

UK National Traditional Karate Championship – Blackpool 2016

☒ During this year's Championship of United Kingdom, which ended in Blackpool on Saturday, 19th March, the athletes from TKFGB won 4 medals in senior categories. That was only a confirmation of excellent karate skills the traditional karateka's presented. Exquisite performance in individual women kumite was delivered by *Kristine Rubina*, who only gave in to the later winner of the entire competition, while trying to enter the finals of the Championships in a very even fight. In contrast, fighting for the third place, *Kristina* left her opponent helpless and without a shadow of chance; she won before time, eventually scoring the bronze. In team kata competition, our team: *Kristine Rubina*, *Andrew Skarzinski* and *Tadeusz Lejman*, also won bronze medals. In the lower grades individual kata category, competitors from Boston Academy dominated the podium. *Richard Toynton* won, gaining the title of the champion of Great Britain, while *Algimantas Baltrusaitis* took the third place. It is also worth highlighting that *Rafal Labuda* showed a great style securing his presence in individual kumite quarterfinals, having won a number of fights. "We constantly implement the assumptions of our training system. We continue growing, precisely realizing our goals, and this brings resulting success. Once again, we proved to be among the leading clubs in the UK "- summed up the competition sensei *Zbigniew Godzisz*, 4rd dan, chairman of the Traditional Karate-Do Federation of Great Britain.

More photos [here](#) – courtesy of Traditional Karate Academies.

Traditional Karate open seminar – 16-17th Apr 2016



Traditional Karate – Do Federation of Great Britain

presents an open

Traditional Karate course with

Sensei Włodzimierz Kwieciński 8 Dan

President of World Traditional Karate-Do Federation

Saturday 16th – Sunday 17th

April 2016

Training times and venues:

Saturday 16th April:

11:30 am – 1:30 pm – seniors (min. 6 kyu any age,

or min 14 years any grade)

**3:00 pm – 5:00 pm – seniors (min. 6 kyu any age,
or min 14 years any grade)**

5:00 pm – Dan grading

Venue: Princess Royal Sports Arena

Great Fen Rd, Boston

PE21 7PB

Sunday 17th April:

9:00 am -11:00 am – all grades and age

**11:30 pm – 2:30 pm – TKFGB National Squad Training – juniors
and seniors**

Venue: Princess Royal Sports Arena

Great Fen Rd, Boston

PE21 7PB

Cost: Seniors – £40

Seniors TKFGB Squad Members – £35 seminar + £10
squad training

Juniors – £15

Juniors TKFGB Squad Members – £10 seminar + £10
squad train

[Seminar – W. Kwiecinski 2016 – info pdf.](#)

TKFGB Events Calendar 2016 – 3.1.16



II Santa Claus Cup – Boston 2015

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II Traditional Karate Santa Claus Cup has now passed to history. This year's edition was abundant in emotions both related to the tournament itself as well as the visiting guests: the **Mayor of Boston, Mr Richard Austin** (accompanied by his wife, former **Mayor of Boston, Mrs Alison Austin**), and most expected Mr Santa Claus with his magic sack-full of Xmas presents. Our junior athletes then tried their strengths at the disco and a buffet-load of snacks and beverages.

The Annual event, aimed at the youngest practitioners of Traditional Karate, gathered the excess of 90 participants both in the morning training sessions and the competition itself. Nearly 100% increase in numbers (as compared to the previous year), only confirms that the idea has been well conceived and targeted, and so, is supposed to attract even

more attention in the future. It is worth noticing that the overall level of presentation was well above last year's. Most of the young athletes proved to have made great progress and most of the last year's favourites were heavily challenged.

There also took place the second General Assembly of TKFGB. Among others, suggestions were made as for new events for the upcoming year 2016. The event calendar to be presented by the end of current year.

The results are as follows:

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Individual Kata up to 7 kyu – 2007 & younger:

- 1) Dawid Wisniewski – TKC Okami Bournemouth
- 2) Miron Wozniak – TKC Okami Bournemouth
- 3) Zosia Labuda – TKA Boston
- 3) Konstancja Dzierzanowska – TKC Okami Bournemouth

Individual Kata up to 7 kyu – 2006 & older:

- 1) Jason Lopez – TKA Loughborough
- 2) Victoria Kalli – TKC Nyuanshin London
- 3) Julia Grudkowska – TKA Boston
- 3) Max Brusniak – TKC Nyuanshin London

Individual Kata 6 kyu+ – 2006 & younger:

- 1) Patryk Kojro – TKC Okami Bournemouth
- 2) Adriana Peiseniece – TKA Boston
- 3) Patryk Godzisz – TKA Boston
- 3) Alina Rubina – TKA Boston

Individual Kata 6 kyu+ – 2005 & older:

- 1) Matviejs Pekuskis – TKA Boston
- 2) Filip Maichrzak – TKA Boston
- 3) Kornelia Malczewska – TKA Boston
- 3) Kacper Wielgosz – TKA Spalding

Individual Kumite 6 kyu+ up to 150cm:

- 1) Patryk Kojro – TKC Okami Bournemouth
- 2) Adriana Peiseniece – TKA Boston
- 3) Patryk Godzisz – TKA Boston
- 3) Matthew Everett – TKC Okami Bournemouth

Individual Kumite 6 kyu+ above 150cm:

- 1) Kornelia Malczewska – TKA Boston
- 2) Alex Podolskiy – WTKA
- 3) Filip Majchrzak – TKA Boston
- 3) David Swiech – TKA Boston

Team Kata:

1. Okami 3 – TKC Okami Bournemouth

Matthew Everett, Jakub Kowalski, Kacper Leszczynski

2. TKAS – TKA Spalding

Kacper Wielgosz, Timofiej Kabak, Emils Zarins

3. TKAB 2 – TKA Boston

Adriana Peiseniece, Matviejs Pekuskins, Patryk Godzisz

3. TKAB 1 – TKA Boston

Kornelia Malczewska, Filip Majchrzak, David Swiech

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