

Okinawa Traditional Kobudo Competition

1. Date:

August 1st (Sat.), 2015

2. Venue:

Naha City Municipal Gymnasium

3. Competition items:

Kata: ① Bo ② Sai

(Men and women will compete separately and individually in Bo or Sai separate weapon categories. It is not possible to compete in both Bo and Sai categories)

(1) The length of the Bo: over 180 cm for men and women.

(For JHS male and female participants, 10 cm higher than the height is acceptable)

(2) The weight of the Bo: over 900 grams for men and over 800 grams for women.

(For JHS male and female participants, over 750 grams)

(3) The length of the Sai: longer than the competitor's elbow.

(4) The weight of the Sai: over 650 grams each for men, over 550 grams each for women.

(Over 550 grams for JHS male and over 500 grams for JHS female participants)

(5) During the Sai competition, throwing or sticking a Sai in the floor is forbidden.

Bo Kumite

(1) For Bo versus Bo matches, Bo prepared by the OKBF will be used.

(2) For Kumite (Bo versus Bo), adults and seniors will compete in one same division.

4. Competition Kata and match process:

(1) Kata should be selected from the Appendix I and II.

Appendix I BO KATA

| No. | Name of Kata | No. | Name of Kata | No. | Name of Kata |
|-----|-----------------------|-----|--------------------------|-----|---------------|
| 1 | TOKUMINE NO KUN | 10 | YUNIGAWA NO KUN | 19 | CHIKIN UFUKUN |
| 2 | SAKUGAWA NO KUN | 11 | CHATAN YARA NO KUN | 20 | CHIKIN BO |
| 3 | SAKUGAWA NO KUN (SHO) | 12 | CHINEN SHICHANAKA NO KUN | 21 | CHOUN NO KUN |
| 4 | SAKUGAWA NO KUN (DAI) | 13 | SESOKO NO KUN | 22 | CHOUN NO KUN |
| 5 | SHUSHI NO KUN | 14 | SHIISHI NO KUN | 23 | UFUTUN |

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| 6 | SHUSHI NO KUN (SHO) | 15 | SHIROTARU NO KUN | 24 | SHIISHI NO KUN (SUEYOSHI NO KUN) |
| 7 | SHUSHI NO KUN (DAI) | 16 | SHUKUMINE NO KUN | 25 | KASSHIN BO |
| 8 | SHIROMATSU NO KUN | 17 | UFUGUSHIKU NO KUN | 26 | KUBO NO KUN |
| 9 | URASHI NO KUN | 18 | CHIKIN NO KUN | 27 | KATIN NO KUN |

Appendix II SAI KATA

| No. | Name of Kata | No. | Name of Kata | No. | Name of Kata |
|-----|-------------------------|-----|-------------------------------|-----|-----------------|
| 1 | CHATAN YARA NO SAI | 5 | KUGUSUKU NO SAI (KOJO NO SAI) | 9 | NICHO SAI |
| 2 | HAMAHIGA NO SAI | 6 | YAKA NO SAI | 10 | CHINBARU NO SAI |
| 3 | CHIKIN SHITAHAKU NO SAI | 7 | TAWATA NO SAI | 11 | JIGEN NO SAI |
| 4 | HANTAGWA KORAGWA NO SAI | 8 | ISHIKAWAGWA NO SAI | 12 | |

(2) The competition will be held according to the OKBF Competition Rules and Regulations

5. Entry qualifications:

- (1) Competitors and coaches should be registered with schools and branches affiliated with OKBF.
- (2) Participating athletes must beforehand take a physical examination from a physician and be declared in good health.

Age divisions

- (1) Junior high school students division: 13 up to 15 years old (As of April 1st 2016)
- (2) Junior division: 16 up to 18 years old (As of April 1st 2016)
- (3) Adult division: 19 up to 49 years old
- (4) Senior division: 50 years old and above

6. Awarding:

For each category, certificates of commendation will be awarded to competitors from the 1st to the 8th place. Medals will be awarded to 1st, 2nd and 3rd winners.

7. Application method:

Fill in all necessary items of the given participation application form and send it by post mail or email to the address mentioned below. Deadline is March 1st (Sun.), 2015.

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8. Competitor registration:

People participating in this tournament must register and receive an ID card.

- (1) Date: July 31st (Fri.) 12:00~17:00
- (2) Venue: Naha City Municipal Gymnasium
- (3) Papers to be presented: Passport (for overseas participants)

9. Participation fee and Injury insurance fee:

- (1) Participation fee is 3000 yen per person per category. (This includes the Injury insurance fee)
- (2) Participation fee must be paid in Japanese Yen at the time of registration directly by the coach to the 2015 Okinawa Traditional Kobudo World Tournament Executive Committee Secretariat (mentioned below as Tournament Secretariat).

10. Health maintenance:

During the competition, first-aid treatment for injuries and the like will be handled by the organizers.

11. Uniforms:

Competitors and coaches must wear a white karate-gi as uniform. However, colored uniform as used daily are acceptable. Only flag and country coats, style and branch badges are allowed.

12. Others:

- (1) Matching drawings

Matching drawings for Kata tournament and Bo versus Bo tournament will be handled by the Tournament Secretariat.

- (2) Coaches and judges meeting

- a. Date and time: July 31st (Fri.) 14:00~16:00

- b. Venue: Naha City Municipal Gymnasium

* Please prepare the following papers

- ① Tournament registration form