

# SHINSEI JUDO CLUB DAN AND KYU GRADES COMPETITION

BJA Level 3 Point Scoring

<b>Organisation/ Entries:</b>	<p>Shinsei Judo Club</p> <p><b>Enquiries - email:</b> <a href="mailto:averiltaggart@btconnect.com">averiltaggart@btconnect.com</a></p>
<b>Venue:</b>	South Lakes Leisure Centre, 1 Lake Road, Craigavon, BT64 1AS
<b>Date:</b>	<b>Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> March 2026</b>
<b>Eligibility:</b>	<p>All players must have a current up-to-date membership of the NIJF /BJA / IJA</p> <p><b><u>DAN GRADES</u></b></p> <p>Players must be 15 years old and over to compete.</p> <p><b><u>KYU GRADES</u></b></p> <p>Players must be 14 years old and over to compete Maximum grade – <b>Brown belt (1<sup>st</sup> Kyu/18<sup>th</sup> Mon)</b></p> <p><b><u>Armlocks and strangles will be permitted in groups with Green (3<sup>rd</sup> Kyu/10<sup>th</sup> Mon) to Brown (1<sup>st</sup> Kyu/18<sup>th</sup> Mon) belts only.</u></b></p> <p>It is the judoka's/parent's responsibility to check that their membership/licence is in date and that they meet the eligibility criteria to compete ie age, grade.</p> <p>Competitors who wish to enter a category which is different to their sex assigned at birth are requested to contact <a href="mailto:safeguarding@britishjudo.org.uk">safeguarding@britishjudo.org.uk</a> at the earliest opportunity and before completing an online entry.</p> <p>By entering and/or attending this event you agree to abide by all British Judo Association policies and codes of conduct. This includes but is not limited to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Transgender policy <a href="https://www.britishjudo.org.uk/what-we-do/policies/transgender-eligibility-and-participation-in-competition-policy/">https://www.britishjudo.org.uk/what-we-do/policies/transgender-eligibility-and-participation-in-competition-policy/</a></li> <li>• Codes of conduct <a href="https://www.britishjudo.org.uk/membership-terms-conditions/">https://www.britishjudo.org.uk/membership-terms-conditions/</a></li> <li>• Contest rules <a href="https://www.britishjudo.org.uk/compete/organising-a-competition/contest-rules/">https://www.britishjudo.org.uk/compete/organising-a-competition/contest-rules/</a> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ <a href="https://www.britishjudo.org.uk/roles-and-clubs/roles/referees/resources/">https://www.britishjudo.org.uk/roles-and-clubs/roles/referees/resources/</a></li> </ul> </li> <li>• Stoma bags: <a href="https://www.britishjudo.org.uk/participation-in-competition-with-stoma-bags/">https://www.britishjudo.org.uk/participation-in-competition-with-stoma-bags/</a></li> <li>• Prosthetic limbs: <a href="https://www.britishjudo.org.uk/participation-in-competition-with-prosthetic-limbs/">https://www.britishjudo.org.uk/participation-in-competition-with-prosthetic-limbs/</a></li> </ul> <p>You must contact the organisers and <a href="mailto:events@britishjudo.org.uk">events@britishjudo.org.uk</a> if you require any support at the event or have any questions regarding the above points.</p> <p>Please note that failure to comply with these policies and codes of conduct may result in not being able to compete/attend this event, or removal from the event, and notification to the British Judo Association.</p> <p>These policies and codes of conduct are in place to ensure everyone attending the event has a good experience.</p>

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<b>Competition Format:</b>	<p>Categories will be fought in pools (or pools/knockout depending on numbers entered).</p> <p>The Tournament will be run under BJA Rules as per latest Tournament Handbook.</p> <p>Contest time: 4 mins</p> <p>There will be one Gold medal, one Silver medal and one/two Bronze medals (depending on number in group) presented in each group.</p> <p>This tournament qualifies for points scoring for promotion purposes.</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>The wearing of a WHITE judogi is compulsory at this event</u></b></p>
<b>Weight Categories:</b>	<p><b><u>All Dan Grades and 1<sup>st</sup> Kyu Grades (Brown Belts)</u></b></p> <p><b>Male</b>                    -60kgs, -66kgs, -73kgs, -81kgs, -90kgs, -100kgs, +100kgs</p> <p><b>Female</b>                -48kgs, -52kgs, -57kgs, -63kgs, -70kgs, -78kgs, +78kgs</p> <p>(STRANGLES AND ARMSLOCKS PERMITTED IN ALL CATEGORIES)</p> <p><b>Shinsei Judo Club reserves the right to amalgamate adjacent weight categories depending on the number of entries in the respective weight categories.</b></p> <p><b><u>Kyu Grades</u></b></p> <p>There are no set weight categories. All players will be sorted into groups based on weight and grade <u>depending on entries</u>.</p> <p>Kyu Grades will be sorted into the following categories (depending on entry numbers)</p> <p><b>Middle Kyu</b> – 2<sup>nd</sup> &amp; 3<sup>rd</sup> (Blue &amp; Green Belts) Kyu grades</p> <p><b>Lower Kyu</b> – 4<sup>th</sup> 5<sup>th</sup> 6<sup>th</sup> Kyu grades (Orange, Yellow, Red and White Belts)</p>
<b>Registration and Weigh-In:</b>	<p><b><u>Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> March 2026</u></b></p> <p><b>All Dan Grades and 1<sup>st</sup> Kyu Grades</b> – 08.30am to 9.00am</p> <p><b>Middle and Lower Kyu Grades</b> – 12 noon to 12.30pm (may be subject to change depending on entries)</p> <p><b>An open weigh in will take place at this event therefore <u>all</u> players must weigh-in wearing competition acceptable judogi trousers and a t-shirt (plain white round neck if wearing a t-shirt when competing).</b></p> <p>All competitors MUST bring their <b>VALID</b> judo membership/licence to registration and also their Record Book showing their grade. <b><u>Digital memberships must be able to be accessed to show valid date and member's grade.</u></b></p> <p><b>Players are NOT permitted to change in the designated official weigh-in area.</b></p> <p><b>The use of mobile phones is NOT PERMITTED in the weigh in area (except to access a digital membership).</b></p>
<b>Competition Start:</b>	<p><b>Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> March 2026</b></p> <p style="text-align: right;"><b>Competition starts: 10.00am Dan Grades &amp; 1<sup>st</sup> Kyu Grades</b></p> <p style="text-align: right;"><b>1.00pm approx. Middle &amp; Lower Kyu Grades</b></p>



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<b>Closing Date:</b>	<b>Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> February 2026</b>  Shinsei Judo Club reserve the right to close the entry prior to the published closing date if the maximum entry number permitted is reached.
<b>Entry Information:</b>	<b>£22 per individual entry</b> (this includes online entry booking fee). <b>ON-LINE ENTRY ONLY</b>
<b>Photography:</b>	<b>In line with the British Judo's Safelandings Policies and Procedures, the organisers of this event request that any person wishing to engage in any video or photography must register their details with staff at the Safeguarding desk before carrying out any such photography.</b>
<b>ENTRY FEES ARE NOT REFUNDABLE NOR TRANSFERABLE UNDER ANY CIRCUMSTANCES. (including injury) CHANGES TO THE TOURNAMENT MAY BE MADE AT THE TOURNAMENT DIRECTOR'S DISCRETION.</b>	