes prior to the times listed for their age group. If an athlete is called to staging and does not respond to the call they WILL miss their division, no athlete will be added to a division at the ring. ****



COMPETITOR APPLICATION



ADIRONDACK AAU TAEKWONDO CHAMPIONSHIP

February 4th, 2012

Hudson Valley Community College, Troy NY

Doors open at 7:45a – Competition begins at 9:00a (see staging times)

ENTRY FEES: 1 or 2 Events = \$75.00 (includes 1 spectator pass)

ENTRY DEADLINE: Wednesday, January 25th, 2012
(Add \$25.00 Late fee between 1/26 – 1/30)

Make checks payable to: ADIRONDACK EVENTS – PO Box 1160 Latham, NY 12110

ATHLETE INFORMATION:

FIRST NAME _____ LAST NAME _____

2012 AAU # (MANDATORY) _____

PHONE () _____ - _____ EMAIL _____

DATE OF BIRTH ____/____/____

AGE (as of 8/31/2012) _____

WEIGHT _____ lbs

TAEKWONDO SCHOOL _____

ADDRESS, CITY, STATE, ZIP _____

INSTRUCTOR _____

Complete only if dropping down in age group

I am EXECUTIVE (33-42), and will compete as SENIOR (18-32)

I am ULTRA (43+) and will compete as EXECUTIVE

I am ULTRA and will compete as SENIOR

PLEASE CHECK YOUR CURRENT RANK(BELT COLOR):

NOVICE:	WHITE _____	YELLOW _____	ORANGE _____
INTERMEDIATE:	GREEN _____	BLUE _____	PURPLE _____
ADVANCED:	BROWN _____	RED _____	
BLACK BELT:	1 ST _____	2 ND _____	3 RD _____ 4 TH & UP _____

PLEASE CHECK YOUR EVENT(S):

OLYMPIC SPARRING _____ FORMS _____ POINT SPARRING _____

*****ONLY 1 TYPE OF SPARRING ALLOWED*****

PLEASE COMPLETE & SIGN THE RELEASE PAGE!

**2012 ADIRONDACK AAU TAEKWONDO
CHAMPIONSHIP
ATHLETE WAIVER/RELEASE FORM
("AGREEMENT")**

IN CONSIDERATION of being permitted to participate in any way in any Amateur Athletic Union of the U.S. Inc. activity ("Activity") I, for myself, my personal representatives, assigns, heirs, and next of kin:

1. ACKNOWLEDGE, agree, and represent that I understand the nature of the Activity and that I am qualified, in good health, and in proper physical condition to participate in such Activity. I further agree and warrant that if at any time I believe conditions to be unsafe, I will immediately discontinue further participation in the Activity.

2. FULLY UNDERSTAND that: (a) ATHLETIC ACTIVITIES INVOLVE RISK AND DANGERS OF SERIOUS BODILY INJURY, INCLUDING PERMANENT DISABILITY, PARALYSIS, AND DEATH ("RISKS"); (b) these Risks and dangers may be caused by my own actions or inactions, the actions or inactions of others participating in the Activity, the condition in which the Activity takes place, or THE NEGLIGENCE OF THE "RELEASEES" NAMED BELOW; (c) there may be OTHER RISKS AND SOCIAL AND ECONOMIC LOSSES either not known to me or not readily foreseeable at this time; and I FULLY ACCEPT AND ASSUME ALL SUCH RISKS AND ALL RESPONSIBILITY FOR LOSSES, COST, AND DAMAGES I incur as a result of my participation or that of the minor in the Activity.

3. HEREBY RELEASE, DISCHARGE, AND COVENANT NOT TO SUE the Amateur Athletic Union of the U.S. Inc. (AAU), including it's representatives, the related affiliated and subsidiary companies, as well as the officers, directors, agents, employees and assigns of each, and the AAU's Districts, clubs, coaches, officials, administrators, members, volunteers, participants, sponsors, advertisers, and, if applicable, owners and lessors of premises on which the Activity takes place, and any other indemnified and held harmless by the AAU, each considered one of the "RELEASEES" herein FROM ALL LIABILITY, CLAIMS, DEMANDS, LOSSES, OR DAMAGES ON MY ACCOUNT CAUSED OR ALLEGED TO BE CAUSED IN WHOLE OR IN PART BY THE NEGLIGENCE OF THE "RELEASEES" OR OTHERWISE, INCLUDING NEGLIGENT RESCUE OPERATIONS, NEGLIGENT SECURITY, TRAVEL, AND RECREATIONAL OPERATIONS AND ACTIVITIES; AND I FURTHER AGREE that if, despite this RELEASE AND WAIVER OF LIABILITY, ASSUMPTION OF RISK, AND HARMLESS EACH OF THE RELEASEES from any litigation expenses, attorney fees, loss, liability, damager, or cost which any may incur as the result of such claim.

I HAVE READ THIS AGREEMENT, FULLY UNDERSTAND ITS TERMS, UNDERSTAND THAT I HAVE GIVEN UP SUBSTANTIAL RIGHTS BY SIGNING IT AND HAVE SIGNED IT FREELY AND WITHOUT ANY INDUCEMENT OR ASSURANCE OF ANY NATURE AND INTEND IT TO BE A COMPLETE AND UNCONDITIONAL RELEASE OF ALL LIABILITY TO THE GREATEST EXTENT ALLOWED BY LAW AND AGREE THAT IF ANY PORTION OF THIS AGREEMENT IS HELD TO BE INVALID THE BALANCE, NOTWITHSTANDING, SHALL CONTINUE IN FULL FORCE AND EFFECT.

PRINT NAME OF PARTICIPANT:

PARTICIPANT'S SIGNATURE (only if age 18 or over): _____ DATE: _____

MINOR RELEASE

AND I, THE MINOR'S PARENT AND/OR LEGAL GUARDIAN, UNDERSTAND THE NATURE OF ATHLETIC ACTIVITIES AND THE MINOR'S EXPERIENCE AND CAPABILITIES AND BELIEVE THE MINOR TO BE QUALIFIED, IN GOOD HEALTH, AND IN PROPER PHYSICAL CONDITION TO PARTICIPATE IN SUCH ACTIVITY. I HEREBY RELEASE, DISCHARGE, COVENANT NOT TO SUE, AND AGREE TO INDEMNIFY AND SAVE AND HOLD HARMLESS EACH OF THE RELEASEE'S FROM ALL LIABILITY, CLAIMS, DEMANDS, LOSSES, OR DAMAGES ON THE MINOR'S ACCOUNT CAUSED OR ALLEGED TO BE CAUSED IN WHOLE OR IN PART BY THE NEGLIGENCE OF THE "RELEASEE'S OR OTHERWISE, INCLUDING NEGLIGENT RESCUE OPERATION AND FURTHER AGREE THAT IF, DESPITE THIS RELEASE, I, THE MINOR, OR ANYONE ON THE MINOR'S BEHALF MAKES A CLAIM AGAINST ANY OF THE RELEASEES NAMED ABOVE, I WILL INDEMNIFY, SAVE, AND HOLD HARMLESS EACH OF THE RELEASEES FROM ANY LITIGATION EXPENSES, ATTORNEY FEES, LOSS LIABILITY, DAMAGE, OR COST ANY MAY INCUR AS THE RESULT OF ANY SUCH CLAIM ANY LITIGATION EXPENSES, ATTORNEY FEES, LOSS LIABILITY, DAMAGE, OR COST ANY MAY INCUR AS THE RESULT OF ANY SUCH CLAIM

PRINTED NAME OF PARENT/GUARDIAN:

ADDRESS: _____
(Street) _____(City) _____(State) _____(Zip) _____

PHONE: (_____) _____ DATE: _____

PARENT/GUARDIAN SIGNATURE (only if participant is under the age of 18): _____

ADIRONDACK AAU TAEKWONDO OFFICIALS & COACHES PASS APPLICATION

PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY!

LAST NAME _____ FIRST NAME _____ MI _____

ADDRESS _____

PHONE () _____ E-Mail _____ @ _____

DATE OF BIRTH ____/____/____ AGE _____

CURRENT RANK: BELT COLOR _____ BLACK BELT DEGREE _____ NONE _____

AAU DISTRICT NAME _____

2012 AAU NUMBER (REQUIRED) _____

CERTIFICATION CLASS: (circle one) AA A B C D E

CERTIFICATION NUMBER _____ (Cert. # is located online at aautaekwondo.org)

CERTIFICATION CLINIC (date of online certification for coaches):

Date ____/____/____ Location _____ Instructor _____

Taekwondo School Affiliation:

Chief Instructor _____ School Name _____

School Address _____ Phone _____

I WILL:

OFFICIATE _____

COACH _____ (*Coaches Pass - \$25.00*)

Make checks payable to: ADIRONDACK EVENTS – PO Box 1160 Latham, NY 12110

I understand that I must be properly attired according to AAU rules:

Coaches – AAU Coaches Shirt, Dobak or Warm-Up Pants & Sneakers.

Officials – Black Blazer, White Shirt, Black Pants, AAU Tie, Dark Socks, White Sneakers.

In order to be on the competition floor, proof of 2012 AAU Coaches/Official's Certification must be shown at check in

Signature _____ Date _____



TEAM FORMS APPLICATION



Adirondack AAU TAEKWONDO CHAMPIONSHIP

February 4TH, 2012
Hudson Valley Community College, Troy NY

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ENTRY DEADLINE: Wednesday, January 25th, 2012
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TEAM FORMS INFORMATION:

TEAM NAME _____

Athlete #1 _____ DOB ____ / ____ / ____ AAU# _____

Athlete #2 _____ DOB ____ / ____ / ____ AAU# _____

Athlete #3 _____ DOB ____ / ____ / ____ AAU# _____

CONTACT PHONE () _____ - _____ E-MAIL _____ @ _____

TAEKWONDO SCHOOL _____

ADDRESS, CITY, STATE, ZIP _____

INSTRUCTOR _____

Team Information

Age: 5-17 _____ 18+ _____

Gender: Male _____ Female _____ Mixed _____

Highest rank on team 1st Dan _____ 2nd Dan _____ 3rd Dan _____ 4th Dan _____ 5th Dan _____

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Directions to HVCC



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↑	From the North: The Hudson Valley campus is minutes from exit 7 of the Northway (I-87). Follow Rte. 7 East approximately 1.5 miles to I-787 South. Take I-787 South to Rte. 378 East. Over bridge bear right to Rte. 4 south and continue for 1 mile to the campus on your left.
↓	From the South: Take Exit 23 off I-87 (NYS Thruway). Follow I-787 North 6 miles to the exit for Rte. 378 East and follow as above.
→	From the East: Take Exit B-1 of the Massachusetts Turnpike and follow I-90 approximately 9 miles to Exit 8. Turn left off ramp to Route 4. Campus is 5 miles ahead on the right.
←	From the West: Take Exit 24 off I-90 (NYS Thruway), continue on I-90 East 6 miles to I-787 North (Troy). Follow I-787 as above.

Hotel information:

The host hotel for this event will be:



Fairfield Inn Albany/East Greenbush
124 Troy Road (Route 4)
East Greenbush, NY 12061
Phone: (518) 477-7984
Fax: (518) 477-2382

Discounted rates available if you mention "AAU Taekwondo"



VENDOR/SPONSOR APPLICATION



2012 ADIRONDACK AAU TAEKWONDO CHAMPIONSHIP

Since 2006 the Adirondack AAU Taekwondo Championship has brought thousands of people to the Capital District area for one of the largest Taekwondo tournaments on the east coast. In addition, for the past 5 years the Adirondack AAU Taekwondo Championship has been in the top 10 AAU Qualifiers based on number of registered athletes. The past three years have seen attendance averages as follows

- 40+ Taekwondo schools participating
- 350+ athletes
- 100+ coaches
- 40+ officials/referees
- 700+ spectators
- 50+ room nights between two local hotels

Whether you operate a business in the martial arts industry, you are a local business owner, or you are a Taekwondo School looking to increase school spirit – the Adirondack AAU Taekwondo Championship is an excellent opportunity for you!

Checks payable to ADIRONDACK EVENTS – PO Box 1160, Latham, NY 12110

VENDOR BOOTH

Several vendor areas will be available for the 2012 Adirondack AAU Taekwondo Championship. Booth space will be assigned in the order applications are received. We will not allow competing vendors (i.e. only 1 photographer, only 1 t-shirt vendor, etc.). All tables will have table skirts provided by HVCC, if you have logo'd banners or skirts you would prefer to use, this will be acceptable.

_____ **\$150 Small Vendor**

- 2 Tables
- Table skirts included
- Up to 2 chairs

_____ **\$250 Large Vendor**

- 4 Tables
- Table skirts included
- Up to 4 chairs

RING SPONSOR

The 2012 Adirondack AAU Taekwondo Championship will be operating six large (8meter) matted rings with electronic scoring. Each ring will have only one sponsorship opportunity, so your advertisement will get maximum exposure!

_____ **\$250 Ring Sponsor**

- 2' x 6' full color banner
- Banner is yours to keep after the event!
- \$100 discount for 2011 returning sponsors re-using the same table cover
- Banner artwork must be received 10 days prior to the event

YOUR COMPANY INFO

Company Name _____
 Address _____

 City, State, Zip _____

Company Contact _____
 Email _____
 Phone # _____