

TOHKON CLASSIC XX



Junior, Senior and Master Shiai & Kata Judo Tournament

Referee Clinic with Gary Takemoto, IJF-A

Saturday, June 13, 2015

**Niles West High School
5701 Oakton Street
Skokie, Illinois 60077**

Tohkon Judo Academy

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Referee Committee – David Smith, IJF-A, David Malek, PJU-C, Cary Yamanaka, PJU-C
United States Judo Federation Sanction #15-06-10



Tournament Information

Location

The tournament and all related activities will be held at Niles West High School, 5701 Oakton St., Skokie, Illinois (see map page 8). FREE parking is available at the venue.

Food concessions will be available, provided by the Niles West Wrestling Team and supporters.

Accommodations

Holiday Inn, 5300 W. Touhy Ave., Skokie (847.679.8900). Contact them by phone for the Tohkon Judo Academy rate – \$99 + tax – by June 6, 2015 (code TJ6).

Tournament Schedule

Friday, June 12, 2015

7:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. **Weigh-Ins** – All Divisions
6:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m. **Referee Clinic** (location TBD)

Saturday, June 13, 2015

7:30 a.m. – 9:00 a.m. **Senior & Master Weigh-Ins**
7:30 a.m. – 10:30 a.m. **Junior Weigh-Ins**
8:00 a.m. **Kata** registration closes
8:00 a.m. **Referees'** meeting
8:30 a.m. **Kata** competition begins
9:30 a.m. **Opening Ceremony**
10:00 a.m. **Senior & Master** Shiais begin
1:30 p.m. **Junior** Shiai begins
4:00 p.m. Senior men's and women's **Open** Divisions

Weigh-Ins

Official registration and weigh-in will be offered on both the evening before and the morning of the tournament at the venue **and at satellite locations throughout the Midwest Thursday before the tournament – for Juniors ONLY!** (See next page for details.)

Eligibility

A valid card from USJF, USJI or USJA **must** be presented at registration by all competitors. Competitors who are citizens of other countries may show a valid card from their country's national judo organization. There will be no exceptions. **If you do not have a valid card with you, you must purchase a USJF registration to compete.**

Tournament Sanction

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Registration - now accepting credit cards

Shiai and Kata participants may **pre-register on-line** at tohkonclassic.com or via mail. **Registrations and payment must be received by June 8, 2015 to receive discounted registration fees.**

A completed Registration Form and Waiver (pages 4-5) must be completed for each Shiai division in which an individual is registering. Kata competitors must complete the Registration Form and Waiver (pages 4-5) as well as the Kata Registration Form (page 6). *You may photocopy these forms if additional ones are needed.*

No Spectator Admission Fee

All spectators will be admitted free of charge.

Awards

Medals will be awarded to all 1st, 2nd and 3rd place finishers in all kata and shiai divisions. See page 7 for Special Awards.

Blue and White Belts

Competitors should bring their own blue and white belts. If you bring a blue gi, you **must** also have a white gi. No blue gis to be worn on the white side.

Participation Fees: To qualify for the pre-registration discount, registrations and payment must be received (either on-line or via mail) by June 8, 2015.

	Pre-registration		Day-of registration	
	one entry	2nd, 3rd & 4th (per family)	one entry	2nd, 3rd & 4th (per family)
Junior Shiai	\$45	\$20	\$60	\$25
Senior Shiai	\$45	\$20	\$60	\$25
Junior Kata	\$30/team \$15 each	\$20/team \$10 each	\$45/team \$22.50 each	\$30/team \$15 each
Senior Kata	\$50/team \$25 each	\$25/team \$12.50 each	\$65/team \$32.50 each	\$35/team \$17.50 each



Satellite Weigh-Ins – Juniors ONLY

Since Junior Shiai competitors will not have any matches until 1:30 p.m. at the earliest on Saturday, June 13, we are offering Satellite Weigh-Ins on **Thursday, June 11, 2015** at the locations noted below. If the weigh-in times are not noted, contact the person noted as the weigh-in official at the club to which you intend to go.

To weigh-in Thursday, Junior competitors **MUST**:

- have **registered and paid** for tournament entry on the Tohkon on-line registration system <http://tohkonclassic.sicreative.com/tohkon-classic-xx-registration/>;
- have registered on-line **NO LATER THAN 11:30 p.m.** Chicago time on Monday, June 8, 2015;
- present a current USJF, USA Judo or USJA card at weigh-in.

Junior competitors do not need to weigh-in Thursday, June 11, 2015. Weigh-ins will be available at the tournament site, Niles West High School, on:

- Friday, June 12, from 7– 8 p.m.;
- Saturday, June 13, from 7:30 – 10:30 a.m.

No matter when a Junior weighs in, he or she should be at the tournament site by 1:00 p.m. on Saturday, June 13, 2015.

Satellite Weigh-In Locations

Barrington Judo

28147 W. Commercial Ave.
Lake Barrington, IL 60010
312.543.9551
Mike Minton (mminton@rsimail.com)
6:30 – 8:00 p.m.

Kitokan Judo Club

James Eagan Civic Center
1 James J. Eagan Drive
Florissant, MO 63033
618.781.5157
Eiko Shepherd (eikojudo@gmail.com)
6:00 – 7:30 p.m.

Godai Judo Club

Kroc Center
2500 S. Division
Grand Rapids, MI 49507
616.293.1568
Jim Murray (murrayjim@charter.net)
7:00 – 8:30 p.m.

Illinois Elite Judo Club

The Logo Shirt Factory
910 N. Bridge St.
Yorkville, IL 60560
630.553.0457
Dennis Knauf (dennis@thejudoauthority.com)
5:00 – 6:30 p.m.

Club Olympia

101 Camelot Dr. #5
Fond Du Lac, WI 54935
920.924.7678
Lynn Roethke (behealthy@clubolympiawi.com)
7:15 – 8:30 p.m.

Wahadachi Judo Club

5410 N. Lovers Lane Rd.
Milwaukee, WI 53225
414.358.0909
Jim Peterson (jpetererson230@wi.rr.com)
6:00 – 9:00 p.m.

Judan Judo Club

324 N. Commerce St.
Portland, IN 47371
765.748.2277
Vickie Daniels (judovickie@hotmail.com)
5:30 – 8:30 p.m.

Tohkon Judo Academy

4427 N. Clark St.
Chicago, IL 60640
773.784.7766
Mike Tanimura (mike@sicreative.com)
7:00 – 8:30 p.m.



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2015 Tohkon Classic XX Judo Tournament Official Registration Form

Advance registrations qualify for preregistration fees. DO NOT MAIL AFTER JUNE 5. Please provide all requested information on both sides of this form. **The waiver on the back of this page must be signed by the competitor/guardian in order to compete.** Entry fee must accompany this application. **A complete Registration Form and Waivers (pages 3 - 4) must be completed for each Shiai division in which a player wishes to compete, including Senior men's and women's open divisions.** Kata competitors should complete this form and the waivers as well as the Kata registration form on page 5.

Name _____ Phone _____
 Address _____ E-mail _____
 City _____ State _____ Zip _____
 Dojo _____ Sensei _____
 Date of Birth _____ Weight _____ Belt Color _____ Sex _____

NATIONAL CARD: USJF, USA Judo, USJA (circle one) CARD # _____ Exp. Date _____

A valid card must be presented at registration for competitor to be allowed to participate.

Shiai division: Junior ☐ Senior ☐ Master ☐ Kata ☐

Send registrations to: Tohkon Classic, Tohkon Judo Academy, 4427 N. Clark St., Chicago, IL 60640.

Make checks payable to: Tohkon Judo Academy, Inc.

If assistance/accommodation is needed (check appropriate): ☐ Vision Loss/Blindness ☐ Hearing Loss/Deafness
 Type of assistance/accommodation requested or name of person assisting: _____

For Parents Not Attending with Minor Participants: Power of Attorney

I (we), the parent(s) or legal guardian(s) of (contestant name) _____
 have made, constitute and appoint _____
 my (our) true and lawful attorney for me (us) and in my (our) name, place, and stead to do any and every act and exercise and every power that I (we) might or could do or exercise through any other person and that he/she shall deem proper and advisable, intending hereby to vest in him/her, irrevocable and full power and authority to do and perform all and every act and thing whatsoever requisite and necessary to be done in connection with the Contestant participating in the 2015 Tohkon Classic XX Judo Tournament, registering for the event, receiving medical treatment and make any other decision as I (we) might or could make or do if personally present.

Signature of Parent/Guardian _____

Witness _____ Date _____

Certificate Regarding Non-Black Belt Contestants

I, (instructor's name) _____, a Judo Instructor who has been awarded the rank of Shodan or higher, under the auspices of the USJI, USJF, USJA or Judo Canada, do hereby certify that, (contestant's name) _____ although not having been awarded the rank of Shodan or higher, is of sufficient aptitude and skill in Judo to compete in this tournament.

Judo Instructor (print) _____ Rank _____

Signature of Instructor _____ Date _____



WARNING!

WAIVER AND RELEASE OF LIABILITY AND AGREEMENT TO PARTICIPATE

In consideration of being permitted to participate in any way, including travel to and from, in any Judo tournament, practice, clinic, and related events and activities ("Activity") of the **United States Judo Federation, Inc., USA Judo/United States Judo, Inc., United States Judo Association, Inc., Chicago Judo Black Belt Association, Illinois Judo, Inc., Tohkon Judo Academy, Inc., State of Illinois, Niles Township High School District #129, and the Village of Skokie**, I agree:

1. I understand the nature of Judo activities and believe I am qualified to participate in such Activity. I also understand the rules governing the sport of Judo.
2. I further acknowledge that prior to participating, I will inspect the mats, equipment, facilities, competition pools or divisions, and the elimination or scoring system to be used, and if I believe anything is unsafe or beyond my capability, I will immediately advise my coach, supervisor, and/or a tournament official of such conditions and refuse to participate.
3. I acknowledge and fully understand that I will be engaging in a contact sport that might result in serious injury, illness or disease, including permanent disability or death, and severe social and economic losses due not only to my own actions, inactions or negligence, but also to the actions, inactions, or negligence of others, the rules of the sport of Judo, or conditions of the premises or of any equipment used. Further, I acknowledge that there may be other risks not known to me or not reasonably foreseeable at this time.
4. Knowing the risks involved in the sport of Judo, I assume all such risks and accept personal responsibility for the damages following such injury, illness, disease, permanent disability, or death.
5. I hereby release, waive, discharge and covenant not to sue the **United States Judo Federation, Inc., USA Judo/United States Judo, Inc., United States Judo Association, Inc., Chicago Judo Black Belt Association, Illinois Judo, Inc., Tohkon Judo Academy, Inc., State of Illinois, Niles Township High School District #129, and the Village of Skokie**, together with their affiliated clubs, their respective administrators, directors, officers, agents, coaches, and other employees or volunteers of the organization, event officials, medical personnel, other participants, their parents, legal guardians, supervisors and coaches, sponsoring agencies, sponsors, advertisers, and if applicable, owners, lessors, and lessees of premises used in conducting the event, all of whom are hereinafter referred to as "Releasees", from any and all litigation expenses, attorney fees, loss, liability, damage or costs on account of injury, illness, disease, including permanent disability and death or damage to property, caused or alleged to be caused in whole or in part by the negligent acts or omissions of the Releasees or otherwise to the fullest extent permitted by law.

I HAVE READ THE ABOVE WARNING, WAIVER, AND RELEASE, UNDERSTAND THAT I HAVE GIVEN UP SUBSTANTIAL RIGHTS BY SIGNING IT, AND KNOWING THIS, SIGN IT VOLUNTARILY AND WITHOUT ANY INDUCEMENT OR ASSURANCE OF ANY NATURE. I AGREE TO PARTICIPATE KNOWING THE RISKS AND CONDITIONS INVOLVED AND DO SO ENTIRELY OF MY OWN FREE WILL. I AFFIRM THAT I AM AT LEAST 18 YEARS OF AGE, OR, IF I AM UNDER 18 YEARS OF AGE, I HAVE OBTAINED THE REQUIRED CONSENT OF MY PARENT/LEGAL GUARDIAN AS EVIDENCED BY THEIR SIGNATURE BELOW. I INTEND THIS TO BE A COMPLETE AND UNCONDITIONAL RELEASE OF ALL LIABILITY TO THE GREATEST EXTENT ALLOWED BY LAW AND AGREE THAT IF ANY PORTION OF THIS AGREEMENT IS HELD TO BE INVALID THAT THE BALANCE, NOTWITHSTANDING SHALL CONTINUE IN FULL FORCE AND EFFECT.

Participant

Participant's Signature

Date

**FOR PARENTS/LEGAL GUARDIANS OF PARTICIPANTS OF MINORITY AGE
(UNDER AGE 18 AT TIME OF REGISTRATION)**

This is to certify that I, as parent/legal guardian with legal responsibility for this participant, do consent and agree to his/her release, as provided above, of all the Releasees, and, for myself, my heirs, assigns, and next of kin, I release and agree to indemnify and hold harmless the Releasees from any and all liabilities incident to my minor child's involvement or participation including litigation expenses, attorney fees, loss, liability, damage or costs which may incur as the result of the minor child's participation in these programs as provided above, even if arising from their negligence, to the fullest extent permitted by law. I have instructed the minor participant as to the above warnings and conditions and their ramifications.

Parent/Legal Guardian

Parent/Legal Guardian's Signature

Date



Kata Competition

All registered USJF, USJI and USJA players in good standing are eligible to compete in the Kata portion of this Tournament. All team members must meet all other eligibility requirements and restrictions as governed by the Tohkon Classic XX Judo Shiai and Kata Tournament. *Note: Even if a team member is competing only in the Kata competition, and not in the Shiai competition, he or she must still complete and submit the regular application and waiver (pages 3 - 4).*

Junior Division

Judoka who are 16 and under on June 13, 2015
Male, Female or mixed teams allowed

- **Novice Nage-no-Kata**

Requirements: First three sets of Nage-no-Kata
(Te-, Koshi- and Ashi-waza)

- **Advanced Nage-no-Kata**

Requirements: Full five sets of Nage-no-Kata

- **Novice Ju-no-Kata**

Requirements: First set – five techniques

- **Advanced Ju-no-Kata**

Requirements: Full three sets – 15 techniques

Senior Division

Judoka who are 13 and over
Male, Female or mixed teams allowed

- **Novice Nage-no-Kata**

Requirements: First three sets of Nage-no-Kata
(Te-, Koshi- and Ashi-waza)

- **Nage-no-Kata**

Requirements: Full five sets of Nage-no-Kata

- **Katame-no-Kata**

- **Ju-no-Kata**

- **Goshin Jutsu**

- **Kime-no-Kata**

Competition Time

Competition will begin at 8:30 a.m. on Saturday, June 13, 2015. Doors will open at 7:30 a.m. to accommodate those taking part in the Kata competition. Registration for Kata closes at 8:00 a.m. on Saturday.

Entry Information

The Junior Kata registration fee is \$15 per person for advance registration (\$30 per team) and \$22.50 per person (\$45 per team) for day-of registration. The Senior Kata registration fee is \$25 per person for advance registration (\$50 per team) and \$32.50 per person (\$65 per team) for day-of registration. See page 2 for discounts for multiple Kata registrations. The actual names of the team members must be stated on the kata entry form and turned in as one application, along with each team member's properly completed registration, proof of rank, and waivers (pages 3 - 4) as required for this competition. Kata applications sent in separately will be returned as incomplete.

For Additional Information

Any questions concerning the Kata portion of this Tournament should be directed to Sandra Hauptmann, Chairperson of the Tohkon Classic XX Kata Tournament. She may be reached at sanihauptmann@gmail.com.

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Kata Registration Form

Complete, cut out, and attach to registrations and waivers (pages 3 - 4) of team members, along with relevant entry fees. If entering more than one Kata division, please photocopy this form and fill out one Kata Registration Form for each division.

Jr. Nov. Nage-no-Kata ☐ Jr. Adv. Nage-no-Kata ☐ Jr. Nov. Ju-no-Kata ☐ Jr. Adv. Ju-no-Kata ☐

Sr. Nov. Nage ☐ Sr. Adv. Nage ☐ Katame-no-Kata ☐ Ju-no-Kata ☐ Goshin Jutsu ☐ Kime-no-Kata ☐

Tori Name _____ Date of Birth _____ Belt _____

Judo Club _____ Kata Instructor _____

Uke Name _____ Date of Birth _____ Belt _____

Judo Club _____ Kata Instructor _____



Shiai Official Rules, Age/Weight Divisions

RULES: All participants will abide by IJF contest rules with the following modifications. No chokes for players under 13, unless they have elected to play up in an older division. No arm bars for players under 17, unless they are playing in Senior Advanced. **NO Kansetsu Waza (arm bars) will be allowed in Senior Novice divisions.** All participants will abide by current IJF medical rules, which stipulate if a contestant asks for a doctor, he or she forfeits that match. Blue Gis are optional. Contest area will be 8 x 8 meters. Safety area will be 4 meters to adjoining mats and 3 meters everywhere else. The CARE system will be in effect.

DIVISIONS: This tournament will use true double elimination for divisions of 6 or more. Divisions of 3 to 5 will use round robin. Contestants in divisions of 1 or 2 will be moved to other divisions with their approval, or will be refunded their registration fee. The Tournament Director reserves the right to make any changes that are in the best interest of contestants and to achieve fairness and competition. Men's and Women's Senior Advanced Open divisions will be single elimination, with 1st and 2nd place awarded only.

Junior boys and girls, 13-16 years of age, green belt and above will be considered Advanced. For the Senior divisions, brown and black belts will be considered Advanced players. Men's Senior division is based on IJF standard weights. All Men's Senior matches will run five (5) minutes, Women's Senior four (4) minutes; all Junior and Master matches will run three (3) minutes. Participants are entitled to rest between matches in the same division equal to the match length.

Junior Boys' Divisions

All Ranks	5 & 6	Light/Med/Heavy
	7 & 8	Light/Med/Heavy
	9 & 10	Light/Med/Heavy
	11 & 12	Light/Med/Heavy
Novice	13 & 14	Light/Med/Heavy
	15 & 16	Light/Med/Heavy
Advanced	13 & 14	Light/Med/Heavy
	15 & 16	Light/Med/Heavy

Men's Senior Divisions

Novice	Advanced
132 lb. and under	60 kg/132 lb. and under
145 lb. and under	66 kg/145.2 lb. and under
161 lb. and under	73 kg/161 lb. and under
178 lb. and under	81 kg/178.2 lb. and under
198 lb. and under	90 kg/198 lb. and under
220 lb. and under	100 kg/220 lb. and under
over 220 lb.	+100 kg/over 220 lb.
	Open

Junior Girls' Divisions

All Ranks	5 & 6	Light/Med/Heavy
	7 & 8	Light/Med/Heavy
	9 & 10	Light/Med/Heavy
	11 & 12	Light/Med/Heavy
Novice	13 & 14	Light/Med/Heavy
	15 & 16	Light/Med/Heavy
Advanced	13 & 14	Light/Med/Heavy
	15 & 16	Light/Med/Heavy

Women's Senior Divisions

Novice	Light/Med/Heavy
Advanced	Light/Med/Heavy (<i>IJF weight divisions will be used when possible</i>)
	Open

Men's Master Divisions

All Ranks	30-39	Light/Med/Heavy
	40 +	Light/Med/Heavy

Women's Master Divisions

All Ranks	30 +	Light/Med/Heavy
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Special Awards

The **Senior** Shiai player who demonstrates superior skill and spirit will be awarded a Tohkon Classic Cup; his or her name will also be inscribed on the perennial Tohkon *Fighting Spirit* Cup.

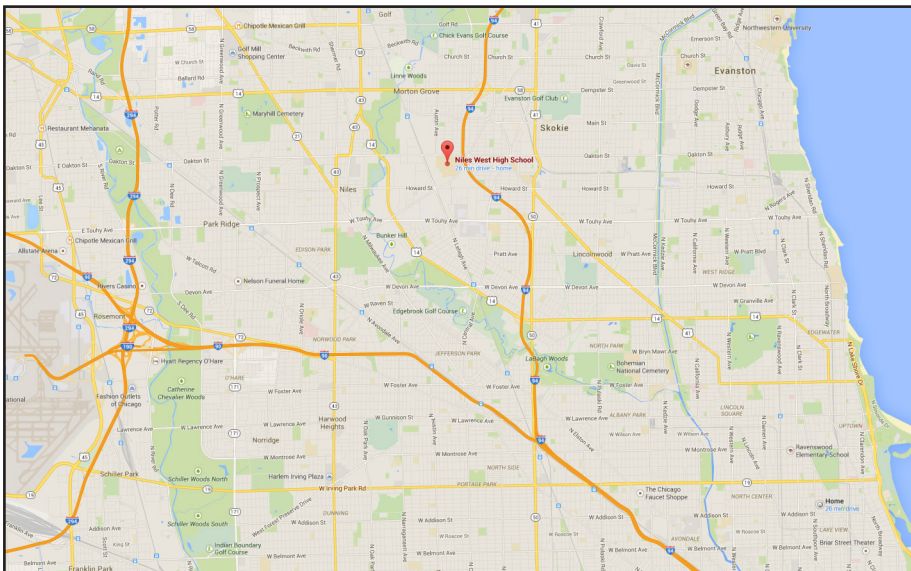
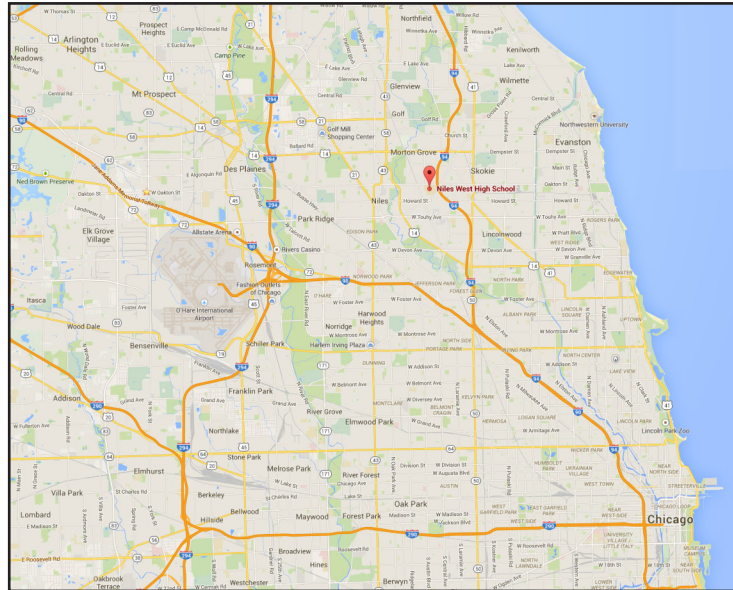
The **Junior** Shiai player who demonstrates superior skill and spirit will be awarded a Tohkon Classic Cup; his or her name will also be inscribed on the perennial *Jerry Okubo Memorial* Cup.

The **Kata** team that demonstrates superior skill will be awarded a Tohkon Classic Cup; their names will also be inscribed on the perennial *Joanne Barthold Memorial* Cup.



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Map: Tournament Site



Tournament Site
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Plenty of FREE parking!

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