



**#9 Broadway Street West,
Yorkton, Sask. Canada S3N 0L3**

Phone (306) 783-0650 Tournament Website: <http://prairiewildfire.ca/>
Website at www.kees.ca Email at info@prairiewildfire.ca



January 31, 2026

Dear Grandmasters, Masters, Instructors, Coaches, Referees and Parents;

Re: The 28th Annual Prairie Wildfire Taekwondo Challenge in Yorkton on April 19, 2026

The updated information will be on the website in late February, as soon as we fine tune this year's version of the On-Line registration. We will have more event details at that time. Watch our Facebook page for updates also.

Accommodation Difficulties: Hotel rooms are taken quickly – please reserve ASAP but also ensure that you don't take more rooms than you need.

1. Quality Inn & Suites Yorkton 1-306-783-3297 (Breakfast and Pool/Slide at \$170.10) 2 Kelsey Bay, Yorkton, SK
Code: 2026 Prairie Wildfire Taekwondo Hold Date before Sunday Feb 15, 2026
2. Home Inn & Suites Yorkton 1-306-782-7829 (Breakfast and pool at \$149.00) 506 Broadway St W, Yorkton, SK
Link: <https://reservations.travelclick.com/104201?groupID=4761998>
3. Holiday Inn Express 1 (306) 782-9888 (Breakfast and pool at \$139.00) 63 Seventh Ave N, Yorkton, SK
Code: Prairie Wildfire (PRW) Hold Date before Thursday March 19, 2026
4. Check with Hotel apps for other options. Let us know if there were no hotel rooms left so that we can negotiate additional rooms

We will offer **double elimination or round robin competition format** with the **"Best of 3 Rounds Decision"** for all coloured and black belts. That means that everyone will be offered at least two games. In smaller divisions this may mean that you compete against the same competitor more than once. We know this will assist the instructors and athletes in their goals to acquire experience for the developing athletes. Unfortunately, we will not allow Black belt juniors to enter both the Junior and Senior division. They will have to choose one or the other. The Recreational Poomsae competition will be a head to head competition with a double elimination option. This format has proved to be very popular in past Wildfire Challenge Poomsae competition. Black Belt Sport Competition Poomsae will be scored and announced as per WT Rules and KPnP Scoring System. Black Belts must choose "Rec" or "Sport" not both. The "both" option is for Kyorugi plus a Poomsae option. We will once again run our popular Family Team Poomsae division.

Coloured belts will be scored with Daedo or KPnP judge clickers only. This group will need to also bring your own head gear, Hogos and instep protectors. We plan to utilize **Daedo electronic PSS scoring for the Cadet, Junior and Senior black belts**. The black belts need to bring their own Daedo E-Socks for the black belt sparring.

A **Referee committee** will be selecting and overseeing the judges and referees to be used throughout the day. Please register on-line, email Master Susanne at susanne.m11@hotmail.com or fill out and return the form for those interested in officiating. The referee committee chairman will assign you to teams for rotation between judging and rest. Referees and corner judges will receive free meals and an event referee shirt. Experienced certified referees will receive an honourarium.

We are working on arranging a **Referee Seminar** for Friday April 19th on the new rules that will be utilized at the Canadian Nationals and Canada Open. *Stay Tuned!*

ID Cards will be issued to facilitate the tournament process and leave all VIPs, coaches and athletes with a souvenir of the event. If you wish to have your photo on the ID Card please forward in advance with your entry forms. The fight trees will be created with this ID card and the scannable code on that ID card. Ensure that you pick up Friday night or Saturday AM at the Venue.

Yours Sincerely,

Master Wayne Mitchell
Tournament Director



CC

Mr. Joey Garcia, Operations Coordinator - PWF