



KURASH

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Dear Presidents of National Kurash Federations.

The 2017 Senior and Junior African Kurash Championships for males and females will take place in Vereeniging – South Africa on the 29th and 30th September 2017.

The venue is 90km south from the OR Tambo international airport and transport will be arranged by Kurash South Africa for all visiting team between the Airport and Vereeniging. The event will take place at PHOENIX HIGH – in Vereeniging

The host Federation may enter 3 players per category and other participating federations may enter 2 players in every weight category as follow:

Male Junior: -60, -66, -73, -81, -90, -100 and +100kg

Female Junior: -48, -52, -57, -63, -70, -78 and +78kg

Male Senior: -60, -66, -73, -81, -90, -100 and +100kg

Female Senior: -48, -52, -57, -63, -70, -78 and +78kg

Junior players may compete in the junior and senior divisions, providing the maximum allowed number of entries are not exceeded.

Due date for Entries by number is 1 August to ensure adequate accommodation. (Accommodation and transport request)

Last date for entries by name and passport copies 10 August to ensure you receive your visa support letter in time. (Completed Application Form)

Medals and certificates will be issued to 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place winners.

Participation fee per person: \$ 40 US (\$ 20 to host federation and \$20 to African Kurash Union)
(This includes local transport between the hotel and airport)

Accommodation:

The subsidized accommodation (ROOM ONLY) will be available in the designated hotel (SUN1 – Vereeniging) and the cost per room is 50 Dollars US. Rooms can sleep 3 persons (one double and one single bed)

Participating Foreign federations will be allocated Rooms FREE of Charge as listed below for 2 days:

5 persons or less: 1 Room

More than 8 persons: 2 Rooms providing application has been submitted by the due date.

If you book any additional rooms, you will be liable for the costs. Cancellations need to be done at least 2 weeks in advance. Bookings in this regard should be done as soon as possible and you are welcome to book directly with the hotel.



Meals:

Federations are responsible for their own meals. Meals will be arranged at the competition venue, which is in walking distance from the hotel.

Breakfast: 4US\$, Lunch: Tuck shop available at the Tournament venue. Dinner on Friday evening around 10US\$
On Saturday after the medal ceremony dinner will be provided by the African Kurash Union.

Transport:

Each federation is responsible for its own transport either by bus, flight or any other means of transportation to Johannesburg or Vereeniging.

Closest Airport is: OR Tambo airport in Johannesburg

Delegations will be met at the airport by the national Kurash Federation of South Africa and a shuttle service will be provided between the hotel and airport for all foreign delegations.

Visa Requirements:

You are responsible for your own visa arrangements and costs. People in need of a visa for South Africa must apply at their closest South African embassy. Note: **NO VISA IS OBTAINABLE ON ARRIVAL**

Please send the application forms and passport copies to KSA for your official visa support letter to donald.sutherland255@gmail.com and thomasdunker@mwweb.co.za.

Please complete the attached application and accommodation forms urgently and return to me not later than 1 August 2017. Countries not submitting their forms by this date will be excluded from any financial assistance regarding hotel costs which is normally \$50 per day for bed only and will need to do their own hotel reservation. Please indicate arrival and departure dates.

PROGRAM:

29 SEPTEMBER	Arrival of Delegations Congress and Election Weigh in	18:00 – 19:00 20:00 – 21:30
30 SEPTEMBER	Weigh in (not weighed on 29 th) REFEREE Meeting Competition Function and Medal Ceremony	07:00 -07:30 08:00 -08:30 09:00 - 19:00 -
1 OCTOBER	Departure of Delegations	All Day

Best regards and hope to meet you soon in Johannesburg,

Donald Sutherland
President Kurash South Africa