

Creekside Kenpo Karate Presents **“Riverside Martial Arts Invitational”**

March 15th, 2025

Forms/kata, weapons and round robin sparring

Improve your skills and have fun!

Location: Riverside High School, 4120
E Deer Park Milan Rd. Chattaroy, WA
99003

Please mail registrations to:
Creekside Kenpo Karate
PO Box 178
Elk, WA 99009

*Spectator fees \$5

Pre-Registration: \$65 -NO REFUNDS-
(Must be postmarked before March
10th)

For questions please contact:
Creekside kenpo karate @ (509) 220-4845
Or mylisac71@gmail.com

\$35 FEE FOR LATE OR SAME DAY
REGISTRATIONS

Please write quantity next to sizes for T-shirt orders

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REGISTRATION FORM

Team form demonstration Name:				
Name:	Rank:	Birthdate:	Age:	Sex: M F
Phone:		Address:		
Instructor:		School name:		
Divisions #'s: K _____ W _____ S _____		\$65		
Late registration fee		\$35		
T-Shirt Order Total: \$30 each x _____ =		\$ _____		
Spectators \$5 each x _____ =		\$ _____		
Total \$ _____				

Liability waiver: In consideration of your acceptance of my entry, I do hereby, for myself, my heirs, executor and administrators, waive, release and forever discharge all rights and claims for damages which I may have or which may hereafter accrue to me against the Riverside Martial Arts Invitational, Riverside School District, Tournament Directors, Creekside Kenpo Karate, LLC, and all members of the Tournament Committee, or their respective officers, agents, representatives, successors, and / or assigns for any and all damages which may be sustained and suffered by me in connection with my association with or entry in the tournament or which may arise out of my traveling to, participate in, and returning from such athletic event. I further agree to waive claims against any persons connected with any injuries I may sustain and likewise assume full responsibility for all my actions in connection with said tournament. I further agree that any pictures taken of or by me in connection with said tournament can be used by the Tournament Director for publicity or promotion without compensation at this time or any other time.

Competitor signature:

Parent/Guardian if competitor is under 18:

Date:

_____/_____/2025

Beginners = Less than 1 year training / Intermediate = 1-3 years training / Advanced = over 3 years training / BB = Black belts

Divisions				
Forms	Weapons	Sparring	Age	
SN	Special Needs Division would be decided ring side			
TK1	Team Form (One per school - Submitted by school instructors)			
K1	W1	S1	5&under	All belts
K2	W2	S2	6-7	Beginner
K3	W3	S3	6-7	Intermediate
K4	W4	S4	8-9	Beginner
K5	W5	S5	8-9	Intermediate
K6	W6	S6	8-9	Adv/Black belt
K7	W7	S7	10	Beginner
K8	W8	S8	10	Intermediate
K9	W9	S9	10	Adv/Black belt
K10	W10	S10	11	Beginner
K11	W11	S11	11	Intermediate
K12	W12	S12	11	Adv/Black belt
K13	W13	S13	12	Beginner
K14	W14	S14	12	Intermediate
K15	W15	S15	12	Adv/Black belt
K16	W16	S16	13-14	Beginner Male
K16	W16	S17	13-14	Beginner Female
K18	W18	S18	13-14	Intermediate Male
K18	W18	S19	13-14	Intermediate Female
K20	W20	S20	13-14	Advanced Male
K20	W20	S21	13-14	Advanced Female
K22	W22	S22	15-17	Beginner Male
K22	W22	S23	15-17	Beginner Female
K24	W24	S24	15-17	Intermediate Male
K24	W24	S25	15-17	Intermediate Female
K26	W26	S26	15-17	Advanced Male (Incl. BB)
K26	W26	S27	15-17	Advanced Female (Incl. BB)
K28	W28	S28	18 +	Beginner Male
K28	W28	S29	18 +	Beginner Female
K30	W30	S30	18 +	Intermediate Male
K30	W30	S31	18 +	Intermediate Female
K32	W32	S32	18 +	Advanced Male (No BB)
K32	W32	S33	18 +	Advanced Female (No BB)

Black Belts				
K34	W34	S34	18+	Female
K34	W34	S35	18+	Male

6 Grand Champions trophies. All competitors not earning trophies will receive a Riverside Invitational Medal. Special good sportsmanship awards will be handed out!

Grand Champions		
Forms and weapons	12 & under	All divisions
Sparring	12 & under	All divisions
Forms and Weapons	13-17	All divisions
Sparring	13-17	All divisions
Forms and Weapons	18+	All divisions
Sparring	18+	All divisions

Agenda

8:00am Check-in

9:00am Black-Belt Meeting

9:30am Tournament Begins

Competition order: Team Katas, youngest to oldest, Black Belts

Kata, Weapons Kata, Team Kata Rules

1. Scoring In ALL KATA divisions will be done on the "Better Then" system. Scores will be written down and posted at each ring, so that everyone can see where they ranked in each group.
2. Scoring in Open Hand Kata will be based on Intensity, Balance, Flow and Technique.
3. Judges with 9-years and younger may allow competitors to restart once in Open Hand Divisions.
4. Ties are settled in this order: Dropping the lowest score, calling competitors up and judges point to who they feel demonstrated better.
5. Music is allowed during Team Kata, but not required.
6. Scoring on weapons kata will include Use of Weapon, Intensity, Balance, Flow and Technique.
7. Mishandling of weapons results in disqualification. This includes dropping or injury to self or others.

Sparring Rules

1. Sparring is round robin style. Divisions may be split to speed the tournament up.
2. Competitors must wear foam dipped style gear, mouthguards and cups (boys). It is up to the center judge to confirm that the competitors have all necessary gear.
3. Gloves that do not cover the thumb and fingers, as well as foot gear that expose the toes are not allowed.
4. Points are awarded for:
 - a. Clean strikes to the groin, body (including kidneys) and Head (not face) using hands and/or feet. Judges must SEE point land not just hear it!
 - b. Lead hand to the body counts if the competitor has good technique and there is power behind it.
 - c. If the opponent is on the ground, a standing person may score with Hands Only for 3 seconds. Person on the ground may score with hands or feet during the same 3 seconds.
5. Points are not awarded for
 - a. Hammer fists to the top of the head. This has the potential to hurt the opponent.
 - b. Jousting is not a point.
 - c. No strikes to spine, legs (including Knees) or face.
 - d. Sweeps or Takedowns
6. Ties are settled in this order: Wins, Total Points, Who Beat Who, and finally least points.
7. One warning can be issued for excessive contact/ bad attitude.
8. A second call for (non-intentional) excessive contact/ bad attitude will result in a point to the opponent.
9. Center Judge may disqualify a competitor if:
 - a. Competitor has received and lost a point for excessive contact/ attitude and now has received a third call for excessive contact/ bad attitude. (They are disqualified for current match)
 - b. Competitor has been disqualified from a previous match and continues to have calls for excessive contact/bad attitude in another match. (Competitor is disqualified from the Division)
 - c. Center judge can immediately disqualify a competitor, without warning, if they feel that the competitor is intentionally trying to hurt their opponent or if they display VERY poor sportsmanship. (Yelling, throwing gear, getting in people's faces)
 - d. Competitors can be disqualified if Parent/ Spectators are displaying unsportsmanship conduct. (Yelling, swearing, getting in people's faces)