



THE SOLEBURY CLUB

TRADITIONAL SHOTOKAN KARATE

4th Annual

AJKA-I East Coast Youth Karate Championships

Sunday January 31, 2010



AJKA-I

American JKA KARATE Association

I N T E R N A T I O N A L

Kata - Kobudo - Kumite



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P.O. Box 819
4612 Hughesian Drive
Buckingham, PA 18912 ph: 215-794-3494
Head Instructor: Rob DeAngelis

Fellow Karate Instructors,

I would like to personally invite you to the 4th Annual AJKA-I East Coast Youth Karate Championships on Sunday January 31, 2010.

Venue: Solebury School 6832 Phillips Mill Rd. New Hope, PA 18938.

The Solebury School, founded in 1925, is located on a 90 acre campus in historic New Hope, Bucks County, Pennsylvania, half-way between Philadelphia and New York. The Solebury School is generous enough to provide us with the use of their new 7 million dollar Athletic Center Complex for the tournament site. The new John Brown Gymnasium has a basketball court large enough for two teams to practice at one time, seating for 300, home and team locker rooms for boys and girls and a kitchen for special events such as this one.

Enclosed you will find the necessary tournament registration forms and a request for judges. We will be running three (3) rings. Three judges per ring, two corner judges and one center referee.

Referee's dress code: White shirt, blue tie, gray slacks, black shoes and blue jacket.

All pre-registration forms must be postmarked and submitted by January 10, 2009.

Respectfully,

Rob DeAngelis

AJKA-International East Coast Training Headquarters

For more information:

Rob DeAngelis at 215-794-3494 or Fax: 215-794-5980

E-mail: rdeangelis@thesoleburyclub.com

Registration forms are also available on the website: www.soleburyclubkarate.com

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Sun. January 31, 2010

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New Hope, PA 18938

Entry Fees:

One event	\$50.00
Two events	\$55.00
Three events	\$65.00
Late Registration \$	15.00 (cash at door)
Spectator fee	\$10.00
Children under 12	\$5.00
Children under 4	\$Free

EQUIPMENT

Mandatory:

- 1) Traditional White Gi
- 2) Mouth guard and white hand pads or red and blue.
- 3) Groin protection-male
- 4) White Dip-foam Headgear

Ages 18 & under

- 5) Shin/Instep pads

Optional: Female chest protector

PRE-REGISTRATION

Pre-registration must be received by: **January 10, 2009**

Mail registration form and **CASHEIR CHECK** or **MONEY ORDER** payable:

The Solebury Club

P.O. Box 819

Buckingham, PA 18912

Event Schedule

9:00am.....Registration/Check-in

9:30am.....Judges Meeting

10:00am..... Kobudo (Weapons Competition)

Followed by Kata and Kumite

Rules & Regulations

Kata: Competitors shall meet the uniform requirements; Long hair shall be neatly gathered with discreet elastic bands so as not to interfere with the performance of the KATA. Jewelry, hats, caps, head bands and sweat bands shall not be allowed. Finger and toe nails shall be short and neatly trimmed. Contestants who present themselves incorrectly dressed will be given one minute in which to remedy the situation.
> All contestants must perform Okinawan or Japanese Kata.
> Every competitor has the choice to repeat their kata or perform a different kata each round.
> All kata divisions will be judged by utilizing the Flag System.

Weapons: Only traditional weapons: Bo, Sai, Tonfa, Eku, Kama, Jo are allowed.
NO NUNCHAKU OR SWINGING OF KAMA (SICKLES) BY STRINGS WILL BE PERMITTED.

Kumite: **NKF** modified rules. No contact is permitted to the head, face, neck or groin. Two minutes (running time.)



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Individual Registration Form

Date: Sunday, January 31, 2010
Time: 9:00 a.m.
Location: Solebury School
6832 Phillips Mill Rd.
New Hope, PA 18938

Name: _____, _____ Age: _____ Sex: Male Female
Last First

Address: _____ Weight: _____ Height: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____ Belt Color/Rank: _____

Email: _____ Months/Yrs. Training: _____

Dojo Name: _____

ALL FEES ARE FINAL:

Sensei Name: _____

Kata Div
 Kumite Div
 Kobudo Div

■ One event \$50.00
■ Two events \$55.00
■ Three events \$65.00

■ **After January 10th a \$15.00 late fee will apply. (Cash at door)**

Remit payment to: **The Solebury Club**; P.O. Box 819 Buckingham PA, 18912

Questions: (215) 794-3494 / rdeangelis@thesoleburyclub.com

Adult & Minor Amateur Athletic Waiver and Release of Liability:

I, the undersigned do hereby volunteer my application for the attendance and participation in The Solebury Club, LLC AJKA-I East Coast Youth Karate Championships at Solebury School on January 31, 2010 and do hereby assume full responsibility for all injuries, damages or losses that I or my child may sustain or incur, if any, while attending/participating. The undersigned agrees to defend, indemnify, and hold harmless Solebury Club LLC, its officers, managers, members, employees, agents and coaches/instructors and their successors and assigns from and against all legal liability, claims, suits, damages, losses, and expenses, including attorney fees, threatened or incurred, and arising from participation, or from any cause whatsoever. I fully realize that participation in the AJKA-I East Coast Youth Karate Championships can be dangerous and could result in serious injury or possibly death and freely assume that risk. In the event of an emergency, I give permission for Solebury Club LLC to give myself or my child first aid and to arrange for transportation to a hospital and to receive emergency medical treatment. I will assume all costs for medical care and transportation. Please list below any current or previous accidents, illnesses, or physical limitations that could impact, stop, or prevent you or your child from participating in the AJKA-I East Coast Youth Karate Championships.

1. Allergies: _____

2. Medications: _____

3. Physical Limitations: _____

The above-named participant is physically able to participate in the AJKA-I East Coast Youth Karate Championships without limitations (except as described above). I release permission for use of my or my child's picture for promotional material including brochures, advertisements, or soleburyclubkarate.com website. Names are not used in any promotional material.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Parent/Guardian (if participant is under 18): _____

Please **NOTE:** Divisions may be combined to insure adequate match competition for all participants.



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AJKA-I East Coast Youth Karate Championships Division Chart

K = Kata
S = Sparring
W = Weapons

Beg = Beginner (7th kyu & below) white, orange, yellow
Int = Intermediate (6th, 5th & 4th kyu) blue, green, purple
Adv = Advanced (3rd kyu & above) brown & black belts combined

Kata & Kumite Divisions

Kobudo Divisions

Boys & Girls 5-6	All Ranks	K1 / S1	8 and under	All ranks	W1
			9-11 and under BEG	4 th kyu below	W2
Boys & Girls 7-8	Beg	K2 / S2	9-11 and under ADV	3 rd kyu above	W3
	Int	K3 / S3			
	Adv	K4 / S4	12 and over BEG	4 th kyu below	W4
Boys 9,10,11	Beg	K5 / S5	12 and over ADV	3 rd kyu above	W5
	Int	K6 / S6			
	Adv	K7 / S7			
Girls 9,10,11	Beg	K8 / S8			
	Int	K9 / S9			
	Adv	K10 / S10			
Boys 12,13,14	Beg	K11 / S11			
	Int	K12 / S12			
	Adv	K13 / S13			
Girls 12,13,14	Beg	K14 / S14			
	Int	K15 / S15			
	Adv	K16 / S16			

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REFEREE REGISTRATION & REQUEST FORM

Date: Sunday, January 31, 2010

Time: 9:00 am

Venue: Solebury School
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New Hope, Pa 18938

Name: _____

Address: _____

State: _____ **Zip:** _____ **Phone:** (____) _____

Dojo: _____

Sensei: _____

Rank: _____

I would like to help out with refereeing:

Signature: _____

Directions to Competition:

SOLEBURY SCHOOL LOCATION AND DIRECTIONS

Solebury School's 90-acre campus is located at 6832 Phillips Mill Road two and one-half miles north of New Hope, in Bucks County, Pennsylvania 18938.

From New York:

Take the New Jersey Turnpike South to Rt. 78 West, to Rt. 287 South, to Rt. 202 South (at Somerville). Stay on 202, cross the Delaware River Toll Bridge, and take the New Hope Exit. Turn left onto Rt. 32 North towards Easton. Take the second left onto Phillips Mill Rd. Solebury School entrance is 1.4 miles on the left.

From Philadelphia:

Take I-95 North to Exit 51, (New Hope). Turn left at stop sign. Continue straight and follow signs to Rt. 32 North, and turn left towards New Hope. Stay on 32 through New Hope, pass under the 202 overpass. Take second left onto Phillips Mill Road. Solebury School entrance is 1.4 miles on the left.

From PA Turnpike, NE Extension:

Take the Quakertown Exit, follow Rt. 313 East to Rt. 202 North in Doylestown. Follow 202 North to New Hope Exit onto Rt. 32 North. Pass under the 202 overpass and take the second left onto Phillips Mill Rd. Solebury School entrance is 1.4 miles on the left.

From PA Turnpike & West:

Take Exit 27 and Rt. 611 North to Rt. 202 North to New Hope Exit onto Rt. 32 North. Pass under the 202 overpass and take the second left onto Phillips Mill Rd. Solebury School entrance is 1.4 miles on the left.

Driving time:

New York City - 2 hours

Philadelphia - 1 hour

Washington, D.C. - 3.5 hours

Area Hotels

The Nevermore Hotel. 6426 Lower York rd. New Hope, PA 18938 Phone: 215-862-5221

Fax: 215-862-5847 Approximately 4 miles, 12 minutes from tournament site. www.thenevermorehotel.com

Hampton Inn, 1000 Stony Hill Rd, Yardley, PA 19067, 215-860-1700

(Coming from airport direction) exit #49 on I95 (coming from downtown Philadelphia); Approximately 25 miles, 33 minutes from tournament site.