



## Nanka Referee Clinic, Regional Referee Certification



USJF Sanction 15-03-20

**When:** Saturday, March 21<sup>st</sup>, 2015 from 11:00 AM - 2:00 PM.

**Clinician:** Mr. Gary Takemoto, IJF-A Referee, 2015 USA Judo/IJF delegate to Malaga, Spain for the 2015-2016 IJF Rules Update Seminar.

**Content:** Refereeing and Competition Rules Clinic, open to Referees and Non-Referees alike. Serves as a Regional Certification Clinic, required for all candidates who wish to take their practical test at the Taishi Invitational Tournament. Clinic will address IJF Refereeing & Competition Rules for 2015-2016. Mr. Takemoto will provide updates and clarification flowed down by the IJF at recent International Grand Slam and Grand Prix events. Focus will be on rules as adopted by USA Judo for National Events.

**Eligibility:** Must be a current member of USJF, USA Judo or USJA to attend the clinic and in order to test for Regional certification. Must present membership card at clinic.

**Invitees:** Regional Referee Candidates, IJF/PJC/National Referees, Regional/Local/Junior Referees, Senseis, Coaches, Tournament Directors, elite and local athletes.

**Where:** Taishi Judo Club (contact: Rob Oishi 310-994-6917)  
19751 South Figueroa Street Carson, CA 90745

Located in I&I Sports Complex. Enter & park in the back driveway of the building (nursery side)

**Clinic Fee:** \$20 for all attendees, including Regional Candidates, at the clinic (cash or check payable to "Nanka") - \$10 off for additional family member(s).

Waivers require adult/parent signature at the clinic.



## Candidate Information

**Candidate Test:** Regional Referee Candidate written test 2:00 P.M. - 3:00 P.M. or as soon as the Referee Clinic ends. Test grading and feedback will immediately follow the test (3:00 PM - 4:00 PM).

Regional Candidates will be required to attend the Referee Clinic, pass the Written Referee Test and receive a satisfactory evaluation in the Practical Test during the Taishi Invitational Tournament (on March 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2015) to receive Regional Certification.

**Regional Referee Candidate Requirements:** must meet the following criteria and conditions: A Regional Referee must be:

1. At least 15 years of age.
2. A citizen of the USA, or legal resident.
3. A current member of USJF, USJA or USA Judo

Regional Referee candidates are required to bring proof of current membership in the USJF, USJA and/or USA to the Clinic (membership card required).

**Regional Candidate Uniform:** All Regional Referee Candidates are required to attend the Taishi Invitational Tournament in gray dress slacks, black socks, and a collared polo shirt (preferably white or black) for their practical (on-the-mat) portion of the test.

**Regional Candidate Testing Fee:** \$20 (cash or check payable to "Nanka"), at the clinic. A Nanka Regional Referee Certificate will be emailed to those Regional candidates who successfully pass their written and practical examination.

# *Nanka Rules Clinic*

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Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Sex: \_\_\_\_\_ Dojo / Club: \_\_\_\_\_  
Last / First

Birth date: \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Rank / Color Belt: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Street / City / State / Zip Code

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Jacket size \_\_\_\_\_

Main Phone:( \_\_\_\_ ) \_\_\_\_\_ Alternate Phone:( \_\_\_\_ ) \_\_\_\_\_

USJF# \_\_\_\_\_ USA Judo# \_\_\_\_\_ USJA# \_\_\_\_\_ Exp Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency Contact: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: ( \_\_\_\_ ) \_\_\_\_\_  
Name

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Street / City / State / Zip Code

If assistance/accommodation is needed (check appropriate box):

- Vision Loss/Blindness
- Hearing Loss/Deafness

Type of assistance/accommodation requested or name of person assisting \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**WARNING!**  
**WAIVER AND RELEASE OF LIABILITY AND AGREEMENT TO PARTICIPATE**

In consideration of being permitted to participate in any way, including travel to and from, in any Judo tournament, practice, clinic, and related events and activities ("Activity") of the **United States Judo Federation, Inc., USA Judo/United States Judo, Inc., United States Judo Association, Inc., Nanka Judo Yudanshakai, Inc., and the Taishi Judo Club**, I agree:

1. I understand the nature of Judo activities and believe I am qualified to participate in such Activity. I also understand the rules governing the sport of Judo.

2. I further acknowledge that prior to participating, I will inspect the mats, equipment, facilities, competition pools or divisions, and the elimination or scoring system to be used, and if I believe anything is unsafe or beyond my capability, I will immediately advise my coach, supervisor, and/or a tournament official of such conditions and refuse to participate.

3. I acknowledge and fully understand that I will be engaging in a contact sport that might result in serious injury, illness or disease, including permanent disability or death, and severe social and economic losses due not only to my own actions, inactions or negligence, but also to the actions, inactions, or negligence of others, the rules of the sport of Judo, or conditions of the premises or of any equipment used. Further, I acknowledge that there may be other risks not known to me or not reasonably foreseeable at this time.

4. Knowing the risks involved in the sport of Judo, I assume all such risks and accept personal responsibility for the damages following such injury, illness, disease, permanent disability, or death.

5. I hereby release, waive, discharge and covenant not to sue the **United States Judo Federation, Inc., USA Judo/United States Judo, Inc., United States Judo Association, Inc., Nanka Judo Yudanshakai, Inc., and the Taishi Judo Club**, together with their affiliated clubs, their respective administrators, directors, officers, agents, coaches, and other employees or volunteers of the organization, event officials, medical personnel, other participants, their parents, legal guardians, supervisors and coaches, sponsoring agencies, sponsors, advertisers, and if applicable, owners, lessors, and lessees of premises used in conducting the event, all of whom are hereinafter referred to as "Releasees", from any and all litigation expenses, attorney fees, loss, liability, damage or costs on account of injury, illness, disease, including permanent disability and death or damage to property, caused or alleged to be caused in whole or in part by the negligent acts or omissions of the Releasees or otherwise to the fullest extent permitted by law.

**I HAVE READ THE ABOVE WARNING, WAIVER, AND RELEASE, UNDERSTAND THAT I HAVE GIVEN UP SUBSTANTIAL RIGHTS BY SIGNING IT, AND KNOWING THIS, SIGN IT VOLUNTARILY AND WITHOUT ANY INDUCEMENT OR ASSURANCE OF ANY NATURE. I AGREE TO PARTICIPATE KNOWING THE RISKS AND CONDITIONS INVOLVED AND DO SO ENTIRELY OF MY OWN FREE WILL. I AFFIRM THAT I AM AT LEAST 18 YEARS OF AGE, OR, IF I AM UNDER 18 YEARS OF AGE, I HAVE OBTAINED THE REQUIRED CONSENT OF MY PARENT/LEGAL GUARDIAN AS EVIDENCED BY THEIR SIGNATURE BELOW. I INTEND THIS TO BE A COMPLETE AND UNCONDITIONAL RELEASE OF ALL LIABILITY TO THE GREATEST EXTENT ALLOWED BY LAW AND AGREE THAT IF ANY PORTION OF THIS AGREEMENT IS HELD TO BE INVALID THAT THE BALANCE, NOTWITHSTANDING SHALL CONTINUE IN FULL FORCE AND EFFECT.**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Participant

\_\_\_\_\_  
Participant's Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

**FOR PARENTS/LEGAL GUARDIANS OF PARTICIPANTS OF MINORITY AGE  
(UNDER AGE 18 AT TIME OF REGISTRATION)**

This is to certify that I, as parent/legal guardian with legal responsibility for this participant, do consent and agree to his/her release, as provided above, of all the Releasees, and, for myself, my heirs, assigns, and next of kin, I release and agree to indemnify and hold harmless the Releasees from any and all liabilities incident to my minor child's involvement or participation including litigation expenses, attorney fees, loss, liability, damage or costs which may incur as the result of the minor child's participation in these programs as provided above, even if arising from their negligence, to the fullest extent permitted by law. I have instructed the minor participant as to the above warnings and conditions and their ramifications.

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Parent/Legal Guardian

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Parent/Legal Guardian's Signature

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Date