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Junbimantan Stay Ready!

by RP Taylor

"Stay ready for what?" Stay ready so you don't have to get ready. True for life, especially judo. That is exactly what USA Judo is doing as it relates to the USA Veterans World Team that will be traveling to the International Judo Federation World Veterans Judo Championships in Krakow, Poland the first week in September.

The second weekend in August USA Judo held a training camp at Eastside Dojo drawing judoka from all over the country. The camp was lead by the 2019 Veteran World Championship Medalist and Multi National Veterans Champion, Doug Tono.

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IJF WORLD VETERANS JUDO CHAMPIONSHIPS 2022



STACKED & READY LET'S GO EASTSIDERS!!!

"Stacked & ready, really? Isn't that really cliché?" Sometimes it may be, but not at all this time. Don't those gentlemen pictured above looked more than ready. They are representing Eastside Dojo on the other side of the world as a part of the Team USA World Veterans Judo Championship Team. Wow!!! What a privilege to have earned a spot on that team. As a matter of fact, Eastside Dojo has the largest team with seven competitors out of the total 30 judoka who made the team.

Russ Hogan (Head Coach)

Wade Allison
Tyler Blocker
Bruno Goletto
Gyula Kalmin
Alan Shebaro
Andy Woepfel

CONGRATS TO OUR 2022 US OPEN COMPETITORS!

LEO ASHUROV
(TOP PICTURE)

RONIN AUSTIN
(MIDDLE PICTURE)

LINDA DERVISOGLU 
(BOTTOM PICTURE)

**HEAD COACH RUSS HOGAN
ACCOMPANIED THREE OF EASTSIDE'S
YOUNG COMPETITIVE JUDOKA TO THE
US OPEN CHAMPIONSHIP IN FLORIDA.**

**WHILE ONLY LINDA DERVISOGLU
MEDALED WITH A BRONZE, PER COACH
RUSS, THEY ALL COMPETED VERY WELL.**



WAY
TO GO
ZACK!



LIKE FATHER, LIKE SON: ZACK PATTESON EARNS HIS BLACK BELT

By RP TAYLOR

Earning a first degree black belt in judo is not an uncommon occurrence, but for Ken Patteson, co-owner of Eastside Dojo, it was very uncommon for his son Zack to be promoted to black belt. It was a once in a lifetime moment. What a happy day that was for Zack and Ken!

Zack has studied under the tutelage of his dad and other coaches for years. During that time he has also dealt with things that challenge many judoka as they are aiming for the rank of black belt: injuries, relocation, building a family, etc. Despite the hills and valleys of life, Zack has managed to reach the pinnacle of his judo career by earning his first degree black belt.

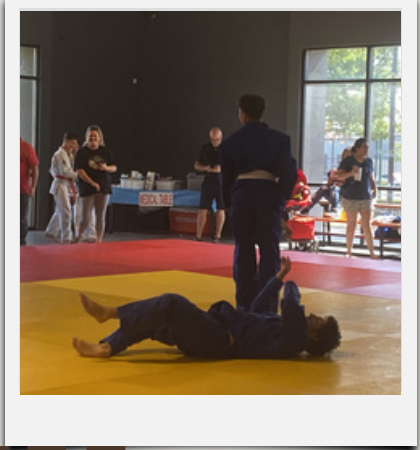
Face your fear, empty yourself, trust your own voice, let go of control, have faith in outcomes, connect with a larger purpose, derive meaning from the struggle.

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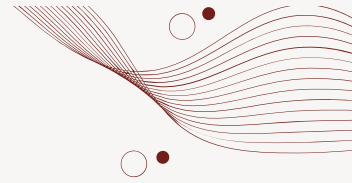


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SUMMER SLAM

in pictures



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VINCE TAMURA: THE FIRST & THE FINEST?

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"Was he really the first and the finest?"
Yes! Emphatically YES! While his counterparts were concerning themselves with the triviality of being 14 years old, Vince Tamura was the teenage judoka who fought in the Korean War. As many other Americans of Japanese descent did, he most likely fought as a way to prove his patriotism to America during a turbulent time following the closing of the internment camps. When his division, US Army Combat Engineers of the First Cavalry Division, was relieved, he was transferred to Japan for six months before rotation back to the States. During those six months he was able to visit and study at the Kodokan, the world's most renowned Judo facility..

After returning home as a Bronze Medalist he earned in part for teaching self defense as a member of the US Army Combat Engineers of the First Cavalry Division, he became an official judo instructor. Vince earned his first National Championship in judo in 1954, and again 1956 and 1959. By the age of 17 he was already a Sandan (3rd degree black belt) as he became the first judoka to represent the United States at the inaugural World Judo Championships in Tokyo, Japan in 1956 where he placed as a quarter finalist.

Vince moved to Dallas in 1960 to open the Tamura Judo Institute, after living in Chicago and teaching judo alongside his brother, Masato, following his discharge from the army. A plethora of Texas judoka have studied Judo and self-defense at his school. Tamura-trained Judoka,

including Ken Patteson (Eastside Dojo co-owner), have earned many championships and trophies both locally and nationally.

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1964 was a very important year for Vince and for the sport of judo. That year, again in Tokyo, he served as a referee and judge at the first officially recognized Judo competition of the Olympics. That was also the year that he started the Dallas Invitational Tournament, which is now the Dallas Open Judo Tournament.

56th
Dallas Open
Tournament
(Dallas Invitational)
11-19-22
CASH PRIZES HAVE
INCREASED!!!



Pictured from left to right:

Ken Scialo, Doug Tono (Head Clinician), Ken Patteson

USA VETERANS WORLD TEAM TRAINING CAMP



The Becerra Judo Challenge

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 17th, 2022
NTX Training Center
2655 Premier Drive, Plano, Texas 75075

HOTEL:

Fairfield by Marriott •3415 Premier Drive •Plano, Texas 75023 (walking distance) call 972-423-9944, ask for the (judo tournament rate) of \$89 per night (must book by 8/31)

ELIGIBILITY:

USA JUDO, USJF, ATJA, AJJF or USJA membership. USA JUDO applications available on site.

ENTRY FEES:

All Divisions: \$50

REGISTRATION:

Registration Deadline: Tuesday, 9/13/2022 at 11:59PM

Preliminary Brackets posted: Wednesday, 9/14/2022 at 5:00PM

Final Brackets posted: Thursday, 9/15/2022 at 5:00PM

Final deadline for reporting errors: Friday, 9/16/2022 at 12:00 noon

Contact the tournament director with any concerns. Refunds for anyone pre-registered who cannot attend for any reason.

SELF WEIGH IN INSTRUCTIONS:

JUNIORS: When registering online, submit your actual weight in KILOS. You will be given a one-kilo allowance when we verify your weight. Weight will be verified at mat side just prior to your first match.

VETERANS: When registering online, submit your actual weight in KILOS. You will be given a one-kilo allowance when we verify your weight. Weight will be verified at mat side just prior to your first match.

SENIORS: Option to weigh in day of tournament, 12-12:30PM, or mat side just prior to your first match. When registering online, declare your pre-set IJF weight division. (See below). You will be given a two-kilo allowance when we verify your weight.

IF YOU EXCEED THE ALLOWANCE OF YOUR REGISTERED WEIGHT THERE IS NO GUARANTEE FOR A MATCH

RULES:

IJF rules with the following modifications:

Blue gis not required. Wear your rank belt. We will provide blue and white sashes.

Double elimination for divisions of 6 or more competitors, round robin for 5 or less.

Round robin divisions are awarded first by wins, then by points, then by head-to-head matchup.

(Exception: when top 2 finishers have equal # of wins, head-to-head winner is 1st regardless of points)

3 way round robin ties are decided by fastest Ippon.

Senior Elite match times 4 minutes, all others 3 minutes.

Tournament Director: Ken Scialo

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LOCAL EVENTS



INTERNATIONAL EVENTS



**IJF World Veterans Judo Championships
2022
September 7 - 11, 2022**