



Vancouver Island Karate Society (Zone 6) Presents:



3rd

VANCOUVER ISLAND KARATE CHAMPIONSHIPS

SUNDAY, APRIL 10, 2022

**LOCATION: Wellington Secondary School
3135 Mexicana Rd, Nanaimo, BC V9T 2W8**

CATEGORIES:

KATA

KUMITE

TEAM KATA

KOBUDO

Minimum 2 matches in both individual kata and kumite!

Juniors:	\$35 first event	\$20 each additional event
Adults 18yrs & up:	\$40 first event	\$20 each additional event
Team Kata:	\$40 per team	

Officials Kata & Kumite Clinic - Saturday April 9 9am-5pm!

Location: Shima Karate, 3032 Barons Rd, Nanaimo

**ONLINE REGISTRATION BY MARCH 31:
www.trackiereg.com/VancouverIslandKarate**

Welcome back to the premier karate tournament on Vancouver Island!

You're invited to the 3rd Vancouver Island Karate Championships on Sunday, April 10 in Nanaimo!

The volunteer Vancouver Island Karate Society (Zone 6) host organization is thrilled to be able to finally offer this event after a 2 year wait.

Divisions for Everyone!

The Island Champs has divisions for every level of competitor, from the novice elementary student, to the kobudo (weapons) practitioner, to the advanced high-performance athlete.

To provide more value for athlete development, each athlete will have a minimum 2 matches in individual kata & kumite.

And all adult divisions will run first so that adults can volunteer afterwards as officials and scorekeepers.

More for Officials

Again at the Island Champs, there is an official's clinic the day before to train both new officials and to provide refresher training for returning officials, on Saturday, April 9. New officials who then participate in the tournament on Sunday can become certified with Karate BC.

Convenient Nanaimo location!

This year's championships are at the Wellington Secondary gymnasium in Nanaimo, with easy access from anywhere on Vancouver Island, and from the BC mainland via the BC Ferries terminals of Departure Bay and Duke Point.

"Fernando Correia Vancouver Island Champions" title!

The "Correia Champions" title and keeper plaque is again to be awarded to the club team with the most Gold medals.

The Island Champs organizing committee warmly thanks the volunteers, officials, Karate BC and event sponsors for helping to continue the Zone 6 premier annual event.

We look forward to seeing everyone in Nanaimo on Sunday, April 10!

Sincerely,

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3rd Annual Vancouver Island Karate Championships and Official's Clinics 2022

Official's Clinic: Saturday, April 9 Island Championships: Sunday, April 10

DATES & LOCATIONS

Saturday, April 9 - Official's Clinic 9:00 – 5:00
Location: Shima Karate, 3032 Barons Rd, Nanaimo, BC V9T 4B5
Online registration: see Karate BC event website www.karatebc.org

Sunday, April 10 - Vancouver Island Championships 8:00 – 5:00
Location: Wellington Secondary School
3135 Mexicana Rd, Nanaimo, BC V9T 2W8
www.trackiereg.com/VancouverIslandKarate

HOST

Vancouver Island Karate Society (VIKS, Zone 6)

CONTACTS

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PARTICIPANTS

Any Karate BC member (standard fees)
Non-Karate BC member (\$10 non-member extra fee as per Karate BC policy)

RULES

World Karate Federation (WKF) plus Karate BC modifications
See below for explanation

SANCTION

Karate BC (provincial sport organization with Sport BC)

SAFETY PLAN

Safety plan PDF to be on registration website for event date

CANCELLATION POLICY

1. Full refund if a written email notice is received by the registration deadline.
2. No refunds issued after the registration deadline.
3. If a higher authority for the event (Karate BC, insurance agency, venue management, BC Government, etc) instructs VIKS to cancel the event, a refund of a full or partial amount is issued to registered participants. The final refund amount will be determined on expenses VIKS may still be required to spend regardless of the event being canceled. The society will do its utmost to reduce both the physical risk and financial risk of participants for the event.

ATHLETE ONLINE REGISTRATION

1. Online registration is done by the club coach for the whole team, or by individuals directly.

2. All individual athlete division entries are required to be completed BEFORE a coach entries team kata groups. **SEE BELOW FOR TEAM KATA REGISTRATION**
3. Athlete registration required for determining division placement;
 - a. **Age**
 - b. **Style** (knowing style helps to determine equivalent color belt levels)
 - c. **Belt rank** (color belt KYU number or black belt DAN). If an athlete is a black belt (*dan* rank holder), simply register as a black belt (DAN).
 - d. **Tournament experience**; 0-3 tournaments Novice (NOV), 4-8 tournaments Intermediate (INT) & 9+ tournaments Advanced (ADV).
4. From the athlete registration data, the tournament director creates competitive divisions based on the above entry information.
5. *Division Timetable* to be emailed to participants approximately 48hrs before the event.
6. *Division Draws* will be released on the morning of the event.

TEAM KATA REGISTRATION NOTE:

1. Register all athletes in their individual divisions first. A coach, parent or athlete may complete individual registration.
2. After individual registrations are finished, only a club coach can complete a kata team registration by choosing from the individual athletes already registered.

[Explanation video link](#)

STYLE CHARTS FOR DIVISIONS

The following table indicates colored belt (KYU) levels for different styles. Other styles are welcome, please contact the event manager if needing help on which divisions to register.

DIVISIONS	CHITO/SHITO	WADO	GOJU	SHOTOKAN
Novice	6-5	8-7	10-8	9-8
Intermediate	4-3	6-4	7-4	7-4
Advanced	2-1	3-1	3-1	3-1
Black - Recreational	DAN for all dan ranks	DAN for all dan ranks	DAN for all dan ranks	DAN for all dan ranks
Black - Elite	DAN for all dan ranks	DAN for all dan ranks	DAN for all dan ranks	DAN for all dan ranks

REGULAR FEES – deadline March 31, 2022

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REGISTRATION

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RULE EXPLANATION

WKF rules [WEBLINK](#)
 Karate BC modifications [WEBLINK](#)

Kata Rules

Novice & Intermediate divisions
 -youth divisions have 2 athletes competing side by side simultaneously per match & adult divisions 1 at a time for safety
 -each match decided by majority flags of 3 to 5 officials
 -novice athletes may perform the same kata for every match
 -intermediate athletes required to perform different kata for each match with a minimum of 2 kata (A-B-A-B rotation ok), except in the finals when any kata may be performed

Advanced divisions
 -one athlete competes a time per match
 -WKF technical and athletic scoring system decides athlete results
 -different kata performance required for each round with no repeating a kata, except in the finals when any kata may be performed

Kumite Rules

See chart [WEBLINK](#)

EQUIPMENT REGULATIONS

See WKF rules for appropriate equipment & how to wear a karate uniform.

Kata	Novice & Intermediate	white uniform with personal belt (red & blue belts optional)
	Advanced	white uniform with personal red & blue belts

Kumite	Novice & Intermediate	white uniform, mouth guard, groin cup (males) WKF style gloves (blue or red) personal belt (red & blue belts optional)
	Advanced	white uniform, WKF style gloves (both blue & red) personal blue & red belts, mouth guards, groin cup (males) Optional: shin guards (red & blue), chest guards

CHAMPIONSHIPS SCHEDULE

Sunday, April 10

8am	Gymnasium Opens
8:30am	Volunteer Meeting
9am	Coaches/Officials Meeting
9:30am	Opening Ceremony

9:35am Competition Begins
5pm Competition Ends

BE ADVISED

1. Times are approximate and the schedule is subject to changes without notice.
2. Athletes should be ready to compete 30 MINUTES prior to the start of your divisions.
3. The final *Division Timetable* will be emailed to all competitors 48hrs prior to Sunday.
4. Be advised divisions may run ONE HOUR PLUS OR MINUS of the original posted start times.

OFFICIALS, THE VANCOUVER ISLAND CHAMPIONSHIPS NEEDS YOU!

We welcome all levels of officials to help out at the event.

If you are interested in starting officiating or in upgrading your certification, there is an official's clinic on Saturday, April 9.

TO OFFICIATE AT THE EVENT

For current officials, please contact ROB WALKER (westshorekarate@gmail.com) with your: name, phone number, club and current officiating qualification in the WKF system (regional, provincial, national, continental and world).

ACCOMMODATIONS

www.tourismnanaimo.com/where-to-stay/

DIVISIONS

3rd Vancouver Island Karate Championships, Sunday, April 10, 2022

<i>Female Divisions</i>			
1	<i>Girls 6/7 Kata</i>	2	<i>Girls 6/7 Kumite</i>
3	<i>Girls 8 year old - Kata</i>	4	<i>Girls 8 year old - Kumite</i>
5	<i>Girls 9 year old - Kata</i>	6	<i>Girls 9 year old - Kumite</i>
7	<i>Girls 10 year old - Kata</i>	8	<i>Girls 10 year old - Kumite</i>
9	<i>Girls 11 year old - Kata</i>	10	<i>Girls 11 year old - Kumite</i>
11	<i>Girls 12 year old - Kata</i>	12	<i>Girls 12 year old - Kumite</i>
13	<i>Girls 13 year old - Kata</i>	14	<i>Girls 13 year old - Kumite</i>
15	<i>Girls 14/15 - Kata</i>	16	<i>Girls 14/15 – Kumite</i>
17	<i>Girls 16/17 - Kata</i>	18	<i>Girls 16/17 – Kumite</i>
19	<i>Women 18yrs & up - Kata</i>	20	<i>Women 18yrs & up - Kumite</i>
<i>Male Divisions</i>			
21	<i>Boys 6/7 year old - Kata</i>	22	<i>Boys 6/7 year old - Kumite</i>
23	<i>Boys 8 year old - Kata</i>	24	<i>Boys 8 year old – Kumite</i>
25	<i>Boys 9 year old - Kata</i>	26	<i>Boys 9 year old – Kumite</i>
27	<i>Boys 10 year old - Kata</i>	28	<i>Boys 10 year old – Kumite</i>
29	<i>Boys 11 year old - Kata</i>	30	<i>Boys 11 year old – Kumite</i>
31	<i>Boys 12 year old - Kata</i>	32	<i>Boys 12 year old - Kumite</i>
33	<i>Boys 13 year old - Kata</i>	34	<i>Boys 13 year old – Kumite</i>
35	<i>Boys 14/15 - Kata</i>	36	<i>Boys 14/15 – Kumite</i>
37	<i>Boys 16/17 - Kata</i>	38	<i>Boys 16/17 - Kumite</i>
39	<i>Men 18yrs & up Kata</i>	40	<i>Men 18yrs & up Kumite</i>
	<i>Team Kata</i>		<i>Kobudo</i>
	<i>(mixed genders ok)</i>		<i>(mixed genders ok)</i>
41	<i>9yrs & Under</i>	44	<i>12yrs & Under</i>
42	<i>10-14yrs</i>	45	<i>13-16yrs</i>
43	<i>15yrs & up</i>	46	<i>17 & up</i>

