

MIDWEST JUDO CHALLENGE

SATURDAY, APRIL 30, 2011

USJA Judo Sanction Number
(Number Pending)

STANDING ONLY TOURNAMENT

Hosted by Co-Chairs
Mark Hunter / Gerald "Russ" Conkle

AMERIKAN JUDO

AND

LIMA FAMILY YMCA

345 S. Elizabeth St.
Lima, Ohio 45801

(based on a Jim Hrbek Tachi Waza Tournament)

(Endorsed by 16 times State Champion/Ohio and 1999 World Master
Champion - Mr Frank Herzog)

<http://www.hamiltonjudo.com/herzog.htm>

Location: Lima Family YMCA 345 S. Elizabeth Street. Lima, Ohio

Entry

\$25 if postmarked by April 1, 2011.

A second division is \$20

At the Door Entry will be \$35 and a second division \$30.00

Discount: A \$5.00 discount off regular fee for additional family members.

Eligibility:

All contestants must present a valid U.S.J.I., U.S.J.F. or U.S.J.A card at the tournament site. If you cannot produce a card, in order to play, you need to purchase your membership. Foreign contestants must have the proper ID from their home country.

Club Incentive (*Based on 200 or more registered tournament players*)

\$75.00 to the club with the most players

\$50.00 to the club with the second most players

\$35.00 to the club with the third most players

Tournament Contacts

Mark Hunter - markjudo@aol.com

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Russ Conkle – conklegr@embarqmail.com

Phone – 567-712-4691 (Co-Tournament Director)

Lima YMCA - 419-223-6045

Time

Jrs. and Masters Registration and Weigh-in 8:30-9:30 am Sat., April 30th 2011

Seniors Registration and Weigh-in 10:00 -11:00 am

Competition Time

Master at 10:00; Junior immediate after; Seniors at 12:00 pm

Referee Meeting 9:15 (Neil Simon – Head Referee)

Travel Incentive for Referees

\$15.00 if refereeing for the entire day. (Lunch will be provided)

Awards

For 1st, 2nd and 3rd place winners

Divisions

Bantam: Boys age 5-6 and 7-8

Bantam: Girls age 5-6 and 7-8

Junior Boys: Age 9-12 Light, Middle, Heavy as necessary

Age 13-16 Light, Middle, Heavy as necessary

Junior Girls: Age 9-12 Light, Middle, Heavy as necessary

Age 13-16 Light, Middle, Heavy as necessary

Senior Men-Novice - Light, Middle, Heavy as necessary

Senior Women-Novice or Advanced - Light, Middle, Heavy as necessary

Senior Men Advanced - Light, Middle, Heavy as necessary

Masters – divisions to be determined on-site

PLEASE BE SURE TO READ THE FOLLOWING PAGE

Please Take The Time To Read And Understand The Following

We are modeling this event after developmental tournaments that are offered in some areas in Europe and one presented in the USA by **Mr. Jim Hrbek** and held in Texas. The format is specifically designed to get people LOTS of Judo and LOTS of fights. In ALL cases, every division will be a round robin division. No division will have more than eight participants. In a division of three you would have two fights, in a division of eight, you would have seven fights.

In addition to the goal of getting a lot of fights, the aim of a standing or tachi-waza tournament is to foster and aid in developing more throwing techniques. There should not be significant emphasis on penalties, however, the potential for a normal penalty during a match will weigh in the final decision of a match. Emphasis is on getting down to business and scoring with throws. **COME WITH INTENTIONS TO THROW YOUR OPPONENT**. To that end, all matches will be ONE minute. In case of no score, there will NOT be a Golden Score but a referees' decision instead.

There is NO mat-work in this format. When competitors go to the mat, they will stand back up. Stalling will take away any earned point.

Since these events allow only a short time to win decisively, they generate a lot of excitement and are a lot of fun in addition to the challenges.

Elimination: ALL divisions will be held in the Round Robin format. That will allow 10 points for an ippon win, 7 for a wazaari, 5 for a yuko and 1 for a decision. At the conclusion of the round robin, the winner will be the person with the most wins. In case of a tie, the winner will be the person with the most points. In case of a continued tie between two individuals, the winner of the head-to-head match will be the winner. In case of tie among three or more, the tied persons will fight another full round robin among themselves.

RULES of the matches:

Attire

Judo gi of legal size. Women need a white T-shirt or white leotard.

Must have your own White & Blue Belts

All competitors must bring and wear footwear when not on the mat

Duration: All matches are ONE minute.

Submissions

- There will be NO chokes or armbars in any division (this includes standing chokes or armbars).

Penalties

- No score will be awarded for illegal techniques.
- Leg grabbing clarification: Grabbing and touching of the leg will NOT constitute a disqualification. The offender will receive a warning on the first offense. A penalty would be awarded for additional actions. In the event of a tie, the leg grab will weigh in the final decision.

Additional Rules

- Mat Area will be smaller than the IJF guidelines in order to help aid play within the limited amount of time. Safety areas are provided according to regulation.
- Electronic Scoreboards will be used
- IJF Medical Rules prior to 2003 for Juniors and Masters
- IJF Medical Rules will be used for Seniors
- Players must report on time or they will lose their match

**2011 Midwest Judo Challenge
USJA Sanction # Pending**

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DIVISION(s): _____ SEX: <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female OFFICIAL WEIGHT: ___ lbs
Payment mode: <input type="checkbox"/> Check # _____ /amt _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Cash \$ _____
Primary Card Registrar Verification: _____

**2011 MIDWEST JUDO CHALLENGE
OFFICIAL ENTRY FORM**

Enclosed is a pre-registration fee of \$25.00 for each individual event in the 2011 MIDWEST JUDO CHALLENGE, April 30, 2011 to be held at the Lima Family YMCA, 345 S. Elizabeth Street, Lima, Ohio 45801. For Entry Forms received after April 1, 2011 and for entry at the tournament site and ENTRY FEE of \$35.00 will be charged. Send pre-registration forms and entry fee to Russ Conkle 1422 S. Napoleon Road Harrod, Ohio 45850. Make check payable to The Lima Family YMCA.

Entry fees are not refundable!

NAME:

ADDRESS:	CITY:	STATE:	ZIP:
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PHONE:	e-mail:	BIRTH DATE:
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CLUB:	RANK:
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AGE:	SEX:	USJI, USJF, USJA (circle one) #	Exp. Date
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JUDO CANADA PASSPORT #

Certificate Regarding Non-Black Belt Contestants

I, _____ a Judo instructor, who has been awarded the Judo rank of Shodan or
(Print name of Instructor)

higher, under the auspices of USJI, USJF, USJA OR JUDO CANADA, hereby certify that,

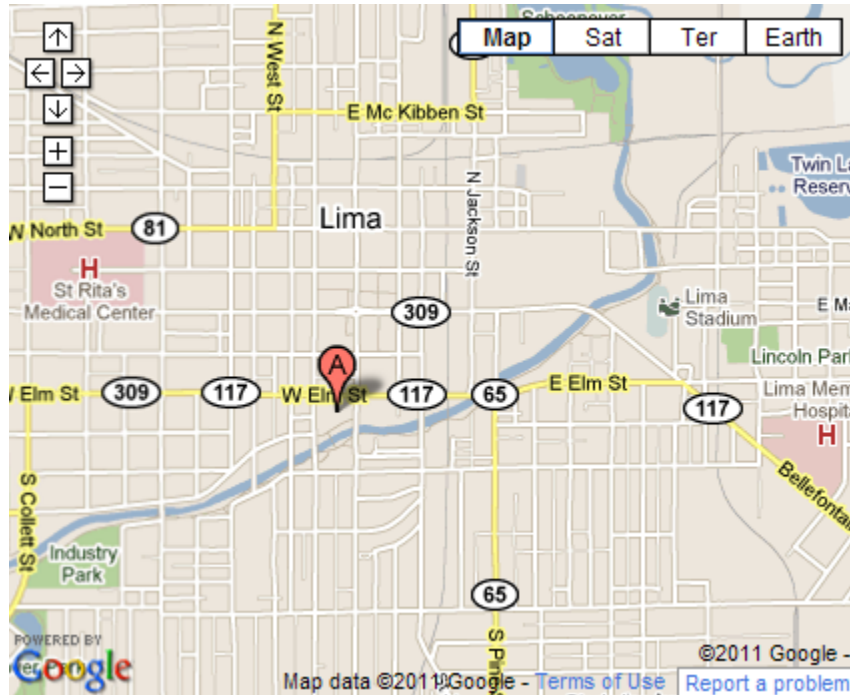
_____ **although not having been awarded the Judo rank of Shodan or higher,**
(Print name of Contestant)

is of sufficient aptitude and skill in Judo to compete in this Championships.

Judo Instructor (print) _____ **Date** _____

Signature of Instructor _____ **Rank** _____ **dan Org** JI JF JA

Directions
345 S. Elizabeth Street
Lima, Ohio



From North or South - Take I-75 to exit 125 towards Lima, Oh. Follow St Rt 117 and 309 West through town to Spring Street (one way West). Turn Left at the second stop light and you will see the YMCA two blocks back towards the East. Turn left (East) on Elm Street to the YMCA

From West – Follow St Rt 309 through Lima to the YMCA. It will be on the South side of the road, just before Main Street.

From East – Follow St Rt 117 and 309 West through town to Spring Street (one way West). Turn Left at the second stop light and you will see the YMCA two blocks back towards the East. Turn left (East) on Elm Street to the YMCA

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