

RIVERSIDE YOUTH KARATE CHAMPIONSHIP



Saturday - May 17, 2025

University of California, Riverside

UCR SRC North Arena – 900 University Ave, Riverside CA 92521

Pre-Registration Deadline: Thursday, May 1, 2025 - \$80 For 1 Event - \$100 For All Events

Registration Deadline: Friday, May 16, 2025 @ 10:00PM PST - \$125 For All Events

Registration Website: www.AmysKarate.com

Staging Starts at 8:45am – Check In will open at 8:00am

Rules:

ALL COMPETITORS MUST BE UNDER 18 ON THE DAY OF THE EVENT!

Kobudo ♦ Combined Long & Short Weapons Divisions

Kata ♦ Beginner & Novice division must perform a basic level kata.

♦ Beginner & Novice division may repeat katas every round.

♦ Intermediate division and up may not repeat kata in medal round.

Kumite ♦ Modified AAU Shobu Sanbon ♦ WKF Kumite Divisions for 14-17 Black Belts Only ♦ Absolutely no face contact in Beg & Nov Divisions ♦ Inclusive Karate Divisions for All Ranks

This event is licensed by the Amateur Athletic Union of the U.S., Inc.

All participants must have a current AAU membership. AAU membership may not be included as part of the entry fee to the event. AAU Youth Athlete membership must be obtained before the competition begins, except where the event operator has a laptop available with an internet connection.

Participants are encouraged to visit the AAU website www.aausports.org to obtain their membership.

For more information please contact:

e-mail: AJKAUSA@gmail.com visit: www.AmysKarate.com

Tournament Director – Amy Hung: 909.275.0558

Sponsored by The Karate Club @ UC Riverside



Riverside Youth

Karate Championship

MAY 17, 2025 – UC RIVERSIDE REC CENTER ARENA



1 February 2025

Dear Instructors, Competitors, Students and Friends:

Greetings and best wishes for a wonderful 2025. I am especially pleased to invite you to participate in the **Riverside Youth Karate Championship** on **Saturday, May 17, 2025 @ 9:00am**, at the **University of California, Riverside – SRC North Arena**.

BIG NEWS! To help promote leadership in our youth competitors & college students we are hosting this youth only event allowing our 18 & over competitors a chance to see the tournament from an officiating and operational standpoint. Any 18 & over individual can come and learn how to table the tournament, and/or sit in a judges chair and see it from a different point of view.

- Divisions will be determined on the basis of karate rank and age.
- Beginner/Novice contestants may only perform Heian, Pinan or Gekkisai level katas.
- We will use the flag system for all kata divisions.
- All kumite divisions will be utilizing Modified AAU Shobu Sanbon rules.
- Black Belt Ages 14 and over will also be offered a WKF Kumite Division
- We will be having Kobudo & Inclusive Kata Divisions.

Referee Attire: Navy blue blazer, white dress shirt, grey slacks, red/blue tie, black shoes

Thank you! Please feel free to write/call us directly:

Contact Amy Hung at ajka.riverside@gmail.com or at 909.275.0558, with any questions. I look forward to seeing you on May 17 for some great competition!

Yours in Shotokan,



Amy Hung

SP AAU Karate – District Chair

AJKA-I – International Events Director/ www.AJKAI-USA.com

Director and Chief Instructor – Riverside Shotokan Karate/ www.AmysKarate.com

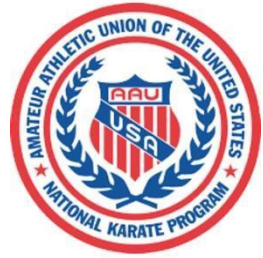
Referee & Judges Meeting – 8:30am on the day of the tournament

Riverside Youth Karate Championship Registration Form



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Staging Start Time: 8:45am

University of California, Riverside
SRC North – 900 University Ave
Riverside, CA 92521



Pre-Registration before May 1
1 Event - \$80
2 or More Events - \$100

Make Checks
Payable To:
AJKA-I

Late Registration after May 1
Before May 18
All Events: \$120

NO AT-THE-DOOR REGISTRATION!

Mail Registrations To: AJKA-I : 21212 Fibre Ct – Walnut, CA 91789

Name: _____ Phone: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Email: _____

Dojo: _____ Instructor: _____

Gender: M F Age: _____ Birthdate: _____

Rank/Level: Beg (under 1 year) / Nov (1-2 yrs) / Int (2-3 yrs) / Adv (4+ yrs)

Events: INCLUSIVE KARATE KIHON or KATA / KOBUDO

KIHON or KATA / FLAG SPARRING or KUMITE / WKF KUMITE
(8 & under only) (8 & under only) (14-17 Advance Only)

Athletic Waiver and Release

In consideration of being allowed to participate in any way in the Riverside Youth Karate Championship and related events the undersigned:

Agrees that prior to participating, they know and understand the rules of the competition, and that they (If under 18 years of age a legal guardian) will inspect the facility and equipment to be used, and if the participant or guardian, believes anything is, or may be, unsafe, they will immediately advise their coach and the AJKA-I personnel of such condition(s) and refuse to participate unless and until such condition is remedied.

Acknowledges and fully understand that each participant will be engaging in activities that involve risk of serious injury, including permanent disability and death, and severe social and economic losses which might result not only from their own actions, inactions or negligence, but the actions, inactions or negligence of others. The rules of play or the condition of the premises or of any equipment used. Further that there may be other risks not known to us or not reasonably foreseeable at this time. The undersigned assumes all the foregoing risks and accepts personal responsibility for the damages following such an injury, including permanent disability or death.

Release, waive, discharge and covenant, not to sue AAU, AJKA-I, its officers, its affiliated clubs, regional sports organizations, their respective administrators, directors, agents, coaches, and other employees, staff, officials, and volunteers of the organizations, other participants, sponsoring agencies, sponsors, advertisers, and if applicable owners and lessees of premises used to conduct the event, all of which are here and after referred to as releasees, from any and all liability to each of the undersigned, his or her heirs, and next of kin, for any and all claims, demands, losses, or damages on account of injury including death or damage to property, caused by alleged to be caused in whole or in part by the negligence of the releasee or otherwise. The undersigned shall indemnify the releasees and hold them harmless for any losses, liability or damages, which may result from any failure or defect of such release.

All entries are final—no refunds will be given. I fully understand that any medical treatment given will be of a first aid treatment type only. I can consent that any pictures furnished by me or any and all photographs or video images taken of me in connection with the tournament can be reproduced and used for publicity, promotion or other purpose by the AAU, AJKA-I, its licenses or assigns now or in the future, and published or broadcast by any media whatsoever, and I hereby waive any and all claim for any compensation of any kind in regard thereto. All participation in any event or class in this tournament is by permission only. The tournament director or he/his authorized agents reserve the right to refuse entry to any person, school, team, or club.

Please note, all athletes must be covered by their own health or medical insurance in order to compete.

Statement of health by my signature below, I certify and declare that I am in sound health, with valid medical or health insurance coverage in effect at this time, and there is no reason why I cannot participate in this competition.

The undersigned has read the above waiver and release, understand that he/she/they have given up substantial rights and sign it voluntarily.

Signature: _____ Guardian's Signature: _____ Date: _____