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The founder of the "King of the Ring"
Sensei Rossini is coming all the way from
Boston, MA to help us run this unique
and fun kumite division.







3425 S Oleander Ct,

Denver, CO 80224



Esteemed Sensei, Coaches, and Athletes,

It is with great pleasure that we invite you to our first tournament the **High Caliber Denver by Karate Bros**. The tournament is scheduled for **Saturday, March 4th, 2023**. To say we are excited would be an understatement!

The tournament address:

Parker Fieldhouse

18700 Plaza Dr,

Parker, CO 80134

As a part of athlete development we are happy to offer you a training seminar with US National Kumite Coach Gino Alfonso. The seminar will take place on **Sunday, March 5th** at the Okinawa Dojo.

The seminar address: Okinawa Dojo by Karate Bros 3425 S Oleander Ct Denver, CO 80224

Register at www.tournamentinabox.com

Registration cut-off deadline: Thursday, March 1, 2023 at 12 pm (at noon).

For more information, please reach out to us: Sensei Vitaly Padalka at 303-547-7248 or Sensei Alex Padalka at 970-456-8178 Email us at karate.denver@gmail.com

We look forward seeing you in our beautiful Colorado state soon!

Sensei Vitaly Padalka Sensei Alexandr Padalka Tournament co-directors, Okinawa Dojo by Karate Bros co-founders.





THE TOURNAMENT

TOURNAMENT DATE: Saturday, March 4th, 2023

TOURNAMENT LOCATION: Parker Fieldhouse

18700 Plaza Dr, Parker, CO 80134

REGISTRATION FEE: \$80 for kata and kumite events

\$20 for "King of the Ring" event

SPECTATOR FEE: \$10 – children 4 years and older (CASH ONLY)

FREE – children under 3 years old

REGISTER AT: www.tournamentinabox.com

RULES: New USA-NKF/WKF Modified Rules

AWARDS: 1st, 2nd, 3rd, and 3rd will receive medals

Participation medals for "My First Time" divisions only

HOST HOTEL: SpringHill Suites Denver Parker® by Marriott

9355 Silverado Drive Parker, Colorado 80134

\$124 per night

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Caliber Denver by Karate Bros

Last Day to Book: Friday, February 24, 2023

AFTER PARTY: 8 pm-10 pm at the Okinawa Dojo



KUMITE RULES

Tournament Director has the right to combine or split divisions 3 or 5 Judges/Referees

Kumite Tournament Rules

2023 NEW USANKF/WKF modified rules. All techniques to the face, head, and neck must have absolute control. The referee panel will penalize the competitor if the hand techniques touch the face, neck, or head for all 15 years old and younger. Light skin touch with a foot is allowed for all divisions. Age 16 and up (non-injurious, "light skin touch") with a hand is allowed.

Kumite Matches

1.5 MINUTES stop time 8 point ceiling for 13 years old and younger divisions

2 MINUTES stop time 8 point ceiling for 14 and older (except 18-34 Advanced)

3 MINUTES stop time 8 points spread for 18-34 Advanced

*ALL <u>KUMITE</u> DIVISIONS <u>WILL</u> USE REPECHAGE SYSTEM

Mandatory equipment:

White Karate-Gi (red and blue lettering is allowed, dojo patch is allowed)

WKF style Leather fist guard (Red and Blue preferred, White is allowed)

WKF style Foot/Shin Guards (Red and Blue preferred, White is allowed)

Mouth guard

Groin cup (boys only)

Optional equipment:

Headgear, WKF Face mask, Chest Protector (female), and body protector



KATA RULES

All Beginner/Novice Divisions

Competitors perform simultaneously, two at a time in all rounds. Competitors may perform only the katas listed:

Taikyoku Heian – Pinan Gekisai Fukyu Kata Kihon Kata

Competitors may repeat kata in all rounds.

Intermediate/Advanced Divisions

Competitors perform simultaneously, two at a time in all rounds May perform any kata.

Must perform a different kata in medal rounds (not performed in the previous round).

*ALL KATA DIVISIONS WILL NOT USE REPECHAGE SYSTEM



"King of the Ring" Rules

- 1. All athletes will be randomly assigned a number. This can either be done by the tournament organizer or by any other random method not visible to the competitor.
- 2. Athletes will line up on one side of the ring to the left or right.
- 3. There are TWO timings required for King of the Ring.
- **A)** A Running Time Clock which will be 15, 20 or 25 minutes depending on the number of competitors. The running time should be consistent with the number of competitors:
 - a) 15 competitors = 15 minutes
 - b) 20 competitors = 20 minutes
 - c) 25 competitors = 25 minutes

The organizer should round up or down based on the number of competitors: I.E. 17 competitors rounds down to 15 minutes OR 18 competitors round up to 20 minutes. Alternatively, the tournament organizer can set the Running Time Clock to the exact number of competitors.

- **B)** A 20 second Time Clock per match which will be run by an excellent time keeper due to the substantial amount of resetting the clock is needed.
- 4. The Scoreboard will be next to the ring where the athletes are lined up. This is to allow for clarification on score.
- 5. There will need to be a supervisor at the beginning of the line, and the end of the line especially for children's divisions.
- 6. All competitors must stay out of the ring while in line. The line supervisors should supervise this.
- 7. All competitors are expected to enter and exit the ring hastily so that it does not delay the next bout.
- 8. The Center referee should only stop the running time clock for injury, but may choose to do for other reasons. I.E. Equipment issue, clarification on score issue.
- 9. Coaches are not allowed in the normal coaching seats. They must sit back in an assigned areas (preferably a bench). They may offer instruction, but must remain seated during this time. They should also not change their seats.
- 10. Every bout will be: 20 seconds.



11. Stoppage during twenty second bouts:

- a) injury (the running time clock should be stopped as well)
- b) penalty
- c) score
- 12. If a competitor scores, they will be given Yuko, Wazari or Ippon. This should be recorded on a large white board for everyone to see.
- 13. If the line is to the left of the head referee, the current winner or new winner should move to the right of the head referee to facilitate the entrance of the next competitor.
- 14. There is no video review in King of the Ring
- 15. There are no protests in King of the Ring
- 16. If Both athletes are awarded the same score: Aka: 1 and Ao: 1, they are awarded their points on the score board and they will both get a fresh :20 clock for another bout.
- 17. If Both athletes are awarded different scores: Aka: 3 and Ao: 1, they are both awarded their respective points on the score board. However, the competitor with the lower score must exit to the back of the line. In this instance Aka remains, and Ao leaves.
- 18. When there is less than :20 remaining on the Running Time Clock, a "last match" will be declared.
- 19. In the event of any one tie, a sudden death match will be held.
- 20. In the event of a three way tie, one competitor will be randomly selected to sit out the first sudden death match and will fight the winner of the first bout.
- 21. All four corner judges should be used for King of the Ring. If four are not available, then the 3 judge system can be implemented and those rules should be applied.
- 22. It is advisable to put both the competitors name and number on the score board.
- 23. It is advisable to run combined age divisions for King of the Ring in accordance with the combined age divisions for kata and kumite.

"King of the Ring" was created in 2009 by Eric Rossini as way to offer a second individual kumite event for competitors. It was also designed to help competitors learn to score quickly. It is a high paced, well received and crowd-pleasing event. The King of the Ring has been part of Eric Rossini's tournaments since 2009 which are currently called "The Boston Open".

King of the Rings Rules: Version 1.1 Dated: 11-28-2022



COMPETITION DIVISION

"My First Time": 1 year of training or less and never competed before Beginner: 1 year of training or less

Novice: 1-2 years training Intermediate: 2-4 years training Advanced: 4 years of training or more

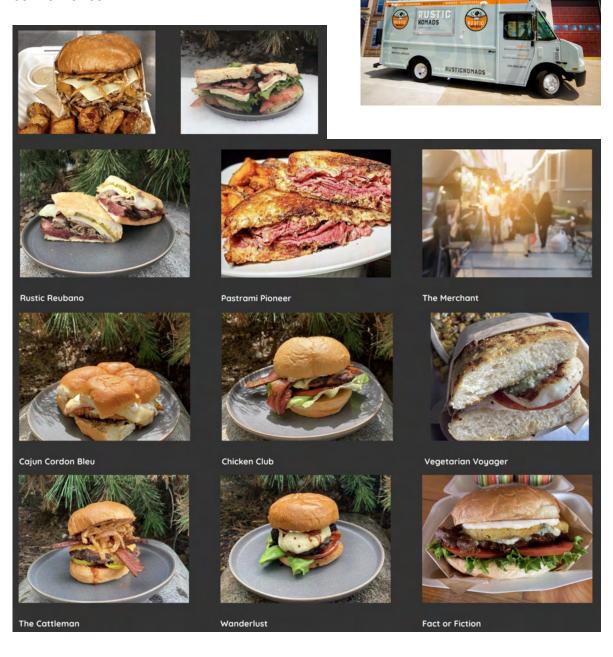
	Division
K1	5 & under Boys/Girls Beg/Novice Kata
K2	6-7 Boys Beginners - Kata
K3	6-7 Girls Beginners - Kata
K4	6-7 Boys Novice - Kata
K5	6-7 Girls Novice - Kata
K6	6-7 Boys Intermediate/Advanced - Kata
K7	6-7 Girls Intermediate/Advanced - Kata
K8	8-9 Boys Beginner Kata
K9	8-9 Girls Beginner Kata
K10	8-9 Boys Novice Kata
K11	8-9 Girls Novice Kata
K12	8-9 Boys Intermediate Kata
K13	8-9 Girls Intermediate Kata
K14	8-9 Boys Advanced Kata
K15	8-9 Girls Advanced Kata
K16	10-11 Boys Beginner Kata
K17	10-11 Girls Beginner Kata
K18	10-11 Boys Novice Kata
K19	10-11 Girls Novice Kata
K20	10-11 Boys Intermediate Kata
K21	10-11 Girls Intermediate Kata
K22	10-11 Boys Advanced Kata
K23	10-11 Girls Advanced Kata
K24	12-13 Boys Beginner Kata
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K25	12-13 Girls Beginner Kata
K26	12-13 Boys Novice Kata
K27	12-13 Girls Novice Kata
K28	12-13 Boys Intermediate Kata
K29	12-13 Girls Intermediate Kata
K30	12-13 Boys Advanced Kata
K31	12-13 Girls Advanced Kata
K32	14-15 Boys Beginner Kata
K33	14-15 Girls Beginner Kata
K34	14-15 Boys Novice Kata
K35	14-15 Girls Novice Kata
K36	14-15 Boys Intermediate Kata
K37	14-15 Girls Intermediate Kata
K38	14-15 Boys Advanced Kata
K39	14-15 Girls Advanced Kata
K40	16-17 Boys Beginner Kata
K41	16-17 Girls Beginner Kata
K42	16-17 Boys Novice Kata
K43	16-17 Girls Novice Kata
K44	16-17 Boys Intermediate Kata
K45	16-17 Girls Intermediate Kata
K46	16-17 Boys Advanced Kata
K47	16-17 Girls Advanced Kata
K48	18- 34 Mens Beginner Kata
K49	18- 34 Mens Novice Kata
K50	18- 34 Mens Intermediate Kata
K51	18- 34 Mens Advanced Kata
K52	18- 34 Womens Beginner Kata
K53	18- 34 Womens Novice Kata
K54	18- 34 Womens Intermediate Kata
K55	18- 34 Womens Advanced Kata
K56	35-44 Mens Beginner/Novice Kata
K57	35-44 Womens Beginner/Novice Kata
K58	35-44 Men Inter/Advanced Kata
	35-44 Womens Inter/Advanced Kata
K59	
K59 K60	45+ Mens Beginner/Novice Kata
	45+ Mens Beginner/Novice Kata 45+ Womens Beginner/Novice Kata

ID	Division
S1	5 & under Boys/Girls Beg/Novice Kumite
S2	6-7 Boys Beginners - Kumite
S3	6-7 Girls Beginners - Kumite
S4	6-7 Boys Novice - Kumite
S5	6-7 Girls Novice - Kumite
S6	6-7 Boys Intermediate/Advanced - Kumite
S7	6-7 Girls Intermediate/Advanced - Kumite
S8	8-9 Boys Beginner Kumite
S9	8-9 Girls Beginner Kumite
S10	8-9 Boys Novice Kumite
S11	8-9 Girls Novice Kumite
S12	8-9 Boys Intermediate Kumite
S13 S14	8-9 Girls Intermediate Kumite
	8-9 Boys Advanced Kumite
S15 S16	8-9 Girls Advanced Kumite
S17	10-11 Boys Beginner Kumite
S17 S18	10-11 Girls Beginner Kumite
	10-11 Boys Novice Kumite
S19	10-11 Girls Novice Kumite
S20	10-11 Boys Intermediate Kumite
S21 S22	10-11 Girls Intermediate Kumite
	10-11 Boys Advanced Kumite
S23	10-11 Girls Advanced Kumite
S24	12-13 Boys Beginner Kumite
S25	12-13 Girls Beginner Kumite
S26	12-13 Boys Novice Kumite
S27	12-13 Girls Novice Kumite
S28	12-13 Boys Intermediate Kumite
S29	12-13 Girls Intermediate Kumite
S30	12-13 Boys Advanced Kumite
S31	12-13 Girls Advanced Kumite
S32	14-15 Boys Beginner Kumite
S33	14-15 Girls Beginner Kumite
S34	14-15 Boys Novice Kumite
S35	14-15 Girls Novice Kumite
S36	14-15 Boys Intermediate Kumite
S37	14-15 Girls Intermediate Kumite
S38	14-15 Boys Advanced Kumite
S39	14-15 Girls Advanced Kumite
S40	16-17 Boys Beginner Kumite
S41	16-17 Girls Beginner Kumite
S42	16-17 Boys Novice Kumite
S43	16-17 Girls Novice Kumite
S44	16-17 Boys Intermediate Kumite
S45	16-17 Girls Intermediate Kumite
S46	16-17 Boys Advanced Kumite
S47	16-17 Girls Advanced Kumite
S48	18- 34 Mens Beginner Kumite
S49	18- 34 Mens Novice Kumite
S50	18- 34 Mens Intermediate Kumite
S52	18- 34 Womens Beginner Kumite
S53	18- 34 Womens Novice Kumite
S54	18- 34 Womens Intermediate Kumite
S56	35-44 Mens Beginner/Novice Kumite
S57	35-44 Womens Beginner/Novice Kumite
S58	35-44 Men Inter/Advanced Kumite
S59	35-44 Womens Inter/Advanced Kumite
S60	45+ Mens Beginner/Novice Kumite
S61	45+ Womens Beginner/Novice Kumite
S62	45+ Men Inter/Advanced Kumite
S63	45+ Womens Inter/Advanced Kumite
S64	18- 34 Mens Advanced -75kg Kumite
S65	18- 34 Mens Advanced -75kg Kumite
S66	18- 34 Womens Advanced -60kg Kumite

ID	Division
SFT1	5 & under Boys/Girls "My First Time" Kumite
SFT2	6-7 Boys "My First Time" Kumite
SFT3	6-7 Girls "My First Time" Kumite
SFT4	8-9 Boys "My First Time" Kumite
SFT5	8-9 Girls "My First Time" Kumite
KOR-1	King of the Ring 5 & under - Boys/Girls
KOR-2	King of the Ring {ages 6-7} - Male
KOR-3	King of the Ring {ages 6-7} - Female
KOR-4	King of the Ring {ages 8-9} - Male
KOR-5	King of the Ring {ages 8-9} - Female
KOR-6	King of the Ring {ages 10-11} - Male
KOR-7	King of the Ring {ages 10-11} - Female
KOR-8	King of the Ring {ages 12-13} - Male
KOR-9	King of the Ring {ages 12-13} - Female
KOR-10	King of the Ring {ages 14-15} - Male
KOR-11	King of the Ring (ages 14-15) - Female
KOR-12	King of the Ring {ages 16-17} - Male
KOR-13	King of the Ring {ages 16-17} - Female
KOR-14	King of the Ring {ages 18+} - Male
KOR-15	King of the Ring {ages 18+} - Female
Para1	17 and under Boys/Girls Challenged Kata - all levels
Para2	18+ Boys/Girls Challenged Kata - all levels



Rustic Nomads food truck will be selling delicious meals at the venue for your convenience.





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Visit Denver Aquarium



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Visit Downtown Denver and Rino district known for its colorful murals, contemporary art galleries and hip concert, and food halls



Enjoy a hockey game on March 5th at 7 pm Colorado Avalanche vs. Seattle Kraken (@ Ball Arena)

...or stay for another day or two and enjoy the mountains and play in the snow (1-2 hr drive)



Enjoy snow tubing



Enjoy snowmobiling



Enjoy Skiing