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| **The 32th European Weight Category Karate Championships****European Juniors Karate Championships****European Seniors Karate Championships** **MAY 19-20, 2018 - VARNA, BULGARIA** |

**Match duration for Juniors 12-15 years old**:

 (1) *Elimination rounds*: 90sec->90sec

 (2) *Semi Finals and Finals*: 90sec->90sec>Weight (3kg)->90sec

**Match duration for Juniors 16-17 years old**:

 (1) *Elimination rounds*: 2m->2m

 (2) *Semi Finals and Finals*: 2m->2m->Weight (3kg) ->2m

**Match duration for Senior**: (1) *Elimination rounds*: 90sec->90sec

 (2) *Semi Finals and Finals*: 90sec->90sec>Weight (3kg)->90sec

**Men and Women**: (1) *Elimination rounds*: 2m->2m

 (2) *From 2nd rounds to Quarter Finals*: 2m->2m->2m

 (3) *Semi Finals and Finals*: 3m->2m->2m->Weight (3kg) ->2m

 Juniors 12-13 years old (boys and girls)

**\* Kata**: *Elimination round*--- Pinan-sono-ni

 *Final for top 4 only*---- Gekisai Sho

 Juniors 14-17 years old, Men and Women

**\* Kata**: *Elimination round*--- Gekisai Sho

 *Final for top 4 only*---- They can chose kata. The same as IKO standard kata rules.

**OSU!**

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