

**(7th) IRISH MASTERS OPEN**

All active & semi-active players welcome. 5 year age bands (30 years and upwards).

Please follow : Irish Masters Judo Team on Facebook & Irishjudoassociation.ie for updates

Previous Entrants note Closing Date.

1st Kyus and Dan Grades (IJA members) note this is a Point-Scoring event

Date	29 th October 2022
Venue	Leisure Point Centre Cardiffsbridge Road Finglas Dublin 11
Organiser	Irish Masters Judo Squad C/O Irish Judo Association, Irish Sport HQ, National Sports Campus, Abbotstown, Dublin 15 e-mail: admin@irishjudoassociation.ie Tel: +353-(0)1-6251104

Entries	<p>There will be 2 ways to register for the competition:</p> <p>1 Email to irishmastersopen@gmail.com (preferred). All e-mails will be answered !</p> <p>2 Facebook: Message to Irish Master Judo Team page. All messages will be answered !</p> <p>Please Note there is No penalty whatsoever for cancellation so please register early. (No scanner? Quote the unique number in the box eg Female 30-34 All Grades F1 u63 is no.25)</p> <p>Please be advised that the closing date for Registration is 23rd October 2022 (midnight) No Late Entries will be accepted. Absolutely none. Sorry. Entry Fee for Registered Entrants will be €30 payable at the weigh-ins. Two Categories €40 Three Categories €45</p>
Referees	To keep travel costs down a panel of referees have already been approached & identified.
Accommodation	No official Accommodation; Venue is 30 minutes' drive from Dublin City Centre

Transfer	All Irish participants & officials will make their own way to the venue; however any overseas teams can e-mail their flight details as there may be a volunteer to pick up at the airport.
Licencing	All Competitors must hold a current membership card with an Association affiliated to the International Judo Federation, or take out one-day membership with the IJA at the Weigh-In.
Media	Any person who wishes to photograph the competition is welcome.
Draw	Will be done prior to the event.
Competition Mode	Pool and knockout system with double repechage shall be used. Minimum Entry 3 per category, otherwise weights or ages will be amalgamated , only one category up or down. If weights available & safety concerns do not allow for amalgamation, two entrants will fight three times for the Title*. In these cases, Medals will still be given in the Category entered.
Judogi & Judogi Control	The competition will be held in white judogi with white and blue belts, or blue judogi in line with the rules as set down by the IJF and EJU. Where a competitor elects to wear a blue judogi, he/ she should ideally also have a white judogi available to conform with the rules. Long hair must be tied up with the appropriate elastic band. Make up and jewellery are prohibited. Nails should be cut short. Judogi control will be performed by the referees. Women must wear a white non-transparent t-shirt. Any bras must not have any hard pieces.
Insurance	Each national federation/club is responsible for insuring its competitors against injury and third-party risk during the relevant period. The Irish Judo Masters Squad, Irish Judo Association, and their agents will not accept any liability for any loss or damage howsoever arising.

***If it appears immediately after Closing date that a competitor will be alone in their category with no safe way of amalgamation, he/she will be notified to allow them the option of withdrawing and saving needless travel.**