

National Championships

11th World Dang Soo Do Union National Championships
5th United States Goodwill Tang Soo Do Association® Championships



2011 NATIONALS

VIRGINIA BEACH, VA

JUNE 24-25

Donald M Forsyth Court
Virginia Wesleyan College, Norfolk, VA 23502
<http://athletics.vwc.edu/marlin-insider/athletic-facilities>

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January 24, 2011

Dear Kwan Jang, Sa Bom, Kyo Sa & Tang Soo Do Practitioners and Friends,

We hope this letter finds you in good health and spirits!

It is our honor and privilege to invite you, your students and their families to the **11th World Dang Soo Do Union (WDU) / 5th United States Goodwill Tang Soo Do Association (USGTSDA) Championships**. This event is a **Tang Soo Do Open Invitational Tournament**. Your hosts for this event are **Steven Voelker, Kwan Jang** and **David L. Sgro, Kwan Jang**.

The Championships will be held **June 24th thru 25th, 2011** at **Donald M Forsyth Court** at **Virginia Wesleyan College, Norfolk, VA USA** conveniently located just 10 miles west of Virginia Beach. Donald M Forsyth Court located in the Batten Student Center, a 137,000 square foot, state-of-the-art facility that is a hub of activity for the College community. The Batten Center provides numerous venues for recreation/athletic activities, like a 36 foot tall rock climbing wall, Outdoor Rental Center and 2,000 yard Par 3 Disc Golf Course, Aquatic Center with 25 yard, 8-lane pool, hot tub, saunas and locker rooms.



Beautiful Virginia Beach is a short drive from the tournament location and we hope families will take advantage of this event to plan a family vacation with fun filled activities like surfing, kayaking, trail hiking, oceanfront yoga, fishing (off and inshore), golf, biking, lighthouse tours, and many others. We'll also be close to historical landmarks Jamestown and colonial Williamsburg. Visit <http://www.vbfun.com/visitors/default.aspx> for more information!



Enclosed you will find your registration packet with tournament information, schedule of events, rules, competition & spectator entrance fees, awards social evening, and hotel information. Updates and downloadable registration forms will be posted on our website, www.usgtsda.com.

Lastly, we will strive to maintain the high standard of performance established in the previous events, ensuring a positive once-in-a-lifetime experience! We look forward to serving you in June. Please contact the Tournament Directors if you have any questions.

Yours in Tang Soo Do,

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SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

To demonstrate proper Moo Do discipline and Goodwill between participants all competitors and judges are encouraged to be in uniform and in line early for opening ceremonies Saturday morning and remain for closing ceremony Saturday afternoon. All events held at Virginia Wesleyan College Forsythe Court unless noted otherwise.

Thursday, June 23, 2011

Dan Classing	7:00 PM – 9:00 PM	Norfolk Karate Academy
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Friday, June 24, 2011

USGTSDA BOD Meeting	8:00 AM – 9:30 AM	Quality Suites
Local sightseeing	all day	Virginia Beach
Tang Soo Do Clinics	5:00 PM – 7:00 PM	Donald M Forsyth Court
Master's Forms	7:15 PM	Donald M Forsyth Court
Dan / Gup Team Forms	8:15 PM	Donald M Forsyth Court

Saturday, June 25, 2011

Tournament Check-in <i>Check-in desk will close promptly at 8:00 AM; those who don't check-in will not be eligible to compete</i>	7:00 AM – 8:00 AM	Donald M Forsyth Court
Line Up / Opening Ceremony	8:00 AM	Donald M Forsyth Court
Individual Dan Events	8:00 AM	Donald M Forsyth Court
Individual Gup Events	8:00 AM	Donald M Forsyth Court
Closing Ceremony	4:00 PM	Donald M Forsyth Court
Tournament Social Event <i>See Social Event Registration Form for more information</i>	7:00 PM	Location TBD

All times estimates; schedule subject to change.



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CLINICS

Friday, June 24, 2011

Train with Grandmasters and Masters from around the US (all ages and ranks). Check the website for updated clinic information.

Competitors.....	Included with Registration!
Children.....	\$20.00
Adults (all ranks)	\$30.00
Families (up to 5 members, all ranks).....	\$60.00

TOURNAMENT SPECTATOR FEE

Friday/Saturday Entry

Adults 18-up (both days)	\$10.00
Youth, Student ID & Senior Citizen (both days)	\$5.00
Children 5 and under (both days)	FREE

TOURNAMENT SOCIAL EVENT

Saturday, June 25, 2011

Make new friends with school and association members from around the US by joining your fellow competitors and their families for a fun and informal social event.

Location and menu TBD; check the website updated information.



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LOCAL LODGING

The United States Goodwill Tang Soo Do Association is pleased to offer the following **BLOCKED ROOMS/ACCOMODATIONS**: the Quality Suites Lake Wright, the Sleep Inn Lake Wright, and the Red Roof Inn. The Quality Suites Lake Wright and the Sleep Inn Lake Wright are connected with one main lobby. Information about the area and local hotels can also be found on our website. Ratings courtesy of Google.

Quality Suites Lake Wright

The Quality Suites Lake Wright features suites offering a separate bedroom with either two queen size beds or one king bed, microwave, coffeemaker, refrigerator, iron & full-sized ironing board, hairdryer, sitting area with sofa and work desk, two remote controlled 25" color televisions with cable & complimentary HBO, free local calls, free wireless and HSIE, Indoor/Outdoor Heated Pool, Ample free parking, Guest Laundry, Convenience Store, Lobby Restaurant & Bar, Fitness Center, 18-Hole Golf Course on Premises, **complimentary airport shuttle from Norfolk International Airport, and a complimentary full hot breakfast buffet.**

Group Rate..... \$119.00 (plus tax)
 6280 Northampton Blvd, Norfolk, VA 23502, (757) 461-6251★★★★☆
 (Reservation cut-off date is May 23, 2011. Please use group name USGTSDA Tournament.)

Sleep Inn Lake Wright

The Sleep Inn Lake Wright features guest rooms offering either two double beds or one king bed, mini refrigerator, coffeemaker, iron and full-sized ironing board, hair dryer, desk, 25" remote controlled color television with complimentary cable and HBO, free local calls, free wireless and HSIE, walk-in oversized showers (no tubs), Indoor/Outdoor Heated Pool, Ample free parking, Guest Laundry, Convenience Store, Lobby Restaurant & Bar, Fitness Center, 18-Hole Golf Course on Premises, **complimentary airport shuttle from Norfolk International Airport, and complimentary deluxe continental breakfast.** A hot breakfast buffet upgrade is available at \$6.00 per person.

Group Rate..... \$99.00 (plus tax)
 6280 Northampton Blvd, Norfolk, VA 23502, (757) 461-6251★★★★☆
 (Reservation cut-off date is May 23, 2011. Please use group name USGTSDA Tournament.)

Red Roof Inn

The Red Roof Inn (#567) features free wi-fi/local calls/long-distance calls in the US/up to 10 fax pages in the US, award winning bedding, outdoor pool, large work areas, microwave/micro-fridge, free complimentary breakfast, free Red Roof Coffee Bar and USA Today newspaper, coin laundry facility, children under 17 stay free, pets stay free, irons and hair dryers available at the front desk.

Group Rate..... \$79.99 Thu / \$89.99 Fri & Sat (plus tax)
 5745 Northampton Blvd, Virginia Beach, VA 23455, (757) 460-3414★★★★☆
 (Reservation cut-off date is June 15, 2011. Please use group name USGTSDA Tournament.)

WORLD DANG SOO DO UNION

The World Dang Soo Do Union is an international Dang Soo Do Union created by president and founder Choeng Jae Nim Kim, Song Ki. Since many of Choeng Jae Nim Kim, Song Ki's former students have gone on to form many successful independent organizations, Choeng Jae Nim created an organization in which member associations could keep their independence, yet interact and support the growth of traditional Dang Soo Do worldwide.



The World Dang Soo Do Union is not a Federation or and Association. As its name implies it is a Union of Federations and Associations. In uniting our intellects we can make traditional Dang Soo Do an even more powerful force among Martial arts. Many people are already a part of great Federation or Association, but are looking for something bigger or even just looking for roots back to Korea. For many the WDSU provides this.

The WDSU is headquartered at the historic SongTan Moo Duk Kwan Dojang in Songtan, Korea (now a part of Pyongtaek city). The Songtan dojang was opened by Choeng Jae Nim in 1958 as is currently open today with head Master Kim, Yoon Ki.

GRAND MASTER SONG KI KIM

A student of Chung Sok Kim (Dan # 158), Grandmaster Kim began training in Tang Soo Do in 1951. In 1956 he began teaching Tang Soo Do and has been dedicated to the growth of the art ever since.

With nearly 60 years experience in Tang Soo Do, Grandmaster Kim is one of the most senior Tang Soo Do figures living today. He was instructor of the Korean military army brigade at Osan, Korea in 1957. He later founded the Tang Soo Do School at the US Air Force base, Osan, Korea in March of 1958. On January 31, 1960 he founded the Tang Soo Do Regional headquarters at Kyoung Ki province of Korea.

Over a thousand of his former students have gone on to become high ranking Masters and Grandmasters around the world. Among those are Grandmaster Mariano Estioko, the second American to ever receive a Black Belt in Tang Soo Do and founder of the Western Pacific Tang Soo Do Association, and Grandmaster Chun Sik (C.S.) Kim, founder of the International Tang Soo Do Federation.

