

Sept 9, 2023



**Dear Officials, Instructors, Coaches, Athletes, and Parents:**

I am pleased to announce the 17th Annual IMA Karate Championship in Utah scheduled to take place on Saturday, November 4th, 2023 in Salt Lake City at the Northwest Recreation Center (1255 West Clark Ave SLC, UT 84116). The competition venue is only 10 minutes away from Salt Lake City International Airport and 5 minutes from Downtown Salt Lake.

I will be honored to have you at this event. USA Karate/World Karate Federation (WKF) rules of competition will be applied. This tournament is for all karate styles, age groups, and skill levels. WKF, Pan-American Karate, and USA Karate certified referees will officiate.

Online registration at: [www.TournamentInABox.com](http://www.TournamentInABox.com) will remain open until November 2nd, 2023.

I look forward to seeing you in Salt Lake City on November 4th. Thank you for your support.

Dr. Amadou Niang, Tournament Director

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# 2023 IMA Championship in Utah

## Saturday, November 4th 2023

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1255 West Clark Ave, SLC, UT 84116

Please make payment via Venmo: @Amadou-Niang, Zelle @ 8014506172

**You may also sign up online at: [TournamentInABox.com](https://TournamentInABox.com)**

(Choose 17th Annual IMA Championship in Utah)

**Pre-registration deadline Nov 2, 2023**

**There is no refund.**

**Sign in Starts 8:00 AM. Competition starts at 9:00 AM.**

Div.# \_\_\_\_\_ Ind. Kata \_\_\_\_\_ 1 Events \$ 75  
Div.# \_\_\_\_\_ Ind. Kumite \_\_\_\_\_ 2 Events \$85  
Div.# \_\_\_\_\_ Teams \_\_\_\_\_ \$30 per team member  
First Name \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Age \_\_\_\_\_ Sex: M \_\_\_ F \_\_\_ Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_ Weight \_\_\_\_\_ lbs/kg  
Address \_\_\_\_\_  
City/State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_  
Telephone # \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail \_\_\_\_\_  
Years of Training \_\_\_\_\_ Karate Rank \_\_\_\_\_ Style \_\_\_\_\_  
Instructor's Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Dojo's Name \_\_\_\_\_

### **ADULT & MINOR AMATEUR ATHLETIC WAIVER & RELEASE OF LIABILITY**

In consideration of being allowed to participate in any way in the 2023 IMA Championship in Utah and related events and activities, the undersigned:

1. Agrees that prior to participating the athlete and/or Parent or Guardian (if under 18), will inspect the facilities and equipment to be used, and if the participant and/or parent or guardian, believes anything is unsafe, they will immediately advise the supervisor of the IMA Championship or other tournament officials of each condition and refuse to participate.
2. Acknowledges and fully understands that each participant will be engaging in activities that involve risk of serious injury, including permanent disability and death, and severe social and economic losses which might result not only from their action, inaction or negligence, but the actions, inaction or negligence of others, the rules of play, or the condition of the premises or of any equipment used. Further, the participant, and/or parent or guardian acknowledges that there may be other risks not known or not reasonably foreseeable at this time. The participant and/or parent or guardian assumes all the forgoing risks and accepts personal responsibility for the damages following such injury, permanent disability or death.
3. Releases, waives, discharges and covenants not to sue the International Martial Arts Association, Mr. Amadou Niang, the USA-NKF, its officers, its affiliated clubs, regional sports organizations, their respective administrators, directors, agents, coaches and other employees of the organization, other participants, sponsoring agencies, sponsors, advertisers, and if applicable, owners and lessees of premises used to conduct the event, all of which are hereinafter referred to as "releases" from any and all liability to each of the undersigned, his or her heirs and next of kin for any and all claims, demands, losses or damages on account of injury including death or damage to property, caused or alleged to be caused in whole or in part by the negligence of the release or otherwise.
4. I fully understand that any medical treatment given will be of a first aid treatment type only. I consent that any pictures furnished by me or any pictures taken of me in connection with the tournament can be used for publicity, promotion or television showing now or in the future, and I waive compensation in regard thereto. All participation in any event in this tournament is by permission only. The Director or his authorized agent(s) reserve the right to refuse entry to any person, school, team or club. The undersigned has read the above waiver and release, understand that s/he has given up substantial rights by signing it and sign it voluntarily.

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Signature of Contestant

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(If under 18 Signature of parent/guardian)

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Team Name \_\_\_\_\_

Last Name \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_ Sex: M \_\_\_ F \_\_\_

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