

# **3rd AFRICAN YOUTH GAMES**

## **Judo**

### **ALGER 2018**



## **JUDO TECHNICAL MANUAL**

**Individual Competition: 19 July 2018**

**Team Competition: 20 July 2018**

## PROGRAMME

Local time	PROGRAM	Place
<b>15<sup>th</sup> July 2018</b>		
09:-00-17:00	Training	Birtouta and El Harrach Halls
<b>16<sup>th</sup> July 2018</b>		
09:-00-17:00	Training	Birtouta and El Harrach Halls
<b>17<sup>th</sup> July 2018</b>		
09:-00-17:00	Training	Birtouta and El Harrach Halls
<b>18<sup>th</sup> July 2018</b>		
09:00 – 12:00	Training	Birtouta and El Harrach Halls
	<b>Opening Ceremony</b>	
<b>19<sup>th</sup> July 2018</b>		
10:00 – 13:00	Accreditation	Harcha Hacene Hall
16:00	Draw (Individual Categories)	
17:00-18:30	Meeting of the referees	
18:30 – 19:00	Unofficial weigh-in	
19:00 – 19:30	Official weigh-in <b>WOMEN:</b> -44 kg, -52 kg, -63 kg, -78 kg <b>MEN:</b> -55 kg, -66 kg, -81kg, -100 kg	
<b>20<sup>th</sup> July 2018 Individual Competition Day 1</b>		
<b>WOMEN:</b> -44 kg, -52 kg, -63 kg, -78 kg <b>MEN:</b> -55 kg, -66 kg, -81kg, -100 kg		
9:00	Elimination rounds	Harcha Hacene Hall
16:00	Final Block	
18:30 – 19:00	Unofficial weigh-in Teams ( <b>MIXED TEAM EVENT</b> )	
19:00 – 19:30	Official weigh-in ( <b>MIXED TEAM EVENT</b> ) Women -44 kg, -52 kg, -63 kg, +63 kg Men -55 kg, -66 kg, -81 kg, +81 kg	
<b>21<sup>st</sup> July 2018 Competition Day 2 – MIXED TEAM EVENT</b>		
<b>Mixed Team Competitions Cadets</b> Weight Categories Women -44 kg, -52 kg, -63 kg, +63 kg Men -55 kg, -66 kg, -81 kg, +81 kg		
10:00	Elimination rounds, Repechage, SF	

16:00	Final Block	Harcha Hacene Hall
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**Attention: The program is provisional. The schedule of the contests may be modified according to the total number of entries or TV requirements.**

## COMPETITION PLACE

### Salle Harcha Hacene

Adresse: Rue Mohamed Zekkal, Sidi M'hamed, Alger 16 000

## LOC ORGANISER

Organising Committee African Youth Games

ADDRESS: Rue Ahmed OUAKED, Dély Ibrahim 16302, Alger, ALGERIA

Email : contact@alger2018.com

## PARTICIPATION

### NATIONALITY

The 3<sup>rd</sup> African Youth Games are open for all Member NOCs of the ANOCA. The competitors must be of the same nationality as the country, which enters them. Competitors who have double nationality can only represent 1 country.

**After having represented a country in the Olympic Games, in continental or regional games or in world or regional Championships, recognised by the AJU, she/he may not represent another country unless she/he meets the following conditions:** When a competitor wants to change nationality, she/he must wait 3 years before she/he can represent the new country, unless the two countries concerned (the old country and the new country) agree to authorize the change of nationality and this is approved by IJF (see IJF SOR, chapter 1.7). **Important: Entry for the new country is only possible after approval of IJF!**

### AGE

To be eligible to participate in the Youth African Games athletes must be born between **1 January 2001 and 31 December 2003** as per the International Judo Federation rules and regulations regarding age categories.

### Additional IF requirements

Athletes must have the minimum grade of 2<sup>nd</sup> Kyu (blue belt).

Athletes must participate in the Youth African Games weight category in which they have been selected. Changing weight category is not permitted.

## INSCRIPTION

### REGISTRATION

For entry purpose, the NOCs will use entry forms provided by ANOCA as following:

#### a. Preliminary entries:

The preliminary entry forms should be sent to the Local Organizing Committee of the African Youth Games and to the African Judo Union no later than sixty (60) days before the technical meeting **May 18th, 2018** by facsimile or electronic mail to the following address:

**Local Organizing Committee of the 3rd African Youth games**

ADRESSE : Rue Ahmed OUAKED, Dély Ibrahim 16302, Alger, ALGERIA

Email : contact@alger2018.com

**AJU Email: gs@africajudo.org**

**b. Final entries:**

The Final entry forms should be sent to the Local Organizing Committee of the African Youth Games and to the African Judo Union no later than thirty (30) days before the technical meeting **June 07th, 2018** by facsimile or electronic mail to the following address:

**Local Organizing Committee of the 3rd African Youth games**

ADRESSE : Rue Ahmed OUAKED, Dély Ibrahim 16302, Alger, ALGERIA

Email : contact@alger2018.com

**AJU Email: gs@africajudo.org**

All participants and delegates must be in possession of an IJF ID Card and registered for this event in the IJF Registration System (**JUDOBASE**): <https://admin.judobase.org/> by **25 June 2018**

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 IJF Official ID Card: YES	Replacement IJF Official ID Card: YES
<b>Athletes</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• ENTRY NOT POSSIBLE</li> <li>• REPLACEMENT NOT POSSIBLE</li> </ul>	letter + 30€	letter + 0€
<b>Other delegates (Head of delegation, Coaches, ...)</b>		letter + 30€	letter + 0€

**Please note:**

- After the inscription deadline, replacements or additions can only be made on spot during accreditation, presenting a signed and stamped permission letter of the NOC.
- Persons, who are banned by their NOC, cannot be entered as late entry or replacement.
- Above mentioned penalties have to be paid in cash on spot.

**ACCREDITATION**

The times and place for check-in and accreditation are specified in the program. NOCs must arrive and check-in within the time limits provided. A maximum of 2 representatives per National NOC are allowed in the accreditation room.

**ACCREDITATION**

A list of all the inscribed competitors is generated by the JUDOBASE system, which is confirmed by the head of delegation that it is the final list, with the correct names, the correct categories and the correct IJF World Ranking

List positions. The list of entries is confirmed with the AJU official. No inscription will be accepted after the end of the nation control.

## CONTROL OF NATIONALITY

Each competitor's **PASSPORT** or copy of the passport (in case the competitors are still travelling) or official identification document with photo will be requested by the AJU official to check nationality and age of the competitors. The competitors must not be present at the nationality control.

## FLAG AND ANTHEM CONTROL

The head of delegation confirms the flag and the anthem which will be used for the medal ceremony.

Accreditation cards are handed over to teams after finishing the whole accreditation process. The AJU accreditation cards for the African Championships must be presented at the official weigh-in and before each contest.

## DURATION OF CONTEST

Duration women's contests: **4 minutes** and **Golden Score without time limit.**

Duration men's contests: **4 minutes** and **Golden Score without time limit.**

## TECHNICAL INFORMATION – INDIVIDUAL EVENT

### COMPOSITION OF DELEGATION

***Each delegation may enter a maximum of 3 athletes in total for men and 3 athletes in total for women. The maximum number of athletes per delegation is 6***

### COMPETITION FORMULA

The Competition will be held using **Quarter Final Repechage System.**

**Seeding:** The WRL points of 14 July 2018 will be used for seeding of the athletes. The top four (4) athletes in each Youth African Games weight category with the highest number of WRL points will be seeded.

### WEIGHT CATEGORIES

#### Events:

For the Youth African Games the eight (8) IJF cadets Men weight categories will be combined in pairs to form four (4) Youth African Games weight categories for men.

IJF Cadets Weight categories Men (8)	AYG Weight categories Men (4)
Under 50kg	Under 55kg
Over 50 and under 55kg	
Over 55 and under 60kg	Over 55 and under 66kg
Over 60 and under 66kg	
Over 66 and under 73kg	Over 66 and under 81kg
Over 73 and under 81kg	
Over 81kg and under 90kg	Over 81kg and under 100kg
Over 90kg*	

For the Youth African Games the eight (8) IJF cadets Women weight categories will be combined in pairs to form four (4) Youth African Games weight categories for women.

IJF Cadets Weight categories Women (8)	AYG Weight categories Women (4)
Under 40kg	Under 44kg

Over 40 and under 44kg	
Over 44 and under 48kg	Over 44 and under 52kg
Over 48 and under 52kg	
Over 52 and under 57kg	Over 52 and under 63kg
Over 57 and under 63kg	
Over 63kg and under 70kg	Over 63kg and under 78kg
Over 70kg*	

*\*Men weighing more than 100kg and women weighing more than 78kg will not be considered in the Youth African Games selection.*

There will also be a team event where all athletes that have qualified in the individual events will be entered in the mixed team competition.

Teams of eight (8) athletes (four (4) men and four (4) women) will be formed after the official weigh-in.

## WEIGH-IN

The official weigh-in takes place the day before the competition for the category concerned. The official scales are available the whole day for unofficial weight control.

Exact times and place for weigh-in can be found in the program. The weight of the competitors has to fall within the category in which they are enrolled.

The competitor

- presenting themselves after the closing of the weigh-in, cannot participate at the competition.
- can present themselves only one time on the scales during the official weigh-in.
- must present their AYG **Accreditation and Passport** or an official identification document with photo at the official weigh-in.

**Random weight checks** with the same rules as the official weigh-in can be organized before the first fights in the morning of the competition and hour before the start of the competition for a duration of 45 minutes. The weight of the athlete cannot be more than 5% higher (without Judo) than the official maximum weight limit of the category.

## DRAW

The draw will take place before the first day of contests after the accreditation. Time and place are stated in the program.

The top four (4) among the entered competitors in each weight category will be seeded according to the current IJF World Ranking List.

Before the draw the lists of each category are hung in the corridor outside the draw room. Each Head of Delegation is responsible to check that all inscribed competitors are on these lists and that they are under the right category and with the correct IJF World Ranking List position. No corrections can be made after the draw.

**At least one delegate from each participating National NOC must attend the draw.** After the completion of the draw, two sets of the draw lists will be provided to each delegation.

## AWARDS

The organizer shall provide a certificate of participation for each competitor (given to head of delegation) and medals, flowers and diplomas, given at the medal ceremony:

- First place: Gold medal, flowers and diploma
- Second place: Silver medal, flowers and diploma
- Two Third places: Bronze medals, flowers and diplomas

## ANTI-DOPING

The anti-doping control will be conducted according to ANOCA and the AJU Medical Handbook and include in each category the winner of the category plus one of the three other medal winners.

The competitors have to report to the Doping Control Station not later than 60 min after signed Notification form, in writing by the Physician mandated by the AJU, must follow the indications leading them to the check station. In that period of 60 minutes, the athletes are allowed to take part in the awarding ceremony and to fill their press commitments.

They will be constantly accompanied by an official chaperone from the organization from the time they receive their notice until they reach the Doping Control Station. A person of their choice (team doctor, coach, trainer, head of delegation...) may accompany them. The draw is made during the competition before the start of the finals block.

## TECHNICAL DETAILS – TEAM EVENT

### COMPOSITION OF TEAMS

Each team will consist of up to 8 (eight) athletes.

All competitors presented for the team match at the official bow on the tatami must compete. If one competitor does not compete in their contest the team will lose by disqualification!

If one team does not arrive for a match, the other team will be declared the winner by 8-0.

### WEIGHT CATEGORIES

Mixed Team Competitions

**Women** -44 kg, -52 kg, -63 kg, +63 kg

**Men** -55 kg, -66 kg, -81 kg, +81 kg

The team contests will be fought from lightweight to heavyweight starting with one category of women followed by a men's category and so on.

During the contest the non-competing athletes must stay within a marked area on the FOP behind the coaches' chair. Reserve athletes must not enter the Field of Play.

### COMPETITION FORMULA

The Competition will be held using **Quarter Final Repechage System**.

### WEIGH-IN

The official weigh-in takes place on **20<sup>th</sup> July 2018** (for time and place see program). The official scales are available the whole day for unofficial weight control.

### DRAW

The draw will take place before the final block on **20<sup>th</sup> July 2018** (for time and place see program).

**At least two delegates from each participating National NOC must attend the draw**

## CONFIRMATION OF TEAM LIST

All participants are first separated by gender, and then they are sorted by their actual weight recorded during weigh-in, in ascending order. These two (2) groups of men and women are then each split into four (4) weight groups to make a total of eight (8) weight groups. Drawing one (1) athlete from each of these eight (8) weight groups. In order to ensure a balance in the levels across all teams, the AJU may take into consideration the results in the distribution. All athletes are to participate in the team event. In case of injury or illness, a medical certificate is to be presented not later than 17:00 the day before the team event. Countries with two (2) qualified athletes will be seeded and drawn first so that no NOC will have one (1) competitors on the same team. In case a team is composed of less than eight (8) judoka the vacant category will not be counted and taken as a draw when this team of seven (7) meets another of eight (8) competitors. This does not apply to the case where an athlete is injured after the team starts competing

## LINE-UP OF TEAMS

All competitors in the line-up for the team contest presented to the Sport Director and at the official bow on the mat have to compete. If one competitor does not compete the team will lose by disqualification!

A competitor, who has presented himself for the contest and does not compete, loses the right to compete in the event.

If one team does not arrive for a match, the other team will be declared the winner 8 - 0.

## DECISION

If at the end of the contest there is not at least a difference of a WAZA Ari between the two competitors, the contest will continue according to Golden Score rule.

The number of contests won will decide the winning team.

In the case of a tight number of contests won and sum of winning scores, one category will be drawn for immediate golden score.

Scores will be given as follows: - IpponGachi/ SogoGachi/ FusenGachi/ KikenGachi: 10 points

- Waza-ari: 1 points

- Win by Shido: 0 points

## AWARDS

The organizer shall provide for the medal ceremony:

- First place: 12 Gold medals
- Second place: 12 Silver medals
- 2 Third places: 24 Bronze medals

## ANTI-DOPING

Doping test will performed according to IJF Medical Handbook. One weight category is drawn for the Male and another for the Female. Every registered competitor of the team takes part to the draw lot. The Gold medal winner and another drawn medallist are tested. In the case of non-contestation of that weight category then the immediate superior weight category or immediate inferior of the same team will be tested – Two (2) tests for the Male and two (2) tests for the Female.

## JUDOJI CONTROL



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## APPROVED JUDO GI

All Judoka must compete in IJF Approved Judogi (only red label allowed). Judogis from all IJF suppliers are allowed (see [www.ijf.org](http://www.ijf.org) → Official Supplier List).

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## JUDO GI 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 (coloured 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).

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## BACKNUMBER

Each competitor taking part in the AYG is obliged to have sewn on the back of his Judogi the official backnumber his surname and his National Olympic Committee abbreviation. The back number can be ordered from **[www.mybacknumber.com](http://www.mybacknumber.com)** or **[www.ijfbacknumber.com](http://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.

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## MARKINGS AND ADVERTISING

The only branding allowed for the YAG is the space on the **left chest** (10cm x 10cm) can be used for the national colours or the national emblem corresponding with the IOC code on the backnumber (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 (see IJF SOR Appendix C).

### 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 not be able to accompany the player onto the field of play.
- The organiser is not obliged to provide reserve Judogi at Judogi Control, but the athlete is allowed to present himself in another IJF Approved Judogi, complying with the Sokuteiki rule (and without backnumber) - in this case no coach can go with this athlete to the mat!
- In the case of a repeated offence the coach will be suspended for the rest of the competition.

## REFEREEING

### SELECTION & REGISTRATION OF REFEREES

**The Referees for the 3rd African Youth Games will be selected by the AJU Referee Commission and these referees will have a must hold the AJU B, AJU A (or IJF B) and IJF A and have their valid AJU or IJF card. The costs, including flight and accommodation will be covered by the LOC.**

### REFEREE MEETING

A referee meeting is scheduled the day before the first competition day – right after the draw. Time and place are stated in the program. The attendance to the Referee meeting is strictly compulsory.

### REFEREEING RULES

The competition will be carried out according to the rules and sporting codes of the IJF and AJU.

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## THE BOW

- The contestants must not shake hands BEFORE the start of the contest.
- When the athletes are leaving the mat they must wear judogi in proper way and are not allowed to take out any part of the judogi or the belt before leaving the field of play.

## AJU JURY

The jury is not an appeals jury. It can be consulted by the referees in case of any difficulty. In no circumstances can the competitors or their representatives of their delegation consult the jury. No protest against the referees' decisions will be accepted.

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## WITHDRAWAL BY INJURY

During eliminations

- if the responsibility of the injury cannot be attributed to one of the competitors, the injured fighter shall lose the contest.
- if the responsibility of the injury is attributed to one of the competitors, the other will be declared winner. The competitor responsible for the injury will not be able to participate at the repechage.
- In case of withdrawal, the competitor cannot present himself for the following contests.

During the finals or semi-finals

- if the responsibility of the injury cannot be attributed to one of the competitors, the injured competitor shall lose the contest.
- if the responsibility of the injury is attributed to one of the competitors, the other will be declared winner.

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## DIRECT HANSOKUMAKE

In case of direct Hansokumake against the spirit of judo, a joint decision would be taken by the AJU Sports Commission and the AJU Refereeing Commission. In this case, the Judoka would receive no medal and no ranking points for that tournament.

Note: A competitor who has been declared as a loser by injury can continue the competition. A competitor, who has got a direct Hansokumake as the penalty against the spirit of our sport, will not be authorised to continue the competition.

## COACHING

Code of behaviour of coaches as defined in the IJF Sports and Organization Rules, Article 9.6, will be strictly observed, inclusive the Dress Code.

- Coaches are not allowed to give indications to the competitors while they are fighting.
- Only during the pause time (after matte), will coaches be permitted to give indications to their athletes.
- After the pause is finished, and the fight continues (hajime), coaches must keep silent.
- If a coach doesn't follow these rules, she/he can be expelled from the competition area.
- If coaches persist with such behaviour the AJU Accreditation will be taken away for the day. If the coach still persists with this behaviour from outside the competition area, she/he could be penalized further.

## RESPONSIBILITY OF THE NOCS

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## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE

The sex certificate and the medical certificate of the competitors are not required. The competitors will compete under the full responsibility of the NOCs.

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## INSURANCE

Each NOC is responsible for insuring its competitors against 'injury and third part risk (public liability)' during the period of the championships. The African Judo Union declines all responsibility.

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## ATTITUDE OF COMPETITORS

The NOCs are responsible vis-à-vis the AJU concerning the general attitude of their competitors.

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## IMAGE OF ATHLETES

The NOCs are responsible to have obtained the rights for the AJU to use the competitor's image in whichever way it considers it necessary for the promotion of the sport.

Neither the organizer of the event, nor the African Judo Union (nor any of its officials or members) will be liable or responsible for any personal injury nor for any loss or damage to your property arising out of your participation and travelling in connection with these events.

## FUNDAMENTAL PRINCIPLE

All NOC's, officials, coaches and athletes participating in this event have to respect and accept the authority of the AJU officials, the rules and statutes of the International Judo NOC and African Judo Union. Individuals deemed to have acted against the AJU or IJF, their principles or purposes shall be subject to suspension or expulsion from the event and/or cancellation of their accreditation cards.

## AWARDING CEREMONIES

All competitors having won a medal have to attend the ceremony to receive their medal in person. If a competitor is absent during the awarding ceremony for no valid reason, he/she will lose the right to have the medal. It is strictly forbidden for competitors on the podium to bring national flags or the similar identification other than the one represented in the regular manner on their equipment. Any demonstration of religious, political, personal or commercial sign is prohibited and so is wearing a cap or any other head cover.