

# 2024 Japan Veterans International Judo Championships

## 1. Date

January 20 (Sat) and 21 (Sun), 2024

## 2. Venue

KODOKAN

Address: 1-16-30 Kodokan 5F, Kasuga, Bunkyo-ku, Tokyo, 112-0003, Japan

## 3. Organizer

All Japan Judo Federation

Cooperation: Japan Masters Judo Association and Tokyo Judo Federation

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## 4. Program

Jan 20 <sup>th</sup> (Sat)	10:00-11:30	Accreditation-Kata	Kodokan
	11:00-11:45	Judge Meeting	
	12:00	Opening Ceremony	
	12:10-15:30	Kata Competition	
	16:00-18:00	Accreditation and Weight in for Individual	
	18:30-20:30	Party (optional / cost money)	
Jan 21 <sup>st</sup> (Sun)	8:30-9:00	Referee Meeting	Kodokan
	9:00	Individual Competition	
	18:30	Closing Ceremony	

\*Time will be decided by the number of entries.

## 5. Participation Rules

Each participant is responsible to follow:

- The rules to enter the host country and the local government health measures.

Any participant is eligible to inscribe in the competition provided he/she is:

- Not under a disciplinary suspension.
- Not under suspension for anti-doping rule violation.
- Not carrying any communicable diseases that may risk other delegates' health.

In addition to the above athletes must:

- Not be under medical suspension.
- Be healthy and fit for competition.
- Born in 1993 (30 years as of December 31, 2023) or before.
- Hold a National Federation's membership currently affiliated to the IJF.
- Hold minimum 1st Kyu
- Athletes must not have represented a National Team in a competition at international senior level at any time in the twelve months period before the start date of this Japan Veteran International Judo Championships.
- Have sufficient technical knowledge (know the terminology and can execute all the techniques in the IJF SOR Appendix H) and understand fully the IJF sport and refereeing rules.



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### 6. Participation Fee

Kata	¥6,000
Individual	¥6,000

### 7. Control of entries and registration and weight-in for individual

Entries should be submitted by the National Federation.

However, in the case of any difficulty in arrangements, entries will be accepted through clubs or individuals.

Please bring passport(or photo copy) for the registration.

Kata	Jan 20 <sup>th</sup> (Sat) 10:00-11:30 at Kodokan
Individual (weight-in)	Jan 21 <sup>st</sup> (Sun) 16:00-18:00 at Kodokan

- Note: it is not allowed to change your weight category after Jan 12<sup>th</sup>.

### 8. Deadline

Entry	Dec 4 <sup>th</sup> (Mon) 2023	ajjf@judo.or.jp
Visa		

- Visa form must be applied through your National Federation

### 9. Judogi and back number

Athletes must compete wearing a white judogi with back number (name and country).

Judogi size must be compliant with the IJF rules. Judogi control with Sokuteiki will be conducted.

The Female athletes must wear a white plain t-shirt.

Long hair has to be bounded with an elastic band. Wearing Make-up or accessories is prohibited. The nails have to be cut short.

### 10. Competition Rules

#### **Kata**

Competition will be carried out according to the IJF Kata regulation.

- Nage no Kata
- Katame no Kata
- Kime no Kata
- Ju no Kata
- Kodokan Goshinjutsu
- Itsutsu no Kata
- Koshiki no Kata

Athletes can compete only one of above kata.

The organizer will provide weapons for Kime no Kata and Kodokan Goshinjutsu.

#### **Individual**

The winner will be decided by Waza-ari or above.

If there is no difference score between 2 athletes at the end of the match, an athlete with less Shido will become winner. If there is no difference score and Shido, the winner will be decided by flag decision.



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Age category (as of December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2023) and Duration

Female	Male	Age	YOB	Duration
F1	M1	30 – 34	1993 – 1989	3
F2	M2	35 – 39	1988 – 1984	3
F3	M3	40 – 44	1983 – 1979	3
F4	M4	45 – 49	1978 – 1974	3
F5	M5	50 – 54	1973 – 1969	3
F6	M6	55 – 59	1968 – 1964	3
F7	M7	60 – 64	1963 – 1959	2.5
F8	M8	65 – 69	1958 – 1954	2.5
F9	M9	70 – 74	1953 – 1949	2
F10	M10	75 – 79	1948 – 1944	2
F11	M11	80 – 84	1943 – 1939	2
F12	M12	85 – Over	1938 -	2

\*Since the fiscal year in Japan is from April to March, the criteria of age is based on 2023.

Weight category

Female: -48 kg / -52 kg / -57 kg / -63 kg / -70 kg / -78 kg / +78 kg

Male : -60 kg / -66 kg / -73 kg / -81 kg / -90 kg / -100 kg / +100 kg

The organizer may combine two or more categories depending on the number of athletes.

### **11. Accommodation and Transportation**

Participants may arrange their accommodation and transportation on their own.

### **12. Insurance**

Athletes themselves, athletes and team officials, must assume all responsibility for accident and health insurance as well as the civil liabilities (third party cover). They must have insurance either held personally in the form of specific insurance cover or travel cover (which does not exclude participating in judo competition) or as part of their National Federation insurance arrangements. Neither Organizing office nor All Japan Judo Federation will not be responsible of any claims of illness, Injury and death, of any participants/officials.

### **13. Anti-doping control**

The Organizer has strong anti-doping policy, but there will be no anti-doping control at this Championships.

### **14. Other**

- All medalists must attend the medal ceremony with full white Judogi.
- Since the competition time might be changed due to competitions' progress, all athletes should be ready for competition at least 45 minutes prior to the estimated start time.
- Japan Masters Judo Association will hold the party as below.  
Place: Gakushi Kaikan (3-28, Kanda-Nishikicho, Chiyoda-ku, Tokyo)  
Date: Jan 20<sup>th</sup> (Sat) 18:30-20:00  
Price: Male ¥7,000 /Female ¥4,000

