

# AKR OPEN KARATE CHAMPIONSHIP Invitational

Saturday, June 12, 2021  
Competition Starts at 9:00 am

Many WKF and PKF International License Referees and Judges will attend!!

Member USA-NKF



### Attention:

The following rules will be Applied: modified WKF and USA-NKF rules.

**\*\*All competitors under 10 years of age will receive a competition spirit award.\*\***

### Tournament Location:

The Lutheran South Academy School  
Main High School Gym  
12555 Ryewater Dr., Houston, TX 77089

Hosted by: **AKR JAPAN KARATE-DO SCHOOL**

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### Spectator Fees:

**Adults: \$10.00**

**Pay at the Door**

**Under 4: FREE**

**WHEN FLYING INTO HOUSTON, USE HOBBY AIRPORT (HOU), IS ONLY 8.6 MILES (~14 MINUTES) FROM THE VENUE. BUSH AIRPORT IS 2 HOURS AWAY!**

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**9:00 A.M.**

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**12555 Ryewater Dr., High School Gym**

**Houston, TX, 77089**

Rules WKF/USANKF Rules Apply.

**Pre-Registration:** Received by June 10, 2021

**This is a Pre-Registration event ONLY!**

**Proper Attire:** Competitors must wear a white, clean karate uniform. No rolled cuffs.

**Required Equipment:**

USA Karate foam fist-guard Blue/Red/ or white foam foot gear and shin guards, mouth piece, groin cup (male), chest protectors (female).

Head gear (OPTIONAL) for children under 12 years old.

**Referee Attire:** Grey pants, white shirt, navy blue jacket, and official tie.

**Coaches Attire:** Dojo Warm-ups with jacket zipped, showing their Coach Credentials and Tennis Shoes.

**Medal Awards:** 4 places in all kata and all kumite divisions.

**All children 10 years and under will receive awards.**

**There will be NO REFUNDS.**

Tournament Fees:

1 or 2 Events:	\$70.00
Additional Events:	\$25.00

Spectator Fee:

Adults:	\$10.00
Children under 4:	FREE

**All Competitors must register On-line.**

There will not be any registrations done at the door. All entries are final. No refunds.

**Any questions please contact:**

**AKR Japan Karate-Do School**

**Phone: 832-888-1658**

**Competition Divisions:**

- Kata
- Kumite

**Schedule of Competition:**

1 <sup>st</sup> Door Registration Check-In:	<b>8:00 am</b>
Officials Meeting:	<b>8:45 am</b>
Tournament Begins:	<b>9:00 am</b>
2 <sup>nd</sup> Door Registration Check-In:	<b>1:00 pm</b>

All divisions **14 yrs. and OLDER** will compete in the morning and children from **4 to 13 yrs. old** will compete in the afternoon.

First Kata & Kumite will follow. **(All Ages)**

**Categories:**

First Timers\* (10, 9 Kyu) 0- 4 months training  
Beginners (10, 9, 8 Kyu) 5 – 12 months training  
Novice (6, 5, 4 Kyu) 1-2 years of training  
Intermediate (3, 2, 1 Kyu) 3-4 yrs. training  
Advanced (Black Belts) 4 yrs. Training and over  
Elite divisions (12-13, 14-15, 16-17, 18 and over

**Age Divisions:**

4 – 5	(Combined)
6 - 7	(Male/Female)
8 - 9	(Male/Female)
10 - 11	(Male/Female)
12 - 13	(Male/Female)
14 - 15	(Male/Female)
16 - 17	(Male/Female)
18-34	(Male/Female)
35 and up	(Male/Female)

**Restrictions:**

Divisions with less than five (5) competitors will be combined at tournament director's discretion. We have the option of separating divisions based on the number of competitors, age and height.

\*First Timers division are the competitors that have not competed in any previous tournaments.