# 2012 AAU Grand National Judo Championships

October 19th & 20th

Kansas City North **Community** center 3930 NE Antioch Rd Kansas City, Missouri

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AAU GRAND NATIONALS TOURNAMENT						
Entry Fee	Schedule of Events					
\$40.00 entry fee postmarked by October 12, 2012 \$55.00 entry fee postmarked after October 12, 2012 (Registration will be accepted Friday October 19, \$55.00 fee will apply) \$10.00 entry fee for additional division	Weigh-ins for ALL athletes will be Friday, October 19 at 4:00-8:00 p.m. (Weigh-ins will be held on FRIDAY ONLY)					
Tournament Location	Awards					
Kansas City North Community Center 3930 NE Antioch Road Kansas City MO 64116	Large AAU National Championship medals will be awarded to 1 <sup>st</sup> , 2 <sup>nd</sup> and 3 <sup>rd</sup> place in each category. AAU National Championship T-shirts to all contestants					

## **AAU Membership Cards**

This event is sanctioned 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. Participants are encouraged to visit the AAU web site @ www.aausports.org to obtain their membership

Mandatory Coaches Education: The AAU National Office is happy to announce to its members, FREE Coaches' Education for all AAU Non-Athletes. This exciting program is MANDATORY for all AAU Non-Athletes and will be administered by Positive Coaching Alliance (PCA). Please visit www.aausports.org and click on JOIN NOW in order to enter and take the MANDATORY AAU/PCA coaches educational course. Membership may be revoked from non-athletes who do not complete course prior to competition.

### Age & Weight Categories

(All ages are determined on the day of the weigh in, 10/19/2012)

Masters - (Ages 30-39, 40-49 & 50+)

All Masters' categories will be grouped according to weight and based on participation. We will have approximately 4 or less weight classes per age group, depending on participation. No one will give up more than 15% body weight.

Males 30-39, Males 40-49 and Males 50 and older

Females 30-39, Females 40-49 and Females 50 and older

Seniors - (Open to athletes ages 17 & Older)

Males: 145-,154-, 165-, 178-, 190-, 210-, 240-, Over 240, Open Females: 106-, 114-, 123-, 134-, 145-, 158-, 176-, Over 176, Open

The winner of the Open class in both the male and female categories will be considered the GRAND CHAMPION.

Collegiate Age - (Athletes Ages 17 through & including 20)
Males: 120-↓, 130-↓, 145-↓, 160-↓, 175-↓, 190-↓, 210-↓, 235-↓, Over 235
Females: 95-↓, 105-↓, 115-↓, 125-↓, 135-↓, 145-↓, 160-↓, 175-↓, Over 175

Juniors - Male & Female Divisions

Competitors will be matched to closest weight and age based on the following: 6 & under, 8 & under, 10 & under, 12 & under, 14 & under, 16 & under

\*Tournament committee reserves the right to make changes in the interest of safety & fairness of all competitors

### **Contact Information**

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### **Area Hotel Information Harrahs Casino & Hotel Best Western Country Inn** LaQuinta Inn 2633 Northeast 43<sup>rd</sup> St 1 Riverboat Drive 2214 Taney Street North Kansas City MO Kansas City MO Kansas City MO 816-472-7777 800-780-7234 816-221-1200 Fairfield Inn & Suites Kansas City North **Holiday Inn Express Econo Lodge** 4231 North Corrington Avenue 1995 Macon Street 2232 Taney Street Kansas City MO North Kansas City MO Kansas City MO 816-452-6212 816-218-1100 816-421-6000

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# Release & Waiver of Liability & Indemnity Agreement

In consideration of being permitted to participate in any way in the Judo Tournament using AAU Judo rules of the tournament indicated below and/or being permitted to enter for any purpose any restricted area (here in defined as any area where in admittance to the general public is prohibited), the parent(s) and/or legal guardian(s) of the minor participant named below agree:

- The parent(s) and/or legal guardian(s) will instruct the minor participant that prior to participating in the below martial arts activity or event, he or she should inspect the facilities and equipment to be used, and if he or she believes anything is unsafe, the participant should immediately advise the officials of such condition and refuse to participate. I understand and agree that, if at any time, I feel anything to be UNSAFE; I will immediately take all precautions to avoid the unsafe area and REFUSE TO PARTICIPATE further.
  - I/We fully understand and acknowledge that:
    - o There are risks and dangers associated with participation in martial arts events and activities that could result in bodily injury partial and/or total disability, paralysis and death.
    - The social and economic losses and/or damages, which could result from these risks and dangers described above, could be severe.
    - These risks and dangers may be caused by the action, inaction or negligence of the participant or the action, inaction or negligence of others, including, but not limited to, the Releasees named below.
    - o There may be other risks not known to us or are not reasonably foreseeable at this time.
- I/WE accept and assume such risks and responsibility for the losses and/or damages following such injury, disability, paralysis or death, however caused and whether caused in whole or in part by the negligence of the Releasees named below.
- I/We HEREBY RELEASE, WAIVE, DISCHARGE AND COVENANT NOT TO SUE Steven Scott, Rebecca Scott, Steve Scott Enterprises, LLC, Kenneth Brink, Michelle Brink, referees, contestants, participants, referees, judges, meet officials, City of Kansas City, MO, City of Kansas City, MO North Community Center or any staff of Kansas City North Community Center, the Amateur Athletic Union of the United States, Missouri Valley AAU Association, the AAU Judo committee, the martial arts facility used by the participant, including it owners, managers, promoters, lessees of premises used to conduct the martial arts event or program, premises and event inspectors, underwriters, consultants and others who give recommendations, directions or instructions to engage in risk evaluation or loss control activities regarding the martial arts facility or events held at such facility and each of them, their directors, officers, agents, employees, all for the purpose herein referred to as "Releasee"...From all liability to the undersigned, my/our personal representatives, assigns, executors, heirs and next to kin For any and all claims, demands, losses or damages and any claims or demands therefore on account of any injury, including but not limited to the death of the participant or damage to property, arising out of or relating to the events(s) caused alleged to be caused in whole or in part by the negligence of the releases or otherwise.
- I/We HEREBY acknowledge that THE ACTIVITIES OF THE EVENT (S) ARE VERY DANGEROUS and involve the risk of serious injury and/or death and/or property damage. Each of THE UNDERSIGNED also expressly acknowledges that INJURIES RECEIVED MAY BE COMPOUNDED OR INCREASED BY NEGLIGENT RESCUE OPERATIONS OR PROCEDURES OF THE RELEASEES.
- EACH OF THE UNDERSIGNED further expressly agrees that the foregoing release, waiver, and indemnity agreement is intended to be as broad and inclusive as is permitted by the law of the Province or State in which the event is conducted and that if any portion is held invalid, it is agreed that the balance shall, notwithstanding continue in full legal force and effect.
- On behalf of the participant and individually, the undersigned partners(s) and/or legal guardian(s) for the minor participant executes this Waiver and Release. If, despite the release, the participant makes a claim against any of the Releasees, the parents(s) and/or legal guardian(s) will reimburse the Releasee for any money that they have paid to the participant, or on his behalf, and hold them harmless.
- I give Steve Scott and/or his representatives permission to take photos of me during this event (s), training sessions, clinics, classes, competitions or other events and use my photographic image(s) in any and all books, publications and other forms of media and understand that I will not be financially compensated and agree to not seek financial or other compensation for use of said photographic images.
   I Have Read This Release & Waiver of Liability, Assumption of Risk & Indemnity Agreement, Fully Understand its Terms, Understand That I

Have Given Up Substantial Rights By Signing It & Have Signed It Freely & Voluntarily Without Any Inducement, Assurance, or Guarantee

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