

NUMA CUP JUNE 13-14



2026

Introduction

The highly anticipated NUMA Cup returns this year. We hope to welcome athletes from all over the Maritimes, Ontario, Quebec and St. Pierre & Miquelon again for this year's cup. This year, we will be at the same venue as last year, Cole Harbour Place Nova Scotia, the home of Sydney Crosby. The tournament is open to ages 5 and above and all skill levels, keeping in mind that all participants must be registered with a provincial Judo association.

Tournament Committee

Tournament Director: Jason Scott – teamNUMA@outlook.com

Chief Referee:

Competition Site

All events, accreditations, meetings and Spot weigh-ins will take place at Cole Harbour Place.

Official Weigh in will only be for U14 and above. All other weights will be coaches' honour, but spot checks will happen if needed.

Cole Harbour Place
HOME OF SYDNEY CROSBY
51 Forest Hills Parkway
Dartmouth, NS.

Accommodation

1st Hotel

Holiday Inn Express
335 John Savage Ave
Dartmouth, NS
1-877-660-8550

2nd Hotel

Best Western Plus
11 Spectacle Lake Dr.
Dartmouth, NS
1-800-780-7234

3rd Hotel

Sandman Signature
973 Willkinson Ave.
Dartmouth, NS
1-800-726-362

Competition Dates and Schedule

Saturday, June 13th, 2026 AND Sunday June 14th, 2026

Approximate times (subject to change based on number of participants per category).

Friday June 12th:

For those that arrive Friday night:

Accreditations or check in (6pm-8pm)

Weight ins for U14, U18, U21 and Vets. (6pm-8pm)

SATURDAY JUNE 13TH

8:00a m to 9:00am – Accreditation (check in for U8)/Weigh ins U14, U18, U21 and Vets for those that did not weigh in on Friday.

9:00-9:30am- Open Ceremonies

9:30am – U8 (LTAD) or White Belts Newaza ONLY

10:00am – U14 Yellow belt or higher

11:00am – U18 Yellow belt or higher

12:00– U21 Yellow belt or higher

1:00pm – Veterans

2:00 PM-4:00 PM Weight ins for U16 and Senior/ for those that are here on Saturday you can also do Check in for U10, and U12.

Sunday June 14th

Accreditations check ins for U10/U12/ Weigh ins for U16 and senior for those that did not weigh in on Saturday.

9am- U10 Yellow belts or higher

10am- U12 Yellow belts or higher

11am- U16 Yellow belts or higher

12pm- Senior

1pm- Team Competition

Eligibility

All participants must be a member of a provincial judo association, of Judo Canada or of an association recognized by the IJF. Proof of valid membership will be required for all athletes who are registered with an association other than Judo NS.

Entry Fees & Deadlines

	Early Bird Fee	Regular Fee	Late Fee
<u>1st Division</u>	April 1-April 30. \$65	May 1-May 31. \$75	June 1-June 7 \$85
<u>2nd Division</u>	\$35	\$40	\$45
<u>Team event</u>	\$10 per person.	\$15	\$20

*ALL participants must be registered with their provincial association.

*All registration will be done online. NO WALK ON REGISTRATIONS.

* Registration closes on June 7 at 5pm.

* You can only register for 2 divisions on opposite days. For example, U18 cannot fight U21 because it is on the same day.

Registration & Competition Software

All athlete registrations must be completed through the official registration link on Trackie. For competition management, the NUMA Cup will be operated using Smoothcomp.

Important – Smoothcomp Profile Requirement: All athletes and coaches are required to create a profile on Smoothcomp prior to the event.

- This is required for division management, scheduling, and results tracking
- Coaches are encouraged to ensure all athletes have an active profile before the registration deadline
- Athlete profiles should include correct name, date of birth, weight, and belt level

The tournament organization will transfer all registered athletes from Trackie into Smoothcomp. Once the transfer is complete, athletes and coaches will be able to:

- View divisions and brackets
- Track match schedules
- Follow live results during the competition

Failure to create a Smoothcomp profile may result in delays or issues with competition participation.

Registration Link and Smoothcomp Profile Link

For registrations:

<https://registration.judocanada.org/event/2026-NUMACUP>

Create a profile:
www.smoothcomp.com

Division Information

U8/LTAD	<p><u>U8 (LTAD)– Born 2019 and later</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Male / Female Combined - Belt combined. - White belts fight from knees - Paired according to size (as best possible) 																						
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Team Competition

Back by popular demand

6-person team:

3 girls and 3 boys

U16 and above group, yellow and orange belt divisions and green belt or higher Divisions. Weights just need to be under the weight divisions. For example: -73kg boy, can fight in the -81kg division.

Boy's weights: -66kg, -81kg, +81kg

Girl's weights: -57kg, -70kg, +70kg

Yellow and orange belts division, no armlocks or chokes.

U16 green and higher can only do chokes, no armbars.

Competition Format

Modified double elimination format will be used. If a category has five (5) or fewer competitors, the round robin format will be used.

Important Information

U8 competitors: All participants will receive a participation medal. U8 competitors that are yellow stripe and higher will fight standing up. White belts will fight from knees. Athletes will be grouped by size and weight. We will do modified 3 ippon rule for stand-up fighters.

U10: Modified 3 Ippon rule, 2-minute consecutive time.

U12 and above rules:

1. IJF rules and/or Judo Canada rules will be applied for U12 and above.
2. Arm locks are not allowed for U16 athletes, only chokes.
3. Modified double elimination and/or pools depending on the number of entries.
4. Round robin for 5 or less competitors
5. Draws will be determined by the tournament director.
6. The tournament committee may combine divisions on the 15% rule.

7. White and blue judogis is not mandatory but recommended for U16 and up (or reversible blue white judogi).
8. Athletes may only participate in a maximum of 2 divisions, excluding the team division.
9. It is strictly forbidden to lend one's coach accreditation. Coaches doing so will lose their coaching rights for the duration of the tournament. Only DA minimum certified coaches are allowed to be in the coaching chair.