

***USA Judo Junior Level 5 Event***

***USA Judo Senior Point Event E Level***

***Sanction Pending by USA Judo***

***May 13, 2022-May 15, 2022***

**Event Information Packet**

Tournament Site: **Northview High School  
1016 W. Cypress Street  
Covina, CA 91722**

Tournament Hotel: **Holiday Inn West Covina  
3223 E. Garvey Avenue N  
West Covina, CA 91791**

Check-In, **At Tournament Site**  
Registration, and **Friday, May 13, 2022 – Seniors, Masters, Bantam, Intermediate, and Cadet.**  
Weigh In: **(All athletes can register.)  
Saturday, May 14, 2022 – Juvenile, IJF, and all Novice categories**  
**All Athletes must register prior to the event. See Schedule of Event for details.**

Competition Dates: **2 DAY EVENT**  
**Saturday, May 14, 2022 – Seniors, Masters, Bantam, Intermediate, and Cadet.**  
**Sunday, May 15, 2022 – Juvenile, IJF, and all Novice categories**

Tournament Directors: **Frank Sanchez (626) 806-8120  
Eric Sanchez (626) 806-2731**

Head Referee: **Gary Takemoto – Olympic Referee**

Referee Meeting: **See Schedule of Events.**

Coaches: **Coaches are allowed to attend referee meeting. All coaches must have proper credentials to coach on the floor.**

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## Schedule of Events

### 2 Day Competition

#### Check-In / Weigh In

Tournament Site – Northview High School

Friday, May 13, 2022

Check-in and weigh in for all contestants. **COMPETITORS COMPETING MAY 14**

4:00 pm – 7:00 pm

**MUST CHECK-IN. Seniors, Masters, Bantam, Intermediate, and Cadet.**

Approximately 11:30 pm

Draws will be posted on-line.

#### Day 1 Competition

Northview High School

Saturday, May 14, 2022

1016 W. Cypress Street, Covina, CA 91722

6:00 am

Draws will be posted on-line.

7:00 am

Doors open

7:30 am – 8:30 am

Weigh in for Junior and Senior Point Divisions Only who compete on this day and are Pre-Registered and have declared weight

8:30 am

Referees' / Coaches' Meeting (Hospitality Room)

9:30 am

Competition begins for **Seniors, Masters, Bantam, Intermediate, and Cadet.**

12:00 pm

Walk up Registration and Weigh in for **Juvenile, IJF, and all Novice categories Begins**

3:00 pm

Walk up Registration and Weigh in for **Juvenile, IJF, and all Novice categories Closes**

4:00 pm – 7:00 pm

Israel Hernandez Clinic

#### Day 2 Competition

Northview High School

Sunday, May 15, 2022

1016 W. Cypress Street, Covina, CA 91722

7:30 am – 8:30 am

Weigh in for Junior Point Divisions Only who compete on this day and are Pre-Registered and have declared weight

8:30 am

Referees' / Coaches' Meeting (Hospitality Room)

9:30 am

Competition begins for **Juvenile, IJF, and all Novice categories**

3:00 pm

Post-Tournament Social for Referees and Coaches  
**San Gabriel Valley Event Center**  
15900 Old Valley Blvd, La Puente, CA 91744

**NOTE: ATHLETES DO NOT NEED TO WEIGH IN FOR SECOND CATEGORY IF SAME WEIGHT. IF A DIFFERENT WEIGHT CATEGORY, ATHLETE DOES NEED TO REWEIGH.**

**Registration, Entry Fees, Tournament Check-In**  
**Pre-Register On-line at <https://smoothcomp.com/en/event/7244>**  
**On-line Registration Closes May 6, 2022**

<u>Registration Dates / Entry Fees</u>	<u>1<sup>st</sup> Division</u>	<u>2<sup>nd</sup> Division</u>	<u>3<sup>rd</sup> Division</u>
Online Before or on April 15, 2022	\$65	\$55	\$45
Online Before or on May 6, 2022	\$75	\$65	\$55
Walk Up Registration	\$100	\$75	\$65

**Fees for entry into multiple categories must be for the same athlete.**  
**\*\*Do NOT Mail Forms\*\***

**No entries will be accepted after 7:00 pm May 13, 2022 for Day 1 Competition**  
**Seniors Point divisions, Veterans, Bantam, Intermediate, and Cadet.**

**No entries will be accepted after 3:00 pm May 14, 2022 for Day 2 Competition**  
**Juvenile, IJF, and **ALL** Novice categories**

**Golden State Open Hotel Accommodations**

**Holiday Inn West Covina**  
**3223 E. Garvey Avenue N**  
**West Covina, CA 91791**  
**(626) 966-8311**

**2 Double Beds – Occupancy 4**  
**Includes Complimentary Breakfast**  
**\$109 per night plus tax and tourism fees**  
**GROUP DISCOUNT CODE: GJC**

**ASK FOR THE GOLDEN STATE OPEN RATE**  
**\*\*\*\*\*Must Book by April 29, 2022\*\*\*\*\***

**All COMPETITORS MUST BE A MEMBER of USA JUDO, USJA, USJF, or ATJA**

**COPY of JUDO MEMBERSHIP must be included with registration.**

**\*\*\*\*\*FOR JUNIOR AND SENIOR POINT DIVISIONS ONLY\*\*\*\*\***

**DON'T FORGET TO ATTACH A COPY OR BRING THE DAY OF REGISTRATION:**

- 1. Proof of Age** (a copy of birth certificate, passport or verified proof of age on membership)
- 2. Copy of Membership card with national organization**

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# JUNIOR AGE CATEGORIES OF COMPETITION AND WEIGHT DIVISIONS

Please note that each Category is based on the year in which the contestant was born. All weights are in kilograms. For each weight division, the weight range will be over the next lower weight and up to and including the weight listed. All Junior categories are eligible for points. 3 for 1<sup>st</sup>, 2 for 2<sup>nd</sup>, and 1 for 3<sup>rd</sup>.

**For all regular bantam categories only:** Athletes must compete in their true age and weight category as their first entry. They can then do the following:

1. Move into a higher weight in the same age category
2. Move into a higher age but the same weight category.

Example: Athlete born in 2017 weighing 18 kg has the following options:

1. Compete in Bantam 1 – 18kg as the primary division. (true age/weight)
2. 2<sup>nd</sup> division can be either Bantam 1 – 22 kg or Bantam 2 – 19kg
3. 3<sup>rd</sup> division can be Novice

No Athlete is allowed to compete in more than three divisions.

## IJF Junior Categories

1. Must have been born between 2002 and 2007 inclusively.
2. No minimum rank requirement.
3. Second division available for OPEN.

## JUNIOR

### CATEGORIES ARE BASED SOLELY ON ATHLETE'S YEAR OF BIRTH

For each weight division, the weight range will be over the next lower weight and up to and including the weight listed. The following age and weight categories will be in use for this year's event (2022):

#### **BANTAM 1 (Born 2017)**

**Female and Male:** 18, 22, +22 kg

#### **BANTAM 2 (Born 2016)**

**Female and Male:** 19, 23, +23 kg

#### **BANTAM 3 (Born 2015)**

**Female and Male:** 21, 25, 29, +29 kg

#### **BANTAM 4 (Born 2014)**

**Female and Male:** 22, 26, 30, 34, 38, +38 kg

#### **BANTAM 5 (Born 2013)**

**Female and Male:** 25, 29, 33, 37, 41, +41 kg

#### **BANTAM 6 (Born 2012)**

**Female and Male:** 27, 31, 35, 39, 44, +44 kg

#### **INTERMEDIATE (Born 2010-2011)**

**Female and Male:** 28, 31, 34, 38, 42, 47, 52, +52 kg

#### **JUVENILE (Born 2008-2009)**

**Female and Male:** 36, 40, 44, 48, 53, 58, 64, +64kg

#### **CADET (Born 2005-2007)**

**Female:** 40, 44, 48, 52, 57, 63, 70, +70 kg

**Male:** 50, 55, 60, 66, 73, 81, 90, +90 kg

#### **IJF – JUNIOR (Born 2002-2007)**

**Female:** 48, 52, 57, 63, 70, 78, +78 kg, Open

**Male:** 60, 66, 73, 81, 90, 100, +100 kg, Open

## NOVICE

For all Novice categories only, athletes ages and weights will be reviewed and grouped into light, middle, and heavy brackets after official weigh in closes. All efforts will be made to group athletes so that there is increased number of competitors while maintain safe competition considering ages and weights.

Novice Categories (for pre-planning purposes only, categories will be determined light, middle and heavy):

### **BANTAM 1 (Born 2016-2017)**

**Female and Male:** 23, +23 kg

### **INTERMEDIATE (Born 2010-2011)**

**Female and Male:** 28, 31, 34, 38, 42, 47, 52, +52 kg

### **BANTAM 2 (Born 2014-2015)**

**Female and Male:** 23, 27, 31, 35 +35 kg

### **JUVENILE (Born 2008-2009)**

**Female and Male:** 36, 40, 44, 48, 53, 58, 64, +64 kg

### **BANTAM 3 (Born 2012-2013)**

**Female:** 27, 32, 37, +37 kg

**Male:** 25, 30, 36, 42, +42kg

### **CADET (Born 2005-2007)**

**Female:** 40, 44, 48, 52, 57, 63, 70, +70 kg

**Male:** 50, 55, 60, 66, 73, 81, 90, +90 kg

The IJF-Junior Category is the same as the International Judo Federation Junior World Championships Category. Athletes may enter if they are born in 2002 through 2007 only. The Tournament Committee reserves the right to make changes in the highest and lowest weight classes in all age divisions as necessary for safety purposes. When such adjustments are made, only the highest weight sub-category will be pointable.

## VETERANS ELIGIBILITY

Contestants may compete if they meet the following eligibility requirements and there is no conflict regarding weigh-in and competition schedules.

All participants, regardless of category entered must be a member in good standing with USA Judo, USJA, USJF, or ATJA. Only US Citizens will be eligible for points. All categories will allow non-US Citizens to compete with proof of Green Card, VISA, etc. Points are available for the Veterans divisions: 2 for 1<sup>st</sup> place, 1 for 2<sup>nd</sup> place.

1. Age is determined by year of birth. Minimum year of birth is 1992.

Age from	Age to	YOB from	YOB to	Female	Male
30	34	1992	1988	F1	M1
35	39	1987	1983	F2	M2
40	44	1982	1978	F3	M3
45	49	1977	1973	F4	M4
50	54	1972	1968	F5	M5
55	59	1967	1963	F6	M6
60	64	1962	1958	F7	M7
65	69	1957	1953	F8	M8
70	74	1952	1948	F9	M9
75	79	1947	1943	F10	M10
80	+	1942		F11	M11

2. Athletes who are not citizens of the United States may participate by meeting one of the following conditions:

If a non-U.S. citizen is a permanent, legal, resident of the United States (green card, etc.), then that person may compete either: For the Country of which he/she is a citizen with proof of membership in that country's Judo Federation and the Country's permission to compete, OR, As a member of USA Judo, affiliated with a USA Judo registered club. If a person is not a permanent resident of the United States, that person can only compete under criteria 2a, above.

3. Minimum rank of senior sankyu.

## **SENIOR ELIGIBILITY**

Contestants may compete if they meet the following eligibility requirements and there is no conflict regarding weigh-in and competition schedules.

All participants, regardless of category entered must be a member in good standing with USA Judo, USJA, USJF, or ATJA. Only US Citizens will be eligible for points. All categories will allow non-US Citizens to compete with proof of Green Card, VISA, etc. Points are available for the senior black belt divisions: 2 for 1<sup>st</sup> place, 1 for 2<sup>nd</sup> place.

## **SENIOR , SENIOR NOVICE, VETERANS**

### **SENIOR BLACK BELT DIVISION**

**Female:** 44, 48, 52, 57, 63, 70, 78, 78+

**Male:** 55, 60, 66, 73, 81, 90, 100, 100+

### **SENIOR NOVICE (Purple Belt and Under)**

**Female:** 44, 48, 52, 57, 63, 70, 78, 78+

**Male:** 55, 60, 66, 73, 81, 90, 100, 100+

### **SENIOR CATEGORY**

- Must have been born December 31, 2007, or earlier.
- Minimum rank of senior sankyu

### **VETERANS CATEGORY**

- Must have been born in 1991 or earlier
- Minimum rank of senior sankyu

### **SENIOR NOVICE CATEGORY**

- Below the rank of senior sankyu (brown belt) and not listed on a national elite roster
- Must have been born December 31, 2007, or earlier.
- The novice categories are not pointable towards USA Judo junior or senior point rosters.

## Tournament Rules

**Competition Method:** The standard (“true”) Double Elimination System with winners’ and losers’ brackets will be used. The winner of the losers’ bracket will compete against the winner of the winners’ bracket for first and second place. The first one of these two contestants to have two (2) losses will be placed second; the other will be placed first. The runner up of the losers’ bracket will be placed third. For categories with less than five contestants, round robin will be the method of competition.

Current IJF Rules will be used with the following modifications:

1. IJF and Cadet matches will be four (4) minutes. Juvenile and younger matches will be three (3) minutes long.
2. CHOKES – Junior Athletes who are in Juvenile (born 2008-2009) and older (this is based on the YEAR of birth and not actual age) will be permitted to use chokes.
3. ARM BARS – Junior Athletes who are in IJF Junior (born 2002-2007) and Cadet (born 2005-2007) will be permitted to use arm bars.
4. IJF Match times apply to Senior Men’s elite and Senior Women’s elite. All other Senior and Masters divisions will be three (3) minutes long.
5. **No arm bars or chokes will be allowed in ANY Junior Novice division.**
6. Juniors winning medals in the IJF-Junior, Juvenile, Cadet, Intermediate, Bantam 1-6 will be awarded five (5) points for a gold medal, three (3) points for a silver medal and two (2) points for a bronze medal on the Junior Elite National Roster that corresponds to his or her weight division.
7. Seniors winning medals in the Senior division will be awarded (2) points for a gold medal, one (1) point for a silver medal, and (0) for third place on the senior national roster.
8. **Athletes must be a member of USA Judo prior to the conclusion of the event to receive points for placement on the USA Judo roster.**

### BLUE AND WHITE GIS

Judokas are encouraged to bring blue and white gis. If bringing only a white gi, please bring blue and white belts.

### JUNIOR POINT LEVEL COMPETITORS – DON’T FORGET TO ATTACH A COPY OF:

1. **Proof of Age** ( a copy of birth certificate, passport or verified proof of age on membership)
2. **Copy of Membership card with national organization**

### MAAPP POLICY

The Center for SafeSport has developed the Minor Athlete Prevention Policies (MAAPP) which USA Judo has adapted to our own sport. The MAAPP is a collection of proactive and training policies comprised of two parts; Education & Training Policy that requires training for certain Adult Participants and the Required Prevention Policies, focused on limiting one-on-one interactions between Adult Participants and Minor Athletes to prevent abuse.

The full MAAPP policy can be found at [www.usjudo.org](http://www.usjudo.org).

## EVENT CONDUCT

EVENT CODE OF CONDUCT FOR ALL ATTENDEES

(To include but not limited to ATHLETES, COACHES, SPECTATORS, OFFICIALS, VOLUNTEERS, PARENTS)

1. I will not engage in unsportsmanlike conduct
2. I will not engage in any behavior which would endanger the health, safety, or well-being of any attendee.
3. I will not engage in the use of profanity
4. I will treat any coach, parent, athlete, volunteer, official or any other attendee with respect.
5. I will not engage in verbal or physical threats or abuse aimed at any attendee.
6. I will not initiate a fight or unauthorized physical contact with any attendee
7. I will obey all facility and organization rules
8. The concluding decision of the officials or event director is final.
9. Accept the decision of the officials or event director with respect and grace.
10. Be responsible for the sportsmanship of myself and teammates while assisting in maintaining a respectful environment for all participants.

It is agreed that if I fail to conform to the above while attending a USA Judo event through coaching, officiating, or participating in any capacity, I may be subject to the following disciplinary actions, including but not limited to the below in any order or combination:

1. Verbal warning issued by organization/event director
2. Immediate removal from event for the duration of the event
3. Removal of coach credentials for the duration of the event
4. Suspension of USA Judo membership, coach certification credentials, or official certification credentials.
5. If individual is removed from an event for failure to conform to the above CODE, their respective club will be immediately eliminated from the Team Award consideration (all loss of points) for that specific event.

#### TEAM AWARDS

Athletes will be awarded points for all categories based on the event as follows:

1. Regular Categories
  - a. 1 st place 5 points
  - b. 2 nd place 3 points
  - c. 3 rd place 1 point
2. Novice Categories
  - a. 1 st place 3 points
  - b. 2 nd place 2 points
  - c. 3 rd place 1 point

The team with the most points at the conclusion of the event will be named Team Champion for the 2022 Youth National Championships.

Criteria:

1. Athletes must declare their USA Judo club no later than 12:00pm et on March 18.
2. Athletes must be affiliated with the club during the previous 30 days to the event registration close. If previously unaffiliated, they may affiliate with a club within 30 days of the event registration close.

Trophies will be presented to the top three teams after competition. If club is not present, award can be picked up at future USA Judo national event or shipped to club at their expense.

***NOTE: IF A MEMBER OF YOUR CLUB (ATHLETE, COACH, OFFICIAL, SPECTATOR, PARENT, ATTENDEE.) IS REMOVED FROM THE VENUE FOR VIOLATION OF EVENT CODE, YOUR CLUB WILL NOT BE ELIGIBLE FOR THE TEAM AWARD FOR THIS EVENT***

# ***30th Annual Golden State Open***



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Vendors please join us for the 29th Annual Golden State Open. This year we expect over 400 competitors from California, Nevada, Arizona, and more. We hope to see you there!

**The deadline for receipt of all applications and payments is April 8, 2022.**

**Fee \$150**

## Contact Information

<b>Name</b>			
<b>Organization</b>			
<b>Address</b>			
<b>Phone (    )</b>	<b>Fax (    )</b>	<b>Cell (    )</b>	
<b>Email</b>			

Description of what you will be exhibiting: \_\_\_\_\_  
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If you would like to become an OFFICIAL SPONSOR for the Golden State Open please contact us!

[Guerrerosog@yahoo.com](mailto:Guerrerosog@yahoo.com)

Sponsorship includes:

- Vendor Booth (Gold)
- Logo on Award Stand Step Banner (Gold/Silver)
- Logo on Tournament T-Shirt (Gold)
- Advertisement on Guerreros Judo Online Social Sites (Gold, Silver, Bronze)

<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Make checks payable to: <b>Guerreros Athletic Foundation</b></li><li>• Send completed form and payments to: Eric Sanchez 3704 S Morganfield Ave. West Covina, Ca 91792</li></ul>
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