



Dutch Masters Open

Saturday 19 May 2018
Sportcampus Zuiderpark
The Hague - The Netherlands

www.jbn.nl/nk





Dear judo friends,

On behalf of the Dutch Judo Federation it is a great pleasure for me to welcome all participants, team members and judo guests from all over the world at the Dutch Masters Open 2018 on 19 May 2018.

In September 2015 we have successfully organised the IJF Veterans World Championships in Amsterdam, with up to 1100 participants. It has been a great pleasure to welcome all veterans to the Netherlands. We are very proud that the organisation of the WC Veterans was rated by the participants with a 7.9 (on a scale from 1 to 10).

The eighth Dutch Masters Open will be organised again under the full responsibility of the Dutch Judo Federation (JBN). It also means that the highest ranked Dutch participant will automatically be the Dutch national champion in his weight category.

[Click here to register for Dutch Masters Open 2018 \(online link\)](#)

We ask you kindly to inform and stimulate all of your judo friends to participate at our Dutch Masters Open on 19 May 2018. The tournament will take place in "Sportcampus Zuiderpark" in the city of The Hague, the international city of peace and justice. The Hague is the seat of the Dutch government, parliament, the Supreme Court, and the Council of State and has a lot to offer.

We will create the best possibilities for all participants in order for them to achieve the best result possible. Of course, we expect everyone to bring the true veterans spirit and sportsmanship.

See you in The Hague!

On behalf of the organising committee,
Felix Thieme
President Dutch Judo Federation





Registration

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Provisional program

DATE	TIME	ACTIVITY	LOCATION
Saturday 19 May	08:30 – 09:30*	Official weigh-in/ control of documents	Sports Hall
Saturday 19 May	09:30 – 10:15	Draw	Sports Hall
Saturday 19 May	09:45 – 10:15	Referee meeting	Sports Hall
Saturday 19 May	09:30 – 10:15	Warm-up	Sports Hall
Saturday 19 May	After draw and warm up	Start of competition	Sports Hall
Saturday 19 May	After competition	Departure	

The organisation committee can adjust the program at its own discretion, depending on the number of participants. All subscribed participants will be informed if changes in the program are made.

Organizers

Dutch Judo Federation

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Bank transfer details

Beneficiary's Name: Judo Bond Nederland
Bank Name: RABOBANK
IBAN: NL52RABO0381033937
Swift/BIC: RABONL2U
Add the mention: DMO 2018

Competition place

The Dutch Masters Open 2018 will be held at Sportcampus Zuiderpark, Meester P. Droogleever Fortuynweg 22, Den Haag.

Distance from Rotterdam Airport: 21 km
Distance from Amsterdam Schiphol Airport: 50 km
Nearest train station: 1,7 km

Website: <http://sportcampuszuiderpark.nl/>





Eligible for participation

All the following conditions must be met in full for an individual to be considered eligible to participate in this Championship:

- a) Participants must be born in 1988 or earlier (minimum 30 years old at 31-12-2018).
- b) Hold a current and valid licence (membership) issued by a national federation, currently affiliated to the International Judo Federation. See IJF website for current members.
- c) Register with the organizers (online or on site) and pay the appropriate entry fee in full.
- d) Meet the specific weigh-in requirements as applicable.
- e) Provide photographic proof of identity and date of birth using a valid current passport or a current National I.D. Card., to be shown at registration/weigh-in.
- f) A competitor must not have represented any National Team in a competition at international senior level at any time in the twelve month period before the start date of this event i.e. between 19st May 2016 and 19st May 2018.
- g) The exact nationality of competitors will be taken as that which is indicated in their current passport or current National I.D. Card.
- h) All players must have obtained the minimum grade of first kyu.

Please note: Athletes from Paralympic competition or athletes with any kind of disability are not eligible to compete in this competition.

Insurance

Competitors must have insurance for injury and third party cover (public liability) either held personally in the form of specific insurance cover or travel cover (and this cover must not exclude participation in competition judo) or as part of their National Federation insurance arrangements.

Neither the Dutch Judo Federation, its staff or servants nor the organizers of the Dutch Masters Open its staff or servants shall be liable for any loss, injury or death due to a person's participation in this championship.

It is recommended that all competitors should have had a recent medical check prior to participating in this championship.

Entry fee

In order to take part at the competition the competitor must have fulfilled the necessary payments to the organizer:

Payment by bank transfer before 7 May 2018: **€ 25** (for each participating competitor)

Payment after 7 May 2018 or payment on site: **€ 30** (for each participating competitor)

Cancellations

Withdrawals after **7 May 2018** do not qualify for a refund of the competition fee.

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Deadlines

Visa request (supply details): 30 April 2018
Tournament entry & entry fee: 7 May 2018
Late entry & late entry fee: After 7 May 2018 / on site

Competition Rules

The competition will be carried with respect to the rules and sporting codes of the IJF.

Age divisions

Players will be allocated an age division based on:
(a) a minimum of 30 years of age (born in 1988).
(b) their date of birth.

Combined age divisions

In principle there are three age divisions, with the two younger age divisions having a ten year age range.

AGE DIVISION	YEAR	ACTUAL AGE
F1+F2/M1+M2	1988-1979	30-39
F3+F4/M3+M4	1978-1969	40-49
F5+F6+F7+F8/ M5+M6+M7+M8	1968-1949	50-69

Weight categories

Based upon experience we offer competition in the following weight categories:

Women: -57 kg / -63 kg / -70 kg / -78 kg / +78 kg
Men: -60 kg / -66 kg / -73 kg / -81 kg / -90 kg / -100 kg / +100 kg

Contest duration

The duration of each contest (for all age categories) will be 3 minutes. Golden Score without time limit.



Elimination system

All competitors will have a minimum of two matches. The system of the competition in each category will depend on number of entries:

3 entries	round robin (pool)
4 entries	round robin (pool)
5 entries	round robin (pool)
6 entries	two pools of three; top two players from each pool progress to the semi-finals with the winner of pool A fighting the runner-up from pool B and the winner of pool B fighting the runner-up from pool A.
7 entries	a pool of four and a pool of three; top two players from each pool progress to the semi-finals with the winner of pool A fighting the runner-up from pool B and the winner of pool B fighting the runner-up from pool A.
8 entries and more	elimination system with double repechage

Category combining

The organising committee can combine a category with the next category if the number of participants in a category is not sufficient to make a good competition.

In principal category combining will be done using the following guideline (ranked in order of importance):

- Combining within the same age division
- Combining outside age division, but within weight category or deviation of one weight category
- Combining complete age divisions (only if no other option remains)

Weigh-in

The fighters:

- Who present themselves after the closing of the weigh-in cannot participate at the competition
- Must be able to present proof of their membership of an IJF affiliated association and an official piece of identity (identity card or passport) at the official weigh-in

Draw

Draw will be made directly after the completion of the official weigh-in of all categories concerned.

Judogi

- Participants must wear either a white or blue judogi (blue judogi not mandatory). In case of white judogi, competitors must wear either a white or red belt. The first fighter has to wear the white judogi. Second fighter has to wear a red belt (in case of white judogi) or blue judogi.
- The current IJF regulations regarding the judogi will apply. This includes that each participant's judogi must meet the measurements of judogi as defined by the IJF.
- Female contestants shall wear under the jacket either, a round necked plain white or off-white tee shirt, with short sleeves, made of non-rigid material, long enough to be worn inside the trousers, or a plain white or off-white leotard with short sleeves. No marking should be visible when the judogi is done up. All other regulations must be adhered to. Make-up and jewellery are prohibited. The nails have to be cut short.



Back numbers/Name emblems

Back numbers are NOT mandatory during this competition.

Refereeing

The referees will be provided by the Dutch Judo Federation. All referees must have a license to referee at the level of national championships and will be supervised by the Dutch referee commission.

Referee meeting

A referee meeting is scheduled on Saturday 19 May in the sports hall.

Refereeing rules

The refereeing rules are the current IJF and EJU refereeing rules. There will be one referee on the mat, assisted by video referees and care-system.

Protest against the referees' decisions will never be accepted. The referees act under supervision of the referee commission. If competitors or coaches wish to consult on a referee decision they will have to report to the referee commission and not the individual referee.

Coaching

We welcome coaches to attend the competition. No extra fee is involved.

The coach is responsible for his own behaviour and his athlete's conduct from entering the competition venue until leaving it, before and after each contest. The coach will remain seated on his chair throughout the contest.

Any coach who, in the opinion of the organising committee, does not behave in accordance with the spirit of this tournament, will no longer be able to coach his athlete. If this occurs, the organising committee may order the coach to leave the sports hall.

Transport

The organiser will not arrange any kind of transportation.

If you have any difficulties to get to your hotel or the venue, please do feel free to contact us for further assistance!

Visa

Competitors, who need VISA to enter the Netherlands, please send us as soon as possible (latest 30 April 2018) the list of participants with names, passport numbers, date of birth and function.

Costs for express delivery (DHL etc.) are to be paid by the participating national federation or individual athlete in order to be eligible to compete in these championships.



Hotel

Competitors are not obliged to stay in a specific hotel for these championships. Underneath you will find a list of hotels close to the venue, for your convenience. You will have to make your own arrangements with these hotels.

Best Western Plus Grand Winston ****

Generaal Eisenhowerplein 1, 2288 AE Rijswijk

<https://www.bestwestern.nl/hotels/best-western-plus-grand-winston-rijswijk>

Distance from Amsterdam Schiphol airport:	43 km
Distance from Rotterdam-The Hague airport:	16 km
Distance from sports hall:	5 km

IBIS City Centre ***

Jan Hendrikstraat 10, 2512 GL Den Haag

<http://www.ibis.com/nl/hotel-3701-ibis-den-haag-city-centre/index.shtml>

Distance from Amsterdam Schiphol airport:	44 km
Distance from Rotterdam-The Hague airport:	23 km
Distance from sport hall:	5 km