



THE WESTERN CANADIAN KATA CHAMPIONSHIP

- SANCTION:** "A" Sanctioned by Judo Canada and Judo Saskatchewan
- CLINIC DATE:** Judo Saskatchewan will host a kata clinic on Friday January 24, 2025 at the Regina Y Judo Club, **1256 Cornwall Street, Regina, SK**
- TOURNAMENT DATE:** Saturday January 25, 2025
- VENUE:** **Regina Sportsplex** (Fieldhouse), 1717 Elphinstone Street, Regina, SK
- KATA TOURNAMENT DIRECTOR :** Dale Berglund kata@judosask.ca
CHIEF OFFICIAL: Christian Royer judoroyer@yahoo.com
KATA CHIEF JUDGE: Gerald Poirier geraldpoirier2311@gmail.com
- ELIGIBILITY:** Members in good standing with Judo Saskatchewan/Judo Canada or an organization recognised by the IJF.

KATA & DIVISIONS

Senior (2009 & earlier)

Nage-no-kata (3 sets)
 Nage-no-kata (5 sets)
 Katame-no-kata
 Kodokan Goshin-Jutsu
 Ju-no-kata
 Kime-no-kata

U23 (2003 –2009)

Nage-no-kata (3 sets)
 Nage-no-kata (5 sets)
 Katame-no-kata
 Kodokan Goshin-Jutsu
 Ju-no-kata
 Kime-no-kata

U16 (2010-2011)

Nage-no-kata (3 sets)
 Nage-no-kata (5 sets)
 Kodokan Goshin-Jutsu
 Ju-no-kata
 Katame-no-kata

Tori:	Senior:	Brown belt (Ikkyu) minimum
	U23:	Green belt (Sankyu) minimum
	U16:	Orange belt (Yonkyu) minimum
Uke:	Senior:	Brown belt (Ikkyu) minimum
	U23:	Green belt (Sankyu) minimum
	U16:	Orange belt (Yonkyu) minimum

NOTES: *The age division will be determined by the oldest partner.*
 A maximum of two (2) different katas per age division as Tori and/or Uke.



COST:

For the tournament:

- 50 \$ CDN per participant for one (1) or two (2) katas.
- 90 \$ CDN per participant for three (3) or four (4) katas.
- If you change partners, you become another team
- There will be no reimbursement unless the tournament is cancelled.

REGISTRATION: Registration closes: Friday, January 10, 2025

COMPETITOR: ***Both Uke and Tori must register and pay separately.***
<https://registration.judocanada.org/event/2025WCOKC>

KATA JUDGE: *All judges are asked to register.*
<https://registration.judocanada.org/event/2025WCKCKataJudgeRegistration>

TOURNAMENT:

Saturday Morning: (warm up at 7:00)

Competition starts 8:00 sharp.

Note: the order of kata will be announced at 7:00 AM.

RULES AND REGULATIONS:

The tournament will follow Judo Canada and the 2024 IJF rules and regulations in judging this tournament.

Judo Canada judogis rules must be followed.

Female participants must wear a white t-Shirt with short sleeves and a round collar (no v-necks) under their judogi. The shirt must be long enough to tuck into the judogi pants.

The judogi must be white. No judogi of any other colour will be accepted.

No musical katas are accepted.

There are no gender divisions in the tournament. All female, all male and mixed teams are accepted.

SURFACES:

There are two (2) surfaces of competition of eight (8) meters by eight (8) meters with a four (4) meter safety between them.

A white strip of tape, 50 cm long, will be fixed at six (6) meters at the center of the competition area to indicate the starting positions for Tori and Uke. There will also be a tape indicating the center of the competition area.

INJURIES:

If Tori and Uke are not able to continue for reasons of an injury, sickness, or an accident during the execution of the kata, the pair will be eliminated from the tournament.

In case of Minor injury like bloody wound, broken nail or a problem with contact lenses, according to the decision of the judges, the Kata execution will be stopped, and the athlete will be assisted by a Sport Therapist out of the competition area. The competition will continue, and the pair will repeat entirely the Kata soon after the last called pair.

In case a new Minor injury happens to the same athlete during the second execution of Kata, the pair will be considered out of competition.

In the case that a Minor injury happens after a forgotten technique or a major mistake, the pair will be considered out of competition.

AWARDS:

As per the Judo Canada Sanctioning Policy and Tournament Standards

SCHEDULE:

	Friday January 24	Venue
8:30 – 4:00 PM	Kata Clinic	Regina Y Judo Club
4:00– 5:00 PM	Kata Evaluations	
6:00 – 8:00 PM	Kata Judges Meeting	Host Hotel
Saturday January 25		
7:00 AM	Kata warm-up	Regina Sportsplex
7:00 AM	Order of presentations announced	
7:30 AM	Kata Judges Meeting	
8:00AM	Kata Competition starts	

ACCOMMODATION:

4177 Albert Street, Regina

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Email: guestambassador@atlashotel.com

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Rate: \$149.95/night plus taxes (2 queen beds)

Rates will be available Jan 23, 24 and 25, 2025

Hot breakfast included

Block Code: 012425JUD – deadline to book is *December 27, 2024*

Block of 10 rooms reserved for Thursday, January 23, 2025

Block of 50 rooms reserved for Friday, January 24 & Saturday, January 25, 2025



2415 Dewdney Ave Regina

Phone: 306-789-8008 Fax: 306-789-8009

Email: sales@fourpointsregina.com

<http://www.fourpointsregina.com/>

Rate: \$124/night plus taxes (2 queen beds)

Rates will be available Jan 23, 24 and 25, 2025

Block Code: JU2083 – deadline to book is *December 23, 2024*

Block of 10 rooms reserved for Thursday, January 23, 2025

Block of 30 rooms reserved for Friday, January 24 & Saturday, January 25, 2025