The British Council for Chinese Martial Arts (BCCMA)

United Kingdom Competitions Pack



BCCMA National Championships Adult & Juniors

Qing Da and Novice San Shou, Shuai Jiao – Tui Shou (Chinese Wrestling – Push Hands)

Hertfordshire Sports Village, Hatfield.

Sunday 15th July, 2018

Venue Information:

Hertfordshire Sports Village, De Havilland Campus, Hatfield Business Park, Hatfield, Herts. **AL10 9EU** www.hertssportsvillage.co.uk

Tel: 01707 284466 email: sports.reception@herts.co.uk

How to get there:

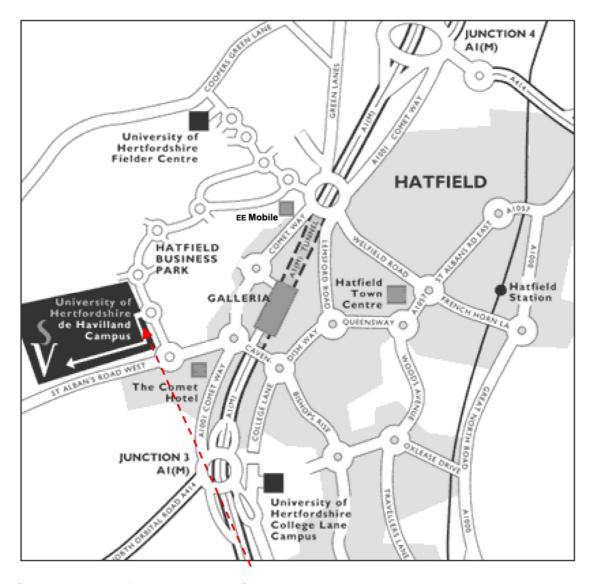
By Car: A1, Junction 3.

By Rail:

Hatfield (2 miles) Bus 614/602 - Stop 1

St Albans (5 miles) Bus 602/301 - Stop A (College Lane and de Havilland)

(local taxi & cycle routes) www.herts.ac.uk/contact-us/where-to-find-us/de-havilland-maps-and-directions



(Enter main car park via Mosquito Way)

IMPORTANT

To reduce waiting times, there will be no weigh in for children. All weights on the entry form will need to be accurate as the draws will be done the day before, so running orders can be up on the walls after registration. Random weight checks will be made; if any children are not within the weight category entered on their entry form, they will be disqualified.

The same rule as above applies to adults in the Push hands (Tui Shou) and Chinese Wrestling. (Shuai Jiao)

There will be no rules talk on the day, all entrants are expected to know these rules before the competition.

Copies of all rules are on the BCCMA website. www.bccma.com/rules

Running Order

A final running order is hard to predict until entry deadline has closed. However, the following time table is scheduled. If there is any change, a post on BCCMA website and social media will be published.

Registration and weigh in:

08.45 Juniors 12:15 – 13:00 Adults

(Lunch will be announced on the day, but expect 13.00 - 13.30)

The afternoon session will be Adult Sparring for both Qin Da and Novice Sanshou; Tui Shou and Shuai Jiao.

In both sessions the event organisers will put up the fight order for each category. Categories to run from lowest age / weight group, upwards.

Who Can Enter This Competition?

Open to all BCCMA members who have a current BCCMA membership number.

Age Categories:

QINGDA JUNIORS (5 to 17 years) QINGDA ADULTS (18 to 34 years) QINGDA VETERANS (35 to 50 years)

NOVICE SANSHOU (18 to 40 years) (Novice is 6 fights or less)

SHUAI JIAO (18 to 40 years)
PUSH HANDS (from 5 years to No upper age limit)

You have read and agree to the competition rules and event rules. You/parent/guardian and your coach have signed the entry form.

All Membership numbers will be checked, if you are not a member on the day, you will not compete, and no refund given.

REGISTRATION DEADLINE:

7th JULY, 2018. No registration forms accepted after this date.

COMPETITORS FEES

£25 Novice SanShou

£20 Adults QingDa, Tui Shou & Shuai Jiao

£15 All children events under 17 years.

(Free entry for one coach PER ORGANISATION, additional coaches will be charged entry fee)

Spectator fees: Seating is available, costs are as below.

Ticket wristbands will be sold on door.

Adults £10 Children £5 Family tickets £25 (2 Adults 2 Children)

PAYMENTS

The BCCMA no longer accept cheques, or postal entries.

All entries will be made through the online system, at www.bccma.com you will find the application form on the events and competition page.

Online entry Form:

Please ensure correct details are entered on the form. Any certificates will use the spelling on your form. If your name is wrong and you require a replacement copy - there will be a £5 charge on the day.

Cancelled Events:

If there are less than three people in any category, then they may be merged, i.e. mixed sex groups, mixed weapons. If not possible, then the category will be cancelled. Please ensure all contact details are correct and you will be notified.

Weight Category:

When entering your weight on the form, ensure you put the weight you are, not the weight you would like to be. When weighed in, if you are not in the category that you stated you will be disqualified. You may enter another category and a re-registration fee will be charged.

Safety Sparring Equipment You Need to Bring:

All competitors are responsible to ensure they promote Sanda with the correct dress code and not any other discipline. E.g., no Thai Boxing shorts. (The BCCMA will not be providing any equipment, failure to bring correct equipment means you can't compete - No refund).

NOVICE SANSHOU Compulsory.

Boxing Gloves: 10oz (280 grams) for over 65 kgs, 8oz (230 grams) for under 65kgs. (Women & Junior are 8oz gloves). **Head guard, Groin Guard** (incl. women), **Gum shield** and **body armour.**

DRESS CODE Shorts & Top, colours permitted Red & Blue OR Red & Black. (You need 2 sets, as you may be drawn in either corner)

QING DA Compulsory. Boxing Gloves: 10oz (280 grams) for over 65 kgs, 8oz (230 grams) for under 65kgs. (Women & Junior are 8oz gloves). Head guard, Groin Guard, Shin and instep OR Shin and foot protectors, Long trousers to be worn.

Optional: Gum Shield, Body Armour.

DRESS CODE: Top; Red & Blue or Red & Black (you need both colours) (trousers should be black or same colour as top)

Social Media:

Facebook: Search for BCCMA and 'like' our page.

Twitter: follow us @bccmagb

We encourage everyone to post pictures on the day and after, using the hashtag: **#bccmacomp18**

We also post on the day with pictures of the action and of the winners. By entering the event you are agreeing to us using any pictures that are taken during the day whilst at the competition.

APPEALS PROCEDURE

Scope of Appeals The participating teams have the right to appeal to the Jury of Appeal. Procedures and Requirements of Appeal

- A team shall send a written appeal through its team leader or coach to the Jury of Appeal within 30 minutes following the conclusion of the competition of the event concerned, or in 15 minutes following the conclusion of the competition of the event if it is the last one. No appeal can be made after the medals for that event have been awarded.
- The appeal shall be handed in together with an appeal fee of £30, which shall be returned if the appeal proves to be justified and some change is made in the original judgement, and which shall not be returned if the original judgement is affirmed. One appeal shall be confined to one issue.
- All participating teams shall abide by the final decision of the Jury of Appeal. In case of disobedience and unreasonable quibbling, the Jury of Appeal may propose to the Competition Committee for earnest treatment, even for a cancellation of competition results.

Disclaimer

I certify that I am an official of the Association of athlete and authorised to enter the above athlete into this event, and that the athlete is, and will be, a current member of the BCCMA on the day of the event. I understand that boys and girls may compete against each other in the same events and I certify that I have notified and explained the nature and risks associated with such competitions to their parents / guardians and they understand that they enter events at their own risk and own liability, and that they agree to them taking part. Our Association and those entering accept the event rules and that any events may be changed without prior notice or liability to the organisers or the BCCMA or any other person organisation or company. Furthermore, I understand and accept that entry into this event signifies my acceptance that the organiser has exclusive video rights and that the performing rights of the above-named competitor are waived in favour of the organiser or its appointed agent for the purpose of video, reproduction, distribution, advertising and sale thereof.

Furthermore, I understand that all athletes are subject to International Olympic Committee (IOC) Dope Testing Regulations under the IOC WADA agreement and may be required to undertake tests, which from time to time are specified by the IOC. I acknowledge that it is recommended that all Qing Da and Sanshou athletes are inoculated against Hepatitis A and B as it can be transmitted by sweat or blood, and have informed parents / guardians of this recommendation.

As the parent / guardian of the athlete I confirm that I have been made aware of the event and the dangers of participation in said event and advised of all the other aspects shown above and will not hold the BCCMA, its officer's members, the event organisers, their officer's members, or any other person s associated with the event liable for any injury or losses, howsoever arising, howsoever caused, in any way, whatsoever. Furthermore, I take responsibility for the care of the below named and their behaviour at all times and accept that it shall be the athletes coach who shall be responsible for the monitoring of the use of the warm up practice area which will not be supervised by anyone else other than the athletes coaches. The coach / parents shall also be responsible for checking the displayed entry list and making the athlete ready when the event is called. Any errors in these lists must be notified to the organisers before the competition begins. It is also noted that the organisers may merge any categories they deem necessary at their absolute discretion