USA National Karate-do Federation

Team Kumite

PRELIMINARY NOTICE TO THE ATHLETE SELECTION PROCEDURES

2024 Karate World Cup

July 1, 2024

TO: Members of USA National Karate-do Federation

FROM: USA National Karate-do Federation

RE: Preliminary Notice to the Athlete Selection Procedures for the 2024 Karate World Cup

To provide as much information in a timely manner, USA National Karate-do Federation (USA-NKF) is releasing this Preliminary Notice to the Athlete Selection Procedures for the 2024 Karate World Cup Senior Team in the discipline of Kumite. The 2024 Karate World Cup (formerly the Team World Championship) will be held in Pamplona, Spain, from November 22 – 24, 2024. This document is being written as a complement, not a substitute to the 2024 Senior Team Athlete Selection Procedures.

A. Athlete Pool

It has been determined that USA-NKF will add a second competition to the Senior Team Selection Process for the 2024 Karate World Cup. Previously, athletes were only eligible for selection if they placed in the top 6 in their respective weight class at the 2024 Senior Team Trials in January 2024. However, this process was amended to include all eligible athletes who place top 4 in the Senior Elite Kumite Categories at the 2024 USA-NKF National Championships on July 11-14 in Lafayette, Louisiana.

After the USA-NKF National Championships, the National Coaching Staff (NCS) will recommend 8 male and 5 female athletes from the Athlete Pool to the Athlete Advisory Council for approval.

B. Evaluation Events

Athletes considered for nomination to the 2024 Karate World Cup Championships will be evaluated at the below-listed events and in accordance with the Team Kumite Athlete Selection Policy.

| EVENT NAME | DATE/LOCATION | |
|--------------------------------|------------------------------------|--|
| USA-NKF Senior Team Trials | January 2024, Colorado Springs, CO | |
| USA-NKF National Championships | July 11-14, Lafayette, Louisiana | |

Eligibility and registration information can be found at www.usankf.org

C. Disclaimer

The information in this notice is provided to assist athletes with their training and competition planning and is subject to change.

For questions about the 2024 Karate World Cup selection process, please contact Brody Burns, Director of Sport, at bburns@usankf.org.

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