

NORTHERN IRELAND OPEN CHAMPIONSHIPS 2017

Junior, Senior and Masters

BJA Level 4 Event



Organisation / Entries:	NIJF, House of Sport, 2a Upper Malone Road, Belfast, Northern Ireland, BT9 5LA Tel: +44 (0) 2890 383814 E-mail: nijudo@houseofsport.net Website: www.nijudo.com
Venue:	Foyle Arena, 2 Limavady Road Derry/Londonderry, BT47 6JY Telephone: (028) 71 376555
Date:	Saturday 22nd April 2017
Participation:	<p>Junior Event: Players must be born 1997-2002 (all Cadets may also fight in Junior category)</p> <p>Senior Event: Players must be 14 years of age or older on the day of the event</p> <p>Masters Event: Players must be 30 years of age or older on the day of the event</p> <p>Minimum grade – Green Belt</p> <p>All competitors must bring their judo licence to the weigh-in to confirm grade and eligibility. All international players must produce proof of membership of their federation.</p> <p>Maximum Contest Duration: Four minutes Juniors and Senior women, Five minutes Senior men, Three minutes Masters</p> <p>The Tournament will be run under BJA Rules as per latest Tournament Handbook.</p>
Judogi	<p>A WHITE JUDO GI WILL BE COMPULSORY AT THIS EVENT WITH BLUE JUDO GI OPTIONAL</p> <p>Current IJF Rules will be in operation. Please note the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No 30 second rule • Judogi measurements as per 2016 IJF rules. • 2016 IJF Red label judogi rules or the requirement to wear judogi of specific suppliers will not be rules at this competition.

Competition Format:	Knockout & Compound Repechage System or Pools to Knockout (if fewer than 8) This tournament is points scoring for promotion purposes.
Seeding:	Seeding for the Junior and Senior event will be based on the current GB Ranking list
Weight Categories:	<p>Junior Male - 55kgs, - 60kgs, - 66kgs, - 73kgs, - 81kgs, -90kgs, -100kgs, + 100kgs</p> <p>Junior Female - 44kgs, - 48kgs, - 52kgs, - 57kgs, - 63kgs, - 70kgs, -78kg, + 78kgs</p> <p>Senior Male (S) -60kgs, -66kgs, -73kgs, -81kgs, -90kgs, -100kgs, +100kgs</p> <p>Senior Female (S) -48kgs, -52kgs, -57kgs, -63kgs, -70kgs, -78kgs, +78kgs</p> <p>Masters Male (M) -66kgs, -73kgs, -81kgs, - 90kgs, + 90kgs</p> <p>The organisers would like to include additional age bands and weights in the Masters event. This will be based on entries received so early entry is advisable. Please note: Test scales will be available at registration (where the organisers must be notified of any weight category changes).</p>

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	<p>All juniors who competed on the Saturday and are competing in the Cadet event on the Sunday must register and weigh-in for the Cadet event during their allocated times but they will not be required to make their weight category limit.</p> <p>Players can change weight categories during the registration process (weight changes must take place prior to the player stepping on the official weigh in scales).</p>
Registration & Weigh-In	<p>The official weigh-in will take place –</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Seniors and Juniors on Friday 21st April 2017 19:00hrs – 20.30hrs</p> <p>Or</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Juniors Saturday 22nd April – 08.45hrs to 09.15hrs</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Seniors Saturday 22nd April – 11.00hrs to 11.30hrs</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Masters on Saturday 22nd April 2017 12:00hrs – 12:30hrs</p> <p>Junior Players must weigh-in wearing underwear and will receive a 0.1kgs weight allowance.</p> <p>All competitors MUST bring their VALID judo licence (BJA or affiliate) to registration and also their record book showing they meet the minimum grade.</p> <p>Players must satisfy the minimum weight limit for their category, ie for U73kg must weigh over 66.1kg.</p>
Competition Start	<p>Saturday 22nd April 2017 Competition starts: 10.00hrs</p>
Coaching Passes:	<p>Coaching passes may be obtained at the Registration area during Weigh-in times. Coaches must produce a valid BJA Coach Award card to receive a coaching pass.</p> <p>Only coaches with a coaching pass will be allowed matside. <u>Only one coach should be matside per player at any one time</u></p>
Closing Date:	<p>Wednesday 12th April 2017.</p>
Entry Fee:	<p>Enter instantly online via www.OnlineEntries.co.uk/NI</p> <p>£25 per individual entry; £40 per double entry (Jnr/Snr, Snr/Vet) and £35 per double entry (Cad/Jnr)</p> <p>Please note the entry form below may be used for double entry for Juniors and Cadets (for cadet details please refer to Sunday entry details)</p> <p>Please note: Entries received without the appropriate entry fee will not be accepted.</p>
Doping Control:	<p>Testing may be conducted by UK Sport</p> <p><i>UK Sport may conduct drug testing at this event. Therefore any player entering the event may be</i></p>

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	<p><i>drug tested, and will need to obtain a Therapeutic Use Exemption (TUE) if taking any medication containing banned substances. For further information see the drug-free sport section of the UK Sport website www.ukssport.gov.uk</i></p>
Performance Training	<p>There will be Performance Training for Juniors and Seniors on Sunday 23rd April 2017</p> <p>Venue - TBC</p> <p>Session One : 9.30am to 11am</p> <p>Session Two : 1.30pm to 3pm</p> <p>Cost : Free – please state on entry form if attending</p> <p>Coaches – Ciaran Ward, Colin Savage, Paul Green and Guests</p>
Local Information	<p>For some information on local amenities please click on the following link;</p> <p>http://nijudo.com/sites/default/files/N%20I%20Open%202017%20Local%20Information.pdf</p>
<p>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 PARTICIPATION IN THE TOURNAMENT WILL NOT BE ALLOWED IF THE TOURNAMENT ENTRY FEE HAS NOT BEEN RECEIVED.</p>	

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SATURDAY 22ND APRIL 2017

INDIVIDUAL ENTRY FORM
This form must be completed in full to be valid

FIRST NAME		DATE OF BIRTH	
SURNAME		MALE / FEMALE	
ADDRESS			
COACH			
CLUB		GRADE	
CONTACT TEL. NUMBER		MEMBERSHIP NUMBER	
E-MAIL ADDRESS (For confirmation of entry)		MEMBERSHIP EXPIRY	
Age Category (C, J, S, M)		WEIGHT CATEGORY	
SIGNATURE		DATE	
ATTENDING PERFORMANCE TRAINING (Junior/Senior only)		YES/ NO	

Entry Fee:

£25 per individual entry (Junior/Senior/Masters)
£40 per double entry (Jnr & Snr or Snr & Masters)
£35 per double entry (Cad & Jnr)

AMOUNT DUE: £ _____

Please ensure that the entry fee has been enclosed with this form. Closing date for entry is Wednesday 12th April 2017

Please send entries and payment to (cheques made payable to N I Judo Federation)

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