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# SHOTO FRIENDSHIP CHAMPIONSHIP

## In Honour of Kent Rantzow



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PAVILHÃO MUNICIPAL ALFREDO BENTO CALADO | ALMEIRIM



12 DE SETEMBRO 2026



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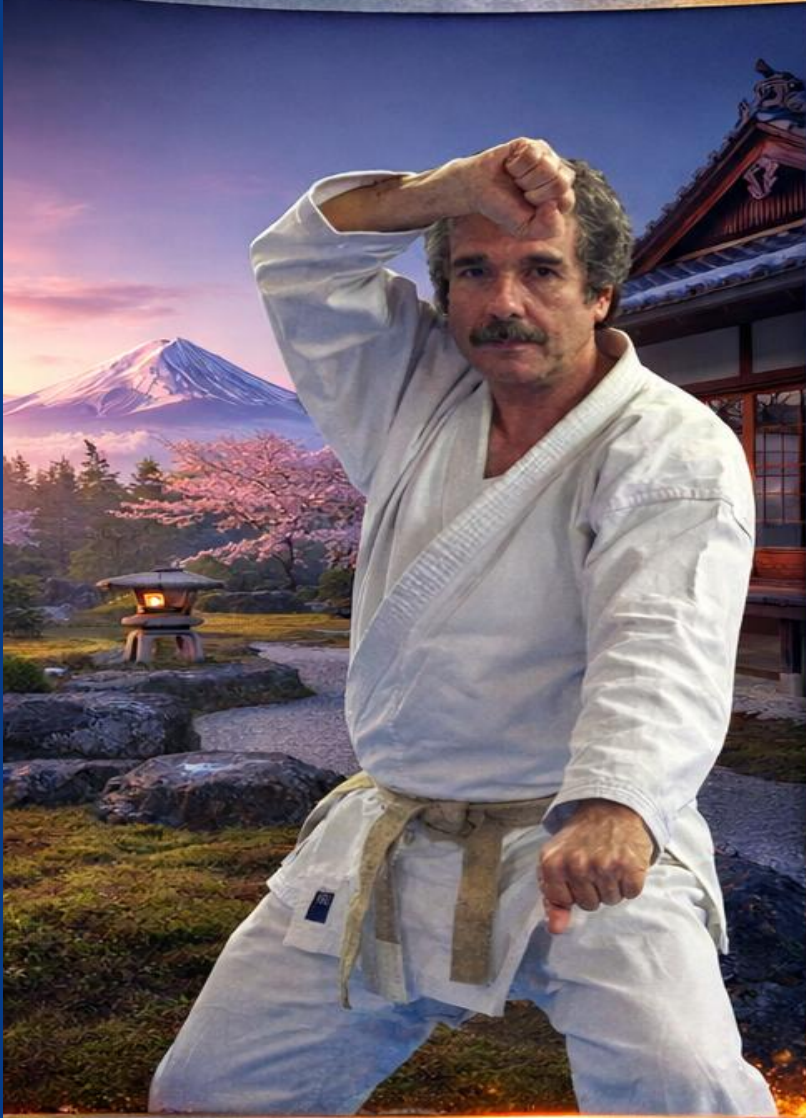
An international **Shobu Ippon Karate** club competition dedicated to promoting:

- ✓ Fair play and mutual respect
- ✓ Technical excellence
- ✓ Friendship between clubs and nations

This event celebrates the core values of Karate, bringing together athletes, coaches, and officials in a spirit of unity and high-level competition.

- **Date:** 12 September 2026
- **Venue:** Pavilhão Municipal Alfredo Bento Calado
- **City:** Almeirim, Portugal





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The **Shoto Friendship Championship** is a club-based **Shobu Ippon Karate** competition designed to

- ✓ Fair play and respect
- ✓ Technical development
- ✓ Friendship between clubs and nations

This special edition is held in honour of **Kent Rantzow**, recognising his lifelong contribution to Karate and to the development of the discipline at an international level.

The event welcomes athletes, coaches, referees, officials, and supporters in a spirit of unity and excellence.

President – NKFP  
**Sensei Paulo Almeida**




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# VENUE & LOCATION

## Pavilhão Municipal Alfredo Bento Calado

A modern, fully equipped sports venue prepared to host high-level Karate competitions, offering excellent conditions for:

- ✓ Athletes
- ✓ Referees
- ✓ Officials
- ✓ Spectators

 Located in Almeirim, in the Ribatejo region, the venue benefits from good road access, nearby parking, and a welcoming local environment.

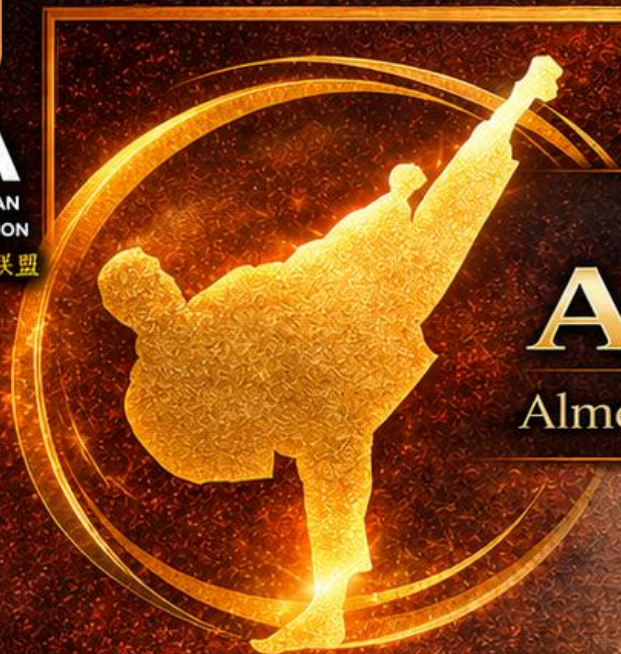




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## Location & Access

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### CIDADE DE **ALMEIRIM**

Almeirim | Ribatejo | PORTUGAL



Strategically located  
in central Portugal

#### INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT ACCESS

- ✈ Lisbon (LIS) → Almeirim: 85 km
- ✈ Porto (OPO) → Almeirim: 230 km
- ✈ Faro (FAO) → Almeirim: 240 km



Shoto Friendship Championship – Official Event Location

# AIRPORT TRANSPORTATION

We will have the following vehicles available to meet the needs of the various delegations:



- ✓ Vehicle for 4 people:
- ✓ Vehicle for 8 people:
- ✓ Vehicle for 20 or 50 people:



All Referees will receive  
free transportation  
and a one-night stay at  
**Hotel Novo Príncipe.**



✓ Contact Sensei Paulo Almeida Tel. 963341573 for reservations

# ACCOMMODATION & LOCAL INFO



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- Nearby Hotels
- Restaurants
- Local Attractions

## HOTEL NOVO PRÍNCIPE




 Single: 40€

 Double: 70€

with breakfast included

A comfortable and well-rated hotel in a central location, perfect for participants of the Shoto Friendship Championship.

 Rua Timor, 1, 2080-103, Almeirim - Portugal

 +351 243 599 580

 email: [reservas@hotelnovoprincipe.com](mailto:reservas@hotelnovoprincipe.com)

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Praça de Touros



Parque das Tillas



Tagus River



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# ACCOMMODATION AT A CASA COMUNITÁRIA



TOTAL CAPACITY:

## 28 BEDS

Distributed as follows:



### 7 DOUBLE ROOMS

(can be used as single)



### 1 TRIPLE ROOM



### 11 BEDS IN DORMITORIES

(located on the lower floor,  
next to the auditorium)



## PRICES



SINGLE ROOM

## 35€



DOUBLE ROOM

## 55€



TRIPLE ROOM

## 65€



BED IN  
DORMITORY

## 25€

per person



BREAKFAST IS AVAILABLE  
FOR AN ADDITIONAL

## 5€ PER PERSON.

# REGISTRATION & COMPETITION CATEGORIES



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## REGISTRATION INFORMATION

### OFFICIAL REGISTRATION PLATFORM

All registrations must be completed exclusively via the Kimura platform:

**K** <https://www.kimura.pt/>


 **REGISTRATION DEADLINE**  
**20 AUGUST 2026**

Registrations submitted after this date will **NOT** be accepted.


## COMPETITION DISCIPLINES

 **KATA**

 **Initiates**

 **Youths**

 **Cadets**

 **Juniors**

 **Seniors**

 **Veterans**

 **KUMITE**

| Under 14 years

| Under 16 years

| Under 18 years

| Under 21 years

| Over 21 years

| Over 40 years

## AGE CATEGORIES



**KATA**



**KUMITE**

### INDIVIDUAL EVENTS



**KATA**



**KUMITE**

### REGISTRATION FEES



Individual Categories

**25 €** per athlete



Team Categories

**50 €** per team

### TEAM EVENTS



- Juniors
- Seniors
- **Senior Mix Kumite**   
(Male\_Female\_Male)

\* Team competitions are limited to these categories only.



\* All athletes must be properly registered and insured according to competition regulations.

\* Categories may be adjusted only if required by the final number of participants.

# RESTAURANTS IN ALMEIRIM



## SOPA DA PEDRA

The most iconic dish of the region, a hearty soup with beans, chouriço, morcela, and other meats, traditionally served in local restaurants.



Some of the recommended restaurants in Almeirim:

# THANK YOU!



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Dear athletes, partners, and friends,

It is with great enthusiasm and sense of responsibility that we warmly welcome everyone joining us for this event. Seeing our community gathered there is a true reflection of the dedication and hard work we all share for this sport.

We cannot build an event of this scale alone. Therefore, we would like to extend our **deepest gratitude** to:

- ✓ **Our Team & Staff:** For their tireless work behind the scenes, ensuring every detail meets your highest expectations.
- ✓ **Our Partners & Sponsors:** For their generous support and strategic collaboration, especially the FNKP, the Municipality of **Almeirim**, as well as the dojos CADCA and OSS, our pillars in making this project a reality.
- ✓ **Our Senseis:** A very special thanks to **Sensei Tommaso Mini** for placing his trust in our organization, and to **Sensei Gustavo Trony**, whose unwavering support, guidance and dedication have been our compass.

To all who have already contributed and to those who will continue giving their best today — our heartfelt thank you.

May this event be marked by a **spirit of unity**, achievement, and mutual respect.

## THANK YOU ALL!



Sensei Tommaso Mini



Sensei Gustavo Trony

President  
Paulo Almeida