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Dear Kombat Taekwondo Families,

As we celebrate this holiday season, I want to take a moment to reflect on what has been a truly remarkable year for Kombat Taekwondo. In 2024, we achieved unprecedented milestones, including our expansion to 112 countries, the historic launch of the world’s first Minor, Major & Semi Professional Taekwondo leagues, and the development of innovative programs like the Kombat Taekwondo Membership System (KTMS) and the KT Black Belt Certification Program.

One of our greatest achievements this year has been bringing Taekwondo to the global stage. Through our partnership with ESPN, ESPN+, and Disney+, Kombat Taekwondo has reached tens of millions of viewers, making Taekwondo a global phenomenon and driving its growth.

We’ve also partnered with **RESPECT TOKEN** to integrate technology into sports, creating a digital ecosystem that empowers athletes, fans, and stakeholders. In addition, we launched *Kombat Cares*, a global initiative to uplift communities and create a positive impact worldwide.

As we look ahead to 2025, we are poised for even greater achievements, with new initiatives and events that will continue to redefine the future of Taekwondo. None of this would be possible without your dedication and belief in our mission. **You are the foundation of Kombat Taekwondo**, and I am deeply grateful for your support.

On behalf of the entire organization, I wish you and your families a joyful holiday season and a prosperous New Year. Together, we are shaping not just a league but a movement that will inspire generations to come.

With deepest appreciation and warmest regards,



Rick W. Shin

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