

2026 MOKNZ Kata & Kumite Open Championship

TOURNAMENT INFORMATION

Date & venue

Saturday 13th June 2026 at Elmwood School Auditorium, 27 Aikmans Road, Christchurch, New Zealand

Doors open to the public

9.30am

Start times

- . Kata 10.00 am
- . Kumite start after Kata has finished and a short lunch break.

Spectator fees – CASH ONLY:

- . Adults (16 and over) \$20
- . Juniors (up to 15) \$10

COMPETITOR INFORMATION

Entry form & fees

NZ\$60 Kumite / NZ\$75 Kumite + Kata / NZ\$40 Kata, non-refundable
Entry form and entry fee must be received on or before Friday 22nd May 2026.

How to return entry form

Please complete the form clearly handwritten or typed, sign, scan/photograph, and email to **robert.engelken@gmail.com** or post to:
Robert Engelken, 33 Marquess Avenue, Halswell, Christchurch 8025, New Zealand.
Please allow sufficient days for post.

Payment of fees

Direct transfer to ASB MOKNZ account **12-3163-0064731-50** with the competitor name as reference.

Kata

Competitors will select a kata to perform from the grade level on the entry form. Divisions are in elimination tournament format. Kata will be performed individually.

Kumite

Juniors (10-12, 13-14 years)

Bouts are 1.5 minute duration with the possibility of up to TWO 1 minute extensions.

Colts (15-17 years)

Bouts are 2 minute duration with the possibility of up to TWO 1 minute extensions.

Adult divisions (18 years and over)

Bouts are 3 minute duration with the possibility of up to TWO 2 minute extensions.

The organiser retains the right to amalgamate or cancel any division if the numbers of entries in a division are not satisfactory for competition. Age and grade group categories may be changed at the tournament organiser's discretion.

Ruling for all kumite divisions will be under Kyokushin Knock down rules.

Weigh in & registration all competitors:

Friday 12th June 2026 7:00-8:00pm at Elmwood School Auditorium, 27 Aikmans Road, Christchurch,
Late arrivals will be able to register on Saturday at the Elmwood School Auditorium from 9:00am – 9:30 am.

No leniency will be given for differences to the specified weight divisions. If a competitor's weight is not within the category selected on their entry form they will not compete in that division.

Compulsory Protective Gear

Head protection gear will be provided at the tournament for Juniors and Colts.

Juniors (10-14 years)

Gloves, shin pads, mouth guards, MUST be supplied and worn by competitor.

Shin pads and gloves must be of soft, pull on, foam only.

Colts (15-17 years)

Shin pads, mouth guard, MUST be supplied and worn by competitor.

Junior and Colts competitors will not be permitted to participate if this gear is not worn

Optional Protective Gear

- . Mouth guard is optional but recommended for adult competitors
 - . Males –groin guard
 - . Women –breast protection – soft, cup style, inserted into sports bra. Plastic protectors covering the sternum will **not** be permitted
- Women's protective gear must be made available for inspection to tournament organisers.*

Plastic protectors covering the sternum not Permitted. Women's protective gear must be made available for inspection to tournament organisers. Examples Below



ALLOWED



NOT ALLOWED

Mouth guard is optional but recommended for adult competitors

All enquires to Sensei Mark Webster at sensei@websterdojo.co.nz or mobile phone 021 031 1606 (+64 21 031 1606 for international inquiries)

For any download of entry forms and any updated information please check www.kyokushin.nz .