

59TH ANNUAL OBUKAN JUDO SHIAI & KATA / ONCHI SENSEI MEMORIAL TOURNAMENT

April, 4th 2015

PCC Cascade Gymnasium
600 N Killingsworth Street
Portland Oregon



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March 30th, 2015



WELCOME TO OBUKAN JUDO DOJO

Juniors Classes:

TU & TH 6pm - 7pm

Senior Class:

TU & TH 7pm - 8:30pm

Open Mat:

FR 7pm - 8:30pm

Advanced Class:

SAT Morning 8am - 10am

Kata Class:

SAT Morning 10:30am - noon

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Mr. Rod Conduragis & Mr. Mark Hirota
Tournament Directors
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Dear Mr. Conduragis & Mr. Hirota

It is with great excitement that I write to congratulate all those involved in the 59th Annual Northwest Invitational Judo Tournament here in Portland. It is my pleasure to voice my support for this tournament and the honorable tradition of competition and sportsmanship which it advances. I would also like to extend my thanks to the Obukan Judo Dojo for their hard work yet again this year in hosting this tournament.

The Annual Northwest Invitational Judo Tournament has a long and proud history which would not have been possible without strong support from the community. For this reason and for the service you perform to cultural understanding and friendship between Japan and the United States, I wish to also express my sincere appreciation for all those others who have helped make this tournament a success, both past and present.

Finally, I would like to wish all the participants from the Northwest region the best of luck as they compete in this year's judo tournament and offer the hope of many more years of competition to come.

Most sincerely,

Hiroshi Furusawa
Consul General of Japan

OPENING WELCOME APRIL 4, 2015



Welcome to the Rose City and the 59th 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.

Thank you to all of the players, parents, referees, spectators, Sensei's and judo students for being part of the long legacy of judo in the Pacific Northwest and coming to our tournament today. We hope you have an enjoyable time.

This year we once again honor Onchi Sensei in respect for his lifelong 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 acknowledge and thank Mr. Richard Magruder and the staff of PCC for once again allowing us to use this beautiful venue for our annual tournament.

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

Have a great day at our tournament and score lots of Ippons!

Gambatte Kudasai!!

Mark Hirota & Rod Conduragis
Tournament Co-Directors

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 59th Obukan Judo Tournament/ 3rd Onchi Sensei Memorial Shiai. As you know this is the third year of the memorial for Onchi Sensei. In his honor and the legacy of Kodokan Judo at Obukan we are awarding today the 2nd 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. As a student of Judo there is much more than competition on the mat. Judo teaches one to do more for others, and embodies a culture of high morals and the betterment of ones self and community by giving back to others more than has been given to you.

Last year I was not able to attend this tournament, as I was in Japan meeting with the Kodokan Kancho at which time Obukan was given special recognition for its rich history and legacy in developing and supporting Kodokan Judo. This tournament is a way for Obukan to give back to the community. It is for you. I am excited to be able to watch you all participate in our great sport. I know that you all will give your best today and show your excellent Judo techniques and spirit!

Thank you all again for coming to our tournament.

Sincerely,

Toshio Ichinoe

Head Instructor

04/04/15



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 Veterans 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: Joan Miller-PJC

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

Bantam (8 and under)	Light, Middle, & Heavy
Intermediate 1 (9 and 10)	Light, Middle, & Heavy
Intermediate 2 (11 and 12)	Light, Middle, & Heavy
Juvenile A (13 and 14)	Light, Middle, & Heavy
Cadet (15, 16, and 17)	Light, Middle, & Heavy
Senior Novice (Up to 4th Kyu)	Light, Middle, & Heavy
Brown	Light, Middle, & Heavy
Black	Light, Middle, & Heavy
Veterans (35 yrs+)	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.

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 2015, 59th Annual Obukan Judo tournament and second 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, 60th Annual Obukan Judo tournament and 3rd 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, 2016.

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
2015 Tournament Co-chairman



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OBUKAN JUDO PRESIDENT



Wow! It's that time again! Welcome to the 59th Annual Obukan Judo Tournament/3rd Onchi Sensei Memorial Shia!

We are so proud that you are here participating in our tournament and helping us celebrate Judo at its best. Judo is based on a community of Athletes, Coaches, Families and Fans! We need you all to grow Judo. Each and every tournament you participate in grows you and your Judo. It is said that one Judo tournament gives you 6 months of practice experience. So try to participate in every tournament and grow your Judo.

As you know Judo is much more than competition. Competition makes your Judo sharp but the way of Judo makes you shine. You need both to get the full benefit of Judo. Judo is about giving. Every parent, every Sensei, coach, every referee is giving back to you today. It takes all of them to build a champion on and off the mat. And you. Yes you are giving back. Today, you as a competitor are giving back, by giving your opponent your best Judo!

This tournament is Obukan's way of giving back. In fact we are so excited about giving our 2nd Onchi Scholarship to a person that embodies the true spirit of Kodokan Judo both on and off the mat! Who will that be this year???

Give your best and grow lots today in your Judo and most of all have fun

Domo Arigato Gozaimasu,

Rod Conduragis

Obukan Judo Dojo, President

***P.S.** "Obukan6090" is coming in 2016!! Our 60th tournament and 90th year of Obukan Judo Dojo! Let's us know how you think we should celebrate this.*



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.

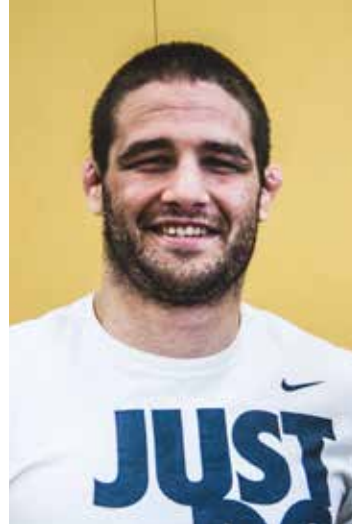
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58TH ANNUAL OBUKAN / 2ND JIM ONCHI SENSEI MEMORIAL SHIA RESULTS

DIVISION RESULTS & AWARDS:



Fukushima Kata Award:
Karen Nagai
Seattle Dojo



Jim Onchi Sensei "Spirit" Award:
Travis Stevens
Ippon Dojo



Best Technique - Seniors:
Julio Rodriguez
Bushikan



Best Technique - Juniors:
Owen Marsh
OakTree

Juniors Male and Female Divisions

Division	Weight Class	Age	1st Place	Club	2nd Place	Club	3rd Place	Club
Bantam	Light	Male <8	Jordan Morales	Ippon	Quinn Bevin	Portland Judo	AJ Salguero	Bushikan
Bantam	Medium	Male <8	Christian Dale	Portland Judo	Gab Borisch	Tri City	Noah Senffer	Obukan
Bantam	Light-Heavy	Male <8	Ronnell P.Borrero	Ippon	Joshua Yinger	Bushikan	Kaden Johnson	Ippon
Bantam	Heavy	Male <8	Yeshe Versluys	Portland Judo	Maximus Gresham	Zenyu	Kainoa Hoska	Portland Judo

Division	Weight Class	Age	1st Place	Club	2nd Place	Club	3rd Place	Club
Intermediate 1	Light	Male 9-10	Conor Goucher	Bushikan	Kazuya Sandoval	N.Sound	Tomio Yamada	Pacific Judo Ac
Intermediate 1	Medium	Male 9-10	Soren Ogden	Oak Tree	Liam Buskerud S	WOCC Judo	Liam O. Absher	Ippon
Intermediate 1	Heavy	Male 9-10	Sherap Versluys	Portland Judo	Luis Duran	Grants Pass	Ethan Gould	Oaktree

Division	Weight Class	Age	1st Place	Club	2nd Place	Club	3rd Place	Club
Intermediate 2	Light	Male 11-12	Conor Goucher	Bushikan	Chance Bartelson	Bushikan	Drayden McF.	Sakurakan
Intermediate 2	Medium	Male 11-12	Wyatt Plumb	Bushikan	Cyrus Millan	Ippon	Devin Wright	Ippon

Division	Weight Class	Age	1st Place	Club	2nd Place	Club	3rd Place	Club
Juvinial A	Light	Male 13-14	Connor Goucher	Bushikan	Olson Anderson	Bushikan	Liam Buskerud	SWOCC
Juvinial A	Medium	Male 13-14	Aizaya Yacapin	Ippon	Evan Janson	Ippon	Justice Maeda	Seattle
Juvinial A	Heavy	Male 13-14	Isaac Harai	Ippon	Akio Yamada	Pacific Judo Ac	Christopher Y.	Pacific Judo

Division	Weight Class	Age	1st Place	Club	2nd Place	Club	3rd Place	Club
Cadet	Light	Male 15,16,17	Isaac Harai	Ippon	Jonathon Ryan	Boise Valley	Peter Thoun	Zenyu
Cadet	Medium	Male 15,16,17	Anthony Nguyen	Zenyu	Eric Conduragis	Obukan	Masahito K.	Mercier Island
Cadet	Heavy	Male 15,16,17	Ian Watters	Obukan	Avery Robinson	Oaktree	Ben Duran	RCMA

Division	Weight Class	Age	1st Place	Club	2nd Place	Club	3rd Place	Club
Bantam	Light	Female <8	Brynn Buskerud	SWOCC	Azalea Fetters	Ippon Dojo	Haley Buskerud	SWOCC
Bantam	Medium	Female <8	Uruwa Abe	Obukan	Athena Davis	Zenyu	Devon Watters	Obukan
Bantam	Heavy	Female <8	Marjorie McDaniel	Sakurakan	Lilah Marsh	Emmett Judo	Vivian Reynolds	Obukan

Division	Weight Class	Age	1st Place	Club	2nd Place	Club	3rd Place	Club
Intermediate 1	Light	Female 9-10	Kayla Lucas	Bushikan	Mia Yinger	Bushikan	Midori Mori	Portland Judo
Intermediate 1	Medium	Female 9-10	Katherine Yahn	Obukan	Noemi Skovierova	Seiwakan Judo	Maya Luther	Obukan
Intermediate 1	Light	Heavy F. 9-10	Melissa Mercado	Ippon	Miyuki Sandoval	N. Sound	Amanda R.	Emerald City
Intermediate 1	Heavy	Female 9-10	Austyn Motes	Tri-City	Tallie Vincent	Bushikan		

Division	Weight Class	Age	1st Place	Club	2nd Place	Club	3rd Place	Club
Intermediate 2	Light	Female 11-12	Saisha Morales	Ippon	Melissa Mercado	Ippon	Lahna Harai	Ippon
Intermediate 2	Medium	Female 11-12	Abigail Gould	Emmett	Tatiana P. Borrero	Ippon	Tiana Duran	Grants Pass
Intermediate 2	Heavy	Female 9-10	Akio Yamada	Pacific Judo Ac	Orion Garcia	Hwang's M. A.	Layne F. Dalton	Emmett

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Division	Weight Class	Age	1st Place	Club	2nd Place	Club	3rd Place	Club
Juvinial A	Light	Female 13-14	Piper Polaniki	Tri-City	Trinity Kozak	Sakurakan	Chloe Goodman	Portland Judo
Juvinial A	Medium	Female 13-14	Hkaru Abe	Obukan	Jaylene Sanchez	Ippon	Hannah Goodman	Portland Judo
Juvinial A	Heavy	Female 13-14	Akina Yamada	Pacific Judo Ac	Abigail Gould/Danera Morgan Emmet/Tri-city Tie for second place			

Division	Weight Class	Age	1st Place	Club	2nd Place	Club	3rd Place	Club
Cadet	Light	F. 15,16,17	Hkaru Abe	Obukan	Becky Guadado	Zenyu	n/a	n/a
Cadet	Medium	F. 15,16,17	Misato Sandoval	N. Sound Judo	Jasmine P Borrero	Ippon	Danielle Dang	Zenyu
Cadet	Heavy	F. 15,16,17	Katie Allison	River City M.A.	Tamari Yamane	Pacific Judo Ac	Kate Gladheart	Best M.A.I.

Senior Male and Female Divisions

Division	Weight Class	Age	1st Place	Club	2nd Place	Club	3rd Place	Club
Senior Novice	Light Male	Seniors	Gabriel Sanchez	Ippon Judo	Sebastian Pilarski	Portland Judo	Raymond Lau	Zenyu Judo
Senior Novice	Medium Male	Seniors	Carlos Tripode	Budokan Judo	Blake Eddy	Obukan	Kam Robertson	Obukan
Senior Novice	Heavy Male	Seniors	Francois Bonin	Seattle	Michael White	Portland Judo	John Orr	OSU

Division	Weight Class	Age	1st Place	Club	2nd Place	Club	3rd Place	Club
Brown Belt	Light Male	Seniors	Jovanis Rodriguze	Bushikan	Josh Keogh	Portland Judo	Luis Guardado	Zenyu Judo
Brown Belt	Medium Male	Seniors	Garret Dean	Emerald City	Ian Watters	Obukan	Philip Suger	Portland Judo
Brown Belt	Heavy Male	Seniors	Spenser Shimazu	Portland Judo	Irving Anderson	River City M.A.	Jake Kranick	Pacific Judo Ac

Division	Weight Class	Age	1st Place	Club	2nd Place	Club	3rd Place	Club
Black Belt	Light Male	Seniors	Julio Rodriguez	Bushikan	Patrick Mendiola	Ippon Judo	Saad Moghaddas	Portland Judo
Black Belt	Medium Male	Seniors	Seongjin Park	Portland Judo	Kamal Kamal	Portland Judo	Jovanis R.	Bushikan
Black Belt	Heavy Male	Seniors	Bahar Almatrook	Portland Judo	Vladislav S.	Portland Judo	Denny Nguyen	Zenyu Judo

Division	Weight Class	Age	1st Place	Club	2nd Place	Club	3rd Place	Club
Senior Novice	Light Female	Seniors	Akina Yamada	Pacific Judo Ac	Danielle Dang	Zenyu Judo	Megan Pariso	Zenyu Judo

Division	Weight Class	Age	1st Place	Club	2nd Place	Club	3rd Place	Club
Brown Belt	Light Female	Seniors	Jasmine P.Borrero	Ippon Judo	Misato Sandoval	N. Sound Judo	Christine Nguyen	Budokan

Division	Weight Class	Age	1st Place	Club	2nd Place	Club	3rd Place C	Club
Black Belt	Heavy Female	Seniors	Kiaya Van Scoyoc	Ippon Judo	Chanda Ishisaka	Seatte	n/a	n/a

Masters Male and Female Divisions

Division	Weight Class	Age	1st Place	Club	2nd Place	Club	3rd Place	Club
Masters	Medium Male	Masters	Vladislav S.	Portland Judo	Ovidiu Moraru	Portland Judo	Shelendra Prasad	SWOCC
Masters	Medium Female	Masters	Leigh Yamada	Pacific Judo Ac	Maggie Zammo	Portland Judo	n/a	n/a



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CONGRATULATIONS AND BEST OF LUCK TO ALL OF TODAY'S COMPETITORS!

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- Jigoro Kano

Good Luck Judoka!

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