

# All Japan High School *Kaiseiki* (魁星旗) Tournament

## Tryout Notification

All United States Kendo Federation has been invited for the first time to participate in the All Japan High School *Kaiseiki* Tournament, which will be held in Akita, Japan during March 24th – March 31, 2019 (tentative). More than 370 teams throughout Japan attend this “kachinuki” style team match, where the winner remains. AUSKF will hold an open tryout elimination to select five senior boys that meet the following requirements.

### **Tryout Date:**

January 27, 2019 (Sun) 1:00pm - 5:00pm

\*will be held after the FIK shinpan seminar

### **Location:**

Dedman Center for Lifetime Sports, Southern Methodist University (SMU)  
6000 Bush Avenue, Dallas, Texas 75205

### **Requirements:**

-Boys ages 16-17 years old as of March 25<sup>th</sup>, 2019.

-US Citizen or Permanent Resident with valid passport.

-Available to travel to Akita, Japan from 3/24/19 – 3/31/19 (tentative schedule).

### **Application:**

-Please send attached application form to Danny Yang ([dnyang112@hotmail.com](mailto:dnyang112@hotmail.com))

by December 31, 2018. One application per federation. Early submission would be appreciated.

### **Notes:**

-Top 3 players of elimination/round robin tournament will automatically be selected.

2 players will be selected by delegation leader/manager (must participate in elimination).

-Travel expenses (airfare/hotel etc.) to Japan will be paid for the five selected players.

-All players will be responsible for any expense related to the tryout.

We are excited for this opportunity and look forward to everyone's participation.

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