

EAST-WEST KARATE PRESENTS...



The 2017

AMERICAN PRO-AM

at

Vanderburgh County
4-H Auditorium
201 E. Boonville-New Harmony Rd
Evansville, IN 47725

SATURDAY, April 1, 2017

**THIS IS AN OPEN TOURNAMENT
ALL MARTIAL ART STYLES WELCOME
ALL CHILDREN 12 & UNDER GUARANTEED AN AWARD
CASH PRIZES FOR BLACK BELT ADULT GRAND CHAMPIONS
BEST SUPPORTING SCHOOL AWARD**

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CASH AWARDS

**Men's Black Belt Fighting \$300
Women's Black Belt Fighting \$100
Black Belt Adult Forms \$100
Most Supporting School Award \$100**

DATE

Saturday, April 1, 2017

TOURNAMENT SITE

Vanderburgh County 4-H Auditorium
201 E. Boonville-New Harmony Rd.
Evansville, IN 47725

TIME

Registration.....8:00 a.m.
Rules Briefing..... 10:00 a.m.
CMX Divisions.....10:30 a.m.
Tournament Starts11:00 a.m.

ENTRY FEES

Entry fee includes 1 to 3 divisions entered
Pre-registration.....\$45 Before March
24th. \$10 per extra division.
Registration after March 24th.....1 to 3
Divisions entered.....\$50, \$15 per extra
division.
Spectators fee....\$8 (children under 6 & under
free)

RULES

NASKA rules are applicable in all divisions.
Birth Certificates (no copies) are highly
recommended, if your child's age is
arbitrated, and have no Birth Certificate,
your child will be disqualified. (You can not
mail it to us at a later date.) Once your
division has started and you arrive late to
your ring you can not compete. If you
missed your division, you will not be
allowed to move up in rank.

EQUIPMENT REQUIREMENTS

All competitors must wear a complete
uniform.
Mandatory gear is a mouthpiece, foam
gloves and kicks (must cover fingers and
toes) headgear, and a groin cup for male
competitors.
Face shields are recommended by not
required in all junior and under belt
divisions.

AWARDS

Trophies 1st, thru 4th place.
All children 12 and under will receive a
medal for 5th place and up.

HOTEL INFORMATION

Hotels are just minutes from the tournament
site:

Holiday Inn Airport
7101 US-41
812-867-7999

Hampton Inn Airport
5701 US-41
812-464-1010

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If you need more information, flyers or have
any questions concerning the tournament
contact:

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NOTES REGARDING DIVISIONS

Belt Ranks are different in every school.
Beginner - Usually White / Yellow / Orange
Intermediate - Usually Blue / Green / Purple
Advanced - Usually Red / Brown
*Our goal is that all judges and competitors
show good sportsmanship, respect each
other regardless of style, and compete with
good intent and spirit.*

**(Note: CMX divisions start at 10:30 a.m.
Weapons divisions will immediately the
CMX divisions followed by forms and
sparring. Please be on time.)**

BROWN and BLACK BELT JUDGES

Please wear your uniform to judge or black
dress slacks and a referee shirt. Thank You.

DIVISIONS

BLACK BELT WEAPONS

- 9 yrs & under Boys & Girls
- 10-11 yrs Boys & Girls
- 12-13 yrs Boys & Girls
- 14-15 yrs Boys & Girls
- 16-17 yrs Boys & Girls
- 18-34 yrs Men
- 18-34 yrs Women
- 35 yrs & over Men
- 35 yrs & over Women

BLACK BELT FORMS

- 9 & under Boys & Girls
- 10-11 yrs Boys & Girls
- 12-13 yrs Boys & Girls
- 14-15 yrs Boys & Girls
- 16-17 yrs Boys & Girls
- 18-34 yrs Men
- 18-34 yrs Women
- 35 yrs & over Men
- 35 yrs & over Women

BLACK BELT SPARRING KIDS

- 9 yrs & under Boys
- 9 yrs & under Girls
- 10-11 yrs Boys
- 10-11 yrs Girls
- 12-13 yrs Boys
- 12-13 yrs Girls
- 14-15 yrs Boys
- 14-15 yrs Girls
- 16-17 yrs Boys
- 16-17 yrs Girls

BLACK BELT SPARRING ADULT

- 18-34 Light Men –170 lbs
- 18-34 Heavy Men +171 lbs
- 35 & over Men
- 18-34 Women
- 35 & over Women

CREATIVE, MUSICAL, EXTREME FORMS/WEAPONS DIVISIONS (Weapons and Forms

- will be 2 separate Divisions)
- 13 & under Black Belt B/G
 - 14-17 Black Belt B/G
 - 18 & over Black Belt M/W

UNDERBELT WEAPONS

- 5 yrs & under Beg-Int-Adv B/G
- 6-7 yrs Beginner B/G
- 6-7 yrs Intermediate B/G
- 6-7 yrs Advanced B/G
- 8-9 yrs Beginner B/G
- 8-9 yrs Intermediate B/G
- 8-9 yrs Advanced B/G
- 10-11 yrs Beginner B/G
- 10-11 yrs Intermediate B/G
- 10-11 yrs Advanced B/G
- 12-13 yrs Beginner B/G
- 12-13 yrs Intermediate B/G
- 12-13 yrs Advanced B/G
- 14-15 yrs Beginner B/G
- 14-15 yrs Intermediate B/G
- 14-15 yrs Advanced B/G
- 16-17 yrs Beginner B/G
- 16-17 yrs Intermediate B/G
- 16-17 yrs Advanced B/G
- 18-34 Beg-Int M/W
- 18-34 Advanced M/W
- 35 & over All Ranks M/W

UNDERBELT FORMS KIDS

- 5 yrs & under Beg-Int B/G
- 6-7 yrs Beginner B/G
- 6-7 yrs Int. B/G
- 6-7 yrs Adv. B/G
- 8-9 yrs Beginner B/G
- 8-9 yrs Intermediate B/G
- 8-9 yrs Advanced B/G
- 10-11 yrs Beginner B/G
- 10-11 yrs Intermediate B/G
- 10-11 yrs Advanced B/G
- 12-13 yrs Beginner B/G
- 12-13 yrs Intermediate B/G
- 12-13 yrs Advanced B/G
- 14-15 yrs Beginner B/G
- 14-15 yrs Intermediate B/G
- 14-15 yrs Advanced B/G
- 16-17 yrs Beginner B/G
- 16-17 yrs Intermediate B/G
- 16-17 yrs Advanced B/G

UNDERBELT FORMS ADULT

- 18-34 Beginner M/W
- 18-34 Intermediate M/W
- 18-34 Advanced M/W
- 35 & over All Belts M/W

UNDERBELT SPARRING KIDS

- 5 yrs & under B/G
- 6-7 yrs Beginner Boys
- 6-7 yrs Beginner Girls
- 6-7 yrs Intermediate Boys
- 6-7 yrs Intermediate Girls
- 6-7 yrs Advanced Boys
- 6-7 yrs Advanced Girls
- 8-9 yrs Beginner Boys
- 8-9 yrs Beginner Girls
- 8-9 yrs Intermediate Boys
- 8-9 yrs Intermediate Girls
- 8-9 yrs Advanced Boys
- 8-9 yrs Advanced Girls
- 10-11 yrs Beginner Boys
- 10-11 yrs Beginner Girls
- 10-11 yrs Intermediate Boys
- 10-11 yrs Intermediate Girls
- 10-11 yrs Advanced Boys
- 10-11 yrs Advanced Girls
- 12-13 yrs Beginner Boys
- 12-13 yrs Beginner Girls
- 12-13 yrs Intermediate Boys
- 12-13 yrs Intermediate Girls
- 12-13 yrs Advanced Boys
- 12-13 yrs Advanced Girls
- 14-15 yrs Beginner Boys
- 14-17 yrs Beginner Girls
- 14-15 yrs Intermediate Boys
- 14-17 yrs Intermediate Girls
- 14-15 yrs Advanced Boys
- 14-17 yrs Advanced Girls
- 16-17 yrs Beginner Boys
- 16-17 yrs Intermediate Boys
- 16-17 yrs Advanced Boys

UNDERBELT SPARRING ADULT

- 18-34 Beginner Men
- 18-34 Intermediate Men
- 18-34 Advanced Men
- 18 & over Novice Women
- 18 & over Advanced Women
- 35 & over All Ranks Men

American Pro-Am

EAST-WEST KARATE

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EAST-WEST KARATE presents....

The 2017 American Pro-Am

Vic & Lori Stanley and EAST-WEST KARATE want to thank you for attending our annual event. It allows Regional and National Martial Artists to participate in an open tournament and compete in a safe and family oriented environment. You will not only be seeing other styles of martial arts; but as a competitor you will be taking your skills to the next level. It is our hope that you compete with good intent and spirit and most of all have fun while making friends. We only ask that you please obey the following rules. **The ring assignments is on the back of this sheet.** The rings will run in the order listed from top to bottom.

*** NOTE: If a ring has finished all of these divisions, we could move some divisions from other rings to the ring that has finished. If we are moving you to a different ring, we will announce three times at the scheduled ring and over the P.A. system. Please listen for announcements.

Parents and Spectators

For insurance and the safety of everyone please stay in the spectator areas. Parents are allowed within 8 feet of your child's ring area only. Please do not stand behind the scorekeeper and timekeeper and talk or distract them. If parents or competitors have any questions please ask the center judge. We encourage moderate cheering but don't yell and distract the judges or competitors.

Rules at a Glance

Ring assignments are on the back of this sheet, so you will know which ring you will be competing in. There will be a rules briefing at 10:00 in Ring 2. Competition starts at 10:30 sharp. CMX, will be first, then weapons, forms and sparring last.

Weapons and Forms

- Three or five judges in each ring. They will judge on a base of 9.85 to 9.99. A three minute time limit to perform in weapons and forms. (Time starts when you enter the ring. Time stops when your form ends).
- The Center Judge will collect your entry card with your name on it. They will shuffle the cards and draw them in a random order to see who competes first to last. They will call up the first competitor, and the person who is on deck.
- The judges can watch the all the competitors perform, then they can bring them back up and score them.
- The scorekeeper will eliminate the high and low scores and add the remaining three scores if there are 5 judges. If there are only 3 judges the 3 scores will be added together. The competitor with the highest score wins. If there is a tie for first place, the competitor will do the same or different form again to break the tie. If there is a tie for second or third etc. the scorekeeper will add back in the high and low scores.
- If a competitor drops their weapon they are disqualified.
- If a competitor forgets their form and asks to start over, they will have .50 a point subtract from their score.

Sparring

- Sparring gear is mandatory to compete. It consist of a headgear, gloves, kicks (must cover fingers and toes) and a mouth-piece, guys must wear a groin cup. Juniors and Under belts face shield is highly recommended but not required. Shin and forearm guards and chest protector are optional.
- The center judge will match competitors according to size and will try to avoid matching competitors from the same school.
- By luck of the draw some competitors will receive a bye in the first round.
- Sparring rounds last two minutes or the first competitor to get 10 points is declared the winner.
- The time will stay running the entire match unless the center judge calls for a time out for an injury or adjusting gear.
- You earn two points for a kick and one for punch.
- Target areas are the torso, sides of the body, kidneys and headgear only. (There is light face contact in all sparring divisions.)
- If a competitor is called for their first warning, no penalty points awarded to opposing competitor. Second or third warning one penalty awarded, if a competitor receives four warnings they are disqualified.
- Warnings would include excessive contact, punching or kicking below the belt, avoiding contact or running out of the ring or hitting after the center judge says stop.
- There will be three judges in sparring, two corner judges and a center judge, the center judge will control the ring, award points and warnings.
- To score a point (s), there must be at least two judges awarding a point (s) to a competitor.
- The center judge will start and stop the match, when one of the judges see a point or a warning is "called", the center judge will yell, "stop or break". Then the center judge will call for a point. Together they could raise one or two fingers for a point (s) or cross there hands for no points. Place their hand in front of their face for not seeing contact made for no points. Or their fist connecting together signifies competitors making contact at the same time again no points.
- You must have at least one foot inside the ring to score a point (s).
- A competitor can not receive a point (s) and a warning at the same time. But a competitor can receive a point (s) while their fellow competitor receives a warning. You can receive more than one warning after an exchange or a break is being called.

Ring 4

18-34 BB Men's Weapons
18-34 BB Women's Weapons
+35 BB Men's Weapons
+35 BB Women's Weapons

18-34 BB Men's Forms
18-34 BB Women's Forms
+35 BB Men's Forms
+35 BB Women's Forms

BB Adult CMX, Weapons, & Forms Grands

18-34 Beginner Weapons M/W
18-34 Intermediate Weapons M/W
18-14 Advanced Weapons M/W
18-14 Beginner Forms M/W
18-34 Intermediate Forms M/W
18-14 Advanced Forms M/W
18-34 Beginner Men's Sparring
18-34 Intermediate Men's Sparring
18-34 Advanced Men's Sparring
18 & up Novice Women's Sparring
18 & up Advanced Women's Sparring

All BB Adult Sparring

Ring 5

8-9 Yrs Beginner Weapons B/G
8-9 Yrs Intermediate Weapons B/G
8-9 Yrs Advanced Weapons B/G

8-9 Yrs Beginner Forms B/G
8-9 Yrs Intermediate Forms B/G
8-9 Yrs Advanced Forms B/G

8-9 Yrs Beginner Girls Sparring
8-9 Yrs Intermediate Girls Sparring
8-9 Yrs Advanced Girls Sparring
8-9 Yrs Beginner Boys Sparring
8-9 Yrs Intermediate Boys Sparring
8-9 Yrs Advanced Boys Sparring

+35 Yrs Weapons M/W
+35 Yrs Forms M/W
+35 Yrs Men's Sparring

Ring 6

5 & Under Beg-Int-Adv Weapons B/G
6-7 Yrs Beginner Weapons B/G
6-7 Yrs Intermediate Weapons B/G
6-7 Yrs Advanced Weapons B/G

5 & Under Novice Forms B/G
5 & Under Int/Adv Forms B/G
6-7 Yrs Beginner Forms B/G
6-7 Yrs Intermediate Forms B/G
6-7 Yrs Advanced Forms B/G

5 & under Sparring Girls
6-7 Yrs Beginner Sparring Girls
6-7 Yrs Intermediate Sparring Girls
6-7 Yrs Advanced Sparring Girls
5 & Under Sparring Boys
6-7 Yrs Beginner Sparring Boys
6-7 Yrs Intermediate Sparring Boys
6-7 Yrs Advanced Sparring Boys

Note:

Rings are subject to change. If a ring is completed we have the option of moving divisions to that inactive ring. Everyone please stay back a minimum of 8 feet from the edge of the rings.

Ring 1

All CMX Divisions

9 & under BB Weapons B/G
10-11 BB Weapons B/G
12-13 BB Weapons B/G
14-15 BB Weapons B/G
16-17 BB Weapons B/G

9 & Under BB Forms B/G
10-11 BB Forms B/G
12-13 BB Forms B/G
14-15 BB Forms B/G
16-17 BB Forms B/G

Junior BB Forms Grands

All Junior BB Sparring Boys & Girls

Ring 3

12-13 Yrs Beginner Weapons B/G
12-13 Yrs Intermediate Weapons B/G
12-13 Yrs Advanced Weapons B/G
14-15 Yrs Beginner Weapons B/G
14-15 Yrs Intermediate Weapons B/G
14-15 Yrs Advanced Weapons B/G
16-17 Yrs Beginner Weapons B/G
16-17 Yrs Intermediate Weapons B/G
16-17 Yrs Advanced Weapons B/G

12-13 Yrs Beginner Forms B/G
12/13 Yrs Intermediate Forms B/G
12/13 Yrs Advanced Forms B/G
14-15 Yrs Beginner Forms B/G
14-15 Yrs Intermediate Forms B/G
14-15 Yrs Advanced Forms B/G
16-17 Yrs Beginner Forms B/G
16-17 Yrs Intermediate Forms B/G
16-17 Yrs Advanced Forms B/G

All 12-13, 14-15, 16-17 Beginner, Intermediate, and Advanced Sparring will follow the Forms Divisions.