

Dear Dojoleaders, kendoka and kendo friends,

With joy we invite you on our 29th Ko Jika International Spring tournament kendo for juniors.
Starting on May 5th until 7th 2023

On Friday 5th there is a possibility to join the open practice from 20u00 until 21u30

On Saturday 6th we have the individual competitions except category H
On Sunday 7th we have individual category H and team competitions

participation fee : 5 €

Starting time Saturday : 10 o'clock exact

Sunday : 9 o'clock exact

**Address: Sporthal "Neptunus" Botestraat 98
9032 Wondelgem**

For the individual competition, exceptionally this year, we have 8 categories.

3 categories without bogu	technic	5 - 9 years (incl) - Category A
		10 - 13 years (incl) - Category B
		14 - 18 years (incl) - Category C
5 categories with bogu	shiai	5 - 9 years (incl) - Category D
		10 - 12 years (incl) - Category E
		13 - 15 years (incl) - Category F
		16 - 18 years (incl) - Category G
		19-20-21 years (incl) - Category H (Sunday Morning)

As you see this year we created a new category H.

Because some juniors missed their last participation on our tournament at the ages of 17 and 18 because of COVID we give them a new chance. (only this year)

For the category A-B-C please provide your own Motodachi.

We work with a pool system. In each category there will be a 1st, 2nd, two 3rd places and one fighting spirit.

Once people are inscribed for technical, they can't participate in shiai and vice versa

For the team competition we use following composition:

senpo:	6 - 10 years	category D and 1 st age of category E
jiho:	10 - 12 years	category E
chuken:	10 - 12 years or 13-15 years	category E-F
fukusho:	13 - 15 years or 16-18 years	category F-G
taisho:	13 - 15 years or 16-18 years	category F-G

If you have any junior left for the team competition you can inscribe them for the mixed team.

Also important: we are looking forwards to have a lot of shinpan and Kakarin.

We offer them lunches and drinks for free. So please note their names on the entry form.

There is a possibility to stay overnight on Friday and Saturday all together in a sleeping hall. You need to bring an air mattress (or you can use tatami's from us) and a sleeping bag. It is of course allowed to bring your own food, but by ordering in advance on the entry form, you can buy every meal for a small price.

Attention!!!

It's not allowed to enter the whole area of the sleeping place before 19h00 and to make any fire (even not for cooking some meal) in and around the sleeping place.

Address sleeping place, hot dinner and party

Viso Mariakerke

Industrieweg 230 te 9030 Mariakerke

For all People who stay at the sleeping place there are 2 options.

Option 1:	50€	Including:	Stay overnight	(Friday & Saturday)
			Breakfast	(Saturday & Sunday)
			Lunch (sandwiches)	(only Saturday)
			Hot dinner	(all together Saturday at 19PM)
Option 2:	25€	Including:	Stay overnight	(Friday & Saturday)
			Breakfast	(Saturday & Sunday)

For those who don't stay overnight at the sleeping place you can also order

Lunch (sandwiches)	8€
Lunch bowl	8€
Hot dinner	20€

On Saturday evening we will have also a party after dinner

Are you interested to take part on this tournament or you want more information please contact us

kojika@abkf.be

Soon you will find the registration form on our website.

We hope you will join us!

Many greetings from all members of Ko Jika Kendo Club