



Promotion to Shodan, Nidan and Sandan (03/2024)

Name of Candidate

Home address

Contact phone number Email address

USJA # Current Rank Date of Rank Age

Expiration Dates for Candidate

Background Safe Sport Heads Up Membership

New rank TIG Requirement for this rank Candidate TIG

Candidate Signature Date

It is not acceptable for a coach to sign off on a candidate without evaluating the applicant nor is it acceptable for the applicant to have someone sign off on the promotion form if they did nothing to verify his/her promotion requirements. This is an ethical violation and could result in losing your authority to sign off on all promotions for the USJA. (Electronic Signatures acceptable.)

I, identified below with my signature, do hereby affirm that the above candidate has satisfied all the USJA requirements for the rank promotion request, including TIG since the last promotion, age, valid background check, valid Safe Sport and Heads Up Certifications. I affirm that I have personally examined, witnessed, and/or verified all required documents to support this request for promotion.

Coach Name USJA #

Expiration Dates for Coach

Background Safe Sport Heads Up Membership

Coach Signature Date

Payment fee check # Charge my credit card type AMERICAN EXPRESS VISA MasterCard DISCOVER Date

Name on card (print) Card Number Expiration Date Security code

Required TIG, Age & Signatures for Promotion Recommendations

1 st to 3 rd Dan Rank/Belt	Minimum Age	TIG/Classes	Club Coach Sign off # Rank or above
1 st Dan/Black Shodan	15	1/96	(1) 2 nd Dan
2 nd Dan/Black Nidan	19	3/288	(1) 3 rd Dan
3 rd Dan/Black Sandan	23	4/384	(1) 4 th Dan

Classes must be at least one hour long and no more than 2 classes per day.

Promotion Fees included *Processing Fee

Shodan - \$185 Nidan - \$210 Sandan - \$235