

**ENGLISH
KARATE** NGB

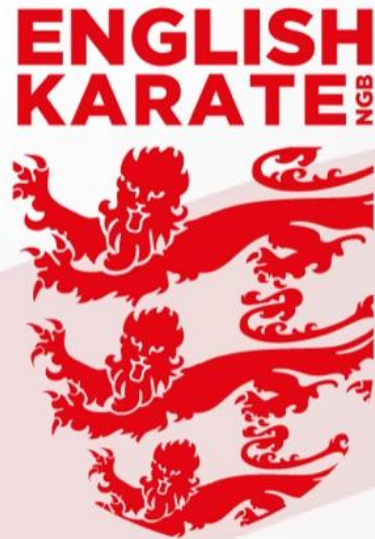


EKNGB Ltd

STRATEGY FOR THE NEW
GOVERNING BODY



English Karate NGB



The new logo for English Karate NGB features a Male Lion, a Female, and young cub symbolising unity across all generations and identities within the Karate community.

The absence of a border reflects the commitment to inclusivity, removing limitations, boundaries and constraints that once existed.



English Karate NGB

- The mission of English Karate NGB is to provide the best and easy access for Associations and the members, keeping the values of Karate, with respect and friendships.
- We have broader goals, not just sport but making a positive impact on individuals and the community with a commitment to growth, engagement, more diverse and inclusive governing body.
- The board will comprise of up to 12 directors with 2 being independent and representative from the WKF, the other 9 places will be voted by the associations at an AGM, and committing to a more diverse board and skill set.
- After the initial launch start of EKNGB Ltd, there will be with-in 18 months recruitment elections for director's positions on the board.



English Karate NGB

- We pledge to maintain a cooperative and positive working relationship with both the British Karate Federation (BKF) and the World Karate Federation (WKF).
- We are committed to full compliance with Sport England's Code of Good Governance.
- We will actively seek to build partnerships with new agencies, including Sport England, to further the development of karate.
- We commit to upholding the standards and practices of WADA (World Anti-Doping Agency) and UKAD (UK Anti-Doping) for clean and fair sport.



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- To encourage growth a new system will be put in place for membership and licencing.
- This will be an online platform for the requirements for the registration of Licences, coaching, DBS service with excess to competitions, courses, calendar and qualifications.
- Each association will be able to log into there account and input their members details and be able to pay the online fees for services.
- Each Association will have their own Log in detail.
- All information will be in this system and be excessed via the website making it easier to excess information when required, either by HOA or its members.



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- Traditional groups would have access to information, courses and events and a technical committee.
- Minutes of board meetings will be made available on a regular basis and will be unloaded onto website and made visible to all.
- A full and comprehensive website will be accessible and maintained.



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- A national Squad system will be in place that cuts down on travel cost and makes it more attainable and affordable for everyone
- To represent England: National and British Championships will have to be attended, to be put forward for the selections, to represent England in the European and World Championships
- A performance and costings strategy will be developed
- A New National Badge to respect the past but bring us into a modern inclusive future



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- Three Regional areas will be created, North, South and Midlands and there will be a challenge match at the end of the year for the 3 regions.

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- Groups outside the EKF will also be welcomed and invited to join.
- Associations pay a yearly fee for membership.
- Individual Licence fee per member, paid through the association registration officer.
- If competing at a national championships or squads, a competitor's licence fee will be required per athlete.
- Tatami coach's accreditation fee will be in place.
- Each licenced person under the EKF will be honoured, until their expiry date runs out, (within the 1st year), thereafter a new licence with EKNGB Ltd will be required by each member.



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