



BJC Closed National Championships

Age & Weight Event

22nd November 2015



The Arena Sports, Thurston Drive Kettering NN15 6PB

NEW for 2015

Please be aware that if you do not make the weight you have registered in then you will be charged a £3.00 administrative fee to transfer you into your correct weight.

The continued success of the BJC Championships shows that there is a demand within the membership of the BJC for competitions where our members can test themselves along with the best in the country. At the same time, there is also a need for a 'closed' event; open to only the members of our Judo family so that we can compete and win amongst our peers and at the same time, (for Seniors 1st Kyu and above Male and 3rd Kyu and above Women) have our contests accrue points towards eventual promotion. This event, the BJC Closed Championships 2015 is open to all BJC members and includes categories to allow for as wide a range of age, grade and weights as possible.

All competitors must be at least 8 years of age. To ensure that each competitor has adequate personal insurance, they will need to produce a valid **BJC** license at weigh in.

All competitors must register online before the closing date (See enrollment procedure below) at www.bjcjudoevents.org.uk

The BJC expect to offer the age/weight categories listed below, however they reserve the right to withdraw or combine any categories. Where a category is combined then only one set of medals will be awarded.

JUNIOR AGE & WEIGHT CATEGORIES (age on the day of the competition)	
8 - 9 year olds (The Age of 8 and under the age of 10)	Boys -24, -27, -30, -34, -38, -42, -46, -50 & Over 50Kg. Girls -24,-28, -32, -36, -40, -44 & Over 44 Kg.
10-11-12 year olds (The Age of 10 and under the age of 13)	Boys -30, -34, -38, -42, -46, -50, -55 & Over 55 Kg. Girls -28,-32, -36, -40, -44, -48, -52 & Over 52 Kg.
13-14-15 year olds (The Age of 13 and under the age of 16)	Boys -34,-38,-42, -46, -50, -55, -60, -66, -73 & Over 73 Kg. Girls -32,-36, -40, -44, -48, -52, -56, -61,-65 & Over 65 Kg.
SENIOR GRADE & WEIGHT CATEGORIES (16 years plus, on day of competition)	
4th - 3rd Kyu Grades	Male -60, -66, -73, -81, -90, -100 & Over 100Kg. Female -48, -52, -57, -63, -70, -78 & Over 78Kg.
2nd - 1st Kyu Grades	Male -60, -66, -73, -81, -90, -100 & Over 100Kg. Female -48, -52, -57, -63, -70, -78 & Over 78Kg.
Dan Grades	Male -60, -66, -73, -81, -90, -100 & Over 100Kg. Female -48, -52, -57, -63, -70, -78 & Over 78Kg.
Kyu Grade Veterans	Male Grouped by Age and Weight if numbers allow Female Grouped by Age and Weight if numbers allow
Dan Grade Veterans	Male Grouped by Age and Weight if numbers allow Female Grouped by Age and Weight if numbers allow

There will also be a Dan Grade open for men and women which will be split into two weights categories for men and women. This is an additional event and competitors can enter this on the day. Cost £15.00.



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The Organiser will Endeavour to ensure that each entrant is able to have a minimum of two contests. Where events on the day (beyond the control of the organiser) prevent this, the entrant will be offered to withdraw with a full refund of the competition entry fee.

The Organiser reserves the right to combine weight, age or grade categories in the case of insufficient entries. The entrant, parent or coach of any entrant so affected, may withdraw the entrant with a full refund of the competition entry fee.

WEIGHING IN TIMES

Saturday 21st November 6.00 pm to 7.00 pm

All competitors

Sunday 22nd November 8:45am to 9:30am

Juniors 8 through to 15 male & female

Sunday 22nd November 10:00am to 11:00am

All Seniors 16 and above male & female

Enrollment Procedure

Online registration

Competitors wishing to enter this event must register online before **Wednesday 18th November**.

Only those registered before **Wednesday 18th** will be accepted.

Register at www.bjcjudoevents.org

Pay and confirm

- You then have until 10am Wednesday 18th November to confirm and pay for your entries.
- If you pay online for your finalised entry you will receive a confirmation of entries by email.
- The closing date for all amendments and payment is 10am Wednesday 18th November.

How to pay for entries

Your final entries can be paid by:

1. Online at time of booking by Credit or Debit Card using our secure payment system.
2. Telephone using debit/credit card contact BJC HQ on 01692 580900
3. By cheque, made payable to BJC and sent to:

British Judo Council, 37 High Street, Stalham, Norfolk NR12 9AH

(All cheques must be received by the closing date 18th November)



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ENTRY FEE £18.00 per person
Spectators £3.00

Conditions of Entry

1. Entrants must produce a current BJC licence with photograph and date of birth at registration.
2. Closing date for entries is the 18th November, payment must be made by 10am 18th November.
3. We reserve the right to restrict any category, merge any category with an adjacent category or cancel any category (in which event the entry fee will be refunded). All reasonable efforts will be taken to notify entrants prior to the event date to avoid unnecessary travel.
4. Every effort will be made to ensure that each contestant is able to have a minimum of two contests.
5. The event, or part thereof may be videoed and/or photographs taken. If you object to your child's image being used please notify the Mat Marshall and all reasonable steps will be taken to ensure that this does not happen
6. The Weigh-in will be strictly controlled. One 'weigh' per competitor with removal of jacket only, is permitted
7. Weight changes are generally upwards only into the next heavier category. However it may be necessary to move competitors down if insufficient entries in a category or to avoid mismatch.
8. It is a condition of entry that entrants, their parents and their coaches satisfy themselves that the entrant is in a physical condition to participate in the event. Any doubts should be referred to Head Office at least one week before the tournament (or the Tournament Director, on the day, if something has arisen immediately prior to the event).

Competition Regulations

The event will be run under BJC Contest Rules. These can be found at:

http://www.bicjudoevents.org.uk/bjc_contest_rules.pdf

1. No coaching will be allowed during the competition
2. For reasons of safety, no refreshments, drinks etc. to be taken to the side of the mat. Drinking water will be available from the mat table
3. For reasons of safety, all competitors must comply with the regulations regarding footwear ie. Zoori only to be worn to the side of the mat. Trainers, Crocs or everyday shoes are not permitted
4. For reasons of safety, any competitor deemed to not be sufficiently competent technically, physically or mentally to compete will be withdrawn by the presiding official in his/her absolute discretion
5. No person at all is permitted to encroach upon the competition or official's area without permission

Prohibited Techniques

The following techniques are not permitted

Armlocks	All under 16 years
Strangles	All under 16 years
Sacrifice throws#	All under 16 years
Leg or Ankle Grabs	All under 16 years
Makikomi ¢	All under 16 years
Kata Gurama	All under 16 years
Drop Knee Seoi-Nage	All under 16 years
Leg or Ankle Grabs ∞	All Ages
Kubi Nage *	All Ages

¢ winding throw

∞ Leg or Ankle Grabs as an initiated technique

* neck throw with one or both arms

As direct, combination or counter technique

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