



**Judo for Kids, Chisago KAI,
Eastside Tigers
Proud to host
Thanksgiving Shiai**



**Junior (21yr & younger)- Open & Novice
Senior Novice Only (Green belt and under)
Master Novice only (If enough Contestants)**

- DATE:** Saturday, Nov 14th, 2009
- LOCATION:** St. Matthew Catholic School.... 497 Humboldt Ave., St. Paul, MN 55107
- AWARDS:** All Junior Competitors will receive an award.
- SANCTION:** USJA . (applied for)
- WEIGH-INS:** Saturday: Juniors 8:00 A.M. to 10:00 A.M.
- COMPETITION:** Start at 11:00 A.M.
- ELIGIBILITY:** **Must show current membership in: USJI, USJA or USJF.**
We will have application forms for USJA and USJI at the registration site. Each competitor must present a properly signed release and consent form. Each Non-Black Belt competitor must present properly signed "Certificate Regarding Non-Black Belt Contestants" form.
- DIVISIONS:** Divisions to be based on entries. We will try to divide by age, rank and weight
- NOTES:** **Tournament Directors reserve the right to adjust divisions to ensure fair and safe competition and or to reject any entry that contains false information or is not properly and fully completed.**
- UNIFORMS:** White gis are needed when competitor is second name called and may be worn on either side Blue gis only when competitor is first name called. We are providing blue and white belts.
- SCORING:** Three-minute matches for Juniors and Masters. Four-minute matches for Seniors. Three-minute matches The "Golden Score" rule will be in effect at this shiai.
- FEATURING:** Sale of Food and Beverages will Support St. Matthew Catholic School
Free parking in the lots and some on-street parking is available.
- ENTRY FEE:** \$25.00 (Second division \$10.00)
\$10.00 Discount for new USJA membership paid for at the tournament.
No spectator fee — bring your family and friends.

TOURNAMENT DIRECTORS:	Dan Hoffman Phone: 651-208-5650
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THANKSGIVING SHIAI
Junior, Senior
 ENTRY FORM

NOTE: Any minor not traveling with a parent or legal guardian must have the Warning, Waiver and Release of Liability and Agreement to Participate signed by parent or legal guardian before leaving home. Coaches' signatures will not be accepted unless accompanied by a notarized Power of Attorney from parent giving coaches authority to sign for their child.

Name _____ Home Phone _____ Email _____

Address _____
 Street Address City State Zip

Club _____ Coach _____

Sex ___ Age ___ Approximant Weight _____ Date of Birth _____ Rank _____

Emergency Contact _____ Phone _____

Certificate regarding non-black belt contestant:

I _____, a judo instructor holding the Judo rank of Shodan or higher which is recognized by USJI, USJF or USJA, hereby certifies that the above contestant, although not having been awarded the judo rank of Shodan or higher is of sufficient aptitude and skill in judo to compete in the above described event.

Signature of judo Instructor

WEIGHT	AGE	DIVISION	CARD NO	JI JA JF	FEE

----- DO NOT WRITE BELOW THIS LINE -----

Verified By: _____

Eastside Tigers

WARNING!

WAIVER AND RELEASE OF LIABILITY AND AGREEMENT TO PARTICIPATE

In consideration of being permitted to participate in any way, including travel to and from the Minnesota State Judo Tournament - USJA and related events and activities of United States Judo, Inc., United States Judo Federation, United States Judo Association, JMI and Judo for Kids & Chisago Eastside Tigers, I hereby:

1. Acknowledge that I am familiar with the sport of Judo and understand the rules governing the sport of Judo.
2. Agree that prior to participating, I will inspect the mats, equipment, facilities, competition pools or divisions, and the elimination or scoring system to be used, and if I believe anything is unsafe or beyond my capacity, I will immediately advise my coach or supervisor and/or a tournament official of such conditions and refuse to participate.
3. Acknowledge and fully understand that I will be engaging in a contact sport that might result in serious injury, including permanent disability or death, and severe social and economic losses due to not only my own actions, inactions, or negligence, but also to the actions, inactions, or negligence of others, the rules of the sport of Judo, or conditions of the premises or of any equipment used. Further, I acknowledge that there may be other risks not known to me or not reasonably foreseeable at this time.
4. Knowing the risks involved in the sport of Judo, I assume all such risks and accept personal responsibility for the damages following such injury, permanent disability or death.
5. Release, waive, discharge and covenant not to sue the United States Judo, Inc., United States Judo Federation, United States Judo Association, JMI and Judo for Kids & Chisago Eastside Tigers, together with their affiliated clubs, their respective administrators, directors, agents, coaches, and other employees or volunteers of the organization, event officials, medical personnel, other participants, their parents, guardians, supervisors and coaches, sponsoring agencies, sponsors, advertisers, and, if applicable, owners, lessors, and lessees of premises used to conduct the event, all of whom are hereinafter referred to as "releasee", from any and all claims, demands, losses, or damages on account of injury, including permanent disability and death and damage to property, caused or alleged to be caused in whole or in part by the negligence of the releasee or otherwise to the fullest extent permitted by law.

I HAVE READ THE ABOVE WARNING, WAIVER AND RELEASE, UNDERSTAND THAT I GIVE UP SUBSTANTIAL RIGHTS BY SIGNING IT, AND KNOWING THIS, SIGN IT VOLUNTARILY. I AGREE TO PARTICIPATE KNOWING THE RISK AND CONDITIONS INVOLVED AND DO SO ENTIRELY ON MY OWN FREE WILL. I AFFIRM THAT I AM AT LEAST 18 YEARS OF AGE, OR, IF I AM UNDER 18 YEARS OF AGE, I HAVE OBTAINED THE REQUIRED CONSENT OF MY PARENT/GUARDIAN AS EVIDENCED BY THEIR SIGNATURE BELOW.

Participant (please print name)

Participant's Signature

Date

FOR PARENTS/GUARDIANS OF PARTICIPANTS OF MINORITY AGE (UNDER AGE 18 AT TIME OF REGISTRATION)

This is to certify that I, as parent/guardian with legal responsibility for this participant, do consent and agree to his/her release, as provided above, of all the Releases, and, for myself, my heirs, assigns, and next of kin, I release and agree to indemnify and hold harmless the Releases from any and all liabilities incident to my minor child's involvement or participation in these programs as provided above, even if arising from their negligence, to the fullest extent permitted by law. I have instructed the minor participant as to the above warnings and conditions and their ramifications.

Parent/Guardian (please print)

Parent/Guardian's Signature

Date