

Attention Senseis, Coaches and Athletes,

It is a great pleasure for me to extend an invitation to you and your competitors to participate in the – **Preparation for Team Trial 2025 and US Open 2025**, scheduled for **January 19th, 2025**, **in Santa Ana, California**. This is one tournament you do not want to miss!

Exciting Announcement:

Select categories will offer **Cash prizes** and **Arawaza WKF-approved uniforms** for the winners!

The tournament will follow **WKF/USANKF** rules, ensuring a high level of competition. We are proud to announce that the tournament will be officiated by **WKF and PKF referees**, guaranteeing fair and professional judging.

The tournament will be held at: **Century High 1401 S Grand Ave, Santa Ana, CA 92705**, **United States**. All registrations must be completed online at: www.taiikkarate.com/californiakarate2025

If you require any additional details regarding the tournament, please feel free to contact me, Sensei Alex Tajik, at **949-350-2735** or via email at **info@tajikkarate.com**.

I look forward to welcoming you to the California Karate International Tournament of Champions on January 19th, 2025!

Sensei Alex Tajik

Tournament Director



California Karate International Tournament of Champions 2025 is pleased to announce Sensei Fariba Madani, Secretary of the WKF Karate Referee Commission and USANKF Referee Chair, as the Referee Director for the California Karate International Tournament of Champions 2025.

Sensei Fariba Madani is an esteemed figure in the international karate community, and we are privileged to have her oversee the refereeing for this event. Her expertise and leadership will ensure the highest level of professionalism and fairness during the competition.



We are looking forward to an outstanding event under her direction.





Tournament rules:

USANKF / WKF modified rules. All techniques to the face, head and neck must have absolute control. The referee panel will penalize the competitor, if the hand techniques touch the face, neck or head for the 15 years old and younger. Light skin touch with feet is allowed for all 14 years old and older. Age 16 and up (non-injurious, "light skin touch") with hand is allowed. For all 5-13 years old categories 1 & ½ minutes stop time, and 2 minutes for all other categories with the exception of mandatory male & female categories which will be 3 minute stop time.

Equipment:

White Karate-Gi, Blue/Red shoulder Karate-Gi, Leather fist guard (red, blue), mouth guard and groin protector (male), Shin Guard, Foot Pads are mandatory. Headgear, Chest Protector (female), WKF Face mask and body protector are optional.



DATE: January 19th, 2025

START TIME: Doors open at 8:00 am Tournament will begin at 9:00 am.

EVENT LOCATION: Century High 1401, S Grand Ave, Santa Ana, CA 92705

REFEREE MEETING: 8:20 am

ATHLETES: Only athletes in the staging room

SPECTATOR FEE: \$10 Cash at the door

(children 4 years old and older)

RULES: USANKF/ WKF Modified Rules

3 or 5 Judges



PRE-REGISTRATION: www.tajikkarate.com/californiakarate2025

Registration will be closed January 10th, 2025 (\$20.00 late fee for after deadline registration)

Fee is non-refundable

K = KATA S = KUMITE (SPARRING) W = WEAPON

T = TEAM

Kata		Kumite		
ID	DIVISION	ID	DIVISION	
EK59	^14-17 Yrs. Kata (girls) ^ Elite Kata	ES35	^14-15 Years Old (girls)^ Elite Kumite	
EK60	^14-17 Yrs. Kata (boys) ^ Elite Kata	ES36	^14-15 Years Old (boys)^ Elite Kumite	
EK61	^16+ Yrs. Kata (female) ^ Elite Kata	ES39	^16-17 Years Old (girls)^ Elite Kumite	
EK62	^16+ Kata (male) ^ Elite Kata	ES40	^16-17 Years Old (boys)^ Elite Kumite	

Kumite Elite Open Family Kata (Mixed Kata)

ID	DIVISION	ID	DIVISION
ES63	*Male Elite Open *	FK1	Family Team Kata (mixed) Team Kata
FS65	*Female Flite Onen *		

Kihon Division

ID	DIVISION		
KIHON1	Under 7 Boys/Girls Kihon Division		

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Kata		Kata	
ID	DIVISION	ID	DIVISION
K1	5 Yrs. & Under Beg. (boys & Girls) Kata	K28	12-13 Years Old Nov (boys) Kata
K2	5 Yrs. & Under Nov. (boys & Girls) Kata	K29	12-13 Years Old Int. (girls) Kata
K3	6-7 Years Old Begs (girls) Kata	K30	12-13 Years Old Int. (boys) Kata
K4	6-7 Years Old Begs (boys) Kata	K31	12-13 Years Old Adv. (girls) Kata
K5	6-7 Years Old Nov (girls) Kata	K32	12-13 Years Old Adv. (boys) Kata
K6	6-7 Years Old Novice (boys) Kata	K33	14-15 Years Old Beg./nov. (girls) Kata
K7	6-7 Years Old Int./adv. (girls) Kata	K34	14-15 Years Old Beg./nov. (boys) Kata
K8	6-7 Years Old Int./adv. (boys) Kata	K35	^ 14-15 Years Old Int./adv. Girls) ^ Kata
K9	8-9 Years Old Begs (girls) Kata	K36	^ 14-15 Years Old Int./adv. (boys) ^ Kata
K10	8-9 Years Old Begs (boys) Kata	K37	16-17 Years Old Beg./nov (girls) Kata
K11	8-9 Years Old Nov (girls) Kata	K38	16-17 Years Old Beg./nov. (boys) Kata
K12	8-9 Years Old Novice (boys) Kata	K39	^16-17 Years Old Int./adv. (girls) Kata
K13	8-9 Years Old (girls) Kata	K40	^16-17 Years Old Int./adv. (boys)^ Kata
K14	8-9 Years Old Int (boys) Kata	K41	18-34 Womens Beginner Kata
K15	8-9 Years Old Adv (girls) Kata	K42	18-34 Womens Novice Kata
K16	8-9 Years Old Adv (boys) Kata	K43	18-34 Womens Int. Kata
K17	10-11 Years Old Begs (girls) Kata	K45	35+ Womens Beg./nov. Kata
K18	10-11 Years Old Begs (boys) Kata	K46	35+ Womens Int.(brown Belts) Kata
K19	10-11 Years Old Nov (girls) Kata	K47	35+ Womens Adv. (black Belts) Kata
K20	10-11 Years Old Nov (boys) Kata	K49	18-34 Mens Beg. Kata
K21	10-11 Years Old Int. (girls) Kata	K50	18-34 Mens Nov. Kata
K22	10-11 Years Old Int. (boys) Kata	K51	18-34 Mens Int. (brown Belt) Kata
K23	10-11 Years Old Adv (girls) Kata	K52	18-34 Mens Advanced Kata
K24	10-11 Years Old Adv (boys) Kata	K53	35+ Mens Beg./nov. Kata
K25	12-13 Years Old Begs (girls) Kata	K54	35+ Mens Int. (brown Belts) Kata
K26	12-13 Years Old Begs (boys) Kata	K55	35+ Mens Adv. (black Belts) Kata
K27	12-13 Years Old Nov (girls) Kata		

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Kumite

ID	DIVISION	ID	DIVISION
S1	5 Yrs. & Under Beg. (boys & Girls) Kumite	S30	12-13 Years Old Int. (boys) Kumite
S2	5 Years & Under Nov. (boys & Girls) Kumite	S31	12-13 Years Old Adv. (girls) Kumite
S3	6-7 Years Old Begs (girls) Kumite	S32	12-13 Years Old Adv. (boys) Kumite
S4	6-7 Years Old Begs (boys) Kumite	S33	14-15 Years Old Beg./nov. (girls) Kumite
S5	6-7 Years Old Nov (girls) Kumite	S34	14-15 Years Old Beg./nov. (boys) Kumite
S6	6-7 Years Old Nov (boys) Kumite	S35	14-15 Years Old Int./adv. (girls) Kumite
S7	6-7 Years Old Int./adv. (girls) Kumite	S36	14-15 Years Old Int./adv. (boys) Kumite
S8	6-7 Years Old Int./adv. (boys) Kumite	S37	16-17 Years Old Beg./nov. (girls) Kumite
S9	8-9 Years Old Begs (girls) Kumite	S38	16-17 Years Old Beg./nov. (boys) Kumite
S10	8-9 Years Old Begs (boys) Kumite	S39	16-17 Years Old Int./adv. (girls) Kumite
S11	8-9 Years Old Nov (girls) Kumite	S40	16-17 Years Old Int./adv. (boys) Kumite
S12	8-9 Years Old Nov (boys) Kumite	S41	18-34 Womens Beginner Kumite
S13	8-9 Years Old Int(girls) Kumite	S42	18-34 Womens Novice Kumite
S14	8-9 Years Old Int (boys) Kumite	S43	18-34 Womens Int. Kumite
S15	8-9 Years Old Adv (girls) Kumite	S45	35+ Womens Beg./nov. Kumite
S16	8-9 Years Old Adv (boys) Kumite	S46	35+ Womens Int.(brown Belts) Kumite
S17	10-11 Years Old Begs (girls) Kumite	S47	35+ Womens Adv. (black Belts) Kumite
S18	10-11 Years Old Begs (boys) Kumite	S49	18-34 Mens Beg. Kumite
S19	10-11 Years Old Nov (girls) Kumite	S50	18-34 Mens Nov. Kumite
S20	10-11 Years Old Nov (boys) Kumite	S51	18-34 Mens Int. (brown Belt) Kumite
S21	10-11 Years Old Int. (girls) Kumite	S52	18-34 Mens Advanced Kumite
S22	10-11 Years Old Int. (boys) Kumite	S53	35+ Mens Beg./nov. Kumite
S23	10-11 Years Old Adv (girls) Kumite	S54	35+ Mens Int. (brown Belts) Kumite
S24	10-11 Years Old Adv (boys) Kumite	S55	35+ Mens Adv. (black Belts) Kumite
S25	12-13 Years Old Begs (girls) Kumite	S61	*Male 18+ Adv. Kumite Elite (-65kg.) *
S26	12-13 Years Old Begs (boys) Kumite	S62	*Male 18+ Adv. Kumite Elite (-75kg.) *
S27	12-13 Years Old Nov (girls) Kumite	S63	*Male 18+ Adv. Kumite Elite (+75kg.) *
S28	12-13 Years Old Nov (boys) Kumite	S64	*Female 18+ Adv. Kumite Elite (-61kg.) *
S29	12-13 Years Old Int. (girls) Kumite	S65	*Female 18+ Adv. Kumite Elite (+61kg.) *

Team Kata

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Team Kumite

ID	DIVISION	ID	DIVISION
TK1	9 Yrs. & Younger Kata Team Kata	TS1	9 Yrs. Old Under (mix) Team Kumite
TK2	10-12 Yrs. Old (beg./nov.) Team Kata	TS2	10-12 Yrs. Old Beg/nov (mix) Team Kumite
TK3	10-12 Yrs. Old (int./adv.) Team Kata	TS3	10-12 Yrs. Old Int./adv. (mix) Team Kumite
TK4	13-17 Yrs. Old (beg./nov.) Team Kata	TS4	13-17 Yrs. Old Beg./nov. (girls) Team Kumite
TK5	13-17 Yrs. Old (int./adv.) Team Kata	TS5	13-17 Yrs. Old Int./adv. (girls) Team Kumite
TK6	18+ Yrs. (female) Team Kata	TS6	13-17 Yrs. Old Beg./nov. (boys) Team Kumite
TK7	18+ Yrs. (male) Team Kata	TS7	13-17 Yrs. Old Int./adv. (boys) Team Kumite
		TS8	^18 + Yrs. Old Female (int./adv.) ^ Team Kumite
		TS9	^18+ Yrs. Old Male (int./adv.) ^ Team Kumite
		TS10	18+ Yrs. Old Beg./nov. (female) Team Kumite
		TS11	18+ Yrs. Old Beg./nov., (male) Team Kumite

Kubudo (Weapons)

ID	DIVISION
W1	12 & Under Short Weapon Weapons
W2	12 & Under Long Weapon Weapons
W3	13-17 Short Weapon Weapons
W4	13-17 Long Weapon Weapons
W5	18+ Short Weapon (male) Weapons
W6	18+ Short Weapon (female) Weapons
W7	18+ Long Weapon (male) Weapons
W8	18+ Long Weapon (female) Weapons

Categories may be combined or split for fairness.

- * Reward Arawaza WKF uniforms
- * Cash Prize Category



Get ready to sharpen your skills and elevate your training! Join us for the *Madani Seminar: Kihon & Kata* on January 18th, 2025. Train under the esteemed Hanshi Cyrus Madani for a unique opportunity to refine your techniques.

Beginner & Novice: 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM

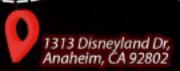
Advanced: 12:00 PM – 1:30 PM

Location: 4250 Barranca Pkwy Suite P, Irvine, CA 92604, USA





During Your Stay: Explore, Discover, and Enjoy Every Moment!



Disney California Adventure, located next to Disneyland in Anaheim, offers thrilling rides, immersive lands, and California-inspired adventures. Explore Pixar. Pier, race through Radiator Springs, or join the action at Avengers Campus. With popular attractions like Guardians of the Galaxy: Mission BREAKOUT! and Soarin' Around the World, it's the perfect mix of fun, entertainment, and Disney magic!

What's nearby...

Downtown Disney District (0 miles, adjacent) A vibrant outdoor promenade with shopping, dining, and entertainment options right outside the parks.

Anaheim GardenWalk (0.5 miles)

A shopping and dining center featuring restaurants like The Cheesecake Factory and P.F. Chang's, along with entertainment like bowling and movie theaters. About a 10-minute walk from Disneyland. Anaheim Convention Center (0.6 miles)

The largest convention center on the West Coast, often hosting large events, and located just outside Disneyland.

Blake's Place BBQ (0.7 miles)

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A popular local spot for BBQ food, a short walk away for those looking to explore local dining options.

Anaheim Packing District (1.5 miles)

A little farther away but walkable for those interested in a 30-minute stroll. It's a historic food hall with a variety of gourmet food vendors and craft cocktails.

- Napa Rose (0.1 miles)
- La Brea Bakery Café (0.2 miles) Ralph Brennan's Jazz Kitchen (0.3 miles)
- Restaurants within Black Tap Craft Burgers & Shakes (0.3 miles)
 - Tortilla Jo's (0.3 miles)
 - The Pizza Press (0.5 miles)
 - The Cheesecake Factory (0.5 miles)





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of thrilling rides, shows,

and attractions in four themed areas inspired by the history and culture

What's nearby...

Knott's Soak City Water Park (0.2 miles)

A water park adjacent to Knott's Berry Farm, great for cooling off with slides and wave pools.

Porto's Bakery & Cafe (0.7 miles)

A popular Cuban bakery known for its delicious pastries, sandwiches, and coffee.

Medieval Times Dinner & Tournament (1 mile)

An immersive dining experience featuring a medieval-themed show with jousting and sword fights. Pirates Dinner Adventure (1.2 miles)

A family-friendly dinner theater with a pirate-themed action show. Buena Park Downtown Mall (1.5 miles)

A shopping center with a variety of stores and dining options.

The Source OC (3 miles)

A modern shopping and entertainment center with restaurants, shops, and a movie theater.

Restaurants within walking distance...

- TGI Fridays (0.2 miles)
- Claim Jumper (0.5 miles)
- Rock & Brews (0.6 miles)
- Porto's Bakery & Cafe (0.7 miles)





