



Brian Roberts Open Kata Championships

Sunday 19th July 2009

Samurai Judo Club, Lisle Avenue, Kidderminster, Worcs. DY11 7DE

This event was formerly the Midlands Open Kata Championships, now renamed in memory of Brian, who was a Samurai club coach for ten years and started the kata section at our club. Sadly Brian died in 1997, aged 60.

Categories

1 Nage No Kata

2 Katame No Kata

3 Goshin Jutsu

4 Ju No Kata

5 Kime No Kata

6 Gonosen No Kata (With Slow Motion)

7 Junior Nage No Kata for players under 12 years

8 Junior Nage No Kata for players under 16 years

9 Junior Katame No Kata

10 Junior Ju No Kata

Book-In Times

Junior categories: 9:00 to 9:30am. The mat will be available from 9:00am for practice and orientation.

Senior categories: 11.30 to 12.00 noon. The mat will be available for a period for practice and orientation.

Notes

Both competitors in categories 7 must be under 12 years of age on the day, and in categories 8, 9 & 10 must be under 16 years of age on the day. In Junior Nage, if one player is under 12 and one over 12, they must enter category 8. No age limit in other categories. A pair cannot enter two categories of the same kata, e.g. 7 and 8 or 2 and 9, in the same roles. All competitors must hold BJA membership or equivalent and must wear white judogi with red/blue or white belt. The standard for judging is the Kodokan video tapes, except Gonosen which is the revised National Kata Working party standard with slow motion included. The Gonosen revisions are on the Samurai website.

Entry

Entry fee: £6 per person per kata up to 2 katas, £3 per person for third kata, all subsequent entries per person are free. Entry fees paid on the day, without exception, will be subject to £2 surcharge per person per kata, but please let us know you are coming to help us prepare paperwork.

Cheques and postal orders payable to: SAMURAI JUDO CLUB. Closing date for entries 14th July.

Entries to: Mr. Ben Newbury, 80 Cheltenham Road, Evesham, Worcs. WR11 2LQ.

Alternatively, enter and pay online instantly, see website www.samurai.org.uk for more details.

Junior Katas

Junior Nage No Kata will be judged on the basis of the first three sets (plus opening and closing etiquette) only. However players may if they wish present the full kata for practice and experience.

Junior Katame & Ju No Katas are judged on the first two sets only. Again players are welcome to present the full kata.

Other Demonstrations

We would be delighted to see displays of either other traditional katas, e.g. Koshiki No Kata, Itsutsu No Kata, etc., or free kata. Please indicate on the entry form if you have a kata to display

Enquiries: Phone: Ben Newbury 01386 421088, e-mail: samurajudoclub@yahoo.co.uk, website: www.samurai.org.uk

For contact in case of emergency on day of competition only, club mobile: 07547 693121

Postal Entry Form- Brian Roberts Open Kata C'ships Club: _____

Telephone: _____ E-Mail: _____

Name of Tori	Name of Uke	Kata	Age	Telephone Number