



BUDOKAN

Dear Sensei and Friends:

Budokan Dojo and the Japanese Cultural and Community Center of Washington cordially invite all judoka to Budokan's Annual Judo Tournament. This tournament is sanctioned by the United States Judo Federation and is sponsored by Budokan Dojo, Inc and the Japanese Cultural and Community Center of Washington. Contestants must present current USJF, USJI, USJA or Judo Canada cards during weigh-in.

Sanction Number: 10-05-09
Date: Saturday, May 15, 2010
Place: Shorewood High School
 17300 Fremont Avenue North
 Seattle, Washington 98133-5249
Check In: 7:30 - 9:00 am (Juniors) and 10:00 – 11:30 am (Seniors)
Officials/Coaches Meeting: 9:00 am
Regional Referee Testing: 8:00 am Written examination
Starting Time: 10:00 am (Junior Players)
 1:00 pm (Novice and Senior Elite Players)
Entry Fee: \$30.00 (U.S. funds) / Late Entry \$90.00 (U.S.)

Age and Weight Divisions: (Actual number of divisions will depend on the number of competitors and their weights)

Junior Divisions (Boys & Girls)			
<i>Weight divisions may be changed or modified due to the numbers of entries and safety of the contestants.</i>			
Junior (6yrs, 7-8)	Light	Medium	Heavy
Intermediate 1 (9-10)	Light	Medium	Heavy
Intermediate 2 (11-12)	Light	Medium	Heavy
Juvenile (13-14):	Light	Medium	Heavy
Age 15 and 16:	Light	Medium	Heavy
Senior Women			
<i>Weight divisions may be changed or modified due to the numbers of entries and safety of the contestants.</i>			
Yonkyu and Under:	Light	Medium	Heavy
Brown Belt:	Light	Medium	Heavy
Black Belt	Light	Medium	Heavy
Senior Men			
<i>Weight divisions may be changed or modified due to the numbers of entries and safety of the contestants.</i>			
Yonkyu and Under:	Light	Medium	Heavy
Brown Belt:	Light	Medium	Heavy
Black Belt	Light	Medium	Heavy
Tournament Format			
Tournament System: Modified Double Elimination			
Tournament Rules: International Judo Federation (IJF) Rules with the following safety modifications: <i>IJF Medical Rule will be used (all Divisions), Choking (13 years and older), Arm Locks (Senior Divisions), Co-ed competition for children 10 years and younger may occur depending on the number of entries per those divisions.</i>			
Chief Referee: Calvin Terada, IJF-A			
This tournament will also be a Regional Referee Test Site . All candidates will be required to take a written and practical examination. Only certified referees will be allowed to work this event, all Junior Regional Referees are encouraged to attend.			

Included in this information package are three (3) separate forms per judoka, one Budokan Dojo Inc. entry form and one warning, waiver, and release of liability. The non-black belt waiver must be signed by the participant's coach/instructor for all participants under the rank of Shodan. Please return all entry forms by **Wednesday, May 12, 2010** to: Aaron Scrol, 12427 79th Avenue South, Seattle, WA 98178.

Or register online at www.budokanjudoseattle.com by Wednesday, May 12, 2010

For further information contact Aaron Scrol at ascrol@gmail.com

OFFICIAL ENTRY FORM

2010 Budokan Dojo Annual Judo Tournament
Sanctioned by United States Judo Federation
May 15th, 2010

(PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT)

NAME: _____ AGE: _____ SEX: Male Female

ADDRESS: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

PHONE#: () _____ - _____ EMAIL: _____

BIRTH DATE: _____ WEIGHT _____ LBS.

DIVISION: (Please Check All Divisions You Will Compete In)

- Junior
- Senior Novice
- Senior Brown
- Senior Black
- Master (40yrs+)

RANK: (Please Check One)

Junior Ranks:

- White
- Yellow
- Orange
- Green
- Blue
- Purple

Senior Ranks:

- White
- Green
- Brown
- Black Belt Rank: _____ Dan

YOU MUST PRESENT ONE OF THESE CARDS AT WEIGH-IN!

USJF# _____ expires _____ USJI# _____ expires _____
USJA# _____ expires _____

JUDO CLUB _____ Instructor _____

Phone () _____ - _____

ADDRESS _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Mail Entries to:
c/o Aaron Scrol
12427 79th Ave. S.
Seattle, WA 98178

Or Register Online at www.budokanjudoSeattle.com

WARNING!

**WAIVER AND RELEASE OF LIABILITY AND AGREEMENT TO PARTICIPATE
(Including Limited Co-Ed Competition for Age 10 and Under for USJF Sanction)**

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., Northwest Judo Yudanshakai, Inc., Budokan Dojo, and the Japanese Cultural and Community Center of Washington**, 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., Northwest Judo Yudanshakai, Inc., Budokan Dojo, and the Japanese Cultural and Community Center of Washington**, 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. CONSISTENT WITH THE BY-LAWS OF USJF, THIS TOURNAMENT MAY INCLUDE CO-ED COMPETITION FOR AGES 10 AND UNDER IN COMPARABLE AGE/WEIGHT DIVISIONS WHERE THERE IS AN INSUFFICIENT NUMBER OF GIRLS FOR NON-CO-ED AGE/WEIGHT DIVISIONS. I HAVE READ AND UNDERSTAND THE TOURNAMENT ANNOUNCEMENT CONCERNING THESE SPECIAL DIVISIONS. 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 _____

Certificate Regarding Non-Black Belt Contestants

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

Judo Instructor (print) _____

Signature of Instructor _____ Date _____

Rank _____

Organization rank obtained through _____