

U.S. Central Taekwondo Association Grandmaster Won's Taekwondo

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Subject: 33nd Annual U.S. Central Open Taekwondo Championship in conjunction with the First Annual Oklahoma State Kukkiwon Hanmadang

To: All Grandmasters, Master, Instructors, and Students

I am pleased to announce the upcoming 33rd Annual U.S. Central Open Taekwondo Championship to be held **September 27, 2025**, at the USCTA Headquarters! (10801 S. Sunnylane Rd., OKC, OK 73160).

This year we are excited to announce that in conjunction with our annual fall tournament we will be premiering the First Annual Oklahoma State Kukkiwon

Hanmadang sponsored by the Oklahoma State Kukkiwon branch! We will be introducing new events that are common at World Taekwondo Hanmadang: this year it was held for the first time outside of Korea: the 30th Anniversary was July 16-19, 2025 in Anaheim, California. Some of the unique events that we will have at state include Knife Hand Power Breaking, Side/Back Kick Power Breaking, Speed Spin Hook Kick, and Jumping High Kick. Part of the tournament will be held outside at the pavilion and part indoors, so bring your chairs and enjoy seeing your friends and watching your favorites compete.

All Poomsae, Sparring, and Special Events divisions will be awarded a beautiful, big 1st, 2nd, and two 3rd place trophies. Black belts ages 10 & up who are sparring will use True Score Daedo Generation 2 electronic gear, so will be <u>required to have their own e-socks</u>. Please make sure your students are ready and we recommend you get yours early.

Masters and Instructors who are traveling out of state may qualify for reimbursement of their hotel stay depending on the number of competitors they bring. For further information regarding hotel stays, see tournament details enclosed and visit **gmwons.com**. We could really use your help by volunteering to referee, so please consider sending in applicants. I look forward to seeing you in September. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call.

Sincerely,

Grandmaster In Hui Won, Tournament Director President, U.S. Central Taekwondo Association World Taekwondo Hanmookwan Federation

Thank you for supporting our tournament!