

Suncoast Warriors Judo Championships
Port Saint Lucie, Florida
September 30, 2023



Presented by: Suncoast Warriors Judo Team

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When: September 30, 2023

Where: MidFlorida Event Center 9221 SE Event Center Place Port Saint Lucie, FL 34952

Registration: ONLINE ONLY on smoothcomp. Registration opens August 8, 2023 and closes September 27, 2023. First division \$75, Second division \$35.

Weigh-Ins: Satellite Weigh-Ins. Please note that all competitors will weigh in upon arrival and will need to be within 1kg of stated weight. Athletes that are more than 1 kg over stated weight will be moved into the appropriate division.

Start Time: 10:00 am, doors open @ 9:00am

Head Referee: David Ellis

Competition Rules and Format: Modified IJF rules will be used. All divisions will be true double elimination. Light/Medium/Heavy weights (Madison Brackets) based on age/weight of entrants

Junior Novice (white/yellow belts only) and Junior Advanced (orange belt & above) Ages: 5-6, 7-8, 9-10, 11-12.

Ages: 13-14, 15-16 Novice (white-orange belt). Advanced (green belt & above)

Senior Novice (under brown belt) & Senior Advanced (brown belt and above)

Masters Novice (30 yrs+, under brown belt) Masters Advanced (30yrs+, brown belt & above) Separated by age/weight based on number of entrants

Shime-waza: permitted in all age categories 13+

Kansetsu-waza: permitted in advanced categories only for ages 15+

Match Lengths: 14 & under, 3 minutes. 15 - Senior, 4 minutes. No golden score limit

Masters, 3 minutes/2 minutes golden score limit.

Athlete Requirements:

- Athletes must be currently registered and insured with USA Judo/ATJA,USJA,USJF and present proof of membership upon registration.
- Athletes that do not hold a current membership with USA Judo may compete by signing the non-member waiver with the understanding that they are NOT covered by USA Judo for this event.
- Athletes are required to present proof of age upon registration
- Athletes are required to complete the warning, waiver, release of liability, and agreement to participate upon registration

Tournament director will pair each athlete accordingly to ensure fair matches. In the event an athlete is uncontested and has no matches, the athlete may choose to receive their gold medal OR choose to be issued a refund.

MAAPP POLICY: The Center for SafeSport has developed the Minor Athlete Prevention Policies (MAAPP) which USA Judo has adapted to our own sport. The MAAPP is a collection of proactive and training policies comprised of two parts; Education and Training Policy that requires training for certain Adult Participants and the Required Prevention Policies, focused on limiting one-on-one interactions between Adult Participants and Minor Athletes to prevent abuse. The full MAAPP policy and the reporting mechanism for SafeSport infractions can be found at https://www.usajudo.com/events/event-sanctioning#MAAPP_Policy.