Battle In Bucks

Sunday November 6th



**Adult Divisions**

**For Men and Women**

**Beginners**

**Intermediate**

**Advanced**

**Kata**

**Team Kata**

**Ippon Kumite**

**Youth Divisions**

**for ages 6 and up**

**Beginners**

**Intermediate**

**Advanced**

**Kata**

**Team Kata**

**Sanbon Kumite**

Doylestown Pa

Exact location to be announced

Kata Team Kata Kumite

Battle In Bucks on

**Tournament Info at:**

[www.buckskarate.com](http://www.TheSoleburyClub.com/karate)

facebook Battle In Bucks

[www.cbfymca.org](http://www.AmericanJKA-PA.com)

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Head Instructor: Stacy Pursell Jr.

Fellow Karate Instructors,

I would like to personally invite you to the Battle In Bucks Karate Tournament on Sunday, November 6, 2016.

**Venue:** The event will be held in Doylestown. We anticipate a bigger and better event this year and are waiting for confirmation on a new venue. If it falls through, it will be held at the Central Bucks Family YMCA.

Enclosed you will find a flyer to hang in your dojo, the necessary tournament registration forms and a request for judges. Please make copies of page three available to your students. We will be running three (3) rings. There will be three judges per ring, two corner judges and one center referee.

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

Pre-registration is online only, at CBFYMCA.org. The registration process will guide the students into selecting their divisions. Please make sure that your students (or their parents) know if they are a beginner, intermediate or advanced student before they attempt to register. Teams for Team Kata will be designated by the name of the Team Captain at the time of preregistration. In order to insure that the tournament will run smoothly, **NO** teams will be able to register after November 1st.

Respectfully,

Stacy Pursell Jr.

For more information:

Jen Pursell at 215-783-0206

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**Battle In Bucks**

**Sun. November 6th**

**Venue**: Doylestown, PA

Exact location TBA

**Entry Fees: EQUIPMENT**

ALL EVENTS $55.00 (By October 3rd) **Mandatory:**

Late Registration (received after 11/1 or at the door $70.00 1) Traditional White Gi

Spectator fee $10.00 (per Family) 2) Mouth guard and white, red or blue Hand pads

3) Groin protection-male

4) Dip-foam Headgear

Ages 18 & under

5) Shin/Instep pads

*Optional: Female chest protector*

**Register Online at CBFYMCA.org By November 1st**

Things to know before registering…

Name of Team Captain if participating in Team Kata

Age of participant on November 6th, 2016

Level of participant

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

Contact Bucks County Karate School [www.buckskarate.com](http://www.buckskarate.com) 215-782-0206 [jbuckskarate@icloud.com](mailto:jbuckskarate@icloud.com)

**Reserve your Battle In Bucks Tournament T-Shirt today!**

*$16*

Orders will be accepted until October 21st

Some shirts will be available at the door for $20.00

**To order, call or email Jen @ 215-783-0206,** [**jbuckskarate@icloud.com**](mailto:jbuckskarate@icloud.com)

**Event Schedule**

8:30am…………Registration/Check-in

9:00am…………Judges’ Meeting

9:30am……… Tournament Opening

Followed by Team Kata, Kata and Kumite

**Rules & Regulations**

* Competitors must meet the uniform requirements;
* Long hair should be neatly gathered with discreet elastic bands so as not to interfere with the performance of the event.
* Jewelry, hats, caps, headbands and sweatbands will not be allowed.
* Finger and toenails should be short and neatly trimmed.
* Contestants who present themselves incorrectly dressed will be given one minute to remedy the situation.

**Kata:**

* + - * All contestants must perform Okinawan or Japanese Kata.
      * Every competitor will have the choice to repeat their kata, or perform a different kata each round.
      * All kata divisions will be judged by utilizing the Flag System.

**Team Kata:**

* + - * All Team Kata divisions will be judged by utilizing the Flag System.
      * All Teams must consist of 3 members. The team will be entered into the division of the team member of the highest rank e.g. a team of two orange belts and a green belt will be entered into the intermediate division.
      * All team members must fall into the correct age range for the entered division.
      * The kata performed **MUST** fall in line with the rank of the competitors. Katas done above or too far below rank will result in penalty or disqualification at discretion of referee.
      * Flag system will be used.
      * Teams will be registered under the Team Captain’s name.

**Kumite:**

* **IKU** modified rules.
* No contact is permitted to the head, face, neck or groin, for youth divisions
* Youth Division: Two minutes (running time.) Sanbon Kumite, with half points. (Ippon and Wazari)
* Adult Divisions- Shobu Ippon Kumite, two half points (wazari) or 1 Ippon (full point)



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**Division Chart**

**Students must know their correct belt level when registering.**

K = Kata Beg = Beginner (7th kyu & below) white, orange, yellow

S = Sparring Int = Intermediate (6th, 5th & 4th kyu) blue, green, purple

TK = Team Kata Adv = Advanced (3rd kyu & above) brown & black belts combined

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| **Kata & Kumite Divisions** | **Kata, Kumite & Team Kata Divisions** |

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| Boys 5-6 | All  Ranks | K1 / S1 |  | **Boys 15,16,17** | **Beg**  **Inter**  **Adv** | **K19 / S19**  **K20 / S20**  **K21 / S21** |
| Girls 5-6 | All  Ranks | K2 / S2 |  | **Girls 15,16,17** | **Beg**  **Inter**  **Adv** | **K22/ S22**  **K23 / S23**  **K24 / S24** |
| Boys 7-8 | Beg  Int/Adv | K3 / S3  K4 / S4 |  | **Men 18-34** | **Beg**  **Inter**  **Adv** | **K25 / S25**  **K26 / S26**  **K27 / S27** |
| Girls 7-8 | Beg  Int/Adv | K5 / S5  K6 / S6 |  | **Women 18-34** | **Beg**  **Inter**  **Adv** | **K28 / S28**  **K29 / S29**  **K30 / S30** |
| Boys 9,10,11 | Beg  Int  Adv | K7 / S7  K8 / S8  K9 / S9 |  | **Men 35 + up** | **Beg**  **Inter**  **Adv** | **K31 / S31**  **K32 / S32**  **K33 / S33** |
| **Girls 9,10,11** | **Beg**  **Int**  **Adv** | **K10 / S10**  **K11 / S11**  **K12 / S12** |  | **Women 35+up** | **Beg**  **Inter**  **Adv** | **K34 / S34**  **K35 / S35**  **K36 / S36** |
| Boys 12,13,14 | Beg  Int  Adv | K13 / S13  K14 / S14  K15 / S15 |  | **Team Kata 14+under** | **Beg**  **Inter**  **Adv** | **TK1**  **TK2**  **TK3** |
| **Girls 12,13,14** | **Beg**  **Int**  **Adv** | **K16 / S16**  **K17 / S17**  **K18 / S18** |  | **Team Kata 15+up** | **Beg**  **Inter**  **Adv** | **TK4**  **TK5**  **TK6** |

**Battle in Bucks Karate Tournament**

**REFEREE REGISTRATION & REQUEST FORM**

**Date:** Sunday, November 6th

**Time:** 8:30 am

**Venue:** Central Bucks Family YMCA

**Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**Address: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**State: \_\_\_\_\_\_ Zip:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Phone: (\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**Dojo: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**Sensei: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**Rank: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**I would like to help out with refereeing:**

**Signature: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

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