

February 1, 2024

Dear Martial Arts Instructors,

You are invited to attend our 2024 United Traditional Tae Kwon-Do Canada (UTTC) Invitational Tournament. The competition will be held on **Saturday, May 4 at the Bragg Creek Community Centre** in the beautiful community of Bragg Creek, Alberta (20 minutes west of Calgary).

This fun, friendly event is designed to bring together a community of like-minded martial arts schools and to provide a safe competitive environment for all students. This tournament will include a minimum of two rounds of continuous sparring for all competitors and patterns divisions for all levels.

Attached is the tournament information package which is available with the online registration link at <u>redwoodtaekwondo.com</u>. Registration deadline is Saturday, April 20.

Please feel free to contact me at 403-807-1030 or <a href="mailto:redwoodtaekwondo@gmail.com">redwoodtaekwondo@gmail.com</a> should you have any questions. We look forward to seeing you at our event!

Sincerely,

Mr. Jason Smith Tournament Director

**Tournament Organizing Committee** 

- Ms. Stacie Smith
- Mr. Clint Suntjens
- Mr. Jason Webb
- Ms. Jodie Clease
- Mr. Ken Halverson

## 2024 UTTC Invitational Tournament

**Location:** Bragg Creek Community Centre, 23 White Avenue, Bragg Creek, Alberta, ToL 0K0

Date: Saturday, May 4, 2024

**Time:** 9:00 am to 4:00 pm. Doors open at 8:30 am.

**Sign-up:** Registration deadline is Saturday, April 20. Online only - no registration at the door.

**Payment:** E-transfer payments to <a href="mailto:redwoodtaekwondo@gmail.com">redwoodtaekwondo@gmail.com</a>

Timing: Check in 8:30 to 9:00 am

School line up and bow in 9:00 to 9:15 am Welcome remarks 9:15 to 9:30 am Tournament duration 9:30 to 4:00 pm

**Fees:** Competitors: \$65 for two divisions (continuous sparring and patterns)

Spectators: Free

**Events:** Continuous free sparring

**Patterns** 

**Divisions:** Divisions available at check-in with the approximate timing of events.

All divisions are adjustable to size, number of entries, age, etc. to ensure fairness.

Format: Pattern competition

Minimum, two 90-second round sparring matches for all competitors

**Equipment:** Sparring gear is required for all students ages 10+ and all green belts and higher ranks.

- It is recommended for white and yellow belt competitors ages nine and under.
- Sparring gear includes <u>hand</u>, <u>foot</u>, <u>and head gear</u> (soft dipped foam, cloth, leather, or synthetic fabric), and a <u>mouth guard</u>.
- Groin protection is required for male competitors.
- Shin pads and chest protectors are optional.

Awards: Quality custom medals for 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place in each event

**T-Shirts:** Tournament t-shirts available for purchase (more information to come)

Concession: Cash-only concession will be available with snacks, drinks, and hot food items

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