

JUDO ALBERTA KATA TEAM SELECTIONS FOR NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS

Scope:

This policy outlines the selection process for kata team(s) that will represent JudoAlberta at the Senior National Championships.

Selection

- Team selections will be based on the results of all Judo Alberta senior tournaments holding a competition for the kata under review up to and including the Senior Provincial Championships for that competition year.
- The kata competition year will be assumed to run from September 1 until the Senior Provincial Championships. Points for kata selection may only be accumulated from eligible tournaments that fall under this timeframe.
- Selections will be made by a committee designated by the Grading Board Chair. The members of this Selection Committee will be published at the start of the competition year.
- Kata Teams wishing to be considered for selection must submit, in writing, a letter to the Grading Committee Chair indicating their intent to compete for this selection. Letters of intent should be submitted by Jan 1 of the year of the Senior National Championships in question.
- Final selection of the kata team(s) will be made at the Senior Provincial Championships by the Selection Committee.

Format

- Points for placement in the kata competitions will be awarded as follows:

First place	23 pts
Second place	11 pts
Third place	5 pts
Fourth place	2 pts

No points will be awarded for placement lower than fourth place.

- Teams will be ranked according to the accumulated points from the kata competitions. In the event teams are tied at the end of the season, the placement at the Senior Provincial Championships will be used to rank the tied teams. The number of teams sent to the National Championships will be at the discretion of the Selection Committee.
- Points will be awarded to team pairs, not individuals. A team will consist of a specific tori and uke pair.
- Unless there is a technical error (eg. Miscalculation of accumulated points), there is no appeal for this selection.
- All team selections will be ratified by the Executive Committee of Judo Alberta.

Recommended:

(Chairman, Technical Committee signature)

(Date)

Approved:

(President, Judo Alberta signature)

(Date)