# 2023 Kodokan Event Calendar

## January
- **4 (Wed)**: New Year's greeting exchange gathering
- **5 (Thu)**: Keiko Hajime (The first practice of the year)
- **6 (Fri) – 15 (Sun)**: Kan-geiko (Mid-winter training)
- **7 (Sat)**: Special Council
- **8 (Sun)**: Kagami Biraki ceremony (Ceremony to cut Kagamimochi, round rice cake)

## February
- **4 (Sat)**: Tsukinami-shiai (Monthly contest; for dan holder, no dan and women)
- **4 (Sat)**: Tsukinami-shiai (Monthly contest for dan holder and no dan)

## March
- **4 (Sat)**: Tsukinami-shiai (Monthly contest for dan holder, no dan and women)

## April
- **6 (Thu)**: Tsukinami-shiai (Monthly contest for 1st dan and below)
- **13 (Thu)**: Tsukinami-shiai (Monthly contest for 2nd dan and above)
- **23 (Sun)**: All Japan Women Judo Championships (Yokohama)
- **28 (Fri)**: All Japan Judo Contest for High Dan Holders
- **29 (Sat/Holiday)**: All Japan Judo Championships (Nippon Budokan)
- **30 (Sun)**: Supreme Council

## May
- **2 (Tue)**: Bozen-sai (Paying a visit to the grave of Kano Shihan)
- **4 (Thu/Holiday)**: Training for All Japan Tournament for Boys and Girls
- **5 (Fri/Holiday)**: All Japan Tournament for Boys and Girls
- **11 (Thu)**: Tsukinami-shiai (Monthly contest for 1st dan and below)
- **18 (Thu)**: Tsukinami-shiai (Monthly contest for 2nd dan and above; women)

## June
- **10 (Sat)**: All Japan Kata Competition
- **11 (Sun)**: Spring Kohaku-shiai (Competition between Red team & White team)

## July
- **6 (Thu)**: Tsukinami-shiai (Monthly contest; for dan holder and no dan)
- **13 (Thu) – 22 (Sat)**: Shochu-geiko (Mid-summer training)
- **17 (Mon/Holiday)**: Summer Course I: Kata and others
- **24 (Mon) – 28 (Fri)**: Summer Course II: Waza (Techniques)

## August
- **7 (Mon) – 9 (Wed)**: Summer Course for Women (in Japanese)
- **18 (Fri) – 20 (Sun)**: Seminar for school teachers in PE Judo class (in Japanese)
- **24 (Thu)**: Tsukinami-shiai (Monthly contest; for dan holder and no dan)

## September
- **16 (Sat)**: Tsukinami-shiai (Monthly contest; for dan holder, no dan and women)

## October
- **28 (Sat)**: Anniversary of Kano Jigoro Shihan’s Birthday
- **29 (Sun)**: Autumn Kohaku-shiai (Competition between Red team & White team)

## November
- **4 (Sat) – 5 (Sun)**: Kodokan Cup All Japan Judo Championships by Weight Category (Chiba)
- **9 (Thu)**: Tsukinami-shiai (Monthly contest for 1st dan and below)
- **16 (Thu)**: Tsukinami-shiai (Monthly contest for 2nd dan and above)

## December
- **9 (Sat)**: Tsukinami-shiai (Monthly contest; for dan holder, no dan and women)
- **27 (Wed)**: Keiko Osame (The last practice of the year)
- **28 (Thu)**: Closed for winter holidays