



## **NWT Taekwondo Membership Policy**

The NWT WTF Taekwondo Association has two membership classes.

### Individual

- Open to any NWT Resident
- Annual membership fee is \$5.00.
- Membership term runs from payment date until December 31.
- Members in this class may not hold an Associate membership
- Only Individual members have decision making and voting rights within the Association

### Associate Group

- Provides easy access to Sport North funding for groups not wishing to align with the World Taekwondo Federation.
- Open to any territorial organization acting as the sole representative of a generally recognized taekwondo discipline in Canada.
- Acceptance as an Associate Group member is subject to board approval and requires a recommendation from Sport North.
- Annual membership fee is \$5.00 per member within the organization applying
- Membership term runs from payment date until December 31.
- Members in this class may hold one Associate membership and may not hold an Individual membership.

## **Re-allocation and accountability for Sport North funds**

Base Funding: Base funding will be distributed to Associate group members based on the combined membership of the Associate Group members and the Association.

- Example: The membership of group "X" represents 40% of the combined membership of the Association and the Associate member(s). "X" will receive 40% of the base funding.

### Performance funding:

- Associate members will receive "points" based on combined membership of the Associate Group members and the Association using the same formula as for the base funding allocations. The following exceptions apply.
  - Territorial Championships: Sole responsibility of NWT WTF TKD Assoc.
  - NAIG: Sole responsibility of NWT WTF TKD Assoc.

- Associate Group members will annually
  - Submit a plan outlining how "points" will be used. The plan should generally follow the format of the Sport North Funding Allocation Handbook
  - Submit trip/clinic/coaching reports and other related documents.
  - Provide financial documents if required by the Association or Sport North.
  
- Example: A funding category has 20 points. The membership of group "X" represents 40% of the combined membership. "X" will receive 8 points. As part of it's annual plan "X" will outline how these points will used. Summary reports will be provided to the Association as activities are completed. Depending on the level of financial accountability required by Sport North - receipts for expenses may be required.

General:

- NSO and Sport North affiliation fees will come out of membership fees. Shortfalls will be taken out of base funding before any other disbursements.
  
- Any "excess points bonus" payouts by Sport North will be split using the base funding formula.