

ASIAN OPEN

AKTAU 2021

Aktau, Kazakhstan

March 13-14, 2021 World

Ranking Event



**IMPORTANT INFORMATION REGARDING THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC (ENG)
ANYONE NOT FOLLOWING THE IJF COVID-19 PROTOCOL WILL BE REMOVED
FROM THE EVENT AND SUBJECT TO DISCIPLINARY ACTION!**

The fundamental principle throughout all IJF/JUA events during the Covid-19 era is to protect and be protected by wearing a mask, sanitizing, distancing, and respecting the recommendations of the IJF protocol. All participants have the mutual responsibility to protect one another. Each National Federation delegation participant (athlete, coach, team official, physiotherapist, doctor, President, etc.) must have read and understood the latest version of the Protocol for resuming IJF events during the Covid-19 pandemic which can be found here: covid.ijf.org

Before travelling

1. Check if you need a **visa** and if yes request it from the organizer.
2. Book **accommodation** and send a detailed rooming list. Last-minute changes can be accommodated whilst the delegation waits on the bus or outside the hotel.
3. Request an **Exceptional Entry Permit** from the organizer. All participants should write to the organizer (kazakhstan.judo.fed@gmail.com) to request the Exceptional Entry Permit. For each delegate send a good quality passport copy along with their arrival and departure dates.
4. Present on arrival, at least **two (2) Covid-19 negative** individual medical certificate. Please make sure the certificate also has an English version.
These **PCR tests MUST be made no more than 72 hours before arrival.**
5. Present upon arrival an individual **declaration of honor** and **liability release waiver** on the absence of symptoms for at least 14 days per delegate.
6. Upload just before arrival to my.ijf.org an individual **Liability Release Waiver** (Liab-Waiv) and **Declaration of Honour** (Dec-of-Hon) on the absence of symptoms for at least 14 days per delegate

Entering Aktau

1. All regular border-crossing regulations must be followed regarding the validity of passports and visas, as applicable for each respective country.
2. All participants to the AJO (even those who do not need a visa to enter Aktau) should be holding an **Exceptional Entry Permit** to be presented at passport control. This document is delivered by the Government of Kazakhstan. All participants should write to the organizer (kazakhstan.judo.fed@gmail.com) to request this **important document.**

PCR TEST

1. Present, on arrival, at least two (2) negative individual medical PCR COVID-19 test certificates (PCR-1 and PCR-2). Please make sure the certificate also has an English version. These PCR tests **MUST** be made a maximum of eight (8) days before arrival and taken a minimum of 48 hours apart. If travelling by plane, please **CHECK WITH THE AIRLINE** that the date and time of the second PCR follows the airline's "safe to fly" rule timeline (Note: currently for arrival in Kazakhstan this is a maximum of 72 hours before arrival). During this 8-day period you should stay isolated and limit contact with other people as much as possible. If you experience any kind of symptoms do not start to travel (even with two negative PCR tests).
2. PCR-3 test will be performed immediately upon arrival.
3. PCR-4 test for athletes will be taken 24 hours before their weigh-in with the results delivered before the official weigh-in.
4. Exit tests may be booked with the organiser, if required. Price is 30\$

Throughout your stay

1. Wash/sanitize your hands regularly, especially if you have had contact with a person or an object. Competitors should wash and disinfect their hands and feet regularly, especially before the warm-up and the contest.
2. No handshake - greet each other with a bow.
3. Wear a mask at all times (change it at least twice a day). Exceptions: masks are not obligatory on the Field of Play tatami, on the warm-up tatami whilst warming up, or on the training tatami whilst training. Masks may be removed while eating in dining areas.
4. Maintain **1.5 m distance** at all times, except for competitors during training, their contests and during warming up with **ONE PARTNER**.
5. Submit yourselves to contactless temperature measurement by the organizer on arrival at the point of entry in the country, at accommodation premises, throughout the competition venue and at any official venue of the event, to be accepted by all accredited populations.

Anyone who experiences symptoms after arrival must immediately contact their Team COVID-19 Manager who should then contact the IJF COVID-19 Manager:

Local Covid Manager Talgat Abdymamynov: tala_86@mail.ru +77055183738

1. Any questions pre-event please contact: chekuonghon@gmail.com

DECLARATION OF HONOUR

Name:

Nationality:

Date and time of arrival:

Delegation Covid-19 Manager:

Consenting parent* for minors:.....

	Have you noticed any of the following symptoms within the last 14 days?	yes	no
1	Body temperature over 37 .5°C		
2	Dry cough		
3	Sore throat		
4	Sudden onset of shortness of breath		
5	Sudden onset of vomiting and/or diarrhoea		
6	Sudden onset of articular and/or muscle pain		
7	Fatigue without a known cause		
8	Loss of taste or smell		
9	A rash on skin, or discolouration of fingers or toes		
	Are the following statements true for you?	yes	no
10	In the past 1 month have you or anyone in your household met a presumptive or declared Covid-19 infected person or anyone who got into close contact with such person?		
11	Is anyone in your household under self or officially imposed quarantine?		
12	Do you live in the same household with an exposed and frail person (> 70 years old, cardiac pathology or chronic pulmonary pathology immunodeficiency)		

I hereby declare on my honour that if any of the above symptoms occur, at any point during my stay or travel, I will duly and immediately inform my Delegation's COVID-19 Manager, who shall then inform JUA and the Local Organising Committee's COVID-19 Manager. I understand that if I do not follow the "Protocol for resuming IJF/JUA events during the COVID-19 pandemic" that I will be removed from the event and subject to disciplinary action.

Signature:

Print name:

Date:

Delegation Covid-19 Manager

Athlete/Parent*

Consenting parent: parent, caretaker, authorized person to sign a consent on behalf of the minor.

LIABILITY RELEASE WAIVER

The World Health Organization has declared the novel Corona virus (COVID-19) a world wide pandemic. Due to its capacity to transmit from person-to-person through respiratory droplets, the IJF has set recommendations, guidelines, and some prohibitions through out the **Protocol for resuming IJF events during the COVID-19 pandemic (IJF COVID-19 Protocol)**. The IJF COVID-19 Protocol applies to all the IJF/JUA events' participants.

In consideration of my participation in the IJF/JUA events, I, the undersigned:

1. Confirm that I have taken good note of the IJF COVID Protocol and hereby undertake comply with it.

2. Acknowledge and agree to the following :

- I am aware of the existence of the risk on my physical appearance to the venue and my participation to the IJF/JUA events that may cause injury or illness such as, COVID-19.
- I have not experienced symptoms that of fever, fatigue, difficulty in breathing, or dry cough or exhibiting any other symptoms relating to COVID-19 or any communicable disease within the last 14 days.
- I have not been, nor any of my household, diagnosed to be infected of COVID-19 virus within the last 30 days.

3. And, following the pronouncements above I hereby declare the following:

- I am fully and personally responsible for my own safety and actions while and during participation and I recognise that I may be in any case be at risk of contracting COVID-19.
- With full knowledge of the risks involved, I hereby release, waive, discharge the IJF/ JUA, from any and all liabilities, claims, demands, actions, and causes of action whatsoever, directly or indirectly arising out of or related to any loss, damage, injury, or death, that may be sustained by me related to COVID-19 while participating in any IJF events while in, on, or around the premises or while using the facilities that may lead to unintentional exposure or harm due to COVID-19.

By signing below I acknowledge that I have read the foregoing Liability Release Waiver and understand its contents; and I am fully competent to give my consent. That I have been sufficiently informed of the risks involved and give my voluntary consent in signing this Liability Release Waiver as my own free act and deed with full intention to be bound by the same, and free from any inducement or representation.

This waiver will remain effective until laws and mandates relevant to COVID-19 are lifted.

Signature* : Date :

Print Name* :

Consenting parent* : parent, caretaker, authorised person to sign a consent on behalf of a minor

Schedule & Program

Time	Program	Place
March 11 (Thursday) 10:00 – 18:00	Accreditation	Grand Nur Plaza Hotel
March 12 (Friday) 13:30-14:00 14:00-14:30 14:30-15:00 15:00-15:30 18:30-19:00 19:00-19:30	Manager meeting Draw Press Conference Referee Meeting Unofficial Weigh-in Women: -48kg, -52kg, -57kg, -63 kg Men: -60kg, -66kg, -73kg Official Weigh-in: Women: -48kg, -52kg, -57kg, -63 kg Men: -60kg, -66kg, -73kg	Grand Nur Plaza Hotel Mangystau Arena Mangystau Arena
March 13 (Saturday) (1day of competition) 9:00-9:45 10:00 16:30 17:00 18:30-19:00 19:00-19:30	Random weigh-in Preliminaries Women: -48kg, -52kg, -57kg, -63 kg Men: -60kg, -66kg, -73kg Opening ceremony Final Block Unofficial Weigh-in Men: -81 kg, -90kg, -100kg, +100kg Women: -70kg, -78kg, +78kg Official Weigh-in: Men: -81 kg, -90kg, -100kg, +100kg Women: -70kg, -78kg, +78kg	Mangystau Arena Mangystau Arena Mangystau Arena
March 14 (Sunday) 2day of competition 9:00-9:45 10:00 17:00	Random weigh-in Preliminaries Women: -70kg, -78kg, +78kg Men: -81kg, -90kg, -100kg, +100 kg Final Block	MangystauArena MangystauArena
March 15 (Monday)	Departure of all Delegates Teams	

Attention: The schedule of the contests on Saturday and Sunday may be modified according to total number of entries and circumstances of the competition.

General Information & Regulation

1. ORGANIZERS

Kazakhstan Judo
Federation Address:
18, Turan avenue,
Nur-Sultan, Kazakhstan
Tel: +7 7172 799-045
E-mail: kazakhstan.judo.fed@gmail.com

2. Venue

Kazakhstan, Aktau city
Name: Mangystau Arena
Address: 33 districts

3. Age

15 years old and over (Born in 2002 and before)

4. Participation

This Asian Judo Open is open for all JUA / IJF Member Federations. There is no limit in the number of participations for each weight category for every federation. The competitors must be of the same nationality as the National Federation, which enters them.

5. Categories & Duration

Individual contests by weight categories:

Male: -60 kg, -66 kg, -73 kg, -81 kg, -90 kg, -100 kg & +100kg

Female: -48 kg, -52 kg, -57 kg, -63 kg, -70 kg, -78 kg & +78kg

Duration: 4 minutes

Golden Score: No time limit

6. JUDOBASE Registration

All participants and delegates must be registered for this event in the IJF

Registration System (JUDOBASE): <https://admin.judobase.org/>

Deadline for JUDOBASE Registration is Monday, March 8, 2021.

After the deadline further registrations (late entries, replacements) are exclusively handled during accreditation according to the following rules:

	NO IJF Official ID Card Late entry	Late entry IJF Official ID Card: YES	Replacement IJF Official ID Card: YES
Athletes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ENTRYNOT POSSIBLE • REPLACEMENT NOT POSSIBLE 	30USD	0USD
Other delegates (Head of delegation, Coaches, Physios, Doctors, ...)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ENTRYNOT POSSIBLE • REPLACEMENT NOT POSSIBLE 	0USD	0USD

Please note:

- Above mentioned penalties have to be paid in cash on spot.
- Persons without IJF ID Card can only be entered on spot, if IJF ID Card will be ordered until end of Accreditation.
- Persons, who are banned by their Federation cannot be entered as late entry or replacement

7. DEADLINE:

- Hotel Reservation NO LATER THAN March 5 th
- Hotel Payment: you can pay by bank transfer or on the day of accreditation
- Travel Schedule: NO LATER THAN March 3 th
- Visa Application (with Passport Photocopies) NO LATER THAN February 25 th

(Please note: in order to provide you with a visa invitation letter, please send us a passport copies with a good quality and no later than deadlines)

8. ACCREDITATION & CONTROL OF NATIONALITY

At least one team official and maximum two must attend the accreditation before Friday 12:00 in order to confirm the delegation. Without this confirmation in time, a nation will not be put into draw and will not be allowed to compete. Each Head of Delegation must be present during the control of participants. Passports or photocopies of passports from all competitors must be available on request (national ID Card showing nationality and date of birth or a copy is also accepted). The competitors must not be present at the nationality control. An accreditation card with a photograph will be issued to competitors and officials.

9. COMPETITION MODE

Competition system: Elimination (KO) system with the quarterfinal (last 8) repechage. The competition will be carried out according to the rules and sporting codes of the IJF and JUA

10. DRAW

The draw will take place on Saturday March 13 at 17:00 in Grand Hotel Victory hotel. Each National Federation must send at least one (1) delegate to attend the draw. A maximum of two (2) delegates per National Federation will be authorized. The top eight (8) from the entered competitors in each weight category will be seeded according to the current IJF World Ranking List. Dress code: Jacket suit with tie.

11. WEIGH-IN

The official weigh-in for each weight category is held the evening before the competition day (see the program). Athletes must present their accreditation card and his/her passport (National ID Cards showing nationality and date of birth are also accepted). Official scales will be available for test weigh-in on Friday and Saturday from 08:00 – 22:00 (except during official weigh-in from 19:00-19:30).

Random weight checks with the same rules as the official weigh-in can be organized before the first contests on the morning of the competition. The weight of the athlete cannot be more than 5% higher (without Judogi) than the official maximum weight limit of the category.

12. REFEREEING

Only referees with IJF license International or Continental can be entered. Each federation may enter two (2) referees, the organizing federation may enter a maximum of four (4) referees with the same requirement as aforesaid. The meeting of the referees will be held on Friday immediate after draw at Grand Nur Plaza Hotel. For all referees the attendance at the referee meeting is strictly compulsory.

Dress code: Jacket suit with tie.

13. COACHING

All coaches must fully adhere to the Code of Conduct for Judo

Coaches. Dress Code:

Draw: Jacket suit and tie

Elimination rounds: National track suit with trousers reaching down to shoes or jacket suit with tie Final block: Jacket suit with tie

14. TRANSPORT:

Airport: Aktau International Airport

The organizer will provide transfer between the International Airport and official hotel and between the official hotel and competition venue. Free transportation will be offered only to those participants who are accommodated via the organizer.

15. ACCOMMODATION

A Category

Grand Nur Plaza Hotel

Address: Aktau 130000

Phone: +7-702-323-98-34

Room rate	Single Room (Full Board)	Double Room (Full Board)
Price	USD 150	USD 100

Distance from the venue: 5.3 km / 10-11 minutes



Rixos Water World Aktau,

Address: WARM BEACH 34,

Phone: +77292217777

Website: <https://www.rixos.com/ru/hotel-resort/rixos-water-world-aktau>

Room rate	Single Room (Full Board)	Double Room (Full Board)
Price	USD 150	USD 100

Distance from the venue: 30 km / 30-35 minutes



- * All price includes breakfast per person per night.
- * Reservation is on a first-come-first-served basis.
- * Hotel check in time: 15:00 pm, Check out time: 11:00am
- All Member Federations should make accommodation reservations only through the Organizing Committee, by sending the attached accommodation chart via Email to ADDRESS NO later than February 22,2021
- Cancellation fees: On and after the February 22, 2021, any cancellation, reduction of room number or no-show will result in 100% of the charge of the hotel costs that must be paid by the national federations. Cancellations of the rooms cannot be made at the check-in. Injuries, Visa problems or sickness are not valid reasons for the cancellation of rooms.

16. PAYMENT

All payments should be transferred to the following bank account:
Please input below information correctly and completely on the transfer document, any procedure related to amendment for the bank transfer has to be done by the participation team before arrival to Aktau of the Asian Open 2021.

Account number: in USD KZ696010111000176991
JSC Halyk Bank , Almaty, Kazakhstan, HSBKKZKX
CORR/ACC № 8900372605
The Bank of New York Mellon,
New York, NY, USA
SWIFT: IRVT US 3N

17. JUDOGI CONTROL

Approved Judogi

All Judoka must compete in IJF Approved Judogi with red label. Judogis from all IJF suppliers are allowed (see www.ijf.org ♦ Official Supplier List).

Judogi Control. It will be operated with a Sokuteiki prior to the fight. Each of the competition clothing articles (jacket, trousers and belt) must have the official IJF label, which will be controlled with an optical lamp (colored belts do not have to have the IJF label). The jacket and the trousers must be of the same brand (belt can be of a different brand).

Backnumbers.

Each competitor taking part in the JUA events is obliged to have sewn on the back of

his Judogi the official backnumbers (both JUA and IJF are allowed) bearing his surname and his National Olympic Committee abbreviation. The backnumbers can be ordered from www.mybacknumber.com or www.ijfbacknumber.com (Attention: production and delivery may take around 4 weeks). The SPONSOR part (if needed) will be given to the head of delegation during registration, and the athletes can stick it themselves using the special glue on the back number.

Markings and Advertising

The space on the shoulder stripes (25cm x 5 cm on both right and left side) and on the upper arms (10cm x 10cm on both right and left side) can be either used for JUA Suppliers or for own sponsors of the Federation or Judoka, BUT not for any other Judogi supplier. The space on the right chest (5cm x 10cm) can be used by federations and their Judoka for their own sponsors.

The logo of a Judogi brand can only be used, if it corresponds with brand of the Judogi itself and if it is of an JUA Supplier.

Please note: On all advertising spaces it is strictly prohibited to promote tobacco, alcohol, any substances listed in the doping code, or any product or service contrary to public morals. The space on the left chest (10cm x 10cm) can be used for the national colors or the national emblem corresponding with the IOC code on the backnumbers (regional emblems are not allowed). All other markings on the Judogi, like Judogi brand logos, name of Judoka, etc. have to comply with the IJF Judogi Rules. Detailed information is available on <http://www.onlinejua.org/>

Important:

- If an athlete does not respect the Judogi rules, the athlete will not be permitted to pass the Judogi Control, and the coach who is responsible for the athlete will be suspended for the rest of the competition day. In addition, the Federation will be charged a fine of USD50 per case.
- In the case of a repeated offence the coach will be suspended for the rest of the competition.
- The organizers will provide reserve judogi and belt to participants of the Aktau Asian Open 2021.
- The total amount will be 40 IJF approved judogi (20 blue, 20 white) and 20 IJF approved black belts.

18. INSURANCE:

Each National (Regional) Federation / Association will assume all responsibility for accident and health insurance as well as the civil liability for their contestants and officials. The Judo Union of Asia, the Organizing Committee of the Asian Judo Open 2021, and The Kazakhstan Judo Federation will not be responsible of any claims of illness, injury and death, of any participants/officials whatsoever. Nevertheless the National (Regional) Federation / Association staging the Asian Judo Open 2021 shall take all necessary actions to provide insurance coverage against civil liability for the entire duration.

19. RESPONSIBILITY OF FEDERATIONS

The competitors will compete under the full responsibility of their federations. Each national federation is responsible for insuring its competitors against “injury and third part risk (public liability)” during the period of the tournament. The Judo Union of Asia and the organizer decline all responsibility.

20. ANTI DOPING

The Gold Medal Winner and another drawn Medalist from each weight category have to undergo the doping control. Detailed guidelines and information can be found on the JUA website: <http://www.onlinejua.org/>

21. VISA

For nations who need VISA to enter Kazakhstan, please send the “Visa Application Form” fully filled not later than Saturday, February 8, 2021.

- Kazakhstan Judo Federation pays visa support expenses for the team members as (athletes, coaches, judges, representatives)
- All the team members are responsible for their visa expenses, except nominated representatives of the Judo Union of Asia (JUA).

ATTENTION!

Airport AKTAU CITY codes (SCO).You can find flights through ISTAMBUL, MOSCOW, TBILISI, BAKU.

WELCOME TO AKTAU!

