



BROWN

Brown University ECTC Taekwondo Tournament

Dear Tournament Participants:

On behalf of Master Park and the Brown Taekwondo Club, I am pleased to invite you to our 11th Eastern Collegiate Taekwondo Invitational. It will be held on Saturday, November 2, 2024, in the Olney-Margolies Athletic Center (OMAC) at Brown University in Providence, RI.

This packet contains the following:

- Tournament schedule
- Tournament information and guidelines
- ECTC competition rules
- Driving directions and parking information
- Accommodations information
- ECTC waiver form (To be completed electronically!)
- Brown University waiver form (To be completed electronically!)
- ECTC club registration form

The deadline to request a registration spreadsheet and weigh-in time is **Thursday, Oct. 17 at 10 PM Eastern**. In addition, once you have received your registration spreadsheet, please have your registration spreadsheet completely filled out by **Thursday, Oct. 24 at 10 PM Eastern**. You will be allowed to edit your team rosters and remove members from your roster up until the Thursday before the tournament (**Oct. 31 at 10pm**), but you will not be allowed to add any new members to your team rosters. Please follow the registration instructions at <https://www.ectc-online.org/registration->. For any questions, please contact ECTC Tournament Committee Chairs Rae Drach and William Estey at ectc-tournaments@googlegroups.com.

If you have other questions or concerns, please feel free to contact me at president.browntkd@gmail.com or by text message at 339-927-3953. We look forward to seeing you at Brown.

Thank you,
Jennifer Li
President, Brown Taekwondo

TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE:

Time	Event
7:00 am	OMAC doors open Competitor registration and weigh-ins
7:30 am	Black Belt and Coach's Meeting
7:45 am	Registration closes (all competitors must be weighed in and all teams must be confirmed)
8:00 am	Opening Ceremony
8:15 am	Poomsae competition begins Sparring competition will begin after the completion of Poomsae competition
7:30 pm	Sparring competition terminates Closing Ceremony

Contact Information:

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president.browntkd@gmail.com (General Questions)

Julia Moon, Jared Ong, and Erin Williams, Vice Presidents
vicepresident.browntkd@gmail.com (General Questions)

Owen Lockwood and Ivan Sung, Tournament Chairs
tournament.browntkd@gmail.com (Registration Information)

Kyle Lam, Treasurer
treasurer.browntkd@gmail.com (Payment Information)

TOURNAMENT INFORMATION:

Competitor Registration and Weigh-ins

Competitors can register by requesting a registration link by filling out the Google Form below before **Thursday, October 17**. Once you have your registration link, please have your registration form completed by **Thursday, October 24** at 10 pm ET.

All teams **must** weigh in the day before the tournament remotely. A limited number of weigh-ins on the day of the tournament will still be accepted if a competitor does not make weight or is unable to attend their scheduled weigh-in time. 10% of each team (or 1 person of a team of less than 10 competitors) will be allowed to weigh-in the morning of the tournament.

Remote weigh-ins via Discord can be requested by filling out the Google Form available at: <https://www.ectc-online.org/registration-> and will start on **Friday, November 1, at 9:00 AM**.

Note: Competitors who weigh in full uniform are allowed an extra 2 lbs. See page 6 for sparring weight divisions.

Tournament Fee

Tournament fees will be as follows:

Registered Schools	Non-registered Schools
\$45 per competitor	\$55 per competitor

An additional \$10 late fee will be assessed for every contestant who registers after the deadline.

If you would like to register with the ECTC, please fill out the form attached to the end of the packet or at <https://www.ectc-online.org/join-the-ectc> and mail it to the address provided there. You also may bring the form and a check made out to "Ivy Northeast Collegiate Taekwondo League" for \$150 with you to the tournament. Team applications received after the deadline will incur a \$50 fee, per ECTC regulations. No money orders or cash please. An online registration form is also available at the above link.

Please pay tournament fees using our TouchNet system by following the instructions below. If you have any questions about payment, please contact our Treasurer, Kyle Lam, at treasurer.browntkd@gmail.com.

TouchNet Payment Instructions

1. Go to this link to access our team TouchNet Store:
https://payment.brown.edu/C20460_ustores/web/product_detail.jsp?PRODUCTID=3991&SINGLESTORE=true. The store can also be accessed via brownrec.com > Club Sports > Team TouchNet Store > Taekwondo.
2. From the drop-down list, please select one of the following: ECTC Registered School Competitor Fee or ECTC Non-registered School Competitor Fee
3. Review your cart to make sure the amount and description are correct. If it is correct, click Checkout.
4. Fill out the fields with your school's information.
5. Enter the payment information and billing information and click Continue.
6. When you have reached the Confirmation screen, review your cart one more time.
7. Check off the Return Agreement box at the bottom of the page. (The Agreement itself will appear blank - don't worry!) When you are ready to submit, click Submit Order. Don't close the browser window until you have arrived at a "Thank You" screen!
8. Send or forward treasurer.browntkd@gmail.com a screenshot or confirmation of your school's TouchNet payment.

Competitor Eligibility

All competitors MUST be full-time students at the time of the competition. While student IDs are used as proof of student enrollment, the ECTC reserves the right to request proof of full-time status from the registrar of any school if there is a question about a student's full-time status.

Each competitor should bring the following items on the day of the tournament:

- Valid student ID
- Medical insurance coverage information
- Tournament fee, as detailed above

ECTC COMPETITION RULES:

The Brown Tournament will follow ECTC rules. For a more comprehensive view of the rules, please visit the ECTC site at <http://ectc-online.org>.

Poomsae (Forms) Competition

There are three poomsae divisions (all coed), and all schools will compete in a single-elimination bracket. Each team consists of up to 3 competitors, and medals will be awarded to members of the top 4 teams in each division. A-Team Division will consist of three rounds of individual vs individual poomsae. Starting in the quarterfinals, after the first two individual vs individual rounds, a third round of team vs team poomsae will occur if necessary. B- and C-Team Divisions will only consist of three rounds of individual vs individual poomsae competition.

Division	Team Size & Rank
A team	Up to 3 competitors of any gender Blue belts through Black belts
B team	Up to 3 competitors of any gender Green belts through red belts
C team	Up to 3 competitors of any gender Green belts and below

Competitors may only compete in one division. Furthermore, each competitor must perform a form appropriate to their rank as described below:

Rank	Poomsae
White/Yellow	Taegeuk 1 or 2
Green	Taegeuk 3 or 4
Blue	Taegeuk 5 or 6
Red	Taegeuk 7 or 8
Black	Through Quarters: Koryo Semis and Finals: Keumgang

All competitors will be judged whenever possible by USA Taekwondo rules. That means that each competitor will be judged one at a time and will receive separate scores for accuracy and performance.

In the case of an athlete moving up a division, they are expected to perform poomsae appropriate to the division they are competing in. If green belts compete in B-team poomsae, they must perform either Taegeuk 5 or Taegeuk 6. If blue or red belts compete in A-team, they must perform the designated A-team poomsae.

Sparring Competition

Sparring competition is divided into three skill levels; a total of six divisions (men’s/women’s):

- C –Team (Beginner)
- B – Team (Intermediate)
- A – Team (Advanced)

Sparring Teams			
Division	Max Size of Team	Duration	Rank
A – Team	3 Competitors, 2 Alternates	3 rounds of 60 sec. with 30 sec. rest	Blue / Purple / Brown / Red / Black
B – Team	3 Competitors, 2 Alternates	3 rounds of 60 sec. with 30 sec. rest	Green / Blue / Purple / Brown / Red
C – Team	3 Competitors, 2 Alternates	3 rounds of 60 sec. with 30 sec. rest	White / Yellow / Orange / Green

The Tournament Committee reserves the right to adjust round lengths to provide the best competition experience for all athletes. In addition, the Tournament Committee may end a division before it is finished due to time constraints.

Competitors and alternates may only compete in one division. For example, a red belt must compete in either A- or B-Team, but not both. Additionally, alternates are not permitted on a one-person team.

Each team consists of up to 3 competitors, each in one of 3 separate weight divisions with up to 2 alternates of any weight division. The weight divisions are as follows:

Sparring Weight Divisions		
Weight Division	Men	Women
Light	≤ 145.0 lbs	≤117.0 lbs
Middle	145.1 – 172.0 lbs	117.1 – 137.0 lbs
Heavy	> 172.0 lbs	> 137.0 lbs

Tournament Scoring

For poomsae and sparring divisions, all teams within that division will be entered into a single elimination bracket. Competitors can earn points towards their team’s overall score as follows:

Tournament Points				
	1st	2nd	3rd (2 Teams)	5th (4 Teams)
C – Team	64	32	16	8
B – Team	96	48	24	12
A – Team	128	64	32	16

Required Sparring Equipment

All competitors **must** wear the following:

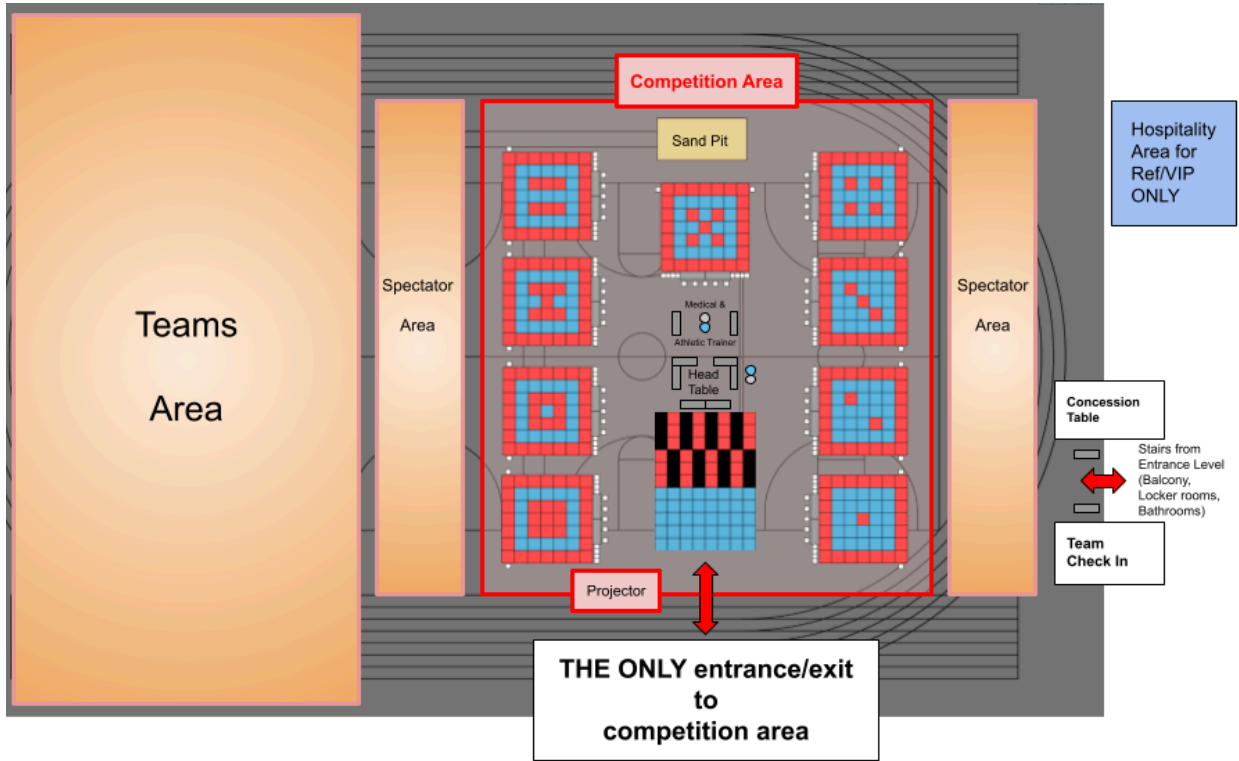
- **Helmet** (foam only – white, black, or matches hogu color)
- **Mouth Guard** (clear, or non-red)
- **Forearm guards** (worn inside uniform, foam only)
- **Shin guards** (worn inside uniform, foam only)
- **Instep guards** (or Daedo e-socks for A- and B-team divisions)
- **Groin Protector** (required for men & worn inside uniform)
- **WT-Style Gloves** (open finger, white or matching hogu color)

C-team competitors must also have a **Trunk (Chest) protector** (WT-style hogu with shoulder/back protection).

Electronic hogus will be provided by the league, but all A-team and B-team competitors must purchase their own **Daedo E-foot gear socks** (Gen 1 or Gen 2) or they will not be allowed to compete. Socks can be purchased online at: <http://www.tkdscor.com/m5/E-Foot--e-footgear.html>
Electronic headgear will be available for select matches at ECTC discretion.

All competitors must remove jewelry (including taped over piercings) for sparring.

Ring crowding will be strictly enforced, especially during sparring to allow for better EMT access/visibility. If you are not actively competing, in staging or holding, please leave the Competition Area. Please use the Competition Area entrance/exit and refrain from stepping over the ropes.



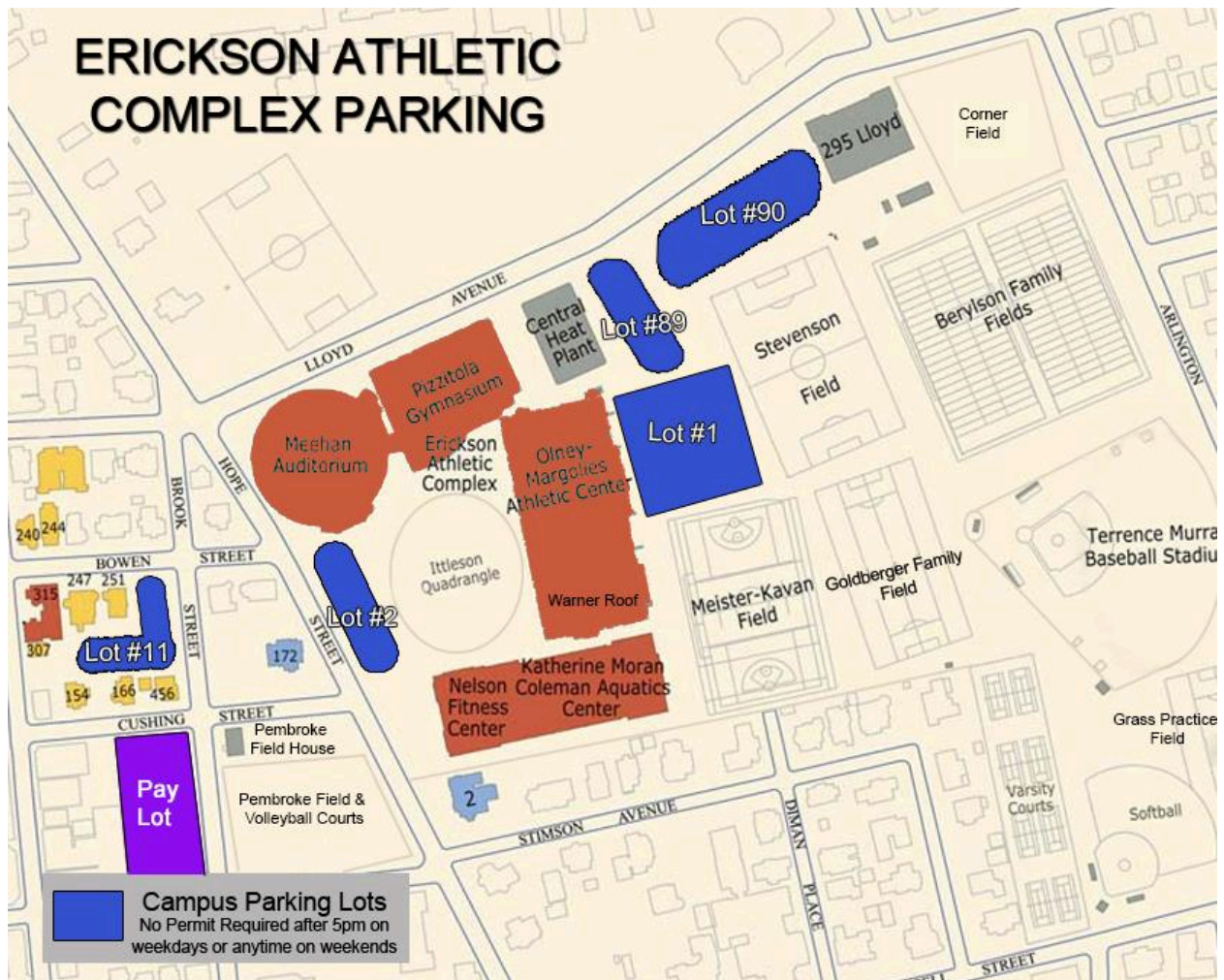
DRIVING DIRECTIONS & PARKING:

The tournament will be hosted at the Olney-Margolies Athletic Center (OMAC) at Brown University.

235 Hope St.
Providence, RI 02912

For more detailed information about directions and parking, please visit the link below:

<https://www.google.com/url?q=https://brownbears.com/sports/2018/4/27/athletics-Parking-Directions-index.aspx&sa=D&source=docs&ust=1698023308645760&usg=AOvVaw2uduhmFvwAHTEBkfrXc0cY>



Public Transportation:

There is an AMTRAK train station in downtown Providence, about 1 mile away from the OMAC. Information about schedules can be found here: <http://www.amtrak.com/northeast-regional-train>

Driving Directions:

From the North: Take 95 South to Branch Avenue (Exit 24). Turn left onto Branch Avenue and proceed to traffic light. Cross intersection and go up Cypress Street to light at Hope Street. Turn right onto Hope Street. Bear left at the fork and make a left turn onto Lloyd Avenue. Entrance to Athletic Complex is third driveway on the right.

From the South: Take 95 North into Rhode Island. Once in Providence, take Branch Avenue (Exit 24). Turn right onto Branch Avenue and proceed to traffic light. Cross intersection and go up Cypress Street to light at Hope Street. Turn right onto Hope Street. Bear left at the fork and make a left turn onto Lloyd Avenue. Entrance to Athletic Complex is third driveway on the right.

From the East: Take Route 195 West to Gano Street exit (Exit 2) in Providence. Turn right onto Gano Street. Proceed to light at Angell Street (at this point, Gano Street will become Taber Avenue). Turn left onto Angell Street (one-way). Follow Angell Street to Hope Street and turn right onto Hope Street. The Athletic Complex driveway is on the right after Stimson Street (for parking, proceed to light immediately following driveway at Lloyd Avenue. Turn right onto Lloyd Avenue. Entrance to Athletic Complex is the third driveway on the right).

From the West: Take Route 6 into Providence and exit for 95 North. Take 95 to Branch Avenue (Exit 24). Turn right onto Branch Avenue and proceed to traffic light. Cross intersection and go up Cypress Street to light at Hope Street. Turn right onto Hope Street. Bear left at the fork and make a left turn onto Lloyd Avenue. Entrance to the Athletic Complex is the third driveway on the right.

Erickson Athletic Complex Parking:

On Campus Parking: On campus parking is located in Lot 2 (limited) located off Hope Street, Lots 1, 89 and 90 located off Lloyd Avenue, and Lot 11, located off Brook Street. The campus lots are accessible Monday-Friday after 5:00 p.m., weekends and holidays. Parking in any of these lots is free of charge.

Street Parking: Limited parking spots can be found on surrounding streets such as Hope Street, Arlington Avenue, Lloyd Avenue, Bowen Street and Brook Street. Please be mindful of all posted parking restrictions and regulations that apply to surrounding streets. Parking meters in Providence will no longer be accepting credit cards. We encourage you to download the [Passport parking application](#).

ACCOMMODATIONS:

In Seekonk, MA (5 miles East of Providence along I-195)

Hampton Inn Seekonk (Recommended)

1030 Fall River Ave
Seekonk, MA 02771
(508) 336-9000

<http://www.hamptoninnseekonk.com/>

Quality Inn Seekonk

341 Highland Ave.
Seekonk, MA, US, 02771
(508) 336-7900

<https://www.qualityinnprovidence.com/>

In Providence, RI (can be expensive, may be booked due to other events)

Hampton Inn & Suites

58 Weybosset Street,
Providence, Rhode Island, 02903
(401) 608-3500

<http://hamptoninn3.hilton.com/en/hotels/rhode-island/hampton-inn-and-suites-providence-downtown-PVDWYHX/index.html>

Hilton Garden Inn

220 India Street
Providence, RI 02903
(401) 272-5577

<http://hiltongardeninn3.hilton.com/en/hotels/rhode-island/hilton-garden-inn-providence-PVDISGI/index.html>

Additional Information on Accommodations Below:

<https://www.google.com/url?q=https://www.brown.edu/about/visit/accommodations&sa=D&source=docs&ust=1698024078778798&usg=AOvVaw2bExgiblfkoz0ZxWCPEHP0>

WAIVERS:

Attached here are Google forms containing the [ECTC Waiver](#) and the [Brown University Visiting Team Assumption of Risk Form](#). Please ensure that **every athlete** has filled out the ECTC Waiver, and that the Brown University Visiting Team Assumption of Risk Form is complete for your team.

2024-2025 Club Registration Form
Ivy/Northeast Collegiate Taekwondo League
also known as the
Eastern Collegiate Taekwondo Conference

The Ivy Northeast Collegiate Taekwondo League club dues for the 2024-2025 season are \$150.

Please enclose a \$150 check made out to “**Ivy Northeast Collegiate Taekwondo League**”, or “**INCTL**”. **No cash and no money orders**, only checks please. If possible, please submit this form electronically to dbchuang@gmail.com and **also** submit a hard copy by mail as well with the payment.

You may also register online by completing the web form and using credit-card or PayPal payment at: <https://www.ectc-online.org/join-the-ectc>

Submit this form to the INCTL Treasurer at:

Daniel Chuang
 611 Green St.
 Cambridge, MA 02139

Club information:

College name					
Club Contact Person					
Head Instructor					
Club Address					
City		State		Zip	
Club Phone No.		Contact email			
Club Website					
Additional info you would like to appear about your school on the ECTC Website					

