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**OBUKAN**  
**JUDO DOJO**

**58TH ANNUAL OBUKAN  
JUDO SHIAI & KATA /  
ONCHI SENSEI MEMORIAL  
TOURNAMENT**

**April, 12th 2014**

PCC Cascade Gymnasium  
600 N Killingsworth Street  
Portland Oregon

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## OBUKAN JUDO DOJO



### WELCOME! OBUKAN JUDO DOJO HAS A NEW HOME AND NEW CLASS TIMES

**Beginners and Juniors Classes:**

TU & TH 6pm - 7pm

**Senior Class:**

TU & TH 7pm - 8:30pm

**Open Mat:**

FR 7pm - 8:30pm

**Advanced Class:**

SAT Morning 9am - 11am

**New Dojo Address:**

7333 NE Fremont St

**On The Web:**

[www.obukanjudo.org](http://www.obukanjudo.org)

[facebook.com/groups/  
obukanjudo](https://facebook.com/groups/obukanjudo)

[obukanjudo@yahoo.com](mailto:obukanjudo@yahoo.com)

**Head Sensei:**

Toshio Ichinoe

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April 7<sup>th</sup>, 2014

Mr. Rod Conduragis & Ms. Julie Koyama  
Tournament Directors  
7333 NE Fremont St.  
Portland, Or 97213

Dear Mr. Conduragis & Ms. Koyama:

It is my deep pleasure to write to you on the occasion of the 58<sup>th</sup> Annual Northwest Invitational Judo Tournament in Portland. Over six decades, this tournament, and the Obukan School, have become mainstays in the Portland community, conveying the customs of Japan as well as health and vitality to students young and old. The traditions you help to maintain and pass from generation to generation enrich the cultural landscape of our city and our region.

I would also like to congratulate Obukan on the establishment of your new dojo, a dream that I know was long held by Onchi-sensei. May this new location be your home and your anchor for many years to come.

I offer my sincere thanks to all of the instructors, organizers and parents who have worked so hard to make this tournament a success. And to all of the participants, I hope you will enjoy this day and fully embrace this opportunity in the spirit of fair and robust competition. Congratulations and good luck!

Most sincerely,

Hiroshi Furusawa  
Consul General of Japan

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**OPENING  
WELCOME  
APRIL 12, 2014**



**Welcome to the 58th annual Obukan Judo Tournament and second Sensei Jim Onchi Memorial Tournament.**

Obukan began practice of judo as a dojo back in 1926 as Portland Judo, had its name changed by Jigoro Kano in 1938 to Obukan and had its first post WWII tournament in 1955 under Sensei Jim Onchi.

We are very grateful to you all, players, parents, referees, spectators, Sensei's and all judo students in being part of the long legacy of judo in the Pacific Northwest and coming to our tournament today.

This year we once again honor Onchi Sensei in respect for his life long legacy and love for the sport of judo and what it represents both on and off the mat.

Onchi's greatest love was all of you and seeing you grow through the sport of judo. He would be very happy to see you all here today!

**Today our tournament we will be having several special awards.**

- 1. Best Technique Award Juniors**
- 2. Best Technique Award Seniors**
- 3. The Jocelyn Latka Spirit Award for Juniors**
- 4. The Onchi Sensei Spirit Award - For Coach, Referee, Senior**
- 5. Onchi Scholarship Award - High School Student award of \$500**
- 6. Fukushima Sensei Kata Award - Spirit of Learning Kata**

I want to make a special thank Richard Magruder and PCC once again for allowing us to use the beautiful venue for our new home of our annual tournament.

I want to also thank our sponsors for supporting Obukan each and every year

May you have a great day at our tournament and score lots of Ippons!

Gambatte Kudasai!!

**Rod Conduragis & Julie Koyama**  
Tournament Co-Directors

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**ICHINOE SENSEI  
OBUKAN JUDO  
HEAD INSTRUCTOR**



**Dear Students of Judo,**

I would like to congratulate and thank all of the judo students, coaches, referees, helpers and parents for participating in the 58th Obukan Judo Tournament/Onchi Sensei Memorial Shiai. As you know this is the second year of the memorial for Onchi Sensei. In his honor we are awarding today the first ever Onchi Memorial Scholarship to a student of Judo that has the life dedication to continue the path of judo both on and off the mat. This year has been another year of positive change and growth for Obukan in which we have moved into our new dojo. This move is part of Obukan's own journey that started with its rich legacy at the beginnings of Judo in Portland Oregon. We have been honored this year with Fukushima Sensei coming directly from Japan to represent the Kodokan in the opening ceremonies of the new Obukan Dojo location. While here Fukushima Sensei also provided us with an extraordinary Kata Clinic for the NW Yudanshikai at our dojo. This week I have been in Japan meeting with the Kodokan Kancho. It was with great honor that I was advised that the Kodokan is giving Obukan special recognition for its rich history and legacy in Judo. Although, it is unfortunate that I cannot be here to watch you all on the tatami today, I know that you will do your best and show excellent technique and judo spirit!

Thank you all again for coming to our tournament.

Sincerely,

**Toshio Ichinoe**  
  
**Head Instructor**

04/12/14





## GENERAL INFO

**Kata:** Competition will begin at 8:30 with Nage no Kata, followed by Katame no Kata and Ju no Kata

**Shiai:** Junior competition will begin at 10:00, Seniors and Masters competition will begin upon completion of the Juniors competition

**Tournament Meeting:** Officials, coaches and managers Saturday 9:30 am – 10:00 am at tournament site.

**Head Referee:** Barbara Shimizu

**Referee Certification:** NW Class “R” certification available by the NWYDK Certification Committee.



## TOURNAMENT RULES

**Current IJF rules with the following safety modifications will govern:**

1. Shime waza (choking) and will not be allowed for age divisions 12 years and below.
2. Kansetsu waza (arm locks) will be allowed for cadets and all senior divisions
3. Pre-2003 medical rules will apply to all Junior Divisions.
4. Current IJF medical rules will apply to all Senior Division
5. Blue gi and white gi are required for all divisions. A blue gi may be worn only when the contestant’s name is called second . Some blue gi will be available for sale and for loan. Blues gi will be available on site.
6. There will be Co-ed competition for juniors 6-8 years old.
7. The outside boundary shall be 3 meters for this event with 4 meters between the mats with an 8 meter competition area.

## SHIAI FORMAT

- Divisions with 6 or more competitors will use a modified double elimination bracket, the champion will not have a loss
- Divisions with 5 or less competitors will use a pool bracket.
- Changes in the above may be made at the discretion of the Tournament committee.
- No competitor may move down an age group.
- First, second and third place will be awarded to the Divisions indicated below.

## KATA COMPETITION FORMAT

- All competition will be in one division. Eligible teams include all female, all male and mixed pairs (all competing in the same division).
- Teams may compete in one or more kata, though an individual may only compete in each kata once.
- Changes in the above may be made at the discretion of the Tournament committee. First, second, and third places will be awarded.



## AGE & WEIGHT DIVISIONS

<b>Bantam (8 and under)</b>	Light, Middle, & Heavy
<b>Intermediate 1 (9 and 10)</b>	Light, Middle, & Heavy
<b>Intermediate 2 (11 and 12)</b>	Light, Middle, & Heavy
<b>Juvenile A (13 and 14)</b>	Light, Middle, & Heavy
<b>Cadet (15, 16, and 17)</b>	Light, Middle, & Heavy
<b>Senior Novice (Up to 4th Kyu)</b>	Light, Middle, & Heavy
<b>Brown</b>	Light, Middle, & Heavy
<b>Black</b>	Light, Middle, & Heavy

If a player moves up to a division by their own choice they will be subject to the rules for that division. If a player is placed for size in a division with rules not pertaining to his division, he will be marked and subject only to the rules pertaining to his age or rank division.

Actual weight divisions will be based on available competitors. Every attempt will be made to ensure fair competition for all competitors.

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## THE JIM ONCHI MEMORIAL JUDO SCHOLARSHIP



**Onchi Sensei**  
Ku Dan (9th Degree)  
1918-2013

**Dear Judo Sensei,**

Thank you for your dojo's participation in the 2014, 58th Annual Obukan Judo tournament and first Jim Onchi Sensei Memorial tournament. In honor of the principals of Judo and giving back to our youth, as Onchi Sensei wanted, we are proud to announce the Jim Onchi Memorial Scholarship. The annual Judo Scholarship is to help a High School student who has aspiration to continue their education in a 2-year or 4-year College/ University and also furthering their Judo education. The scholarship will be awarded at the 2015, 59th Annual Obukan Judo tournament and 2nd Jim Onchi Sensei Memorial tournament to be scheduled in Portland, OR.

The scholarship requirements and application are attached. Please review this with your students and have them apply before the deadline date of January 31, 2015.

We look forward to seeing you and your students again at our next tournament.

Our goal is to always bring out the best in Judo from the Pacific NW and make it an exciting player's tournament that is fun for the parents, coaches and spectators!

Sincerely,

**Rod Conduragis**  
Obukan Judo  
2013-2014 Tournament Co-chairman



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## OBUKAN JUDO PRESIDENT



Welcome and thank you to all for attending Obukan's 58th annual tournament and the second Onchi Sensei Memorial Shiai!

I appreciate all of you that have come here today as competitors, coaches and fans of Judo. It is Obukan's and my personal goal that you have a fun and rewarding tournament here in Portland.

As a competitor, my first Obukan tournament was 40 years ago. There are Sensei's and even parents here today that I can remember sharing the mat in competition with and now I am honored as we share the coach's chairs and stands cheering you on in your Judo journey. It is important to remember that while Judo matches may last only a few minutes, Judo friendships made at tournaments will last a lifetime.

Enjoy yourselves today! Fight hard! Use good Judo and learn all that you can. I encourage you as a Judoka to enrich your Judo today by taking home the best we have to offer from being a part of this, our 58th annual tournament.

**Gambatte!**

**Dick Middlebrooks**

President of Obukan Judo



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## TAIKO

### About Taiko

The word, "Taiko" in Japanese literally means great or wide drum. It refers most commonly to a distinctive form of drumming that has its roots in ancient Japanese culture. But Taiko also describes the art form of modern Japanese drum ensembles, as well as the physical drums used by these groups.

### About en Taiko

The "en" in "en Taiko" is probably best translated as "happenstance," as in the lucky bits of circumstance that bring people together. Even in ancient Japan, Taiko was not just a musical instrument. Taiko played a vital role in strengthening community, whether in the schools, the temples, or throughout the townships. Similarly, en Taiko aspires to create opportunity for strengthening and expanding community. The en Taiko performance group is a young, energetic educational experience that emphasizes the importance of community. Taiko strengthens individuality and creativity within the interplay of a group dynamic. At the same time, the group is strengthened by each member's commitment to play with heart. The mission of en Taiko is to create a community where participants from various ethnic backgrounds work together to create music, while learning to be open to the cultural traditions of others.

<http://www.entaiko.org>

# 57TH ANNUAL OBUKAN / 1ST JIM ONCHI SENSEI MEMORIAL SHIA RESULTS

## SPECIAL AWARDS:



**Jocelyn Latka Spirit Award:**  
Scott Carr  
McCall



**Best Technique Juniors:**  
Braden Goucher  
Bushikan Judo Dojo



**Best Technique Seniors:**  
Nick Wallick  
Ippon Dojo

## Juniors Male and Female Divisions

Division	Weight Class	Age	1st Place	Club	2nd Place	Club	3rd Place	Club
1	Light	6	Jordan Morales	Bushikan	A.V. Salguero	Bushikan	Haley Buskerod	SWOCC
1	Medium	6	Majori McDaniel	Bushikan	Joshua Yinger	Bushikan		
1	Heavy	6	Jack Banta	Dynamic	Kainoa Hosaka	Portland		
<b>Division</b>	<b>Weight Class</b>	<b>Age</b>	<b>1st Place</b>	<b>Club</b>	<b>2nd Place</b>	<b>Club</b>	<b>3rd Place</b>	<b>Club</b>
2	Light	7-8	Kazuya Sandoval	Snohomish	Tomio Yamada	Pacific Judo	Anderson Lin	Seiei
2	Medium	7-8	Jack Carr	McCall	Anthony Seuffuer	Obukan	Katherine Yahn	Obukan
2	Heavy	7-8	Liam Ortega-Absher	Ippon	Kirsten Yahn	Obukan	Peter Howton	Seiwakan
<b>Division</b>	<b>Weight Class</b>	<b>Age</b>	<b>1st Place</b>	<b>Club</b>	<b>2nd Place</b>	<b>Club</b>	<b>3rd Place</b>	<b>Club</b>
3	Light Female	9-10	Melissa Mercado	Ippon	Maya Banta	Dynamic	Midori Mori	Portland
3	Medium Female	9-10	Miyuki Sandoval	Snohomish	Allissa Kosugi	Budokan	Lahua Harai	Ippon
3	Heavy Female	9-10	Tatiana P. Borrero	Ippon	Bryan Iseri-Ramos	Ore-Ida		
<b>Division</b>	<b>Weight Class</b>	<b>Age</b>	<b>1st Place</b>	<b>Club</b>	<b>2nd Place</b>	<b>Club</b>	<b>3rd Place</b>	<b>Club</b>
4	Light Male	9-10	Connor Goucher	Bushikan	Olson Anderson	Bushikan	Liam Buskerod	SWOCC
4	Medium Male	9-10	Harrison Lin	Seiei	Luca Foord	Portland	Shenap Versloys	Portland
4	Heavy Male	9-10	Liam Yahn	Obukan	Byron Jones	Portland	Alex Johnson	Obukan
<b>Division</b>	<b>Weight Class</b>	<b>Age</b>	<b>1st Place</b>	<b>Club</b>	<b>2nd Place</b>	<b>Club</b>	<b>3rd Place</b>	<b>Club</b>
5	Light Female	11-12	Saisha Mongles	Ippon	Melissa Mercado	Ippon	Victoria Sewand	North Sound
5	Medium Female	11-12	Jaylene Sanches	Ippon	Tiana Duran	River City	Mahal Walker	Richland
5	Heavy Female	11-12	Abigail Yahn	Obukan	Emma Reese	Corvallis	Lucy Bloomer	Corvallis
<b>Division</b>	<b>Weight Class</b>	<b>Age</b>	<b>1st Place</b>	<b>Club</b>	<b>2nd Place</b>	<b>Club</b>	<b>3rd Place</b>	<b>Club</b>
6	Light Male	11-12	Braden Goucher	Bushikan	Marton Teichner	Emerald	Cyrus Milani	Ippon
6	Medium Male	11-12	Kenny Cummings	Seiei	Tucker Baker	McCall	Jared Allred	Ippon
6	Heavy Male	11-12	Akio Yamada	Pacific Judo	Scott Carr	McCall	Cole Holland	Richland
<b>Division</b>	<b>Weight Class</b>	<b>Age</b>	<b>1st Place</b>	<b>Club</b>	<b>2nd Place</b>	<b>Club</b>	<b>3rd Place</b>	<b>Club</b>
7	Light Female	13-14	Hikaru Abe	Obukan	Macy Chaduey	Obukan		
7	Medium Female	13-14	Misato Sandoval	Snohomish	Hunter Goucher	Bushikan	Lauren Reeser	Corvallis
7	Heavy Female	13-14	Jasmine P. Borrero	Ippon	Akina Yamada	Pacific Judo	Jazz Springer	Salem Budokai
7	Super Female	13-14	Kate Gladhart	Best M.A.	Katie Allison	Grant Pass		
<b>Division</b>	<b>Weight Class</b>	<b>Age</b>	<b>1st Place</b>	<b>Club</b>	<b>2nd Place</b>	<b>Club</b>	<b>3rd Place</b>	<b>Club</b>
8	Light Male	13-14	Garrett Nash	McCall	Tucker Baker	McCall	Darien Ouch	Bushikan
8	Medium Male	13-14	Isaac Harai	Ippon	Leif Thurmond	Columbia	Noah Olsen	Richland
8	LT Heavy Male	13-14	Tyriq Johnson	Ippon	Kenzo Yoshitomi	Budokan	Kole Iseri-Ramos	Oreida
8	Heavy Male	13-14	Ian Watters	Obukan	Garrett Dean	Emerald City	Matthew Kosugi	Budokan
<b>Division</b>	<b>Weight Class</b>	<b>Age</b>	<b>1st Place</b>	<b>Club</b>	<b>2nd Place</b>	<b>Club</b>	<b>3rd Place</b>	<b>Club</b>
9	Light Female	15-16	Misato Sandoval	Snohomish	Hikaru Abe	Obukan	Devina Be	Zenyu
9	Medium Female	15-16	Jasmine P. Borrero	Ippon	Micha Cummings	Seiei	Danielle Dang	Zenyu

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Division	Weight Class	Age	1st Place	Club	2nd Place	Club	3rd Place	Club
10	Light Male	15-16	Tyriq Johnson	Ippon	Taylan Yuasa	Budokan	Alexander Kerth	Bushikan
10	Medium Male	15-16	Davon Johnson	Ippon	Luis Guardado	Zenyu	Ian Watters	Obukan
10	Heavy Male	15-16						

### Senior Male and Female Divisions

Division	Weight Class	Age	1st Place	Club	2nd Place	Club	3rd Place	Club
11	6th-3rd Kyu Light Male	Seniors	Patrick Mendiola	Ippon	Artem Chumak	UW	Derek Mueller	Portland
11	6th-3rd Kyu Medium Male	Seniors	Phillip Sugar	Portland	AJ Lawrence	Obukan	Tyler Doak	Best M.A.
11	6th-3rd Kyu Heavy Male	Seniors	Robert Lambert	Ippon	Jake Kranick	River City	Jason Tidrick	SWOCC

Division	Weight Class	Age	1st Place	Club	2nd Place	Club	3rd Place	Club
12	6th-3rd Kyu Light Female	Seniors	C. Nguyen	Zenyu Judo	Amber Pair	Zenyu Judo	Megan Paraiso	Zenyu
12	6th-3rd Kyu Medium Female	Seniors	Akina Yamada	Pacific Judo	Anna Yang	Zenyu Judo	Sarah Goucher	River City
12	Combined all Ranks Heavy Female	Seniors	Annie Atkinson	Zenyu Judo	Angela Lindsay	Zenyu Judo	Jace Bolwing	Ippon

Division	Weight Class	Age	1st Place	Club	2nd Place	Club	3rd Place	Club
13	2nd Kyu - Black Belt Light Male	Seniors	Patrick Mendiola	Ippon	Davon Johnson	Ippon	Artem Chumak	UW Dojo
13	2nd Kyu - Black Belt Medium Male	Seniors	Ryan Roberts	Portland Judo	Oscer Gonzalez	North Sound	Kelan Adachi	OSU
13	2nd Kyu - Black Belt Heavy Male	Seniors	Ruben Malloy	North Sound	V. Sumarokov	Portland Judo	Tim Kramer	Obukan

### Masters

Division	Weight Class	Age	1st Place	Club	2nd Place	Club	3rd Place	Club
15	Master's All Ranks Heavy Male	Masters	V. Sumarokov	Portland Judo	Conan Riojas	Portland Judo	Abdul Audi	Obukan



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For two dollars donated or new membership to Obukan, OSA will donate a dollar up to \$3,000.



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