

# **2024 North Bay Judo Shiai**

**May 11, 2024**

**Hosted by DeLeon Judo in coordination with other North Bay dojos and Hanabi Judo**

**Herzog Hall, 175 Fairgrounds Dr. Petaluma CA 94952**

## **TOURNAMENT DETAILS:**

**THIS IS A USA JUDO SANCTIONED EVENT: ALL COMPETITORS MUST HAVE A CURRENT USAJUDO MEMBERSHIP.**

Venue: Herzog Hall, 175 Fair grounds Dr., Petaluma, CA 94952

Format: 2 competitors in bracket- two of 3, 3-5 competitors in bracket -Round Robin,  
6+ in bracket- Modified Double, Bronze Match .

Age: 4 years old and up- on the day of the event.

Tournament Director: Dan Augustine

Chief Referee: TBD

## **REGISTRATION FEES AND SCHEDULE**

**THERE WILL BE NO WALK-UP REGISTRATION FOR THIS EVENT  
You may register for one or two divisions.**

**REGISTRATION WILL BE ON SMOOTHCOMP:**

**<https://smoothcomp.com/en/event/16514>**

March 18- May 7 midnight NORMAL REGISTRATION: \$65 each division

May 8- May 9 midnight LATE REGISTRATION: \$75 each division

No Registrations Accepted after May 9 @ midnight.

May 7- May 9 Midnight Dojo/ Sensei's may send in their competitors official/ confirmed weights (one list please). If a competitor's weight is not confirmed by their sensei/ dojo, the declared weight will be used. WE WILL BE USING FULL KG FOR WEIGHTS.

Competitors may update their own weight in Smoothcomp, until registration closes on May 9, midnight.

Please Note: If a competitor's weight is questioned, they will be asked to step on a scale and must be within 5% of their declared weight or they will be disqualified from the event with no refund given.

**For Registration questions or assistance, email: [info@hanabijudo.com](mailto:info@hanabijudo.com)**

## **COMPETITION DAY SCHEDULE- May 11**

7:00 Doors Open

8:15 Referee & Coaches Meeting

8:45 Table Workers, Referees & Volunteers Take their Places.

9:00 Opening Bow -in

9:15 Matches begin!

## **COMPETITOR CHECK IN**

Competitors, please plan to be at the venue at least 1 hour prior to your match time.

You can find your estimated match time on Smoothcomp.

Be aware that the match schedule is live and may change significantly.

You are responsible for being present when your division/ bracket is beginning on the mat. If you miss your matches, there will be no refund or re-match.

## **Rules and Method of Competition**

### **THIS EVEN WILL USE A MODIFIED IJF RULE SET**

Tournament directors have the right to modify any IJF Rule they deem necessary during the event.

These events are designed to give the best possible experience for the athlete. Coaches and referees should work together to create a positive experience for athletes.

# IJF RULE MODIFICATIONS

- Arm locks permitted - Adult Brown & Black Belt divisions only.
- Choking permitted - 13 years old and above only
- NO DOUBLE KNEE Drop Throws for 12-Year-Old & Younger Divisions
- Rest Periods will not exceed the length of a match,
- The CARE system will NOT be used in all competition areas.
- Co-ed competition for children 10 years old and younger may occur depending on the number of entries in those divisions.
- Blue Judo Gi's are NOT REQUIRED but you must have a white Judo gi
- Match times will be 4 minutes for Brown/ Black belt Divisions. Unlimited Golden Score
- Match times will be 3 minutes for all other Divisions with a 1- minute Golden Score
- Competitors who lose by Hansokumake because of “kikengachi” will not be allowed to continue. Hansokumake as a result of 3 shidos will only lose that match.
- Pre-2003 Medical Rules will be used in all Youth and Non-Black Belt divisions. Contestants in those divisions will be allowed medical examination during their matches.
- Brown/Black Belt divisions will use current IJF rules concerning medical examination and Hansokumake.
- Women wearing headscarves will be able to compete, if it does not interfere with Kumi kata. If it comes off during newaza, no “Mate” shall be called.

Appropriate undergarments must be worn by all athletes. Female athletes shall wear under the jacket either a plain white or off-white t-shirt, with short sleeves, long enough to be worn inside the trousers, or a plain white or off-white leotard with short sleeves. The white T-shirt should have a round neck. No marking can be visible when the judogi is done up.

White rash guards or t-shirts are allowed to be worn under the judogi for all genders, during USA Judo sanctioned domestic events.

Any athlete needing to change clothes/judogi should do so in a restroom, locker room or other area specifically designated for changing.

## COACHES

ALL COACHES MUST BE IN GOOD STANDING WITH USA JUDO. Meaning they have USA Judo Membership, USA Judo Coach Certification, Background Screen issued through USA Judo's membership platform, SafeSport Certificate, and concussion training certification. They must also be listed on USA Judo's public coach list. Any coach who

does NOT have ANY of these credentials is NOT in good standing and should NOT be coaching mat side. It is recommended that all coaches wear their current USA Judo coaching badge.

## Divisions

Competitors will declare their weight during registration.

They choose the age and skill category they want to enter.

Competitors must enter the age and skill category they qualify for on the day of the tournament and then a second entry may be entered, one age group up, one weight group up or one skill group up. There is a limit of two divisions allowed for each competitor.

**Brackets will be constructed based on the entered categories and the weights of the competitors once registration closes.**

## Youth

Ages- 4-6 white/ yellow Orange and up **Co-ed**

Ages 7-8 white/ yellow Orange and up **Co-ed**

Ages 9-10 white/yellow Orange and up **Registration is Co-ed, Brackets will be split into male / female if we have enough competitors.**

Ages 11-12 white/ yellow Orange and up Male / Female

Ages 13-14 White/ Yellow Orange/  
Green Blue/Purple/Brown/Black Male / Female Chokes allowed.

Ages 15-16 White/ Yellow Orange/ Green Blue/Purple/Brown/Black Male /  
Female Chokes allowed.

## Adult

Age 17+

Novice- not a Brown or Black Belt Male / Female Chokes allowed.

Brown/ Black Belt Male / Female Chokes and Armbars allowed.

Veterans: Novice / Brown and Black Belts Male / Female Age 30 + This division will be available if we have enough registered competitors. Chokes allowed in Novice, Chokes and Armbars allowed in Brown/ Black Belt division.

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## **Withdrawals & Refund Policy**

**Refund Policy:** In the event you are uncontested and there are no options available for fair competition a refund will be issued within 3-5 Business Days at the conclusion of the event. All requests must be submitted via email to [info@hanabijudo.com](mailto:info@hanabijudo.com)

All Refund requests/cancellations must be submitted by email.

Cancellations during the Normal Registration Period will receive a refund, minus a 5% credit card transaction fee.

Cancellations during the Late Registration Period will receive a 50% refund.

No refunds will be given after registration closes, unless there are exceptional circumstances.

**Please email withdrawal and refund requests to [info@hanabijudo.com](mailto:info@hanabijudo.com)**

Messages sent via phone, text or via social media platforms will not be accepted.

## **MAAAP Policy**

MAAAP 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 & 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](https://www.usajudo.com/events/event-sanctioning#MAAPP_Policy)

## **Modified Pre-2003 IJF Medical Rules**

The Pre-2003 IJF Medical rules for purposes of this tournament have been modified to be relevant with the current rules of Judo. References to Hiki-wake (Drawing) have been eliminated.

### **Article 31 – Injury, Illness or Accident**

Should an injury to a contestant(s) be of a nature as serious as to require treatment away from the competition area or should an injury to a contestant(s) require more than two examinations by the accredited team doctor, (refer to Sporting Code definition of "accredited team doctor"), the referee after consultation with the judges, shall end the contest and indicate the result in accordance with the other provisions of this article.

If the accredited team doctor after an examination of an injured contestant(s), advises the referees that the contestant(s) cannot continue the contest, the referee after consultation with the judges, shall end the contest and indicate the result in accordance with the other provisions of this article.

Should the nature of an injury to a contestant(s) be such that it requires treatment by the accredited team doctor on the competition area, the referee after consultation with the judges,

shall end the contest and indicate the result in accordance with the other provisions of this article.

If after an injury to one or both of the contestants, the referee and judges are of the opinion that the contest should not continue, the referee shall end the contest and indicate the result in accordance with the other provisions of this article.

The decision of kachi (win) or make (loss) where one contestant is unable to continue because of injury, illness or accident during the contest shall be given by the referee after consultation with the judges according to the following clauses:

a) Injury

i. Where the cause of the injury is attributed to the injured contestant, he shall lose the contest.

ii. Where the cause of the injury is attributed to the un-injured contestant the un-injured contestant shall lose the contest.

b) Sickness

Generally, where one contestant is taken sick during a contest and is unable to continue, he shall lose the contest.

Generally, only one doctor for each contestant is allowed on the competition area. Should a doctor require assistance the referee must first be informed.

**Injury treatment – exceptions**

The referee may allow the doctor to treat an injured contestant on the mat if the injury has been caused by the opponent.

Should a minor incident, (nosebleed, broken nail, pain of short duration, disarranged bandage, etc.) require medical treatment, it must be carried out as quickly as possible.

**Article 32 – Situations not Covered by the Rules**

Where any situation arises which is not covered by these rules, it shall be dealt with, and a decision given by the referee after consultation with the judges.