



JCCC Kendo Club

Annual Senior Kendo Tournament

Dear Kendo Community,

It is our pleasure to invite Kendo dojos and clubs across Canada and the US to our Annual Senior Kendo Tournament to be held on Saturday, November 9, 2019. We thank you for your continued support and look forward to hosting an event that nurtures self-development and positive friendships through Kendo. Please see below for details.

DATE:

- *Saturday November 9, 2019*

TIME:

- Registration and Shinai Weighing @ 7:30 AM
- Tournament Start @ 9:00 AM

LOCATION:

- 6 Garamond Court, Toronto, Ontario M3C 1Z5
- (416) 441-2345
- www.jccc.on.ca

COST:

- Registration fee: \$50 CAD (does not include lunch)
 - Lunch* (regular / vegetarian): \$10 CAD
- * Participants ranked 5th Dan or higher will receive a free lunch for their support as Shimpan.

PAYMENT:

- Cash, cheque or money order payable to "JCCC Kendo Club"

REGISTRATION:

- *Deadline is Monday, October 18, 2019*
- All competitors must be pre-registered
- Competitors are to be 16 years or older as of January 1, 2019
(Advanced juniors may participate upon approval by Tournament Shinpan-Cho / Chief Referee)
- All participants from the same club/dojo are to register together.



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- The completed registration form and executed waivers can be mailed (please ensure arrival before deadline) or scanned and sent by email (*preferred*)
- Each club/dojo is to designate a Delegation Leader or Main Contact.
- We ask that the Delegation Leader / Main Contact notify the Registration Desk on the morning of the tournament if there are any registered participants that will not be competing.

TOURNAMENT DIVISIONS / CATEGORIES:

- **Group A: Mudansha and Shodan** (Non-Degree and 1st Dan)
- **Group B: Nidan and Sandan** (2nd and 3rd Dan)
- **Group C: Yondan and Higher** (4th Dan and Higher)
- **Group D: Women**
Female competitors may compete in either the women's category or individual division appropriate to their rank but not both
- **Group E: Team**
 - o Maximum of 2 teams per club / dojo
 - o 5 players per team (minimum 3 players from the same club)
 - o Spare or extra players from one club may join other teams

Note:

Categories are subject to change.

Due to the high number of competitors, it is the responsibility of each competitor to be ready to compete at their designated courts when they are called upon to compete or risk disqualification.

SHINAI REGULATION:

- Shinai to be used in the competition must be weighed, measured and marked with the official tournament approval stamp
- 3 shinai maximum per competitor
- Usage of non-stamped shinai will result in immediate disqualification



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- Please see chart below

	Gender	High School	Adult
Length	Male	117cm	120cm
	Female	480g min	510g
Weight	Male	420g min	440g
	Female	26mm min	26mm min
Diameter of Sakigawa	Male	25mm min	25mm min
	Female		
Length of Sakigawa	Male	50mm min	50mm min
	Female		
Size		38	39

JCCC DOJO AVAILABLE – FRIDAY, NOV 8:

- We have received several requests and are pleased to announce that the JCCC dojo will be available for Kendoka to practice on Friday November 8, 2019 from 7:30pm – 8:30pm (evening before the tournament).
- Note: This will not be a ‘formal’ practice but rather the dojo will be available for interested parties.

CONTACT:

- For inquiries and email registration:
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- Registration forms and payment to:
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