



Westlake Judo Open

All Star Points Event

Saturday, April 20, 2024

This Event is sanctioned by USA Judo and host
by Westlake Judo Club

HOST: Westlake Judo Club
www.WestlakeJudo.com

DATE: Saturday, April 20, 2024

VENUE & LOCATION: Wheeler Fieldhouse
16325 Lexington
Sugar Land, TX 77479

SANCTION: USA Judo Sanction #00464

CONTACT DIRECTORS: Javier Garriga, text to 832-363-7278
or email at westlakejudoclub@gmail.com

CUSTOM MEDALS, 1ST PLACE TEAM TROPHY, OUTSTANDING MALE/FEMALE AWARDS



All Competitors must PRE-REGITER
(KATA, JUNIOR, NOVICE, SENIOR, MASTER/VETERAN)

Deadlines and Entry Fees at www.smoothcomp.com			
	Date	Registration Fee	Additional Division Fee
Early Online Registration at www.smoothcomp.com	Register by March 17 at 11:59 p.m	\$75	\$55
Regular Online Registration	By April 10 at 11:59 p.m	\$85	\$65
Late Online Registration	By April 17 at 11:59 p.m.	\$100	\$75
NO WALK-UP REGISTRATION			

ALL STAR Pointable Categories: All regular categories (Junior, Senior and Masters/Veteran) And must be a Texas resident.

Non Pointable Categories: All novice categories and Brown belt division

REGISTRATION: at <https://usajudo.smoothcomp.com>

DEADLINE TO REGISTER – Wednesday, April 17, 2024

ALL COMPETITORS MUST PRE-REGISTER ALL DIVISIONS.

CANCELLATION ARE ACCEPTED BY APRIL 10 AND REFUNDS WILL BE PROVIDED, BUT A 10% SERVICE FEE WILL BE DEDUCTED FROM REFUND.

- Entry into the second, third or fourth category must be for the same athlete.
- Entry fees are non-transferable
- Absolutely no changes will be accepted after 4 PM CT on Friday, April 19th.

SCHEDULE:

Thursday, April 18 Preliminar Brackets will be posted on Smoothcomp.com. Participants are responsible to reviewing their division, in case of error please contact: Javier Garriga at westlakejudoclub@gmail.com

Friday, April 19 Final Divisions Posted on Smoothcomp.
(NO CHANGES WILL BE MADE AFTER FINAL DIVISIONS POSTED)

Saturday, April 20

8:00 am	Open doors	
	Membership and Weigh-ins Verification start	
8:30 am	Kata Competition	
	Masters Divisions will begin after Kata but no earlier than	9:30am
	Juniors Novice White-Yellow no earlier than 10:30 am	
	Junior Division All belts no earlier than 11:00 am	
	Senior Novice will not begin before 12:00 pm	
	Senior will not begin before 1:30 pm	

IT IS THE COMPETITORS RESPONSIBILITY TO CONSTANTLY CHECK <http://SMOOTHCOMP.COM> FOR THEIR MATCH TIME, ON THE DAY OF THE EVENT. WE SUGGEST THAT EVERYONE BE ONSITE, AT LEAST, ONE HOUR BEFORE YOUR MATCH.

REFEREE INFORMATION:

- Chief referee, TBA
- The referees that are planning to attend the Westlake Judo Open (WLJO), please RSVP at westlakejudoclub@gmail.com

ELIGIBILITY:

1. This is a USA Judo sanctioned event and it is open to members holding a current USA Judo and American Traditional Jujitsu Association (ATJA) membership.
 2. Proof of membership must be presented at registration and weigh-ins.
 3. Save time and money by purchasing the USA Judo membership online.
- Here is the link: <https://www.usajudo.com/membership>

RULES:

REGULAR CADETS, JR IJF, AND SENIORS, MASTERS/VETERANS WILL FOLLOW THE NATIONAL DIVISION

Current IJF rules (modified). IJF RULE MODIFICATIONS

No Kansetsu-Waza allowed in any Junior, or Novice Division. No Shime-Waza is allowed in junior competition for athletes under 13 years of age. Senior and Master Novice cannot use armbars. Kansetsu waza is allowed in brown belts and higher.

The use of blue and white gis is encouraged. All competitors must have at least a white gi. A match between two blue gis will not be permitted. Female players must wear a solid white shirt under their gi. Remember if you do not bring a blue and a white gi, you must provide your own white and blue belts.

Method of Competition: True Double elimination for divisions with six players or more. Round Robin will be used for divisions of five to three players. Best two out of three will be used for divisions of two players. Two minutes Golden Score for all divisions.

KATA Competition

JUNIOR (Must be 16 year old or younger) Must perform the first 2 section of each kata selected, as follows:

2 sets of Nage no Kata, 2 sets of Katame no Kata, 2 sets of Ju no Kata

NOVICE SENIOR (Must be brown belt or below or if black belt must have never medaled in National Kata competition or competed internationally). Must perform all sections in the kata division selected.

SENIOR DIVISION will have to perform the entire Kata.

To help us with preparations, **all kata teams must pre-register by April 6**. Kata entry fee is per person: \$65 for the first kata, and \$50 per person for each additional kata.

When register, please write Uke and Tori names on the "Add Note" tab.

SHIAI Competition - We will use "Madison Bracketing" whereby the age and weight cutoffs will be set after online registration closes on 04/19. This system allows nearly everyone to compete with a minimal number of uncontested entrants and discourages unhealthy weight loss.

Junior Boys: Age: 5-6, 7-8, 9-10, 11-12, 13-14, 15-16

Junior Boys Novice (white and yellow belts): **Age:** 5-6, 7-8, 9-10, 11-12, 13-14, 15-16

Junior Girls: 5-6, 7-8, 9-10, 11-12, 13-14, 15-16 (years old)

Junior Girls Novice: (white and yellow belts): **Age:** 5-6, 7-8, 9-10, 11-12, 13-14, 15-16

Senior Men Novice (under Sankyu) weight in Kg: 60kg, 66kg, 73kg, 81kg, 90kg, 100kg, 100+kg

Senior Women Novice (under Sankyu); 48kg, 52kg, 57kg, 63kg, 70kg, 78kg, 78+kg

Senior Men's Masters: Age: 30-39, 40-49, 50-59, 60+ (Divisions will be created based on registration.)

Senior Men's Masters Novice: (30+ years with a rank of green or below)

Senior Women's Masters: 30-39, 40-49, 50-59, 60+ (Divisions will be created based on registration.)

Senior Women's Masters Novice: (30+ years with a rank of green or below).

Senior Men: 60kg, 66kg, 73kg, 81kg, 90kg, 100kg, 100+kg

Senior Women: 48kg, 52kg, 57kg, 63kg, 70kg, 78kg, 78+kg.

*Age and weight groups may be adjusted depending on entries Tournament Director may adjust divisions if necessary.

(Every effort will be made to provide every player an equal division. In the case of being uncontested, exhibition fights will be available.)

SELF WEIGH INSTRUCTIONS: NO NAKED WEIGH IS ALLOWED

JUNIORS: Regular and Novice Division

When registering online, submit your actual weight in KG. You will be given a 1 kg allowance when we verify your weight. Weight will be verified at matside just prior to your first match.

Masters/Veterans: Regular and Novice Division

When registering online, submit your actual weight in kg. You will be given a 1 kg allowance when we verify your weight. Weight will be verified at matside just prior to your first match.

Senior Novice and Senior Regular Division

When registering online, declare your pre-set weight division. You will be given a 1 kg allowance when we verify your weight. IF YOU ARE MORE THAN 1 kg OVER YOUR REGISTERED WEIGHT THERE IS NO GUARANTEE FOR A MATCH

MATCH TIMES: Junior, Cadet - 3 Minutes

Novice Men and Women, Veteran (Men / Women) - 3 minutes

Senior Women - 4 Minutes

Senior Men – 4 Minutes

Golden Score will be in effect in case of a tie at the end of regulation match time.

MEDICAL: EMT's On-site

HOTELS:

- Houston Marriott Sugar Land, 16090 City Walk, Sugar Land, TX 77479.
Tel: 281-275-8400
- Hyatt Place Houston/Sugar Land, 16730 Creek Bend Dr, Sugar Land, TX 77478
Tel: 281-491-0300