

FY 2019 AJKF ANNUAL EVENT CALENDAR

Dates, Places, Deadlines or Application methods are subject to change even during the fiscal year.

December 12, 2018

DATE	PLACE	CHAMPIONSHIPS & TAIKAI		Application Deadline from FIK Affiliates to AJKF admin. (Japan Time 18:00)	
Apr. 21	Nagoya	The 17 th All Japan Kendo 8-Dan holders' Invitational Tournament (Individual)		N/A	
Apr. 29	Osaka	The 67 th All Japan Inter-Prefectural Kendo Taikai (Team)		N/A	
May. 2-5	Kyoto	The 115 th All Japan Kendo Enbu Taikai		February. 12	
July. 13	Tokyo	The 11 th Women's Inter-Prefecture Kendo Taikai (Team)		N/A	
Sept. 8	Nagano	The 58 th All Japan Women's Kendo Championship (Individual)		N/A	
Sept. 22	Shizuoka	The 65 th All Japan East-West Kendo Taikai (Team)		N/A	
Oct. 13	Kanagawa	The 46 th All Japan Jodo Taikai (Individual)		N/A	
Oct. 19	Kochi	The 54 th All Japan Iaido Taikai (Individual)		N/A	
Nov. 3	Osaka	The 67 th All Japan Kendo Championship (Individual)		N/A	
EXAM DATE	PLACE	SHOGO & DAN EXAMINATIONS		Application Deadline from FIK Affiliates to AJKF admin. (Japan Time 18:00)	
Apr. 29	Kyoto	Kendo	6 Dan	February. 12	
Apr. 30	Kyoto		7 Dan	February. 12	
May. 1 or 2	Kyoto		8 Dan * See explanation below	February. 12	
May. 11	Nagoya		7 Dan	February. 12	
May. 12	Nagoya		6 Dan	February. 12	
July. 26	Kitamoto		1 Dan~6 Dan	Seminar Participants only	
Aug. 11	Sapporo		7 Dan	June. 7	
Aug. 11	Sapporo		6 Dan	June. 7	
Aug. 17	Nagano		7 Dan	June. 7	
Aug. 18	Nagano		6 Dan	June. 7	
Aug. 18	Okinawa		6 Dan	June. 7	
Aug. 24	Fukuoka		7 Dan	June. 7	
Aug. 25	Fukuoka		6 Dan	June. 7	
Nov. 16	Nagoya		7 Dan	September. 13	
Nov. 17	Nagoya		6 Dan	September. 13	
Nov. 26	Hachioji		6 Dan	September. 13	
Nov. 27 or 28	Hachioji		7 Dan * See explanation below	September. 13	
Nov. 29 or 30	Hachioji		8 Dan * See explanation below	September. 13	
May. 3	Kyoto		Iaido	8 Dan	February. 12
June. 7	Ishikawa			6, 7 Dan	March. 29
July. 5	Tokushima	6, 7 Dan		April. 5	
Nov. 30	Tokyo	6, 7 Dan		September. 13	
May. 3	Kyoto	Jodo	8 Dan	February. 12	
Aug. 2	Nagasaki		6, 7 Dan	May. 30	
Jan.24,'20	Kofu		6, 7 Dan	November. 15	
May. 3 May. 6	(Documentary exam, Kyoto)	Iaido/Jodo Kendo	Renshi Shogo (Kyoto) Renshi Shogo (Kyoto)	Contact AJKF by Feb. 12 (Japan Time 18:00)	
Nov. 27	(Documentary exam, Tokyo)	Iaido/Jodo Kendo	Renshi Shogo (Tokyo)	Contact AJKF by Aug. 23 (Japan Time 18:00)	
Nov. 27 (Written Test: Nov 9)	Tokyo *Written Test will be held on Nov 9 by English or Japanese	Kendo	Kyoshi Shogo (Tokyo)	Contact AJKF by Aug. 9 (Japan Time 18:00) *See explanation below	

***Kendo 8-Dan exam in Kyoto and Hachioji / Kendo 7-Dan exam in Hachioji : An applicant chooses either of the two exam days and writes it in the prescribed application form. (No change afterward is accepted.)**

Notes on application procedures:

Regarding **Kyoto Enbu Taikai** application, an individual who would like to apply should contact AJKF and get a prescribed application form in advance and submit it by the designated deadline date in the above AJKF annual event calendar for sure.

If you desire to apply for an **AJKF 6, 7 or 8 Dan exam** in the list above, you must submit the prescribed application form signed by the country organization's President together with the copy of your current Dan certificate through your organization to AJKF by the designated deadline above. (An individual cannot apply for 6, 7 or 8 Dan exam directly to AJKF.)

Regarding **AJKF Renshi exam**, if there are any candidates recommended from a country organization, the country organization's President must contact AJKF by the designated date above. Renshi exam details and the recommendation deadline date are informed then. (Like the Dan exam, an individual cannot apply for Renshi Shogo directly to AJKF.)

*As for **AJKF Kendo Kyoshi exam in November**, a written test shall be carried out by English or Japanese in Tokyo on November 9, 2019, so all candidates recommended by the country organization's President are to come to Tokyo and take a written exam. After grading the written examination, scoring will be conducted on November 27, 2019. The country organization's President must contact AJKF by the designated date above if there are any candidates. Kyoshi exam details and the recommendation deadline date are informed then. (Like the Dan exam, an individual cannot apply for Kyoshi Shogo directly to AJKF.)

The aforementioned dates, places, deadlines and/or methods are subject to change even during the year. So, be sure to confirm with the updated event calendar in the 'International Information' of the AJKF web site. (You find the deadlines for the foreign Kendo federations' members in the 'International Information' of the web site only.)