2025 OCEANIA KODOKAN KATA SEMINAR (& KDK GRADING?)

Christchurch – Thursday, 11th September to Sunday, 14th September 2025

SCHEDULE

LEARN FROM KODOKAN'S EXPERT KATA INSTRUCTORS

? Sensei 8 Dan ? Sensei 8 Dan

SUPPORTED BY THE OJU KATA COMMISSION

Mr. VINCENT Bill 8D - Ms. MATHIEU Alice 7D - Mr. WAKAMATSU Ernie 5D

WHO SHOULD PARTICIPATE?

- Only held every other year, **this opportunity is not to be missed**.
- The seminar is for **ALL** who are serious about learning and perfecting their technical judo and who want to learn and prepare for their next level under expert teachers from the Kodokan, Jigoro Kano's original school of Judo, in Tokyo, Japan
- Ideal also to refresh knowledge for existing and aspiring kata judges, dan examiners, dan promotion candidates and judoka who want to compete in kata at national and international levels and an excellent opportunity for all clubs and national federations to send at least two members to further their knowledge.

ELIGIBILITY

- Seminar open to current members of IJF/OJU affiliated nations and who already know the sequence of the katas and are proficient in all ukemi.
- Applying for a Kodokan grade is possible. The exam is reserved for judoka members of the OJU who wish to ratify their rank as a Kodokan grade or to obtain a Kodokan grade with the authorization of their National Federation.
- There will be OJU certificates for attendance and for exceptional participants for their achievement level.

PROGRAM

Daily seminar sessions & Grading	8.30am – 11.30am and 1.00 – 3.30pm
11-September-25 Thursday	Koshiki no Kata
12-September-25 Friday	Ju no Kata
13-September-25 Saturday	Katame no Kata / or / Kime no Kata
14-September-25 Sunday	Nage no Kata / or / Kodokan Goshin Jutsu

VENUE: Christchurch Martial Arts **Phone**: +64 21 226 4100

ADDRESS: 6 Forfar Street, St Albans, Christchurch 8011 New Zealand

ACCOMMODATION

Good options are available in Christchurch

COST OF YOUR KATA INVESTMENT - Travel Insurance is Recommended!

FEES	$NZD	Early Bird 20% off if paid by 8-8-25
One day Kata Seminar (per day)	$200	$160
All four-days (4 Kata Seminars)	$650	$520
Kodokan Dan Grade Examination	$ TBA please email your EOI	$ no discount

OJU Kata Commission sponsored Youth Discount - 50% Off for under 18 yrs old – (ID / proof of age required)
An extra 10% off the total cost for 4 or more judokas (Non Youth) from the same club, paid in one transaction.
Refunds up to 20 August. Pay on the day where limits allow, add $20.

Entry Fees are payable by Bank Transfer: ASB Bank Swift: ASBBNZ2A Account #12-3011-0160679-54, OJUKDK Kata'25

Send Entry form to OJU Kata Committee Contacts: Bill Vincent: kata@oceaniajudo.com Ernie Wakamatsu: etwakaoz@gmail.com
Alice Mathieu: zento4.kmc@gmail.com

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KATA SEMINAR REGISTRATION FORM

Completed forms are to be forwarded with payment details:

Email to kata@oceaniajudo.com

PARTICIPANT DETAILS

Surname: First Name: Age:

Full Address:

Phone: Mobile: Email:

Judo Club: Country: National Federation (NF):

KODOKAN Membership Number (if applicable):

JUDO DETAILS (if applicable)

Current Grade:

Grading (Y/N): Dan Grade Kodokan Attempting to Ratify:

Grading forms are to be signed by your sensei and a state executive member and then forwarded to your National Federation coordinator. Grading forms are to be received by the OJU Kata Commission bill@villagewinery.co.nz by the **31st August 2025**.

SEMINAR REGISTRATION - circle your chosen Kata below

Fees and registration are to be received by the event registrar no later than 31st August 2025	PLEASE TICK Early Bird Before 8-8-25	 After 8-8-25
FULL SEMINAR (Thursday-Sunday 4 Days, 4 Kata)	☐ **$520**	☐ **$650**
SEMINAR DAILY RATE (Thursday-Sunday) This is only if you are attending 3 days or less Circle days: Th Fr Sa Su	☐ **$160 / day**	☐ **$200 / day**
OJU YOUTH SUBSIDY -50% <18 Year Olds. SEMINAR DAILY RATE (Thursday-Sunday) This is only if you are attending 3 days or less Circle days: Th Fr Sa Su	☐ **$80 / day**	☐ **$100 / day**
KODOKAN DAN GRADE EXAMINATION: TBA please advise your EOI	☐ **$ POA**	☐ **$ POA**
Entry Fees are payable by Bank Transfer: ASB Bank Swift: ASBBNZ2A Account #12-3011-0160679-54, OJUKDK Seminar2025. Put your name on the pymnt	**NZD$**	**NZD$**

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IMPORTANT: Email a copy, photo, screen shot, of any and all payments made to kata@oceaniajudo.com

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GRADING APPLICATION FORM – Expression Of Interest (EOI)

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I WISH TO APPLY TO BE EXAMINED AT A KODOKAN JUDO GRADING EXAM WHICH IS CONDUCTED UNDER THE AUTHORITY OF THE KODOKAN JUDO INSTITUTE AND THE OCEANIA JUDO UNION (OJU).

Application to be examined for:	☐ 1DAN ☐ 2DAN ☐ 3DAN ☐ 4DAN ☐ 5DAN ☐ 6DAN ☐ 7DAN
Grading Exam details:	Date: ___ / ___ / 2025, Place: _____

Applicant's details: All details are to be completed.

Given name: _____ Family name: _____

KODOKAN Membership number: _____

Gender: Male / Female (circle one)

Birth Date: ____ / ____ / _____ (dd/mm/yyyy). Age: _____ (on examination date)

Address: _____

State: _____ Postcode: _____

Tel: _____ E-mail: _____

Current grade. _____ Dan in Judo

Date awarded: ____ / ____ / _____ Place awarded: _____

Fee amount (if any) **included with this application: $ tba _** .

Applicant Signature:_____. Date: __ / __ / ____

All details to be completed		
	Senior Dojo Sensei or Chief Instructor's Approval: (Mandatory)	1. ☐ I have checked and confirm that the applicant is a current financial member of the below named dojo or club. 2. ☐ The applicant is approved as suitable to be examined for the grade applied for. Dojo:_____. Name:_____. Signature:_____. Date: __ / __ / ____
	State Association Executive Member or National Federation Approval: (Mandatory)	1. ☐ I have checked and confirm that the applicant is an affiliated member of the National Federation or State Association Executive. 2. ☐ I confirm that the applicant is eligible to apply for the Kodokan Dan Grade. 3. ☐ I confirm that I have issued an authorization document to the applicant. NF:_____. Name:_____. Signature:_____. Date: __ / __ / ____

Document flow : KODOKAN GRADING EXAM: Applicant → Club → State Affiliate or National Federation for Approval.

All details to must be completed.