



## UPCOMING COMPETITIONS

### Battle at Murder Creek – Alabama Karate Circuit Sat. February 22nd

Kickoff competition for the Alabama Karate Circuit Points Tournament Season. Pre-registration is open on their website! All student will most likely have to complete a registration form for this season. We are unsure if we will keep the same AKC numbers from last year. We'll update you when we receive a response. For more information on the points system, ring assignments, rules, and divisions, visit [www.alabamakaratecircuit.com](http://www.alabamakaratecircuit.com)

**Time:**

8:30 AM – 2:00 PM

**Where:**

W.S. Neal High School  
801 Andrew Jackson St  
East Brewton, AL 36426

**Pricing:**

Pre-Registration (Open):

\$55.00 – 3 divisions

\$15.00 – Additional Division

\$8.00 – Spectator Tickets

After February 14

\$70.00 – 3 divisions

**Rank Divisions:**

Beginner:

White & Camouflage

Intermediate:

Yellow, Orange, Green, Blue

Advance:

Brown, Purple, Red, Cho Dan Bo

Black Belt:

Black Belts

**Divisions:**

XMA Creative Forms

Traditional Forms

Traditional Weapons

Point Sparring

Continuous Sparring

**Age Divisions:**

Please see their website for a full list of age divisions



## Triad Open Karate Tournament Sat. March 21st

From Triad's FB Event: Our FIRST tournament of the year is upon us. We hope you have been training hard to get ready for the toughest karate competition around! Doors open at 8:30 and divisions begin at 9. Make sure you pre-register to save and we look forward to seeing your progress!

<https://www.facebook.com/events/473499456681305/>

**Time:**

8:30 AM – 11:30 AM

**Where:**

Triad Martial Arts Academy – Madison  
7566 Wall Triana Hwy  
Madison, AL 35757

**Pricing:**

Pre-Registration (Not open yet):

Lil' Dragons - Free

\$45.00 – All Divisions

After March 15

\$65.00 – All Divisions

**Rank Divisions:**

Triad's ranks are a little different.  
Instructors will be there to make sure you are put in your correct division

Beginner: White, Orange, Yellow, Gold

Intermediate: Green, Blue

Advance: Red, Purple, Brown, Black

**Age Divisions:**

Lil' Dragons: Ages 3.5 – 6yrs

Youth: Ages 7 – 12yrs

Teen / Adults: Ages 13yrs and up

**Divisions:**

Open Hand / Tradition Kata (Forms)

Point Sparring

Traditional Weapons Kata

Creative Weapons Kata



## 44th Annual Garden State Championship Sat. March 28th

Open IMA competition hosted in New Jersey. We will be receiving a packet in February with all division, rules, and pricing listed.

<p><b>Time:</b> 10:00 AM – Opening Ceremony</p> <p><b>Where:</b> River Winds Community Center 1000 Riverwinds Dr West Deptford, NJ 08086</p>	<p><b>Pricing:</b> <b>TBA</b></p>
<p><b>Rank Divisions:</b></p> <p>Beginner: White &amp; Camouflage</p> <p>Intermediate: Yellow, Orange, Green, Blue</p> <p>Advance: Brown, Purple, Red, Cho Dan Bo</p> <p>Black Belt: Black Belts</p>	<p><b>Divisions (in the past):</b></p> <p>Traditional Forms Point Sparring Traditional Weapons Breaking</p> <p>Black Belt Grand Champion Divisions</p> <p><b>Age Divisions:</b> <b>TBA</b></p> <p>Age groups are usually divided in 2-3 year age gaps</p>

## Alabama Karate Circuit Tentative Tournament Schedule

- Feb 22nd – Battle at Murder Creek
- March TBA – Decatur Heritage Christian Academy, Decatur, AL
- May TBA – Decatur Heritage Christian Academy, Decatur, AL