Dear

This will be the fifth year we held this valuable competition and this year it will be held Saturday, November 4, 2017 beginning at 10 am sharp at our dojang, MARK CASHATT’S TAEKWON-DO SCHOOL, INC., 665 Forman Road in Souderton. We are calling it TUL JON-SA (Pattern Champion). It is a competition of patterns for all practitioners of General Choi’s style of Taekwon-Do, from our youngest white belts to our most senior Black Belts. We will have different age groups with four divisions: white belt to green stripe, green belt to black stripe, 1st DAN to 3rd DAN, along with 4th DAN and above.

Participants will compete in pairs and will first do a pattern specified by the judges. Second, each participant will choose a pattern to perform. The judges will then determine the winner. But as the competition format is double elimination, the competitor who does not win will be put in another bracket, with another chance for first place. When we have 1st, 2nd and 3rd place in each age group of each division, medals will be awarded.

All 1st place finishers in the gup division (color belt) will compete in single elimination to win the 39 inch tall TUL JON-SA trophy. All the 1st place finishers in the Black Belt division will compete in single elimination to go home with a second 39 inch tall TUL JON-SA trophy.

We hope you and your students are interested in participating. Something Master Jim Murray told me long ago about hosting events was to initially plan for only your own students attending. Thus support from other dojangs is a plus. And that’s the way we do these things. We never want any dojang owner to feel obligated– our friendship goes way farther than that. We realize we all have family lives that should take precedence over events. I do however want to create these opportunities for other TKD enthusiasts that love to train and grow in TKD. Please let us know you are coming, so we can prepare accordingly.

Thank you and please get back to me with questions,

Mark Cashatt

TUL JON-SA HOST
(Note: some age groups may be combined depending on number of competitors)

**DIVISION #1: GREEN STRIPE AND BELOW**

Age 7 and under
Age 8-10
Age 11-15
Age 16-24
Age 25-39
Age 40 and up

**DIVISION #2: GREEN BELT TO BLACK STRIPE**

Age 7 and under
Age 8-10
Age 11-15
Age 16-24
Age 25-39
Age 40 and up

**DIVISION #3: 1ST DAN to 3RD DAN**

Age 8-10
Age 11-15
Age 16-24
Age 25-39
Age 40 and up

**DIVISION #4: 4TH DAN and up**

Age up to 24
Age 25-39
Age 40 and up
I'M ATTENDING THE 2017 TUL JON - SA:
Pattern Champion Competition
RULES OF TUL JON-SA *(Pattern Champion Competition)*

1. Double eliminations (every student will be able to perform at least 4 patterns):
   When a student wins the first round the student moves on in the primary bracket. The student who did not win moves to a secondary bracket which brings him or her back to face the winning bracket of competitors again. (notice 8-person bracket example below– defeated student name in first bracket A gets moved down to A line farther down on bracket and so on)

2. Two contestants are called up side by side and perform 2 patterns:
   A. Together, contestants do a pattern specified by the judges, which will be a pattern no higher than the lower ranking contestant’s test pattern.
   B. Their second pattern is the contestant’s choice. The choice must be taken from the contestant’s highest three patterns.
   C. 1st, 2nd and 3rd place medals will be awarded accordingly.

3. Pattern Champion is determined:
   A. All 1st place finishers in each age group compete with each other (within their division) until we have the four Division Champions. Again competitors will be asked to do a pattern specified by the judges, and one of their choice.
   B. Division 1 and division 2 champions compete. The winner is awarded a 30 inch trophy.
   C. Division 3 and division 4 champions compete. The winner is awarded a 30 inch trophy.

4. Females and Males compete in the same division according to rank and age.

5. Good sportsmanship should be shown at all times. A handshake and full name introduction between competitors before and after each competition is required.

6. If a division’s age category has 2 competitors or less– the age category may be joined with the next age category.
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TUL JON-SA
Pattern Champion Competition

AT 665 FORMAN ROAD SOUDERTON, PA.
NOVEMBER 4, 2017 DOORS OPEN AT 9 AM – TOURNAMENT STARTS PROMPTLY AT 10 AM

REGISTER TO COMPETE

Deadline for pre-registration is Saturday, October 28, 2017. Those who do not pre-register will pay an extra $10.
Cost: $30 competition fee/ $25 for each additional family member ($40/$35 at the door)
Make checks payable to MARK CASHATT’S TAEKWON-DO SCHOOL, INC. and
mail to 19 South Main Street, Hatfield, PA. 19440

Participant’s Name _________________________________________________________________ Age________________

Address; Town, State, Zip ____________________________________________________________________________________________

What dojang? ___________________________________________ Instructor ___________________________________

Belt Level (as of Oct. 29, 2016) ___________________________________________ emergency phone ______________________________

I, (the person listed above) hereby submit my application for registration in the 2017 TUL JON-SA hosted by MARK CASHATT’S TAEKWON-DO SCHOOL, INC. I agree to waive all claims against any person(s) connected with the competition, for any injury that I may sustain during this event. I hold myself responsible for my own actions and I promise to conduct myself within the guidelines of Taekwon-Do as specified by the host dojang.

Applicant’s signature ________________________________________________________ date ________________________

(Fill out below but do not cut along dotted line – our dojang will have the bottom slip ready for you when you arrive at the competition)

NAME ___________________________________________________________________________AGE: __________

DOJANG _______________________________________________________________________________________

BELT LEVEL _____________________________________________________________________________________