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TAEKWONDO CHAMPIONSHIPS

May 2, 2015

Kennesaw Mountain High School
Kennesaw, GA

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- **Double Elimination Sparring** - ALL black belts & red belts
- **3 Rounds of Sparring** - ALL competitors
- **Free Premium Uniform** - ALL sparring state champions
- **Dbl Elim. Bracket Poomsae** - ALL belts
- **Top Int'l & Nat. Referees**
- **Free Coach's Pass** - At least one per school owner
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Greetings,

2015 Georgia Games Taekwondo Championships May 2, 2015

Introduction



It is our pleasure to invite you to the Georgia Games Taekwondo Championships. This year's event will be held at Kennesaw Mtn High School on May 2nd. We would like to extend a great appreciation for the support from all of the Masters, Instructors, and Coaches in making the GA Games one of the largest events on the east coast. Every year, we attract athletes from all across the US and expect further growth this year from outside our region. As with last year, the USAT qualifier has been moved to its own day, Sunday, May 3rd. It is our hope that we can manage the GA Games within one gym this year.

Each year, the Georgia Games is committed to providing the highest quality officiating. This year will be no different as we will be providing many international referees. While many people cannot understand why we hire so many IRs, the answer is simple. First, the IRs that we hire are highly experienced, many of them working 45+ weekends per year. Their level of international and local experience in ring management and officiating brings a level of professionalism to the athlete that they cannot typically get outside of a national event. Second, the Georgia Games is not only focused on providing a good athlete experience each year, we are also focused on investing in the future of our sport. We recognized long ago that in order for athletes to get a fair game, we had to have seasoned referees. At the Georgia Games, we are trying to do our part by providing a high level mentoring experience for our local level referees. One of these mentoring IRs include USAT's former national referee chair John Seiber.

As with last year, E-Hogus will be used by all red & black belts. While E-Hogu use requires a little more skill in kicking, they have dramatically reduced the number of protest and disputes within matches locally, nationally, and internationally. Prior to its use in the 2012 Olympics, the WTF has worked on refining the standards used to measure athletes' kicks while trying to maintain the essence of the game. In the past three years, we have seen dramatic changes in required impact levels and measuring methods. This has become less significant in the past year as the WTF and the taekwondo community has become more and more comfortable with these standards. It is our goal at the GA Games to provide our athletes with the most objective and fair game utilizing the latest standards available from the WTF.

At the Georgia Games, we feel that athlete development is paramount. One of the most difficult obstacles for black belts is to find ring time at tournaments. This is why the GA Games adopted double-elimination sparring for all black belts several years ago. This year, we have added double-elimination to the red belt divisions as well. Also to further athlete development, we have adopted double-elimination poomsae for everyone. As a reminder, cadets and junior sparring divisions were redefined 2 years ago to 12-14 years old and 15-17, respectively. This is now the new international standard.

As with the past, head kicks will be allowed for all divisions following standardized WTF rules. However, as with previous years, junior safety rules, JSR, will be strictly enforced for everyone except 15-32 black belts. This means controlled light contact to the head that will be determined by the center referee. Safety is our first concern. Speaking of safety, Bare Essentials Sports Medicine, this country's premiere sports event medic staff has been contracted to handle all medical for this event. Bare Essentials carries the relationship and reputation with the taekwondo community that spans several decades.

For school owners, we have not nor will ever charge you a coach's fee to support your athletes and our tournament. Furthermore, we do not require any type of coaching credentials or membership. Please contact us with your school information, the number of athletes you're bringing, and the number of coach's pass(es) that you will need.

For those traveling from afar, we have developed a wonderful relationship with the Marriott. This year, the Marriott has undergone major renovations. Rooms are available for \$99 per night under the "GEO" block. Early weigh-in, check-in, and registration will be available Friday night before the tournament.

More information, including packets, can be found at www.Register4TKD.com. Daedo E-foot gear can be purchased at www.DaedoSouth.com.

Any feedback that you can provide us after the event will be greatly appreciated as it is our goal to provide the best possible customer experience to our athletes. We would like to thank you in advanced for your support and look forward to seeing you all there at the 2015 GA Games.

Sincerely,

Master David Wilch
Georgia State Games Sports Chair

Eric Pfeifer
Georgia State Games Executive Director

2015 Georgia Games Taekwondo Championships



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Tournament Information

Date: Saturday – May 2, 2015
Venue: Kennesaw Mtn High School, 1898 Kennesaw Due West Road Kennesaw, GA 30152
Entry Fee: ALL BELTS **by April 20** **by April 27** **On-site**
 \$75 \$85 \$95
 Mail-in applications MUST postmarked by April 20.
Spectators: \$8.00 at the Door
Coaches: \$25 per coach (One free Coach's Pass per School) www.Register4TKD.com
 See contact info below to request free Coach's Pass and ask about Coach's Hospitality
REGISTER ONLINE at www.Register4TKD.com

State Chair: Master David Wilch Phone: 770-507-5425
Referee Chair: Master John Seiber, IR
Referees: Referees can apply at www.Register4TKD.com
Medical: Bare Essentials Sports Medicine Co. LLC



Schedule of Events:
 Friday night: 6:00-10:00pm Registration & weigh-in @ Tournament Hotel
 Saturday: 8:00-9:30am Registration & weigh-in @ Venue
 9:30 Referee Meeting
 9:45 Coaches' Meeting
 10:00 11 & under Poomsae then Sparring
 2:00pm 12 & older Poomsae then Sparring
 (late weigh-in & check-in will be available until 1PM)

Rules:
Poomsae - Double Elimination-Bracketed Competition.
Sparring- Olympic style rules as governed by WTF. 3 Rnds of sparring for everyone. CONTROLLED Head contact for all 11 & under division. 3 pt for kicks to head. 1 pt for body. 1 pt additional for spinning. Final determinations and rule interpretations shall be made by the Referee Chair. All tied scores in resolved with sudden death sparring.

Equipment:
6 & older Red & Black Belts - E-Hogus WILL be provided; Athletes must provide their own E-Foot Gear. Daedo E-Foot Gear is Mandatory. E-Foot Gear can be purchased at www.DaedoSouth.com for \$59 or on site for \$70 cash, MC, Visa, AmX, or Discover.



WTF Taekwondo V-neck Uniform required Mouthpieces required
 Trunk Protector (w/red & blue markings) Headgear (white or matching red/blue)
 Protective Cup (worn inside the pants) required for males.
 Approved Forearm and Shin/Instep protectors.
 (ALL Plastic or Metal guards WILL be confiscated & athletes Dqed)
 No Sport Goggles allowed during Sparring Competition.

Awards:
 1st Place in sparring -**Prem. State Champion Uniform** (limit 1/athlete)
 1st, 2nd, & 3rd Places -medal Exhibition matches do not qualify for a uniform

Contact Info: e-mail: david.wilch@gmail.com
Hotel Information: Atlanta Marriott NW at Galleria
 200 Interstate N Pkwy SE
 Atlanta, GA 30339
 Phone: 770-952-7900



Special Rate of \$99 for a double blocked under "GEO"





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DIVISIONS

POOMSAE: Age will be determined based on the day of the event

AGE	SKILL LEVEL	GENDER	WEIGHT
4-5 ^{1,2} 6-7 ^{1,2} 8-9 ² 10-11 12-13 14-17 18-24 25-35 36 and up	White (9th Gup) Yellow-Orange (8th-7th Gup) Green (6th-5th Gup) Purple-Blue (4th-3rd Gup) Brown & Red (2nd-1st Gup) Black Belt	Male Female	All

Sparring:

AGE	SKILL LEVEL	GENDER	WEIGHT
4-5 ^{1,2} , 6-7 ² 8-9 ² , 10-11 12-14, 15-17 18-32, 33-37 38-45, 46 and up	White Yellow-Orange (8th-7th Gup) Green (6th-5th Gup) Purple - Blue (4th-3rd Gup) Brown & Red (2nd-1st Gup) Black Belt 	Male Female	All

Cadet (12-14) Black Belt			Junior (15-17) Black Belt		
Male		Female	Male		Female
Fly	Under 81.6lbs (37kg)	Under 72.8lbs (33kg)	Fly	Under 105.8lbs (48kg)	Under 97.0lbs (44kg)
Feather	81.7-99.2lbs (37-45kg)	72.8-90.4lbs (33-41kg)	Feather	105.9-121.3lbs (48-55kg)	97.1-108lbs (44-49kg)
Welter	99.3-116.8lbs (45-53kg)	90.5-103.6lbs (41-47kg)	Welter	121.4-138.9lbs (55-63kg)	108.1-121.3lbs (49-55kg)
Middle	116.9-134.5lbs (53-61kg)	103.7-121.3lbs (47 - 55 kg)	Middle	139.0-160.9lbs (63-73kg)	121.4-138.9lbs (55 - 63 kg)
Heavy	Over 134.5 lbs (61kg)	Over 121.3lbs (55kg)	Heavy	Over 161.0 lbs (73kg)	Over 139.0lbs (63kg)

Senior Black Belt (18-32)			Male	Female
Fly			Under 127.9lbs (58kg)	Under 108lbs (49kg)
Feather			128-149.9lbs (58-68kg)	108.1-125.6lbs (49-57kg)
Welter			150-176.4lbs (68-80kg)	125.7-147.7lbs (57-67kg)
Heavy			Over 176.5lbs (80kg)	Over 147.8 lbs (67kg)

¹Boys and Girls may be combined. ²Advanced and Black Belt may be combined.
Divisions may be combined or split at the sole discretion of the tournament director.



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Athlete Application & Waiver



Please Fill Out Completely: (Entry Deadline - postmarked by April 20)

Athlete's Name: _____
Last First Middle

Street Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone Numbers: _____
Daytime Evening Cell

Email: _____

Date of Birth: _____ Sex: _____ T-Shirt Size: Youth: YS YM YL or Adult: AS AM AL AXL AXXL
Circle One

Martial Arts School: _____ Phone: _____ Coach: _____

Academic School Name: _____ County: _____

Emergency Contact: _____
Last First Middle

Division Information (circle all that apply):

Notice: For age group, use athlete's age on day of the event

Forms	Sparring	Other (\$10 add.): _____
Male Female	Male Female	Male Female
4-5 6-7 8-9 10-11 12-14 15-17 18-29 30-39 40&up	4-5 6-7 8-9 10-11 12-14 15-17 18-32 33-45 46&up	Age: _____
Belt Color: W Y O G P Blue R Black	Belt Color: W Y O G P Blue R Black	Belt Color: W Y O G P Blue R Black
Gup: _____	Gup: _____	Gup: _____
Weight: _____	Weight: _____	Weight: _____

AGREEMENT, RELEASE AND WAIVER OF LIABILITY

In consideration of being permitted to participate in or assisting others in participation in the Georgia Games Championships ("Championships")/District Sports Festivals, and related events and activities, on behalf of myself, or a minor child or ward, heir, next of kin, personal representative, successor or assign;

- (1) I ACKNOWLEDGE, UNDERSTAND AND DECLARE THAT:
 - (a) To the best of my knowledge, I am in GOOD PHYSICAL CONDITION and have no disease or injury that would be aggravated by participating in activities related to the Championships;
 - (b) Participating or assisting other in participating in the Championships may involve RISK OF INJURY TO ME, INCLUDING DEATH, LOSS OR DAMAGE TO ME OR MY PROPERTY, or other consequences, which might result not only from my own actions, in actions or negligence but also the actions, in actions or negligence of others, the rules play, or the conditions of the premises or of any equipment used;
 - (c) There may be OTHER RISKS not known or not reasonably foreseeable; and Understanding All of the Above,
- (2) I ASSUME ALL OF THE ABOVE RISKS AND RELEASE, WAIVE, DISCHARGE, HOLD HARMLESS, INDEMNIFY AND COVENANT NOT TO SUE:
 - (a) The State of Georgia or any of its agencies, District Sports Festivals, the Georgia State Games Commission, the Georgia Sports Foundations, its Commissioners, its Board of Directors, its employees, agents, volunteers, coaches, trainers, or officials affiliated with their programs;
 - (b) Any affiliated subsidiary, successor, organization, or related companies or businesses, other participants, participating or sponsoring municipalities, governmental agencies, international organizations, agencies, sponsors, or advertisers, the respective administrators, officers, directors, agents, representatives, employees, or volunteers of such entities or organizations;
 - (c) The National Congress of State Games (NCSG), the Southeast Sports Festival, the United States Olympic Committee (USOC) and/or their respective representatives, officers, directors, employees, agents, successors and assigns;
 - (d) Owners, leasers and lessees of premises used to conduct the Games FROM ANY AND ALL LIABILITY FOR INJURY, INCLUDING DEATH, LOSS OR DAMAGE TO PERSON OR PROPERTY, OR ANY OTHER CONSEQUENCE in connection with entry in or arising out of participation in, performance in or lack of performance in, including travel en route to and from the Championships.
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 - (a) Prior to participating as an athlete, I, or in the case of a minor, a parent or guardian, will INSPECT the facilities and equipment to be used, and If I believe same to be unsafe, I will immediately REPORT such condition(s) to the athletic coach, supervisor or official connected with the Championships of same and either DECLINE TO PARTICIPATE or ASSUME THE RISK of participating;
 - (b) I will ALLOW my PHOTOGRAPH, PICTURE or LIKENESS and/or VOICE to APPEAR in any official documentary, promotional (including and all advertisements), television, radio or film coverage of the Championships, WITHOUT COMPENSATION.
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 - (a) ALL EMERGENCY MEDICAL TREATMENT as may be deemed appropriate under existing circumstances by medical personnel or personnel associated with the Championships. I HAVE READ THIS FORM IN ITS ENTIRITY AND HAVE PROVIDED TRUTHFUL INFORMATION.

Name of Athlete (print)

Signature of Athlete (if at least 18 years of age)

Date

Name of Parent/Legal Guardian if Athlete is a minor (print)

Signature of Parent/Guardian, Individually and in the capacity

Date



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Coach's Application & Waiver



Please Fill Out Completely: (Entry Deadline - postmarked by April 20)

Name: _____
Last
First
Middle

School Name: _____ Are you the owner: _____

School Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone Numbers: _____
School
Home
Cell

Email: _____

Date of Birth: _____ Sex: _____ Rank: _____

Additional Coaches:

Name: _____
Last
First
Middle

Name: _____
Last
First
Middle

Name: _____
Last
First
Middle

Account Summary:	
School Owners will receive one free pass (\$00)	= _____
Additional coach's pass or non-school owners(\$25)x _____	= _____
Donations	= _____
Total	= _____

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Date



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Referee Application & Waiver



Please Fill Out Completely: (Entry Deadline - postmarked by April 20)

Name: _____
Last
First
Middle

School Name: _____ Are you the owner: _____

School Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone Numbers: _____
School
Home
Cell

Email: _____

Date of Birth: _____ Sex: _____ Rank: _____

Organizational Certifications:

- USAT Level _____
- AAU Level _____
- WTF Level _____

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Signature of Parent/Guardian, Individually and in the capacity

Date



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Instructor's Poomsae Seminar

Date: Friday – May 1, 2015 5PM-8PM
Venue: Atlanta Marriott NW at Galleria
 200 Interstate N Pkwy SE
 Atlanta, GA 30339
 Phone: 770-952-7900

Entry Fee: \$30 per Instructor or Asst. Instructors (only)

Seminar Conductor: Dr. Leslie Cheung
 WTF International Poomsae & Kyorugi Referee
 USAT Poomsae Referee Instructor
 '13 and '14 WTF World Poomsae Championship Referee

Attire: Full Dobok

Please Fill Out Completely: (Payment will be taken at the door)



Name: _____
Last First Middle

School Name: _____ Are you the owner: _____

School Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone Numbers: _____
School Home Cell

Email: _____

Date of Birth: _____ Sex: _____ Rank: _____

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 Date



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General Information



Georgia State Games – Developed to promote “grassroots” amateur sports and an improved quality of life, the Georgia State Games attracts athletes from a variety of backgrounds, ages and skill levels. Each year the Georgia Games continues to develop programs that fit the athletic and lifestyle needs of the Georgia public. As a member of the National Congress of State Games (NCSG), which is a community based, multi-sport member of the United States Olympic Committee (USOC), the Georgia Games is committed to enhance and promote participation in amateur sports.

Advance to Regionals or Nationals –

NATIONALS - Every two years, 40 State Games come together as one to participate in a national competition, the State Games of America. All medal winners from State Games programs are eligible to compete. For more information, visit www.stategames.org

About the Georgia Games Championships – The Georgia Games Championships is a sports festival created for Georgia's amateur athletes. Patterned after the Summer Olympics, the Championships will consist of 40 sports providing Georgia's amateur athletes, of all ages and skill levels, a meaningful opportunity to participate in a true amateur sport competition.

Who Can Compete – All residents of Georgia who have lived in the state for at least 30 days prior to the date of competition for their sport are eligible if they meet the requirements specified by that sport. Georgia residents attending school or serving in the military in other states are also eligible. Residents of South Carolina and Tennessee are invited to participate as well.

How To Enter – **NEW ONLINE REGISTRATION!** Visit our website www.Register4TKD.com to register online. Entry forms may be obtained by visiting our web site or by calling 770-528-3580. Participants are encouraged to note deadlines and register early for all competitions. A signed agreement, release and waiver of liability and payment of an entry fee is required in order to compete.

Refund Policy – REFUNDS WILL BE GIVEN UNDER THE FOLOWING CIRCUMSTANCES ONLY:

- **Entry received after maximum numbers of teams or individuals are bracketed.**
- **Insufficient number of teams or individuals entered.**
- **Entry received from a non-qualified athlete.**

Insurance – Insurance is the responsibility of each participant. In some instances, the National Governing Body (NGB), which sanctions an event, may have secondary coverage. Medical aid will be available in the event of an emergency, injury or illness. Preparation for competition, such as taping, will not be provided.

Governing Body Registration/Membership – NGB registration requirements vary between sports. Please check your sport event information for details.

Number of Sports Entered - You may enter as many sports as you wish, as long as the events are not held at conflicting times. It is the athlete's responsibility to make sure there are no schedule conflicts in the sports he/she enters.

Awards – All participants will receive an official Georgia Games Championships commemorative T-shirt. Gold, silver and bronze medals will be awarded to the first three places. With the inclusion of out-of-state athletes, no Georgian will be displaced for a medal. See your Event Director with any questions regarding this information. The Georgia Games Sportsmanship Award will be presented to the male and female in each sport who best exemplifies the positive attributes of a model competitor. Additionally, one male and one female athlete from the pool of Sportsmanship Award winners will be nominated for the State Games Athlete of the Year Award.

Organizers – The Georgia Games staff, assisted by thousands of volunteers, carry out the various tasks associated with the execution of the Georgia Games Championships.

For More Information Contact the Georgia Games: P.O. Box 2043 Kennesaw, GA 30156

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2015 Georgia Games Taekwondo Championships



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GEORGIA GAMES Georgia Games Scholastic Sports Olympiad

Fundamental Principle: To provide a fun, competitive atmosphere where the Olympic Ideals of the founder of the modern day Olympics, Pierre De Coubertin's, "A Celebration of Life through Sports" is a positive attribute that should be encouraged across all youths, all skill levels, all ethnicities and all geographic areas of the state.

What is the Scholastic Sports Olympiad? Its a statewide scholastic sports and fitness competition!

Ask yourself: Is your school the most athletic and physical fitness oriented & spirited?

How can you help your school claim bragging rights for ALL sports and not just a few?

- Earn your school points via: 1) final standings, 2) participation points, 3) sportsmanship points & 4) distance traveled.

Over 40 sports being offered!

Archery	Diving	Rowing	Tennis-USTA
Badminton	Equestrian	Rugby-HS	Track & Field
Billiards	Fencing	Shooting-BB Gun	Volleyball-Indoor
Baseball	Golf	Shooting-Shot Gun	Volleyball-Outdoor
Basketball-Boy's	Judo	Soccer-Boys	Weightlifting-Olympic
Basketball-Girl's	Lacrosse-Boys	Soccer-Girls	Weightlifting-Power
Billiards	Lacrosse-Girls	Swimming-Open Water:	Wrestling-Folk,
BMX Cycling	Mt. Biking	- 1K, 3K, 5K	- Free / Greco
Bowling	Racquetball	Swimming-Youth	Water Polo
Boxing	Road Race: 5K & 10K	Table Tennis	
Cycling-Criterium & Road Race	Roller Hockey	Taekwondo	

Categories 1A through 5A High Schools and Middle Schools each have their own division.

Eligible Participants:

Anyone who attends and competes from your school can earn points towards the Olympiad!
Every athlete receives a Sports Festival t-shirt just for competing!

Individuals and teams receive Gold, Silver or Bronze medals for winning their respective sports, divisions or events. Thousands of medals are up for grabs!

The majority of the events are in the summer. Visit our website for complete details on scoring, schedules and more!

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Remember, you do not have to be the best to earn points for your school. You just have to compete!

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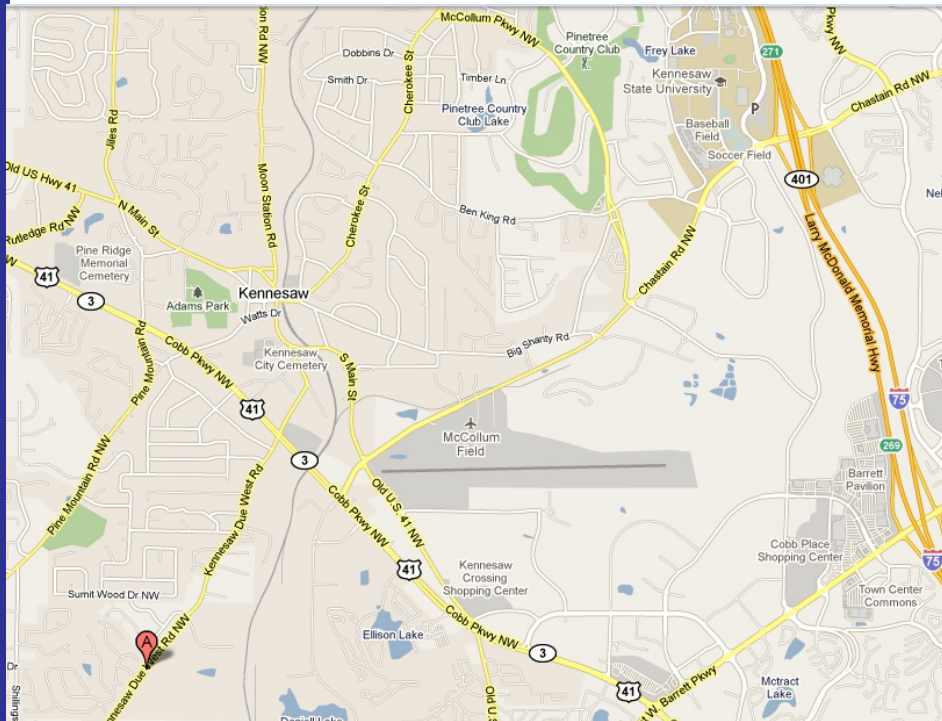


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Locations/Directions



Kennesaw Mountain High School (A)
1898 Kennesaw Due West Road
Kennesaw, GA 30152

Exit I-75 at Chastain Rd, Exit 271.

Turn West onto Chastain Rd. and travel 2.3 mi. to Cobb Pkwy.

Turn Right onto Cobb Pkwy.

Turn at 1st Left onto Kennesaw Due West Rd.

Kennesaw Mtn. HS is 1 mi. ahead on Left

Notice: Venue is 14.2 miles (19min) from Hotel.

Tournament Hotel: (B)
Atlanta Marriott Northwest
200 Interstate North Parkway
Atlanta, GA 30339
Phone: 1-800-228-9290

Exit I-75 at Windy Hill Rd, Exit 260

Turn East onto Windy Hill Rd.

Turn at 1st Right onto Interstate North Pkwy.

Hotel is 0.3 mi. on the Left

