

45TH ANNUAL  
WESTERN WYOMING  
KARATE CHAMPIONSHIPS



**May 16, 2026**

**Green River Recreation Center  
1775 Hitching Post Drive  
Green River, Wyoming**

*Link to Full Details and Hotel Information*

<https://pinedaskenpo.com/wp-content/uploads/2026-WWKC-FLYER.pdf>

# 2026 WESTERN WYOMING KARATE CHAMPIONSHIPS

Dear Martial Arts Competitors, Instructors, and Families:

Pineda's Kenpo Karate is proud to host the 45th Annual Western Wyoming Karate Championships on **May 16, 2026**, at the **Green River Recreation Center**. The **Little Bear Motel** and **Hampton Inn** are the main tournament hotels. Other Green River hotels include the **Travelodge by Wyndham** and the **Super 8 by Wyndham**. Free swimming and roller skating are reserved for karate participants on Friday night, 4:00-8:30 p.m. Swimming is also offered on Saturday until 5:30 p.m. Thanks to all of you for your continued dedicated support of the Western Wyoming Karate Championships. Our team of students, instructors, and volunteers look forward to hosting a great 2026 event.

Sincerely,

*Jim and Chris Dean*

**DATE:** **May 16, 2026**  
**PLACE:** **Green River Recreation Center**  
1775 Hitching Post Drive  
Green River, Wyoming  
**SANCTIONED:** Utah Sport Karate League

**PROMOTER:** Jim & Chris Dean  
**INFORMATION:** (307) 707-0492  
1745 Texas Way  
Green River, WY 82935

**2026 REGISTRATION THROUGH UVENTEX**  
**PRE-REGISTRATION IS HIGHLY ENCOURAGED**  
**REGISTER ONLINE – <https://uventex.com/events/event/337005>**

**EARLY CHECK-IN & REGISTRATION @**  
**GR RECREATION CENTER ON FRIDAY NIGHT 6-8:30 P.M.**

**AWARDS:** 1st, 2nd, 3rd place trophies  
4<sup>th</sup> Place for Fighting  
Divisions Only  
Participation trophy to all non-placing competitors.

**CUMULATIVE POINTS:** Points can be counted from one forms division, one sparring division, one weapons division, and one self-defense division. (Total of 4 divisions). **NOTE:** Board breaking, flag sparring and padded sword sparring are not included in cumulative points for Grand Champion.

**GRAND CHAMPION AWARDS (12)**  
Adult Black Belt Fighting, Traditional & Open Forms  
Senior Black Belt Traditional Forms  
Senior Men's Black Belt Fighting  
Adult Women's Black Belt - Cumulative Points  
Adult Under-Belt - Cumulative Points  
Junior Black Belt Forms (Traditional & Open)  
Junior Black Belt All-Around - Cumulative Points  
Junior 12 & Under Under-Belt - Cumulative Points  
Junior 13-17 Under-Belt - Cumulative Points

**SCHEDULE OF EVENTS:**  
**7:00-8:00 A.M.** Check-In & Registration  
**8:30-9:00 A.M.** Rules Meeting  
**9:00 A.M.** Competition Begins w/Team Forms & Under-Belt & Black-Belt Self-Defense  
**Final Event** Black-Belt Sparring

**TOURNAMENT RULES**  
**AGE:** Compete for the entire season at your age on 01/01/2026  
**SAFETY:** Boots, Gloves, Headgear, Mouth Guards and Groin Protectors are **MANDATORY**  
**SPARRING:** Two-minute rounds: 1 point–Hands  
2 points– Kick Above Belt  
1 point–Groin/Body

**PRE-REGISTRATION 5/10/26**  
First Event \$70  
Second Event \$15

**LATE REGISTRATION 5/11/26**  
First Event \$80  
Second Event \$20

**SPECTATORS FEES**  
Spectators (6-Adult) \$5  
Senior Citizens Free  
Kids 5 & Under Free

## **TOURNAMENT HOTELS - (Mention WWKC Karate Tournament)**

### **Hampton Inn & Suites-Green River**

*1055 Wild Horse Canyon Road, Green River*

**(307) 875-5300**

Single and Double **\$119** plus Tax

Single Suite **\$129** plus Tax

Double Suite **\$139** plus Tax

Complimentary Breakfast Bar/Pool

**Booking Link:**

[\*\*https://www.hilton.com/en/book/reservation/deeplink/?ctyhocn=GRVWYHX&groupCode=CHHPKK&arrivaldate=2026-05-15&departuredate=2026-05-17&cid=OM,WW,HILTONLINK,EN,DirectLink&fromId=HILTONLINKDIRECT\*\*](https://www.hilton.com/en/book/reservation/deeplink/?ctyhocn=GRVWYHX&groupCode=CHHPKK&arrivaldate=2026-05-15&departuredate=2026-05-17&cid=OM,WW,HILTONLINK,EN,DirectLink&fromId=HILTONLINKDIRECT)

### **Little Bear Motel-Green River, WY**

*1416 Uinta Drive, Green River*

**(307) 875-7554**

Single-**\$97.20** plus Tax

Double **\$108.90** plus Tax

Double Suite **\$162.90** plus tax

### **Super 8 by Wyndham-Green River, WY**

*280 W. Flaming Gorge Way, Green River*

**(307) 364-0432**

Single-**\$63.79** plus Tax

Double **\$73.76** plus Tax

### **Travelodge by Wyndham-Green River, WY**

*1170 W. Flaming Gorge Way, Green River*

**(307)-466-0122**

Single **\$95** plus Tax

Double **\$95** plus Tax

**Booking Link:**

[\*\*https://www.wyndhamhotels.com/hotels/51667?checkInDate=05/15/2026&checkOutDate=05/17/2026&groupCode=051526KAR\*\*](https://www.wyndhamhotels.com/hotels/51667?checkInDate=05/15/2026&checkOutDate=05/17/2026&groupCode=051526KAR)

### **AFTER TOURNAMENT PARTY @ PIZZA HUT-GR**