



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: **Valley High School** 1801 S Greenville Street Santa Ana, California 92704

All registrations must be completed online at: [www.tajikkarate.com/californiakarate2025](http://www.tajikkarate.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](mailto:info@tajikkarate.com).

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



*Alex Tajik*

Sensei Alex Tajik

Tournament Director



**California Karate Tournament of Champion 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 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.





**DATE:** January 19th, 2025

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

**EVENT LOCATION:** Valley High School 1801,  
S Greenville Street  
Santa Ana, California 92704

**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)

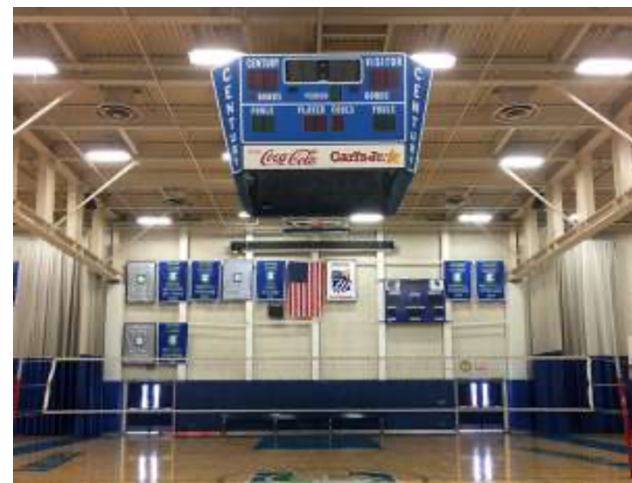
**RULES:** USANKF/ WKF Modified Rules

3 or 5 Judges

**PRE-REGISTRATION:** [www.tajikkarate.com/californiakarate2025](http://www.tajikkarate.com/californiakarate2025)

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

**\*\*Fee is non-refundable\*\***





### **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.

## **KATA, KUMITE, WEAPON & TEAM CATEGORIES**

<b><u>K=KATA</u></b> <b><u>Beginners</u></b> 1 Year or less training	<b><u>S= KUMITE (SPARRING)</u></b> <b><u>Novice</u></b> 1-2 years	<b><u>W=WEAPON</u></b> <b><u>Intermediate</u></b> 2-3 years	<b><u>T=TEAM</u></b> <b><u>Advanced</u></b> Black Belts
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K1	5 Yrs. & Under Beg. (boys & Girls) Kata	Kata	S1	5 Yrs. & Under Beg. (boys & Girls) Kumite	Kumite
K2	5 Yrs. & Under Nov. (boys & Girls) Kata	Kata	S2	5 Years & Under Nov. (boys & Girls) Kumite	Kumite
K3	6-7 Years Old Begg (girls) Kata	Kata	S3	6-7 Years Old Begg (girls) Kumite	Kumite
K4	6-7 Years Old Begg (boys) Kata	Kata	S4	6-7 Years Old Begg (boys) Kumite	Kumite
K5	6-7 Years Old Nov (girls) Kata	Kata	S5	6-7 Years Old Nov (girls) Kumite	Kumite
K6	6-7 Years Old Novice (boys) Kata	Kata	S6	6-7 Years Old Nov (boys) Kumite	Kumite
K7	6-7 Years Old Int./adv. (girls) Kata	Kata	S7	6-7 Years Old Int./adv. (girls) Kumite	Kumite
K8	6-7 Years Old Int./adv. (boys) Kata	Kata	S8	6-7 Years Old Int./adv. (boys) Kumite	Kumite
K9	8-9 Years Old Begg (girls) Kata	Kata	S9	8-9 Years Old Begg (girls) Kumite	Kumite
K10	8-9 Years Old Begg (boys) Kata	Kata	S10	8-9 Years Old Begg (boys) Kumite	Kumite
K11	8-9 Years Old Nov (girls) Kata	Kata	S11	8-9 Years Old Nov (girls) Kumite	Kumite
K12	8-9 Years Old Novice (boys) Kata	Kata	S12	8-9 Years Old Nov (boys) Kumite	Kumite
K13	8-9 Years Old (girls) Kata	Kata	S13	8-9 Years Old Int(girls) Kumite	Kumite
K14	8-9 Years Old Int (boys) Kata	Kata	S14	8-9 Years Old Int (boys) Kumite	Kumite
K15	8-9 Years Old Adv (girls) Kata	Kata	S15	8-9 Years Old Adv (girls) Kumite	Kumite
K16	8-9 Years Old Adv (boys) Kata	Kata	S16	8-9 Years Old Adv (boys) Kumite	Kumite
K17	10-11 Years Old Begg (girls) Kata	Kata	S17	10-11 Years Old Begg (girls) Kumite	Kumite
K18	10-11 Years Old Begg (boys) Kata	Kata	S18	10-11 Years Old Begg (boys) Kumite	Kumite
K19	10-11 Years Old Nov (girls) Kata	Kata	S19	10-11 Years Old Nov (girls) Kumite	Kumite
K20	10-11 Years Old Nov (boys) Kata	Kata	S20	10-11 Years Old Nov (boys) Kumite	Kumite
K21	10-11 Years Old Int. (girls) Kata	Kata	S21	10-11 Years Old Int. (girls) Kumite	Kumite
K22	10-11 Years Old Int. (boys) Kata	Kata	S22	10-11 Years Old Int. (boys) Kumite	Kumite
K23	10-11 Years Old Adv (girls) Kata	Kata	S23	10-11 Years Old Adv (girls) Kumite	Kumite
K24	10-11 Years Old Adv (boys) Kata	Kata	S24	10-11 Years Old Adv (boys) Kumite	Kumite
K25	12-13 Years Old Begg (girls) Kata	Kata	S25	12-13 Years Old Begg (girls) Kumite	Kumite
K26	12-13 Years Old Begg (boys) Kata	Kata	S26	12-13 Years Old Begg (boys) Kumite	Kumite
K27	12-13 Years Old Nov (girls) Kata	Kata	S27	12-13 Years Old Nov (girls) Kumite	Kumite
K28	12-13 Years Old Nov (boys) Kata	Kata	S28	12-13 Years Old Nov (boys) Kumite	Kumite
K29	12-13 Years Old Int. (girls) Kata	Kata	S29	12-13 Years Old Int. (girls) Kumite	Kumite
K30	12-13 Years Old Int. (boys) Kata	Kata	S30	12-13 Years Old Int. (boys) Kumite	Kumite
K31	<a href="#">^ 12-13 Years Old Adv. (girls) ^ Kata</a>	<a href="#">Kata</a>	S31	<a href="#">^ 12-13 Years Old Adv. (girls) Kumite</a>	<a href="#">Kumite</a>
K32	<a href="#">^ 12-13 Years Old Adv. (boys) ^ Kata</a>	<a href="#">Kata</a>	S32	<a href="#">^ 12-13 Years Old Adv. (boys) ^ Kumite</a>	<a href="#">Kumite</a>
K33	14-15 Years Old Beg./nov. (girls) Kata	Kata	S33	14-15 Years Old Beg./nov. (girls) Kumite	Kumite
K34	14-15 Years Old Beg./nov. (boys) Kata	Kata	S34	14-15 Years Old Beg. /nov. (boys) Kumite	Kumite
K35	<a href="#">^ 14-15 Years Old Int./adv. Girls ^ Kata</a>	<a href="#">Kata</a>	S35	14-15 Years Old Int./adv. (girls) Kumite	Kumite
K36	<a href="#">^ 14-15 Years Old Int./adv. (boys) ^ Kata</a>	<a href="#">Kata</a>	S36	14-15 Years Old Int./adv. (boys) Kumite	Kumite
K37	16-17 Years Old Beg./nov (girls) Kata	Kata	S37	16-17 Years Old Beg./nov. (girls) Kumite	Kumite
K38	16-17 Years Old Beg./nov. (boys) Kata	Kata	S38	16-17 Years Old Beg./nov. (boys) Kumite	Kumite
K39	<a href="#">^16-17 Years Old Int./adv. (girls) Kata</a>	<a href="#">Kata</a>	S39	16-17 Years Old Int./adv. (girls) Kumite	Kumite
K40	<a href="#">^16-17 Years Old Int./adv. (boys)^ Kata</a>	<a href="#">Kata</a>	S40	16-17 Years Old Int./adv. (boys) Kumite	Kumite
K41	18-34 Women's Beginner Kata	Kata	S41	18-34 Women's Beginner Kumite	Kumite

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K42	18-34 Women's Novice Kata	Kata	S42	18-34 Women's Novice Kumite	Kumite
K43	18-34 Women's Int. Kata	Kata	S43	18-34 Women's Int. Kumite	Kumite
K45	35+ Women's Beg. /nov. Kata	Kata	S45	35+ Women's Beg. /nov. Kumite	Kumite
K46	35+ Women's Int. (brown Belts) Kata	Kata	S46	35+ Women's Int. (brown Belts) Kumite	Kumite
K47	35+ Women's Adv. (black Belts) Kata	Kata	S47	35+ Women's Adv. (black Belts) Kumite	Kumite
K49	18-34 Men's Beg. Kata	Kata	S49	18-34 Men's Beg. Kumite	Kumite
K50	18-34 Men's Nov. Kata	Kata	S50	18-34 Men's Nov. Kumite	Kumite
K51	18-34 Men's Int. (brown Belt) Kata	Kata	S51	18-34 Men's Int. (brown Belt) Kumite	Kumite
K52	18-34 Men's Advanced Kata	Kata	S52	18-34 Men's Advanced Kumite	Kumite
K53	35+ Men's Beg. /nov. Kata	Kata	S53	35+ Men's Beg./nov. Kumite	Kumite
K54	35+ Men's Int. (brown Belts) Kata	Kata	S54	35+ Men's Int. (brown Belts) Kumite	Kumite
K55	35+ Men's Adv. (black Belts) Kata	Kata	S55	35+ Men's Adv. (black Belts) Kumite	Kumite
			S61	*Male 18+ Adv. Kumite Elite (-65kg.) *	Kumite
			S62	*Male 18+ Adv. Kumite Elite (-75kg.) *	Kumite
			S63	*Male 18+ Adv. Kumite Elite (+75kg.) *	Kumite
			S64	*Female 18+ Adv. Kumite Elite (-61kg.) *	Kumite
			S65	*Female 18+ Adv. Kumite Elite (+61kg.) *	Kumite

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TK1	9 Yrs. & Younger Kata Team Kata	Team Kata
TK2	10-12 Yrs. Old (beg./nov.) Team Kata	Team Kata
TK3	10-12 Yrs. Old (int./adv.) Team Kata	Team Kata
TK4	13-17 Yrs. Old (beg./nov.) Team Kata	Team Kata
TK5	13-17 Yrs. Old (int./adv.) Team Kata	Team Kata
TK6	18+ Yrs. (female) Team Kata	Team Kata
TK7	18+ Yrs. (male) Team Kata	Team Kata
TS1	9 Yrs. Old Under (mix) Team Kumite	Team Kumite
TS2	10-12 Yrs. Old Beg/nov (mix) Team Kumite	Team Kumite
TS3	10-12 Yrs. Old Int./adv. (mix) Team Kumite	Team Kumite
TS4	13-17 Yrs. Old Beg./nov. (girls) Team Kumite	Team Kumite
TS5	13-17 Yrs. Old Int./adv. (girls) Team Kumite	Team Kumite
TS6	13-17 Yrs. Old Beg./nov. (boys) Team Kumite	Team Kumite
TS7	13-17 Yrs. Old Int./adv. (boys) Team Kumite	Team Kumite
TS8	<b>^18 + Yrs. Old Female (int./adv.) ^ Team Kumite</b>	<b>Team Kumite</b>
TS9	<b>^18+ Yrs. Old Male (int./adv.) ^ Team Kumite</b>	<b>Team Kumite</b>
TS10	18+ Yrs. Old Beg. /nov. (female) Team Kumite	Team Kumite
TS11	18+ Yrs. Old Beg./nov. (male) Team Kumite	Team Kumite
W1	12 & Under Short Weapon Weapons	Kobudo (Weapons)
W2	12 & Under Long Weapon Weapons	Kobudo (Weapons)
W3	13-17 Short Weapon Weapons	Kobudo (Weapons)
W4	13-17 Long Weapon Weapons	Kobudo (Weapons)
W5	18+ Short Weapon (male) Weapons	Kobudo (Weapons)
W6	18+ Short Weapon (female) Weapons	Kobudo (Weapons)
W7	18+ Long Weapon (male) Weapons	Kobudo (Weapons)
W8	18+ Long Weapon (female) Weapons	Kobudo (Weapons)

EK31	^ 12-13 Years Old Adv. (girls) ^ Kata	Kata
EK32	^ 12-13 Years Old Adv. (boys) ^ Kata	Kata
EK59	<b>^14-17 Yrs. Kata (girls) ^ Elite Kata</b>	<b>Kata</b>
EK60	<b>^14-17 Yrs. Kata (boys) ^ Elite Kata</b>	<b>Kata</b>
EK61	^16+ Yrs. Kata (female) ^ Elite Kata	Kata
EK62	^16+ Kata (male) ^ Elite Kata	Kata
ES31	^12-13 Years Old (girls) ^ Elite Kumite	Kumite
ES32	^12-13 Years Old (boys) ^ Elite Kumite	Kumite
ES35	<b>^14-15 Years Old (girls)^ Elite Kumite</b>	<b>Kumite</b>
ES36	<b>^14-15 Years Old (boys)^ Elite Kumite</b>	<b>Kumite</b>
ES39	<b>^16-17 Years Old (girls)^ Elite Kumite</b>	<b>Kumite</b>
ES40	<b>^16-17 Years Old (boys)^ Elite Kumite</b>	<b>Kumite</b>
ES63	*Male Elite Open *	Kumite Elite Open
ES65	*Female Elite Open *	Kumite Elite Open
FK1	Family Team Kata (mixed) Team Kata	Family Kata (Mixed Kata)

CATEGORIES MAY BE COMBINED OR SPLIT FOR FAIRNESS

\*Reward Arawaza WKF Uniforms    \* Cash Prize Category

<b>A LIST (BEGINNERS):0-1 YEAR EXPERIENCE</b>	<b>A LIST (NOVICE):1-2 YEAR EXPERIENCE</b>	
1. Chi no Kata	1. Chi no Kata	14. Pinan Shodan
2. Fukyu Daichi	2. Fukyu Ichi	15. Pinan Nidan
3. Fukyu Daini	3. Fukyu Ni	16. Pinan Sandan
4. Gekisai Daichi	4. Fukyu San	17. Pinan Yondan
5. Gekisai Daini	5. Gekisai Daichi	18. Pinan Godan
6. Heian Shodan	6. Gekisai Daini	19. Taikyoku
7. Heian Nidan	7. Gekisai Dai San	20. Ten No Kata
8. Junino Kata	8. Junino Kata	
9. Kihon Kata	9. Heian Shodan	
10. Pinan Shodan	10. Heian Nidan	
11. Pinan Nidan	11. Heian Sandan	
12. Taikyoku	12. Heian Yondan	
13. Ten No Kata	13. Heian Godan	

<b>A LIST (INTERMEDIATE):2-4 YEAR EXPERIENCE</b>	
1. Ananku	28. Naifanchin Nidan
2. Arakaki Sochin	29. Naifanchin Sandan
3. Aoyagi	30. Naihanchi
4. Bassai	31. Nijushiho
5. Bassai Dai	32. Niseishi
6. Bassai Sho	33. Pachu
7. Chinte	34. Passai
8. Enpi	35. Bohai
9. Garyu	36. Saira
10. Hangetsu / Seisan (no goju)	37. Sanchin
11. Haufa (Ishimine)	38. Sanseiru
12. Bassai	39. Sanseru
13. Itosu Bohai Shodan	40. Seichin
14. Itosu Bohai Nidan	41. Seienchin (Seiyunchin)
15. Itosu Bohai Sandan	42. Seipai
16. jiin	43. Seiryu
17. lion	44. Shinpa
18. Jitte	45. Shinsei
19. Puroku	46. Shisochin
20. Kanku Dai	47. Tekki Shodan
21. Kousoukun Dai	48. Tekki Nidan
22. Kusanku (only wado kata)	49. Tekki Sandan
23. Matsukaze	50. Tensho
24. Matsumura Bohai	51. Wankan
25. Meikyo	52. Wanshu
26. Myojo	53. Wanshin (Kobayashi)
27. Naifanchin Shodan	

**A List for (Advanced and Elites) +4 Years Experience**





## **AWARDS:**

**BIG Trophy award for Top Supporting Dojo**

**Medals for all Categories**

**Participation Medals for 9 years old and younger are awarded**

## **ARAWAZA WKF Approved Uniforms**

K31 12-13 years old Adv. (Girls)  
K32 12 -13 years old Adv. (Boys)  
K35 14- 15 years old Int./Adv. Girls)  
K36 14- 15 years old Int./Adv. (Boys)  
K39 16- 17 years old Int./Adv. (Girls)  
K40 16-17 years old Int./Adv. (Boys)  
K59 14-17 yrs. kata (Girls)  
K60 14-17 yrs. Kata (Boys)

S31 12-13 years old Adv. (Girls)  
S32 12 -13 years old Adv. (Boys)  
S35 14- 15 years old Int./Adv. Girls)  
S36 14- 15 years old Int./Adv. (Boys)  
S39 16- 17 years old Int./Adv. (Girls)  
S40 16-17 years old Int./Adv. (Boys)

E35 14-15 years old Elite (Girls)  
E36 14-15 years old Elite (Boys)  
E36 14-15 years old Elite (Boys)  
E40 16-17 years old Elite (Boys)



Cash \$250 for each category

Elite (Black Belt) Divisions

### **KATA**

- K61 16+ yrs. Kata (Female)
- K62 16+ kata (Male)

### **KUMITE**

- S61 Male 18+ Adv. Kumite (-65kg.)
- S62 Male 18+ Adv. Kumite (-75kg.)
- S63 Male 18+ Adv. Kumite(+75kg.)
- S64 Female 18+ Adv. Kumite (-61kg.)
- S65 Female 18+ Adv. Kumite(+61kg.)
- E65 Female Elite Open
- E63 Male Elite Open

Categories may be combined or split for fairness.

# CHAMPIONS TOURNAMENT OF CHAMPIONS



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

**MADANI  
SEMINAR**  
KIHON & KATA

**JAN 18TH**  
**HANSHI CYRUS MADANI**

**SATURDAY FROM 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM**  
BEGINNER, NOVICE  
12:00 PM - 1:30 PM ADVANCED





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



1313 Disneyland Dr,  
Anaheim, CA 92802

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!

Disney Parks  
*Where dreams come true*



## 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)

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)
- 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)

## Restaurants within walking distance...





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**Knott's**  
BERRY FARM



 8039 Beach Blvd,  
Buena Park, CA 90620

At Knott's, fun is always  
in season, with dozens  
of thrilling rides, shows,  
and attractions in four  
themed areas inspired  
by the history and culture  
of California.



## 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)



# HOTEL INFORMATION



## LOCATION:

Holiday Inn Express & Suites

Physical: 1600 E. 1st Street, Santa Ana, CA 92701

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Fax: 714-541-4116

**Holiday Inn  
Express &  
Suites Santa  
Ana - Orange  
County**



## VISIT

[www.tajikkarate.com/californiakarate2025](http://www.tajikkarate.com/californiakarate2025)