



# *1<sup>ST</sup> USMTA International Amateur Muay Thai World Championships*

*Endorsed by America's national Muay Thai Association*

*The*

**UNITED STATES MUAY THAI ASSOCIATION**

*Event Officiated by the*

**American Muay Thai Judge & Referee Association**

*And the*

**American Muay Thai Officials**

**Awards for**

**Best "Ram-Muay" of the event**

**Amateur Muay Thai Championship belts**

**International Team Championship Cup**

**Date: 18th - 20th September, 2009**

**Venue: 1444 South Cherokee Street.  
Muskogee, Oklahoma 74403 USA**

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Must reach to organizer Before **Aug 10<sup>th</sup> 2009**

Federation: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Tel \_\_\_\_\_ Fax \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

	No. of Officer	No. of Male Referee	No. of Female Referee	No. of Male Athletes	No. of Female Athletes
<i>Mens Muay Thai</i>					
<i>Womens Muay Thai</i>					
<i>Juniors Muay Thai</i>					
<b>Total</b>					

Signature/Stamp: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_



**Flight and Hotel Information Form**  
 This Form must reach to organizer Before **August 10<sup>th</sup> 2009**

Country / Pays \_\_\_\_\_

Head of Delegation / Chef de Delegation \_\_\_\_\_

Tel \_\_\_\_\_ Fax \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

**8. Accommodation:**

Official Hotel	Room type	Room Rate
	Single (1 bed)	<b>USD</b> per Night
	Twin room (2 beds)	<b>USD</b> per Night
	Triple room	<b>USD</b> per Night

**Accommodation:**

Check-In Date	Check-Out Date	Room type	No. of Single Room	No. of Double room	No. of Triple room

**Flight Schedule:**

	Date	Time	Flight	No. of Person
<b>Arrival</b>				
<b>Departure</b>				

Signature/Stamp: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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# USMTA World Amateur Championships

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## Schedule of Events

- Location: Ardmore Convention Center 2401 N. Rockford Road, Ardmore, Oklahoma 73401.
- Spectators: Spectator tickets are as follows
  - \* Adults \$15 a day or \$25 for both days (no refunds)
  - \* Kids 10 & Under \$10 a day or \$15 for both days (no refunds)
- Weight-Ins: Friday September 18<sup>th</sup> from Noon to 5pm
- Dinner: Meet & Greet Dinner Friday September 18<sup>th</sup> from 6pm to 8pm. The costs is \$25 per person and must be paid for in advance. (no refunds)
- Fights: Elimination rounds begin Saturday morning September 19<sup>th</sup> at 9am
- Championships: Championship matches will begin Sunday morning September 20<sup>th</sup> at 9am. World Cup Presentation will immediately follow!!!

## **Rules & Procedures - Amateur Muay Thai**

- Fighters are required to pre-register no later than September 15<sup>th</sup> this will leave us just enough time to get all the brackets put together before the event. We “will not” accept any registrations that arrive after the deadline so if you are using the postal service give yourself plenty of time.
- World Cup Presented to the winning team
- Each fighter will get one free spectator pass
- Each Gym will get two passes, one for coach and corner man
- Each weight division will be an 8 person bracket with a 4 person minimum. Once a bracket is full you will be put on standby in case someone drops out. If a bracket does not reach the 4 person minimum requirement that weight division will be eliminated from the event and the fighters that did register will have the option of moving to a different weight division.
- If there is an odd number of people in a particular weight division a “By” will be given to the person in that division that registered 1<sup>st</sup>.
- Fighters have the option of performing the Ram Muay but with a strict 2 minute time limits please...

## **Levels**

Kids – (Ages 7 & Under)

Juniors – (Ages 8 – 16) 17 year olds will have the option of fighting junior or adult Adults – Ages 17+

\* Fighter cannot be paid to fight, if you have EVER received money to fight you are ineligible.

\* Fighters that have fought professionally in any other combative sport will not be permitted to fight as an amateur.



## **Legal Strikes**

### ***Punching Strikes***

**All Levels** – All punches of boxing are allowed to the body and to the head, this would include the jab, cross, hook, uppercut, overhand, and spinning backfist.

### ***Elbow Strike***

**Kids** – No elbows

**Juniors** - Elbows to the body only, no elbows to the head.

**Adults** – Elbows to the body only, no elbows to the head.

### ***Knee Strikes***

**All Levels** – Knees are only allowed to the body and legs, no knees to the head.

(if a fighter ducks into a knee it “will not” be considered a foul)

### ***Kicking Strikes***

**All Levels** – All types of kicks are allowed to the head and body. These kicks must impact with the bottom, top, or side of the foot or shin. Only round kicks are allowed to the leg, no side or check kicks. Leg kicks are allowed to the inside and outside of the legs, both above and below the knee. There will be no straight line kicks to the legs.

### ***Clinching***

**All Levels** – Clinching is allowed and all strikes as applicable are allowed from the clinch.

### ***Sweeps/Throws***

**All Levels** – Sweeping take downs are permitted from clinch. If a fighter traps a kick he/she will have 3 seconds to effect a sweep before the referee separates them. Throws from the clinch “are not” allowed. No hip throws or hip tosses nor is a fighter allowed to intentionally fall on top of an opponent to cause injury.

### ***Illegal Strikes***

NO striking the back of the head

NO striking the spine

NO striking the groin

NO striking the front & sides of the knees

NO foot stomps

NO foot to foot sweeps

NO “plowing” Must strike for every step taken if holding a caught leg.

NO hip throws or Judo throws

NO picking up opponent & slamming to the canvas

NO headbutts

NO hammerfist strikes

NO straightline kicks below the waist

**Note:** All of the above are considered “fouls”. If the referee determines a foul is intentional a point will be deducted. If referee determines a foul is unintentional a warning will be given for the first occurrence.

Subsequent fouls will receive a point deduction. The downed opponent has up to 5 minutes to recover (at the discretion of the referee). The Referee reserves the right to end a fight after subsequent fouls if he/she feels it is in the best interest of the fighters.

### ***“No Contest” Decisions***

If an opponent is fouled in the first round and as a result cannot continue and the referee rules the foul unintentional the bout will be ruled a “no contest”. If the bout has completed the first round and the fouled opponent cannot continue then the decision will go to the score cards to determine a winner. This of course will also be determined by whether or not the ring referee dictates the foul was “unintentional”. An intentional foul will award the win to the downed fighter.



### **Safety Equipment**

**Kids** – Must wear headgear, shin guards, hand wraps, mouth guard and groin protector. (female groin protection is optional) Chest guards are optional however both corners must agree.

**Juniors** – Must wear headgear, shin guards, hand wraps, mouth guard, and groin protectors. (female groin protection is optional)

**Adults** – Must wear hand wraps, mouth guard, and groin protector. Headgear and shin guards are optional however both corners must agree prior to the match.

***Headgear** – Headgear may have cheek protection but cannot have nose or chin protection.*

**Shin Guards** – Shin guards may be cloth, leather, or neoprene and can pull on or fasten with velcro, no buckles.

**Hand Wraps** – All fighters may use training hand wraps or gauze and tape. Tape must be one finger's width back from knuckles and all fighters must have wraps checked and signed by a sanctioning official before putting on fight gloves.

**Gloves** – All gloves will be provided by the promoter, no fighter may use their own gloves. 10 oz. Gloves will be used for all weight divisions below Lt. Heavyweight. Lt. Heavyweight & up will use 12 oz. Gloves.

### **Ring Rules**

#### ***Standing 8 Count***

This will be in effect for all bouts, all fighter must engage, if you are not fighting back or defending yourself the referee will stop the action and administer an 8 count to ensure your safety. This will be score like a knockdown on the judges scorecards.

#### ***3 Knockdown Rule***

If a fighter is knocked down 3 times in any single round (provided the referee has given the 8 count), the fight will be stopped and pronounced a TKO.

#### ***Flash Knockdown***

The "flash" knockdown is in effect in all bouts, if a fighter is knocked down but gets back up immediately with no signs of damage (at the discretion of the referee) it may be declared a flash knockdown and no 8 count will be administered. This will not count as a knockdown on the judges scorecards. Again, this rule is at the discretion of the referee. Sometimes a fighter is knocked OUT on impact and then wakes up upon their head bouncing off the canvas and get right back up. The referee may see this and still give the count to ensure the fighter is able to continue.

#### ***Length of Rounds***

**Kids 7 & Under** – Three 1 minute rounds with one minute rest. (Title bouts five 1 Minute rounds)

**Juniors** – Three 2 minute round with one minute rest. (Title bouts five 2 minute rounds)

**Adults** – Three 2 minute rounds with one minute rest. (Title bouts five 2 minute rounds)



## Weight Divisions

### (Men)

Flyweight – 112  
Bantamweight – 118  
Featherweight – 126  
Lightweight – 135  
Welterweight – 147  
Middleweight – 160  
Super Middle – 168  
Lt. Heavyweight – 175  
Middle Heavy – 188  
Cruiserweight – 190  
Heavyweight – 193 +

### (Junior Boys)

Lt. Thumbweight – 50  
Thumbweight – 56  
Lt. Needleweight – 61  
Needleweight – 65  
Lt. Pencilweight – 70  
Pencilweight – 75  
Lt. Strawweight – 80  
Strawweight – 85  
Lt. Pinweight – 90  
Pinweight – 104  
Flyweight – 108  
Flyweight – 110  
Bantamweight – 115  
Featherweight – 122  
Lightweight – 130  
Welterweight – 140  
Middleweight – 154

### (Women)

Flyweight - 112  
Bantamweight - 118  
Featherweight - 126  
Lightweight - 135  
Welterweight - 147  
Middleweight - 160  
Super Middle - 168  
Lt. Heavyweight - 175  
Cruiserweight - 190  
Heavyweight – 193 +

### (Junior Girls)

Lt. Thumbweight - 50  
Thumbweight - 56  
Lt. Needleweight - 61  
Needleweight - 65  
Lt. Pencilweight - 70  
Pencilweight - 75  
Lt. Strawweight - 80  
Strawweight - 85  
Pinweight - 90  
Flyweight - 97  
Flyweight - 108  
Bantamweight - 115  
Featherweight - 122  
Lightweight - 130  
Welterweight - 140  
Middleweight – 154

# USMTA AMATEUR WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS - MMX (2009)

## Fighter Registration



Please fill out the form below & mail with the registration fee in USD only.

Early bird Registration \$45.00 (by June 20, 2009) \_\_\_\_\_ X \$45 = \_\_\_\_\_

Pre-Registration \$55.00 (June 21 - August 20, 2009) \_\_\_\_\_ X \$55 = \_\_\_\_\_

Last Chance Registration \$75.00 ( August 21 – September 15, 2009) \_\_\_\_\_ X \$75 = \_\_\_\_\_

Meet & Greet Dinner after weigh-ins Friday September 18<sup>th</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ X \$25 = \_\_\_\_\_

\$25 Per Person Must Be Pre-Paid **Total** = \_\_\_\_\_

### USMTA STAFF USE ONLY

- SENT: \_\_\_/\_\_\_/\_\_\_
- REC: \_\_\_/\_\_\_/\_\_\_
- PAID: \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- PHOTO: \_\_\_\_\_
- DINNER: \_\_\_\_\_

### PLEASE PRINT IN CAPITAL

If our office cannot read your registration form, you may slow down or even cancel your entry application to the championship. Please carefully print your information in Block Capital print.

Full Name: \_\_\_\_\_

1. Have you ever fought as a PRO in ANY Fight or Striking Sport (Boxing, MMA, Kickboxing)?: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Have you ever been paid money for fighting in A Fight or Striking Sport (Boxing, MMA, Kickboxing)?: \_\_\_\_\_
3. Fight Weight in **Pounds**: \_\_\_\_\_ Lbs. - Height in **Feet & Inches**: \_\_\_\_' \_\_\_\_"
4. Current **Age**: \_\_\_\_\_ & Birthday (month, day & year): \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_
5. P.O. Box Or Physical Street Number: \_\_\_\_\_
6. City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_
7. Country: \_\_\_\_\_
8. Trainers Name: (*List SELF if you train yourself*) \_\_\_\_\_
9. Gym/Team Name: \_\_\_\_\_
10. Contact Phone Number to be listed: \_\_\_\_\_
11. e-Mail (If One): \_\_\_\_\_ @ \_\_\_\_\_
12. **Amateur** Fight record with KOs if any:
13. Kickboxing: \_\_\_\_\_ Wins \_\_\_\_\_ Loses \_\_\_\_\_ Draws \_\_\_\_\_ KO's/TKO'S
14. Boxing: \_\_\_\_\_ Wins \_\_\_\_\_ Loses \_\_\_\_\_ Draws \_\_\_\_\_ KO's/TKO'S
15. MMA: \_\_\_\_\_ Wins \_\_\_\_\_ Loses \_\_\_\_\_ Draws \_\_\_\_\_ KO's/TKO'S
16. Non-Sanctioned Smokers (If any): \_\_\_\_\_ Wins \_\_\_\_\_ Loses \_\_\_\_\_ KO's/
17. Last Bout Information: **If possible or if any**:
  - o Opponents Name: \_\_\_\_\_
  - o Where was Bout/Event: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Bout/Event: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_
  - o Result (Win or Lose and how: Decision: unanimous, split, majority, TKO, KO, Draw, etc): \_\_\_\_\_
18. Other Organization, rank and title(s) **IF ANY**: \_\_\_\_\_
19. Please include a Full body photograph in fight clothes for your promotional purposes.
20. I certify the above is true and I confirm so by my signature here: \_\_\_\_\_, Date: \_\_\_/\_\_\_/\_\_\_

Please send all required information and fees to: TROY GREEN / USMTA: 505 West Ford Street, Denison, TX, 75020-7684, USA

Registration Forms **WITHOUT FEES** will not be accepted

Make Checks Payable to TROY GREEN/USMTA



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Please highlight your division and place an "X" in the box to the right of the Division

**"NOVICE"** = 3 Fights or Less this includes "Smokers"

**"OPEN"** = Any and all amateurs regardless of record

JUNIOR BOYS	JUNIOR GIRLS	WOMEN	MEN
7 & Under-50 & Under	7 & Under-50 & Under	Flyweight - 112	Flyweight - 112
7 & Under - 51-60	7 & Under - 51-60	Bantamweight - 118	Bantamweight - 118
Lt. Thumb-weight - 50	Lt. Thumb-weight - 50	Featherweight - 126	Featherweight - 126
Thumb-weight - 56	Thumb-weight - 56	Lightweight - 135	Lightweight - 135
Lt. Needle-weight - 61	Lt. Needle-weight - 61	Welterweight - 147	Welterweight - 147
Needle-weight - 65	Needle-weight - 65	Middleweight - 160	Middleweight - 160
Lt. Pencil-weight - 70	Lt. Pencil-weight - 70	Super Middleweight - 168	Super Middleweight - 168
Pencil-weight - 75	Pencil-weight - 75	Lt. Heavyweight - 175	Lt. Heavyweight - 175
Lt. Straw-weight - 80	Lt. Straw-weight - 80	Cruiserweight - 190	Cruiserweight - 190
Straw-weight - 85	Straw-weight - 85	Heavyweight - 193 +	Heavyweight - 191 +
Lt. Pin-weight - 90	Lt. Pin-weight - 90		
Pin-weight - 97	Pin-weight - 97		
Mini Flyweight - 104	Mini Flyweight - 104		
Junior Flyweight - 108	Junior Flyweight - 108		
Junior Bantamweight - 115	Junior Bantamweight - 115		
Junior Featherweight - 122	Junior Featherweight - 122		
Junior Lt. Weight - 130	Junior Lt. Weight - 130		
Junior Welterweight - 140	Junior Welterweight - 140		
Junior Middleweight - 154	Junior Middleweight - 154		

Note: If there are less than 4 contestants in any division, the competition will not be held for that weight division.

