

Clyde Festival 2026

U8, U10, U12 & U14 Development Event

Venue:	Clyde Dojo, Office 6 Craigs Business Centre, 2 Macdowall St, Paisley, PA3 2NB
Date:	Sunday 26 th April
Closing Date:	Sunday 19th April
Eligibility:	<p>Under 8 Festival (Children aged 5 to 7 years old on the day) No grade limit</p> <p>AA band (Years born 2018, 2017, 2016) At least 8 years old on the day</p> <p>A band (Years born 2015, 2014)</p> <p>Pre-Cadets (Years born 2013, 2012)</p> <p>This is a development event, and so for all categories: no gold / silver medallists at any Grand Prix event. No medallists at Scottish Championships or above.</p>
Weight/Grade Categories:	<p>Weight</p> <p>All competitors will be weighed in on the day and split into pools of 4 or 5 if possible. Please put in actual weights below to help us make this easier on the day, we will be staggering groups by approximate weight to reduce the waiting times for players where possible. Players weights will be checked on the day.</p> <p>Junior grades All junior players will be grouped with similar ability</p>
Medals	Will be presented after each category.
Entry Fee:	Entries £20.00. Entry fees are not refundable.
How to enter & Payment	<p>Payments should be made to: Clyde Judo Club Bank of Scotland Sort Code: 80-13-53 Account Number: 06001760 Reference: your club and 0426 eg: "Clyde-0426"</p>

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Rules:	<p>British Judo Association Contest Rules and festival guidelines will apply as written in the Tournament Handbook.</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">• Transgender policy https://www.britishjudo.org.uk/what-we-do/policies/transgender-eligibility-and-participation-in-competition-policy/• Codes of conduct https://www.britishjudo.org.uk/membership-terms-conditions/• Contest rules https://www.britishjudo.org.uk/compete/organising-a-competition/contest-rules/ https://www.britishjudo.org.uk/roles-and-clubs/roles/referees/resources/• Stoma bags: https://www.britishjudo.org.uk/participation-in-competition-with-stoma-bags/• Prosthetic limbs: https://www.britishjudo.org.uk/participation-in-competition-with-prosthetic-limbs/ <p>You must contact the organisers and events@britishjudo.org.uk 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 have a good experience.</p>
Schedule	<p>Check-in times and schedule will be communicated to clubs after the closing date.</p>
Officials	<p>Trainee officials will be used for this event under supervision. Please be conscious of this and make every effort to encourage their participation.</p> <p>Any player not eligible to compete is welcome to try refereeing/timekeeping on the day, please let us know in advance if you are bringing any such players.</p>
Mat side Coaching	<p>Will be permitted through out, and we welcome positive encouragement of all players.</p>
General:	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Video recording of some fights may take place at this event; photographs may also be taken for promotional purposes including publication on websites and social media. By signing the entry form you indicate your acceptance of these conditions and parents (in the absence of any expressed objection) provide their consent to the taking and use of photos/videos.2. The Decision of the Tournament Organiser is final.3. The event is run in line with all British Judo / JudoScotland policies4. All information supplied will only be used for event organisation purposes and names/clubs will be published in advance of the event.5. Tea / coffee and other refreshments will be available on the day.

