



SKIL TOURNAMENT SANCTIONING



Anyone in good standing with SPORT KARATE INTERNATIONAL (SKIL) can sanction their tournament. Simply follow the requirements listed below for the desired sanctioning and send us the completed "AGREEMENT TO SANCTION TOURNAMENT WITH SKIL" form below.

AGREEMENT TO SANCTION TOURNAMENT WITH SKIL

I (name) _____ with (UPS) address of (street) _____
 (city) _____, (state) _____, (zip) _____ (country) _____ (phone) (____) _____ (e-mail) _____

agree to sanction my tournament known as the (name of event) _____

On (date of event) m ____/ d ____/ y ____ being held in (city) _____, (state) _____ (country) _____

with SPORT KARATE INTERNATIONAL (SKIL), 341 E. Fairmount Ave., Lakewood NY 14750. I will be using ____ rules.

1. **SANCTIONING:** "AAA", "AA" and "A" sanctioned tournaments award points to the top eight winners; "BBB", "BB" and "B" sanctioned tournaments award points to the top four winners; and "C" sanctioned tournaments awards points to the top three winners. SKIL ratings do not award points to grand champions. If your tournament is not going to use the SKITA rules, please state the rules your tournament will follow in your brochure so your attendees will know. SKIL ratings will only process results on SKIL results forms (which will be mailed to you after you have agreed to sanction your tournament) or SKIL player score cards. It is preferred for unity's sake, but not a requirement, that all tournaments use 17 and under for juniors, 18 and over for adult and 35 and over for senior divisions. **NBL tournaments are exempt from all SKIL sanctioning criteria.** If any Promoter pays for a sanctioning and does not have the tournament that he/she sanctioned, he/she has until the end of the season to use that sanctioning for the same or a different tournament. The season runs from July 1 to June 30 of each year. There are **NO REFUNDS**. I agree to sanction my tournament as checked (√) below. I understand all "AA" and "A" SKIL sanctioning must be discussed and approved with the Sport Karate International executive office before this application will be accepted. I agree to pay the US dollar amount as listed below for the sanctioning that I am applying for.

10% DISCOUNT

I understand I can deduct a full 10% as indicated below in the parentheses (), if I pay for my sanction at least thirty (30) days before my tournament.

(√ CHECK WHICH APPLIES)	"AAA"	"AA"	"A"	"BBB"	"BB"	"B"	"C"
NORTH AMERICA	NBL Only						
USA		\$395. (355)	\$295. (265)	\$195. (175)	\$145. (130)	\$95. (85)	\$50. (45)
Canada - US Funds only		395. (355)	295. (265)	195. (175)	145. (130)	95. (85)	50. (45)
Mexico		100. (90)	80. (72)	60. (54)	40. (36)	20. (18)	free
Central America		100. (90)	80. (72)	60. (54)	40. (36)	20. (18)	free
SOUTH AMERICA (Caribbean)	NBL Only	50. (45)	40. (36)	30. (27)	20. (18)	10 (9)	free
EUROPE	NBL Only	100. (90)	80. (72)	60. (54)	40. (36)	20. (18)	free
AFRICA	NBL Only						
Rep. of South Africa		50. (45)	40. (36)	30. (27)	20. (18)	10 (9)	free
All other Countries		50. (45)	40. (36)	30. (27)	20. (18)	10 (9)	free
ASIA	NBL Only	50. (45)	40. (36)	30. (27)	20. (18)	10 (9)	free
AUSTRALIA	NBL Only	50. (45)	40. (36)	30. (27)	20. (18)	10 (9)	free

IMPORTANT NOTE: All sanctioning applications must be approved by the SKIL executive offices and through any regional board of directors before any advertising is permitted. Your SKIL results forms will be sent via US mail or United Parcel System (UPS) after your application has been received, or after phone confirmation with our office. Regardless of payment a tournament will not be confirmed as SKIL sanctioned until this form is completed, received and accepted by our office.

- SEEDING:** Seeding is optional, however, I will state in my tournament registration brochure if I am seeding competitors and what the seeding will be based upon (ratings, circuit, past grandchampionships, etc.). If I choose to seed SKIL or NBL competitors, I agree to seed all divisions, including blackbelts and under blackbelts.
- RESULTS:** I will return the results of my tournament on SKIL results forms or SKIL player cards within seven (7) days of completion of my tournament.
- FREE MAGAZINES (USA and Canada only):** I understand that by sanctioning my tournament that I will be entitled to 100 free copies of Sport Karate Magazines to distribute as I wish at my tournament. They will be shipped to me and arrive approximately one week before my tournament and will be sent COD (Check or Money Order Delivery) for shipping and COD charges (\$7 for COD, plus shipping – approximately \$10 - \$15 east coast, \$15 - \$25 west coast)
- PAYMENT BY MAIL:** I understand that payment for sanctioning must be submitted via mail with this "Agreement To Sanction Tournament" application. I can ask SKIL to hold my check until any date up to the day of my tournament. SKIL will cash it by the first business day after my tournament. If I allow SKIL to cash the check anytime after receiving it and thirty (30) days before my tournament, then I may deduct 10% off the cost of the sanctioning (see discounted cost in parentheses above).
- PAYMENT BY PHONE (USA only):** If I ask for sanctioning via telephone, SKIL will ship me an "Agreement To Sanction Tournament with SKIL" and results forms by COD (Cash or Check on Delivery) through the United Parcel System (UPS) for the amount of the sanctioning fee. SKIL will deposit the check as agreed upon by phone. If I agree for SKIL to cash the check at least thirty (30) days before my tournament, then the discount rate in parentheses (above) will apply. Otherwise, the standard rate will apply and my check will be cashed on the first business day following my tournament.
NOTE: Promoters outside the United States must pay in advance by mail.
- RESTITUTION:** I understand that if I do not comply with all of the above, I will not be sanctioned by SKIL again until all of the above requirements have been resolved. I authorize SKIL to publicize in its magazine, by phone and mail-outs to players and tournament promoters, any failure on my part to comply with this agreement. I understand that if I do not submit my tournament results before June 30 after my tournament, I will be fined \$75. I also understand that I will be suspended from SKIL/NBL sanctioning and functions until this fine is paid in full.
- INDEMNIFICATION:** I covenant and agree to defend, indemnify and hold harmless the National Blackbelt League (NBL), Sport Karate International (SKIL), Sport Karate International Tournament Alliance (SKITA), SMASH Publications, Bonsai Budo Karate, Boice Lydell, Super Grands World Games and the Amateur Internationals, their officers, directors, members, employees and agents and each of them, from and against any and all actions, claims, demands, losses, damages, expenses or liabilities of whatsoever kind and nature including settlement and defense costs, judgements, interest and reasonable attorney's fees, and all other costs, expenses and charges that they incur or may incur for any reason resulting or arising from acts or omissions or the performance or breach of this Agreement and against any and all personal injury claims resulting from any attendance by any members of the above named entities and any and all guests of my tournament or of the tournament facility arising from or related to the tournament and its use of, or activities in, the premises and/or the tournament.

Dated this _____ day of _____ 20 _____

signature of promoter

MAIL TO: Sport Karate International - 341 E. Fairmount Ave., Lakewood, NY 14750