



# Highland Budokan Grand Prix 2026

## Level 3 – Point Scoring



<b>Venue:</b>	Inverness Leisure Centre, Bught Lane, Inverness, IV3 5SS
<b>Date:</b>	<b>Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> September 2026</b>
<b>Closing Date:</b>	All entries and payment must be received by <b>Friday 28<sup>th</sup> August 2026</b> . No late entries will be accepted. JudoScotland reserve the right to close the entry if the maximum entry number has been reached.
<b>Entry Fee:</b>	<b>Entry Fee £32.00. Entry fees are non-refundable.</b> <b>Spectator Entry Fee: £3.00</b>
<b>How to Enter &amp; Payment:</b>	Online entries available via <a href="http://www.Judoscotland.com">www.Judoscotland.com</a> Telephone entries will be accepted if accompanied by a card payment.
<b>Eligibility:</b>	Age Band <b>AA</b> – Year Born <b>2016/2017/2018</b> (Players must be 8 years of age on day of event)  Age Band <b>'A'</b> – Year Born <b>-2014/2015</b>  Age Band <b>'B'</b> – Year Born <b>-2012/2013</b>  Age Band <b>'C'</b> – Year Born <b>-2009/2010/2011</b>  Seniors – <b>14+ Years – Kyu and Dan Grades Only-1<sup>st</sup> Kyu and above and 2<sup>nd</sup> Kyu and below</b>  As numbers are limited for this <b>Grand Prix Event</b> , priority will be given to Bands <b>A, B &amp; C</b> if received <b>before the closing date</b> .  <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>Entrants must be either a full member of BJA, WJA, NIJF or a member of an IJF recognised NGB.</b></li></ul>
<b>Judogi</b>	This is a development event and as such to aid trainee officials and referees all players <b>must</b> wear a <b>WHITE judogi</b> .
<b>Rules:</b>	British Judo Association Contest Rules will apply. All other rules in accordance with the British Judo Association Tournament Handbook.
<b>Weigh-In:</b>	Weigh-in times will be emailed to entrants and will also be available at <a href="http://www.judoscotland.com">www.judoscotland.com</a> following the closing date.  Players must not get changed into their judogi trousers and / or t-shirts in the weigh-in area; they must arrive already changed or use the appropriate changing rooms.  All players who are under 18 MUST weigh in wearing contest legal judogi trousers, and plain round neck t-shirt. The following allowances are to be used for open weigh ins  <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• ALL Must wear a T-shirt/Rash Guard, with competition legal judogi trousers 0.8kg (Must wear a Tshirt/Rash Guard with their judogi)</li></ul>



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<b>Weight Categories:</b>	<p><b>Age Band AA</b> – No Arm Locks or Strangles Boys – U25, U27, U30, U34, U38, U42, U46, U50, Over 50kg Girls – U24, U28, U32, U36, U40, U44, U48, Over 48kg If the player is in the over category, please state their exact weight in Kg.</p> <p><b>Age Band A</b> – No Arm Locks or Strangles Boys – U27, U30, U34, U38, U42, U46, U50, U55, U60, Over 60kg Girls – U28, U32, U36, U40, U44, U48, U52, Over 52kg If the player is in the over category, please state their exact weight in Kg.</p> <p><b>Age Band B</b> – No Arm Locks or Strangles Boys – U30, U34, U38, U42, U46, U50, U55, U60, U66, Over 66Kg Girls – U32, U36, U40, U44, U48, U52, U57, U63, Over 63Kg If the player is in the over category, please state their exact weight in Kg.</p> <p><b>Age Band C</b> – Arm Locks and Strangles Permitted Boys – U38, U42, U46, U50, U55, U60, U66, U73, U81, U90 Over 90Kg Girls – U40, U44, U48, U52, U57, U63, U70 Over 70Kg If the player is in the over category, please state their exact weight in Kg.</p> <p><b>Seniors</b> – Arm Locks and Strangles Permitted Male – U60, U66, U73, U81, U90, U100, Over 100Kg Female – U48, U52, U57, U63, U70, U78, Over 78Kg If the player is in the over category, please state their exact weight in Kg.</p>
<b>Medals:</b>	<p><b>This is a development event, and the Grand Prix organisers have decided to award the medals accordingly:</b></p> <p>4 Medals in each category (regardless of the number of competitors)</p> <p><b>The organisers reserve the right to combine age/weight categories when appropriate.</b></p>
<b>Mat Side Coaching:</b>	<p>Coaches looking to register for a coaching pass need to be able to provide evidence that they have all the relevant coaching qualifications and that they have been uploaded on to your JudoScotland profile. A coaching pass cannot be issued unless all validation criteria is met.</p> <p>Non-JudoScotland coaching status will be confirmed by British Judo's Coach Register and should contact <a href="mailto:Events@judoscotland.com">Events@judoscotland.com</a> to apply for a pass.</p> <p>Any coaches that need to update any of their coaching credentials please visit the JudoScotland website resources page <a href="https://www.judoscotland.com/coaching-volunteering/coaching-resources/">https://www.judoscotland.com/coaching-volunteering/coaching-resources/</a>, where you will find valuable information.</p> <p>To register visit <a href="http://www.judoscotland.com">www.judoscotland.com</a> before the event closing date.</p>
<b>General:</b>	<p>Video recording and photography may 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.</p> <p>The Decision of the Event Organiser is final.</p> <p>The event is run in line with JudoScotland/BJA Child Protection Policy.</p>



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The information supplied will only be used for event organisation purposes.

### Liability

JudoScotland shall not be liable for any delay or failure to perform any obligation, or for any alterations/cancellations, due to causes beyond its reasonable control. These may include, but are not limited to:

- Venue closure
- Strikes, lockouts, or labour disputes
- Acts of God (e.g. war, riot, civil unrest, terrorism, etc.)
- Threats to safety, compliance with government laws or orders
- Environmental contamination, pandemics, disease outbreaks
- Equipment failure, fire, flood, storm
- Shortage or increased cost of staff, materials, or goods

### Refund Policy

Entry Fees:

Refunds will only be issued if requested before the official closing date of the event. No refunds will be considered after this date. Administrative fees may apply.

### Additional Information

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:

- 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/>
- You must contact the organisers and [events@britishjudo.org.uk](mailto:events@britishjudo.org.uk) if you require any support at the event or have any questions regarding the above points.
- 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