



SHIHAN AL GOTAY

Presents

2009 WORLD GOJU KARATE CHAMPIONSHIPS

Sunday, April 26, 2009

Iona College

New Rochelle, NY 10804
(20 minutes North of NYC)

TIME: Registration: begins at 8:30a

Competition: 10:30a SHARP

SPECTATORS:

ENTRY FEES: \$45.00 for first event, second event free
\$5.00 per person

DIRECTOR: Rich Fiore, 6 dan (Rfioretriad@aol.com)

GENERAL TOURNAMENT RULES

1. All contestants must wear complete karate uniforms
2. Mouthpiece, groin cups, foam hands, head & feet protections **MANDATORY!**
3. Points will be awarded only when a majority of judges agree.
4. Improper conduct will not be tolerated and will be ground for disqualification.
5. **NO HEAD CONTACT.** Rules for Kata & Kumite will be available at sign-in.

DIVISIONS:

1. All Kata divisions are co-ed
2. All age division are divided into beginner, intermediate and advanced.
3. Age divisions are:

Adults 18 – 34 years
Seniors 35+ years
Mites: 5 – 6 years
Super Peewee 7 – 9 years
Peewee 10-12 years
Youth 13-15 years
Juniors 16-17 years
Black Belt: **18 and over**
1-2 dans
3-4 dans
5 dan + above

NEW DIVISIONS

YOUTH BLACK BELT DIVISIONS

Black Belt 7—9 years
Black Belt 10—12 years
Black Belt 13--15 years
Black Belt 16 – 17 years

4. There will be no weapons divisions.

Please note: Divisions may be changed, combined or eliminated due to number of registrants

DIRECTIONS: From New England and Upper Westchester County (I-95) Interstate 95 (Connecticut Turnpike, New England Thruway) to Cross Westchester Expressway (Interstate 287). Take Exit 9 south to the Hutchinson River Parkway. Hutchinson River Parkway South to Exit 18E, Mill Road. Right on Mill Road to light, then right on North Avenue. Follow North Avenue 2 miles to entrance of College on your left.

Alternate Route: Interstate 95 South to Exit 16. Follow signs to North Avenue. Right onto North Avenue, proceed 1 mile to entrance of the College on your right.

From Midtown Manhattan F.D.R. Drive (East River) Take the FDR to the bridge at Willis Avenue. Bridge connects to the major Deegan Expressway North. Stay left after crossing the bridge. Follow to Cross County Parkway East. Proceed east to Exit 10, New Rochelle Road, Eastchester. Turn right and proceed to fourth traffic light. Turn left on Eastchester Road to the end, then right on North Avenue to second traffic light and left onto campus.