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2007

# Capital City Youth Winter Classics

Saturday, November 3, 2007

Rowland Middle School Harrisburg, Pa. 17111



THIS EVENT  
WILL START

9:00 AM  
SHARP!

Registration Begins 8:00 am  
Blackbelt Meeting 8:30 am  
9:00 All Weapon, Form, Fighting  
Divisions begins

**\$45.00**  
**FOR ALL EVENTS**  
Spectators \$5.00

Pre-Register  
By October 31, 2007  
**\$40.00**  
For All Events

## 1st - 4th place Trophy



World Karate Union Members  
&

Karate World Ratings Members  
\$5.00 off if Pre-Registered by 11/31  
(must have membership card)

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Promoter: Grandmaster John Null  
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## GRAND CHAMPIONSHIPS

6 foot Trophies

# 717-732-7000

# Capital City Youth Classics

Trophies for 1st \* 2nd \* 3rd \* 4th Places  
( All Competitors age 10 & under, who do not place will receive medals )

**The Promoter reserves the right to divide or combine divisions based upon the number, age, sex or rank of the competitors.**

**FIGHTING**– Under Belt fighting will be 2 minutes, 3 points wins. ( Black Belt Fighting will be decided the day of the event) Foam dipped hand, foot, head, shin, mouth and groin protection is mandatory. No targets below waist and no head contact, sweeps or leg checks. Kicks and punches each count one (1) point. There must be at least two (2) competitors for a fighting division to be run. Trophies will NOT be awarded in a fight division with only on (1) competitor.

**FORMS**– Musical and Soft Style Divisions will be added at Black Belt Levels only.  
(3 or more needed to create a division)

**UNDER BLACKBELT RANKS**– **\*\* Beginner is for ages 6 & under with less than six months experience. (White Belts Only)**

Novice is generally a white/orange/yellow belt.  
Intermediate is generally a green/blue/purple belt.  
Advanced is generally a red/brown belt

( Handicapable Divisions will be created the day of the event as needed )

## **Under Black Belt FORMS GRAND CHAMPIONS**

All Novice Winners ( White / Orange / Yellow ) - Championship Plaques  
All Intermediate Winners ( Green / Blue / Purple ) - Championship Plaques  
All Advance Winners ( Red / Brown ) - Championship Plaques

## **Under Black Belt WEAPONS GRAND CHAMPIONS**

All Novice Winners ( White / Orange / Yellow ) - Championship Plaques  
All Intermediate Winners ( Green / Blue / Purple ) - Championship Plaques  
All Advance Winners ( Red / Brown ) - Championship Plaques

## **Junior Black Belt FORMS GRAND CHAMPIONS**

12 Years and under / 6 Foot Trophy  
13, 14, 15, 16, 17 / 6 Foot Trophy

## **Junior Black Belt WEAPONS GRAND CHAMPIONS**

12 Years and under / 6 Foot Trophy  
13, 14, 15, 16, 17 / 6 Foot Trophy

**THERE ABSOLUTLY MUST BE (2) COMPETITORS FOR ANY GRAND CHAMPIONSHIP DIVISION TO BE RUN.**

# 2007 CAPITAL CITY YOUTH CLASSICS

Name	Age ( M ) ( F )	Rank
Address		
City	State	Zip
Email	Telephone	
School	Instructor	
School Address		
City	State	Zip
School Telephone		

**PLEASE CHECK THE DIVISIONS BELOW**

[ ] **FORMS** [ ] **WEAPONS** [ ] **FIGHTING**

## **WAVIER**

I \_\_\_\_\_, do hereby release Harrisburg Martial Arts Academy and all of its affiliates and personnel from any liabilities due to injuries that I may incur of any participation and or attendance at this event. I also waive any compensation whatsoever for the use of pictures, videos, media coverage and etc. used by the promoter of Capital City Youth Classics. I also understand that Sport Karate is a contact sport and injuries can occur. I also agree to abide by the rules and regulations associated with the event and assume responsibility and any associated liability for infringement of such rules. I am also truly aware of my personal medical condition and certify that I am mentally and physically able to compete in this event.

Signature:(under 18 years) \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Signature:(Guardian) \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

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**Make Checks Payable to: John Null**

# Calendar Provided

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# 2007

# KARATE EVENTS

DATE	EVENT	PROMOTER	TELEPHONE
1/13	Hall of Fame Banquet, PA	Karate World	301-393-0900
1/14	Hall of Fame Open, PA	Garry Holman	301-393-0900
2/04	2007 Team Challenge	Garry Holman	301-393-0900
2/24	Mifflin County Classic, PA	Kenny Miller	717-242-6399
3/25	Karate World Open, MD	Garry Holman	301-393-0900
4/21	Maryland State Championship, MD	Tom Striplin	301-697-2628
5/13	Pennsylvania State Championships	Garry Holman	301-393-0900
6/01-2	GMA Open Martial Arts Tournament	Gary Grant	570-779-3331
6/09	Capitol City Summer Youth Classics, PA	John Null	717-732-7000
7/00	Battle of Harrisburg, PA	Tom Joerg	717-697-2941
8/10-13	KW Martial Arts Camp, MD	Garry Holman	301-393-0900
8/26	Battle of the Valley, MD	Garry Holman	301-393-0900
9/00	Breathe of Nature, PA	Tom Joerg	717-697-2941
9/7-8	Northeast PA Competitor Classic	Gary Grant	570-779-3331
10/28	AFK Open Championships, PA	Garry Holman	301-393-0900
11/03	Capitol City Winter Youth Classics, PA	John Null	717-732-7000
12/02	KW Top 10 Best of The Best, PA	Garry Holman	301-393-0900

# 2007 CAPITAL CITY YOUTH CLASSICS

## BEGINNER

6 Years old and Under with no color on their Belts

FIGHTING FORMS / KATA WEAPONS

## NOVICE

(WHITE ORANGE YELLOW)

## INTERMEDIATE

GREEN BLUE PURPLE

## ADVANCE

RED BROWN



## NOV

6 & UNDER  
7 & 8  
9 & 10  
11 & 12  
13 & 14  
15 & 17

## INT

6 & UNDER  
7 & 8  
9 & 10  
11 & 12  
13 & 14  
15 & 17

## ADV

6 & UNDER  
7 & 8  
9 & 10  
11 & 12  
13 & 14  
15 & 17

**NO ONE DIVISION WILL HAVE MORE THAN 11 COMPETITORS**

**12 OR MORE COMPETITORS WILL BE BROKEN DOWN INTO TWO DIVISIONS**

### **UNDERBELT GRAND CHAMPIONSHIP BREAKDOWN**

8 UNDER	Novice	Intermediate	Advance
9 - 12 YEARS	Novice	Intermediate	Advance
13-17 YEARS	Novice	Intermediate	Advance

### **BLACKBELT GRAND CHAMPIONSHIPS BREAKDOWN**

12 & Under Girls	Weapons	Forms
12 & Under Boys	Weapons	Forms
13-17 years Girls	Weapons	Forms
13-17 years Boys	Weapons	Forms

# The Pennsylvania Referees Association

## Tournament Rules and Guidelines For:

The Pennsylvania Referees Association would like to invite any and all Tournament Directors to join this alliance in the conscience effort to provide safe and equal competitive rules and regulations.

We encourage ALL Black belts to attend the quarterly meetings to ensure that all rules are identical at all of our events.

Tournaments: The Battle of Harrisburg-the Breath of Nature-Kenny Miller's Mifflintown Open-Capital City Classics-Capitol City Youth Championships.

## Educating of: Parents/Students/Instructors

1. Instructors should educate parents and students on tournament rules. (That is the main purpose of Black Belts meeting prior to the start of the tournaments)

2. Rules should be included in flyers and application forms.

3. Copies of rules will be on hand at sign-in tables.

Center ring judges will announce all rules to the competitors in their ring, including time periods, before events begin. (Important for Kid's ring)

## Divisions:

1. Beginner-6 months and under with no color on belt.

2. Novice-White, orange, yellow

3. Intermediate-Green, blue

4. Advanced-Red, Brown

Black Belts

## Crowd Control

1. Warnings will be given to spectators behaving in an unsportsman like manner.

2. If this conduct continues, a point will be awarded to the opponent of the competitor whose parent refuses to cooperate. If the parent still refuses to cooperate, the competitor will be disqualified and both parent and competitor will be asked to leave the tournament.

An arbitrator should be called in to control this situation.

## Forms:

(5 Judges)

1. High and low scores will be thrown out.

2. In case of tie, add high score back in.

3. If the tie can't be broken with the high score added, then add low score back in.

4. If the high score and low score can't break the tie, the Judges will use a show of hands to determine winner.

In the event of a tie, green belts and above shall perform an alternative form to determine winner.

## Fighting Equipment Needed:

Foam Dipped Head Gear, Hands, Feet (Fighting Gear must cover fingers and toes)

Groin Protection

Mouth Piece

Appropriate Protection for Female Competitors (Chest/groin optional)

**NO DUCT TAPE**

## Fighting

### **\*\*ALL JUDGES MUST BE IN KARATE UNIFORM WHILE JUDGING**

1. Our focus must be on the fighting going on in our assigned rings.

2. We need to instill safety and fairness.

3. We need to rely on Tournament Arbitrators for assistance in case of any confusion or defining of rules and regulations.

4. We need to realize that Rules, Regulations and Guideline can only work if everyone strictly adheres to them.

5. Black Belt Meetings at the beginning of events are for the purpose of distributing important information of that event and is to be taken back to your students and Parents prior to competition.

6. Center judges must refrain from critiquing other competitor's forms (this may disrespect the competitor's instructors).

7. We must judge all forms openly and not strictly with certain style standards.

Any Black Belt who does not attend the Black Belt Meeting may not be positioned as a center Referee.

### General Rules for all events

1. All rules should be identical!

2. There should not be more than one Black belt in a ring from the same school.

3. There should be no more than One Jr. Black belt in a ring at a time.

4. If there is a shortage of Black belts, let the arbitrator make the decision on selecting the judges. (Ex. See rule 2 & 3)

5. If there are 12 people in a ring, it will be up to the Center judge to be the ambassador. (Explain rules to everyone)

6. As the judge you must bring the ENERGY!

7. The Center judge must inform ALL timekeepers, Scorekeepers, etc to inform spectators to see the Center judge who in turn goes to the Arbitrator, in event of a discrepancy.

8. All fighters will be bowed in at beginning of the event, rather than individually at each event in the essence of time.

9. All attempts will be made to try and accommodate 18 ft. rings.

Anyone caught spitting, performing derogatory gestures, making racial remarks, discriminating against another or making physical contact against another outside the ring WILL BE IMMEDIATELY DISQUALIFIED and asked to leave the premises.

### \*\* The Center Judge Must Direct Fellow Judges to Range of Scoring

1. We must try to separate ourselves from favoring Students or Style of Martial Arts.

2. We should look for content and merit.

3. We should realize that there is not only one-way to do forms. Every teacher has their own method, style, and direction of doing forms.

4. We must lead by example and Judge the way we want to be judged.

All corner Judges Must move around their perspective corners.