

Texas State Master, Junior, Kata, Brown, & Senior Championships March 21, 2015

**Sanctioned by USA Judo Inc. – Texas ALL STAR EVENT
Hosted by Okuri Judo**

Location: Arlington Convention Center, 1200 Ballpark Way, Arlington, TX 76011

Eligibility: Open to members holding current USJI, USJF, or USJA cards. Proof of membership must be presented at registration. Applications for USJI will be available for on-site registration. Competitors must be a U.S. citizen and a current Texas resident to compete. Texas residents include: Texas residents enrolled full time in school outside of Texas, Texas residents stationed in the military outside of Texas, full time students enrolled in a school in Texas, and members of the military stationed in Texas.

Rules: Current IJF rules (modified. IJF labeled gi rules will not apply.) Competitors are required to bring their own white and blue belts. All competitors must have at least a white gi and are encouraged to bring a blue gi as well. A match between two competitors with blue gis will not be permitted.

Method of Competition: Round Robin for divisions with 5 or less competitors. Modified Double Elimination system for divisions with 6 or more competitors.

Match Duration: Bantam, Intermediate, and Juvenile A - 3 Minutes, Juvenile B and IJF Junior – 4 Minutes, Masters – 3 Minutes, and Seniors Women – 4 Minutes and Men – 5 Minutes

Categories:

Kata: Nage No Kata, Katame No Kata, Ju No Kata, and Goshin Jitsu No Kata.

Junior Categories of Competition and Weight Divisions: Each Category is based solely on the year in which the contestant was born. The contestant's actual age on the day of competition is irrelevant. All Weights listed below are in kilograms.

BANTAM 1 (Born 2009): Female AND Male: 19, 23, 28, +28 kg	INTERMEDIATE 2 (Born 2003-2004): Female AND Male: 28, 31, 34, 38, 42, 47, 52, +52 kg
BANTAM 2 (Born 2008): Female AND Male: 21, 25, 30, +30 kg	JUVENILE A (Born 2001-2002): Female AND Male: 36, 40, 44, 48, 53, 58, 64, +64 kg
BANTAM 3 (Born 2007): Female AND Male: 23, 27, 31, 35, +35 kg	JUVENILE B (CADET) (Born 1998-2000): Female: 40, 44, 48, 52, 57, 63, 70, +70 kg Male: 50, 55, 60, 66, 73, 81, 90, +90 kg
INTERMEDIATE 1 (Born 2005-2006): Female AND Male: 26, 30, 34, 38, 43, +43 kg	IJF-Junior (Born 1995-2000): Female: 44, 48, 52, 57, 63, 70, 78, +78 kg, Open Male: 55, 60, 66, 73, 81, 90, 100, +100 kg, Open

Senior Men's Masters: 30-39, 40-49, 50+ (Light and Heavy in each group)

Senior Women's Masters: TBD

Brown Belt Men and Women: Olympic weights

Senior Men and Women: Olympic weights

Awards: State Championship medals for 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place in each category will be given.



Entry Fee: *There will not be pre-registration for this event, only onsite registration. The registration fee is \$50 per person per division.*

Coaches: All coaches with an **USA Judo Coaching Badge** will be admitted at no charge. Coaching chairs will be provided.

Spectators: \$5.00 per person. Children age 10 and under are free.

March 21st is World Down Syndrome Day. This day has special significance for Okuri Judo because Kim and Jorge Mesa's son, Lucas has Down syndrome. In honor of Lucas and World Down Syndrome Day (WSD), all of the spectator fees will be donated to the North Texas Down Syndrome Buddy Walk. During the tournament, all of the Okuri Judo volunteers will be wearing WSD t-shirts in honor of Lucas and to help raise awareness of Down syndrome. If you would like to show your support, please contact Kim Mesa at kjmesa@hotmail.com to reserve your WSD tee to wear during the tournament for \$15 for sizes YS-AXL (larger sizes available.)

Schedule of Events:

Saturday, March 21:	Kata registration	8:30 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.
	Master and Brown Belt registration	9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.
	Junior registration	10:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.
	Kata competition starts	9:30 a.m.
	Master and Brown Belt competition starts	10:30 a.m.
	Junior competition starts	After Masters and Brown Belt
	Senior registration	11:00 a.m. – Noon
	Senior competition	1:00 p.m. or following juniors
	Texas Judo, Inc Board of Directors Meeting	4:00 p.m. or following seniors

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ENTRY FORM

USJI/USJA/USJF Card _____
Pay Amount _____ Cash _____ Check # _____
Weight _____

Name _____ Rank _____ Year of Birth _____ Circle One: Male or Female

Club _____ E-mail Address _____

Address _____ City/State/Zip _____

Who will be coaching you today? _____

Division Entered (**ONE ENTRY FORM PER DIVISION ENTERED**)

Kata: Ju No Kata Nage No Kata Katame No Kata Goshin Jitsu

Tori: _____ Uke: _____

Juniors: **PLEASE CIRCLE DIVISION – Male or Female and Weight Division:**

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Brown Belt Men: _____ 60kg _____ 66kg _____ 73kg _____ 81kg _____ 90kg _____ 100kg _____ 100+

Brown Belt Women: _____ 48kg _____ 52kg _____ 57kg _____ 63kg _____ 70kg _____ 78kg _____ 78+

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Senior Men Masters: _____ 30-39 _____ 40-49 _____ 50-59 _____ 60+

Senior Women Masters: _____ Age

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WAIVER AND RELEASE OF LIABILITY AND AGREEMENT TO PARTICIPATE

WARNING!

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In consideration of being permitted to participate in any way, including travel to and from, the 2015 State Senior Championships and related events and activities of United States Judo, Inc. (USA JUDO), Texas Judo Inc., Okuri Judo, Tournament Director, Tournament Organizers, Tournament Staff, Local Organizing Committee, I hereby:

1. Acknowledge that I am familiar with the sport of Judo and understand the rules governing the sport of Judo.
2. Agree 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. Acknowledge and fully understand that I will be engaging in a contact sport that might result in serious injury, including permanent disability or death, TBI (Traumatic Brain Injury), and severe social and economic losses due to not only 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 caused by, arising out of, resulting from or following such injury, permanent disability, or death.
5. Release, waive, discharge and covenant not to sue the United States Judo, Inc., Texas Judo Inc., Okuri Judo, Tournament Organizers, Tournament Staff, together with their affiliated clubs, their respective administrators, directors, agents, coaches and other employees or volunteers of the organization, event officials, medical personnel, other participants, their parents, guardians, supervisors and coaches, sponsoring agencies, sponsors, advertisers, and if applicable, owners, lessors, and lessees of premises used to conduct the event, all of whom are hereinafter referred to as "releasee", from any and all claims, demands, losses, actions, causes of actions or damages on account of injury, including permanent disability and death and damage to property (Collectively, "Liabilities"), caused or alleged to be caused in whole or in part by the acts or omissions of the releasee, even if arising from their negligence, OR OTHERWISE to the fullest extent permitted by law.

I HAVE READ THE ABOVE WARNING, WAIVER AND RELEASE, UNDERSTAND THAT I GIVE UP SUBSTANTIAL RIGHTS BY SIGNING IT, AND KNOWING THIS, SIGN IT VOLUNTARILY. I AGREE TO PARTICIPATE KNOWING THE RISK AND CONDITIONS INVOLVED AND DO SO ENTIRELY OF MY OWN FREE WILL. I AGREE TO PARTICIPATE KNOWING THE RISK 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/GUARDIAN AS EVIDENCED BY THEIR SIGNATURE BELOW.

Participant's Printed Name

Participant's Signature

Date

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

This is to certify that I, as parent/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 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/Guardian's Printed Name

Parent/Guardian's Signature

Date