



Welsh Judo Association  
Cymdeithas Judo Cymru

## Welsh National Championships 2021

27 November 2021

<b>Organiser Contact Details:</b>	Competitions Team, Welsh Judo Association, Sport Wales National Centre, Cardiff CF11 9SW <a href="http://www.welshjudo.com/events">www.welshjudo.com/events</a> <a href="mailto:competitions@welshjudo.com">competitions@welshjudo.com</a>
<b>Venue Address:</b>	Plas Coch Sports Centre at Glyndŵr University, Mold Rd, Wrexham, LL11 2AW
<b>Event Date:</b>	<b>Saturday 27 November 2021</b>
<b>Entry process:</b>	Entry is via Welsh Judo website at <a href="http://www.welshjudo.com/events">www.welshjudo.com/events</a>  Telephone, postal or email entries will not be accepted.  <b>All entries must be received by Friday 19 November 2021</b>
<b>Participation</b>	If you are uncertain of your eligibility, please contact <a href="mailto:competitions@welshjudo.com">competitions@welshjudo.com</a>  Competitors must hold current Welsh Judo Association licence. All competitors <b>MUST</b> bring their <b>VALID</b> judo membership card to registration.  <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Competitors must hold a Grade of the Welsh Judo Association or British Judo Association.</li><li>2. Competitors must hold and produce a valid membership licence with the Welsh Judo Association, no other licences will be accepted as this is a closed event.</li><li>3. Be a Welsh resident • or Be born in Wales • or Have a parent born in Wales</li><li>4. Hold a British passport</li></ol>
<b>Age Band: Minor</b>	Update on 16 November 2021: Minors event cancelled due to insufficient entry.
<b>Age Band: Pre-Cadets</b>	<b>Players born in the years 2008 – 2009</b>  <b>Minimum grade:</b> Yellow Belt <b>Contest Duration:</b> 3 minutes
<b>Age Band: Cadets</b>	<b>Players born in the years 2005, 2006 &amp; 2007</b>  <b>Minimum grade:</b> Orange Belt <b>Contest Duration:</b> 4 minutes
<b>Training Session</b>	<b>Training Session: 1.30pm to 3:00pm</b>  Any judoka is welcome to take part in the free training session following the competition. This includes minors or dragon aged judoka that did not take part in the competition. Coaches are encouraged to bring judogi and assist.
<b>Junior, Senior, Veterans</b>	Tournament date: 05 February 2022. Check Welsh Judo events page for details.
<b>Competition Format, Rules and Judogi Rules</b>	The intended method of elimination for this event will be knockout with compound repechage.  IJF Rules will be in operation. Please note the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• No 30 second rule</li><li>• 2021 IJF Red label judogi rules or the requirement to wear judogi of specific suppliers will not be rules at this competition.</li><li>• The Welsh Closed Championships will be strictly adhering to the mat side coaching rule in all categories. In the following way: Coaches in the official mat side position can only advise the</li></ul>

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athlete during the mate-hajime period and NOT while the contest is in progress. Should any mat side coach not adhere to this guideline they will firstly be reminded of this rule by the referee and on receiving the second reminder in the same contest will need to remove themselves to the general public area for the rest of the event on that day. Other personnel who insist on shouting coaching points will also need to remove themselves to the general public seating area.

### The wearing of white compulsory for this event.

This Tournament does qualify for points scoring for promotion purposes.

### Weight Categories

Pre-Cadet Male	-34kg, -38kg, -42kg, -46kg, -50kg, -55kg, -60kg, -66kg, +66kg
Pre-Cadet Female	-32kg, -36kg, -40kg, -44kg, -48kg, -52kg, -57kg, -63kg, +63kg
Cadet Male	-42kg, -46kg, -50kg, -55kg, -60kg, -66kg, -73kg, -81kg, -90kg, +90kg
Cadet Female	-40kg, -44kg, -48kg, -52kg, -57kg, -63kg, -70kg, +70kg

**Please note:** Test scales will be available at registration (where the organisers must be notified of any weight category changes).

Players can change weight categories during the registration process (weight changes must take place prior to the player stepping on the official weigh in scales).

The Welsh Judo Association reserves the right to amalgamate adjacent weight categories depending on the number of entries in the respective weight categories.

### Weigh-in

**Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> November 2021**

#### Cadets

08:30 – 09:00

#### Pre-Cadets

09.00 to 09.30

All competitors **MUST** bring their **VALID** judo licence (Welsh Judo only) to registration and also their record book showing they meet the minimum grade.

Pre-Cadet & Cadet will receive 0.5 (male) and 0.6 (female) allowance.

Players must satisfy the minimum weight limit for their category, ie for -73kg players must weigh over 66.1kg.

The use of mobile phones is **NOT PERMITTED** in the weigh in area.

### Competition Start

**Saturday 27 November 2021**

#### Cadets:

Start 09:30am

#### Pre-Cadets:

Estimated 11:00am

Confirmed start time will follow upon closing of the entry

### Closing Date for Entries

**Friday 19 November 2021**

### Entry Fee

**£25 per person**

### Photography/Filming

By entering the event, all participants and parents or guardians of participants are consenting to photography/filming which may be taken by the BJA/WJA or an official BJA/WJA contractor at the event. You also accept that these photographs or video may be used in future BJA publications or published by the contractors. If you wish to opt-out of the above please contact [competitions@welshjudo.com](mailto:competitions@welshjudo.com)

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<b>Spectator Tickets</b>	Spectator Tickets will be available for advanced purchase via <a href="https://welshjudo.com/closed-spectator/">https://welshjudo.com/closed-spectator/</a>
<b>Covid-19 Safety</b>	Entrants will be issued with information before the event regarding attending the event safely in line with the latest Welsh Government regulations and guidance.
<b>Coaching Passes</b>	Coaches MUST produce a VALID BJA Coach Award card in person in order to be eligible for the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• To gain entry free of charge</li><li>• To gain mat side access with their player (Only one coach per player will be permitted at any one time).</li></ul>
<b>Payment</b>	All payments must be made by Credit or Debit Card via the online system when entering. Your entry will not be accepted without payment being made.

**ENTRY FEES ARE NOT REFUNDABLE UNDER ANY CIRCUMSTANCES (including injury).**

**PARTICIPATION IN THE TOURNAMENT WILL NOT BE ALLOWED IF THE TOURNAMENT ENTRY FEE HAS NOT BEEN RECEIVED.**