

## 6th Annual Kyufest Tournament

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The sixth annual Kyu Fest was hosted at Charlotte Catholic High School on Saturday the 27th of September by United Southern Isshinryu Karate (USIK) of Charlotte NC. Following a Black Belt Meeting and photos sessions, and introduction of VIPs. The tournament begins promptly at 1100 (11 AM). Past events featured over 160 competitors competing in 63 divisions, including Kumite (free fighting), Empty Hand Kata (forms) and Weapons Kata (forms). Additionally, over 250 spectators (mostly direct family members) were in attendance. The event ended promptly at 1400 (2 PM), followed by lunch.

Since 2009, this event has grown steadily and served as a means not only to support a unique venue for a kyu ranks (under black belt) tournament, but also an educational atmosphere in which to train and develop newly promoted black belts, as well as instructor and mid-level black belts in the nuances of logistics, judging, and operating a safe and efficient tournament.

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### **When:**

Saturday, September 27,2014

### **Where:**

Charlotte Catholic High  
7702 Pineville-Matthews Road  
Charlotte, NC 28226

### **Times:**

Sign in & Black Belt Meeting @ 10:00 AM

Tournament begins @ 11:00 AM – Ends @ 2:30 PM

### **Fees:**

All registrations and payments must be received **No Later Than** September 6th, 2014.

- If received by August 9th - \$40 for two events. Add \$5 for weapons competition.
- If received by September 6th - \$60 for two events. Add \$10 for weapons competition.
- Basics Division - \$5.00 (Only event)
- Additional \$10 charge after September 6th and we will only take competitors after that date IF the division has less than six competitors.

**No registrations at the door. No Refunds.**

Contact your Sensei regarding specific details.

[2014 Kyu Fest Registration Form](#)

[Competition Rules Long Version](#)

[Competition Rules Short Version](#)

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