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DATE AND PLACE OF COMPETITION

The Judo competition at the XXII Central American and Caribbean Games Veracruz 2014 will take place Thursday, November 20th to Sunday, November 23rd, 2014 at the World Trade Center in Veracruz, Ver.

EVENTS AND MEDALS

The events announced for the Judo competition at the XXII Central American and Caribbean Games Veracruz 2014 are:

WOMEN'S

Event	Medals		
	Gold	Silver	Bronze
Under 44kg	1	1	2
Under 48 kg	1	1	2
Under 52 kg	1	1	2
Under 57 kg	1	1	2
Under 63 kg	1	1	2
Under 70 kg	1	1	2
Under 78 kg	1	1	2
Over 78 kg	1	1	2
Team	1	1	2
Women's Total Medals	9	9	18



MEN'S

Event	Medals		
	Gold	Silver	Bronze
Under 55 kg	1	1	2
Under 60 kg	1	1	2
Under 66 kg	1	1	2
Under 73 kg	1	1	2
Under 81 kg	1	1	2
Under 90 kg	1	1	2
Under 100 kg	1	1	2
Over 100 kg	1	1	2
Team	1	1	2
Men's Total Medals	9	9	18
Total Medals	18	18	36



COMPETITION FORMAT

Categories that have 5 competitors or less will use the round robin competition system, and the following rules will apply:

Article. I: Tie between 3 competitors. The same criteria apply in the case of a tie, they are as follows:

1. Number of won combats.
2. Total points earned.
3. Results of the individual series.

Article. II: Special situations in round robin. In light of specific problems that have come up in the past while using the round robin system (discrepancies between competition rules and specific sport rules), the following has been established.

When a competitor abandons or does not appear in the contest zone:

- a. Fusen Gachi in case of absence.
- b. Kiken Gachi in case of abandonment.
- c. Hansoku Make in case of disqualification.

Note: The points that competitors who leave the competition for any of the previous reasons have earned will not be eliminated. The points earned will appear in the respective competition scorecard.

In categories that have 6 or more competitors, the competition system shall be Simple Repechage with Direct Eliminations.



COMPETITION SCHEDULE

November 20th

Time	Events	Gender	Observations
10:00	-44, - 48, - 52 kg	Women's	Elimination and Repechage
10:00	-55, -60 kg	Men's	Elimination and Repechage
14:00	-44, - 48, - 52 kg	Women's	Semifinals and Finals
14:00	-55, -60 kg	Men's	Semifinals and Finals

November 21st

Time	Events	Gender	Observations
10:00	- 57, - 63, - 70 kg	Women's	Elimination and Repechage
10:00	-66, -73, -81 kg	Men's	Elimination and Repechage
14:00	- 57, - 63, - 70 kg	Women's	Semifinals and Finals
14:00	-66, -73, -81 kg	Men's	Semifinals and Finals



November 22nd

Time	Events	Gender	Observations
10:00	-78, +78 kg	Women's	Elimination and Repechage
10:00	-90, -100, +100 kg	Men's	Elimination and Repechage
14:00	-78, +78 kg	Women's	Semifinals and Finals
14:00	-90, -100, +100 kg	Men's	Semifinals and Finals

November 23rd

Time	Events	Gender	Observations
10:00	Teams	Women's	Elimination and Repechage
10:00	Teams	Men's	Elimination and Repechage
14:00	Teams	Women's	Semifinals and Finals
14:00	Teams	Men's	Semifinals and Finals

*This program will be confirmed at the Technical Meeting.



MAXIMUM NUMBER OF COMPETITORS

In accordance to the quota set by CACSO, the Judo competitions will have a maximum of **160** athletes in both genders.

Important specifications

- a) For individual events: Each NOC, including the host NOC, may enter a maximum of 8 athletes per gender, as long as these athletes earn their slot according to the qualifying criteria for Judo for the XXII Central American and Caribbean Games, Veracruz 2014. Only 1 athlete per country may participate in each weight division.
- b) The teams will be made up of a **minimum of 3** and a **maximum of 8** athletes per gender per country, selected among those that have classified and are already entered for individual events.

MINIMUM QUOTA OF COMPETITORS PER TEAM

There is a minimum quota of 3 competitors per team to be able to participate in events.

COMPETITORS' AGES

The minimum age for participation is **16 years old by December 31st, 2014** (born in 1998).



VERACRUZ 2014 QUALIFICATION SYSTEM

- a) A Central American and Caribbean Qualifying event will be organized by the North and Central American Judo Confederation and the Caribbean Judo Confederation, March 13th to 17th in Bridgetown, Barbados.
- b) The top 9 places of each division as well as one participant from the host country will qualify. Each NOC will make the corresponding analysis to meet the requirements for maximum competitors per country.
- c) Slots are assigned to the country, not the athlete.
- d) National Judo Federations must confirm the slots to be used, in writing, by no later than **July 17th, 2014** to the PJC. In the event of resignations or vacancies, PJC will decide and announce substitutions to the Organizing Committee, no later than **July 30th, 2014** so that NOCs are able to comply with the dates stipulated by CACSO for entry by name and number.

Qualification System Approval

This qualification system was approved by PJC in August 2012.



TECHNICAL MEETING

- The Technical Meeting will take place **Wednesday, November 19th, 2014** at the Central American and Caribbean Village in Veracruz at a time to be confirmed.
- Up to two representatives of each NOC will be able to assist the Technical Meeting.
- The invitation card for the Technical Meeting will be available to the Heads of Team at the Sports Information Center at the Central American and Caribbean Village in Xalapa upon their arrival.
- The Technical Delegate and the Organizing Committee's Competition Manager for Judo will preside the meeting, which shall take place in Spanish and will be translated to English.

DRAW

Drawing will take place the day before the first competition within the Technical Congress. The draw for team competition will take place on November 22nd, 2014, at the competition venue at a time to be defined.



WEIGH-IN

Weigh-in will take place at the Central American and Caribbean Village. The Competition Manager will have the responsibility of providing two separate rooms for official and un-official weigh-ins, and that male teams and female teams don't share an entrance.

Scales will be placed on a flat and resilient surface. It is not allowed to set scales on carpeted areas.

Responsibility: The sports director and the head of technical officials of PJC will be responsible of managing the weigh-in.

Weigh-in Schedule: Official weigh-in will take place the day before competition, from **18:30 to 19:00**. Competitors will be able to verify their weight as many times as they want on the official scales up to an hour before the beginning of the official weigh-in.

Official Weigh-in procedure: Each competitor will go to the weigh-in with his or her accreditation for the Games and will present it to the official who will confirm the competitor's identity. The competitor will be weighed wearing only his or her undergarments, under supervision of the weigh-in official who, to guarantee that the athlete is placed in the correct category, may request the athlete remove his or her undergarments. The official in charge of supervising weigh-in must observe and register the competitor's weight in kilograms (with precision of one decimal point). There will be no tolerance for weight variation allowed per category. Each competitor may only be weighed once during the official weigh-in.



Not attending weigh-in: If the competitor does not attend weigh-in during the allotted time for official weigh-in, there will be an observation next to his or her name on the official weigh-in list. A weigh-in official and a member of the Sports Commission or the Technical Official Commission will sign next to the note, confirming their absence. The competitor will then be excluded from the competition in that weight category.

Weight outside the established limits for the category: If the competitor's weight is not within the established limits for the category he or she has entered, the exact weight will be noted in the regular fashion. A weigh-in official, member of the Sports Commission or of the Technical Official Commission, the competitor him or herself or a member of his or her delegation will sign their name next to the recorded weight. The competitor will be excluded from the competition within that weight category.

Not following official's instructions or not fulfilling the IJF's requirements: If, at any moment during the weigh-in process the competitor does not follow instructions given by any official or member of the Sports Commission or the Technical Official Commission or does not fulfill the requirements set by IJF or PJC, the competitor will not be allowed to participate in the weigh-in and the nature of the infraction shall be immediately brought to the attention of the Sports Director and Head of Technical Officials of the PJC.

Privacy protection: To protect the privacy of the competitors, the officials responsible of each weigh-in will be the same sex as the competitor.



TECHNICAL OFFICIALS

The technical officials will be designated by the Director of Technical Officials for the Pan American Judo Confederation. Technical personnel and officials will be designated by the Mexican Judo Federation.

The Technical Official training clinic will take place a day before the competition at a place and time to be defined.

PROTESTS AND APPEALS

Protests and appeals will be resolved by conduit of the Honor and Justice Commission for the Games.

AUTHORIZED SPORTS EQUIPMENT

The brand of Judogui to be used by athletes during the competition must be one of the official IJF brands.



MEDAL CEREMONIES

Awards ceremonies will take place according to CACSO's General Regulations, Chapter XIII.

Individual Events:

- First place: Gold medal and diploma
- Second place: Silver medal and diploma
- Third place: Bronze medal and diploma (2)

Team Events:

- First place: A diploma for the team and a gold medal and diploma for each athlete
- Second place: A diploma for the team and a silver medal and diploma for each athlete
- Third place: A diploma for the team and a bronze medal and diploma for each athlete (2)

COMPETITION VENUE

The Judo competition will take place at World Trade Center which is located at Boulevard Adolfo Ruiz Cortines #3947, Boca del Rio, Ver.



