



TOP PRO "Best of the Best"
Patterns Tournament
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Dear Instructors,

PaulM Glendowie and Impact Mt. Wellington Taekwon-Do Clubs would like to officially invite you and your students to the **TOP PRO "Best of the Best" Patterns Tournament**, to be held in Auckland, on Sunday the 9th of August. This tournament has been officially sanctioned by the ITFNZ and is open to all ITFNZ practitioners. The tournament will include two events; Individual Patterns and Team Patterns.

This will be a fantastic opportunity for participants to gain plenty of experience in competition and perform their patterns under pressure which will no doubt help prepare students for their next grading. Whilst most tournaments are run in a pyramid system, where competitors may be eliminated after only 1 round, this tournament guarantees each participant a **minimum of 4 rounds** as divisions will be run in a round robin style.

This tournament will also make Team Patterns accessible not just to Black Belts, but also to Colour Belts. Each team must consist of 5 people and perform one optional pattern, up to the highest pattern of the lowest ranked member of the team. There will be separate divisions for Black Belt and Colour Belts.

Please find general information about the tournament on the following pages. If you have any queries, please contact us and we will answer you as soon as possible. We look forward to seeing you at this exciting event!

Best wishes,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Carolina Dillen".

Carolina Dillen

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Duncan Styles".

Duncan Styles



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General Information



1. Organisers Contact Details:

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2. Date and Place:

Date: Sunday 9th of August
Sports Hall: De La Salle College, 81 Gray Avenue, Papatoetoe, Auckland

3. Divisions/Categories:

Individual Patterns

Participants will be divided into the following age categories:

Kids:	up to 12 years
Juniors:	13-17
Adults:	18-34
Veterans:	35+

All efforts will be made to create divisions also divided by rank and where possible, split into male and female for Juniors, Adults and Veterans. Tournament organisers reserve the right to combine divisions to guarantee competitors at least 4 rounds.

Divisions will be run in a round robin system. Where divisions are large, competitors will be divided into pools, where the winners of each pool will meet to decide the final placings.

Colour Belt participants will be asked to perform at least one designated pattern each round, up to the highest grade of the lowest grade participant in that match. Depending on entries, participants may also be asked to perform one optional pattern. Black belts will perform one optional and one designated pattern.

Team Patterns

Divisions:

1. Black Belts
2. Colour Belts

Each team will:

- Consist of 5 people who can belong to the same club or be a combination from different clubs.
- Perform one optional pattern, up to the highest pattern of the lowest ranked member of the team. (There will be no designated pattern)
- Be given a score for their first performance. The four team with the highest scores will then compete against each other in elimination rounds to determine 1st, 2nd and 3rd place.

4. Awards

<u>Individual Patterns:</u>	1 st Place	Medal + Certificate
	2 nd + 3 rd Place	Ribbon + Certificate
<u>Team Patterns:</u>	1 st Place	TOP PRO Team Trophy & Medal + Certificate for each individual
	2 nd + 3 rd Place	Ribbon + Certificate for each individual



All participants will receive a certificate of participation.

5. Entry Fee

Individual Patterns:	\$20
Team Patterns:	\$5 <i>per competitor (Teams must consist of 5 people)</i>

Deadline for discounted price entries: Friday 24th of July
(Please add \$5 for entries received after this date)

6. Registration

Register online at: www.itfnz.org.nz

7. Program:

8.00-9.00 am	Registration Officials Meeting
9.00 am	Form up: 1. Welcome 2. Quick explanation of the rules
9.20 am	Individual Pattern Competition (Award presentations at the end of each division)
12.20-1 pm	Lunch
1-2 pm	Finish Individual Pattern Competition
2-3pm	Team Pattern Competition (Award presentations at the end of each division) Thank officials, distribute participation certificates to instructors Close tournament and tidy up

We look forward to seeing you there!