

August 14, 2012

Mr. Peter Catlos, Director
Michigan Judo Development Association
Michigan USA

Dear Mr. Catlos,

I hope that this letter finds you and everyone at Michigan Judo Development Association (MJDA) in great health and spirits.

We recently returned from the XXXth Olympiad held in London, Great Britain. It was a wonderful, once-in-a-lifetime experience for my Mother (Natsuko) and Wife (Terry) to attend. We cannot adequately express our gratitude and appreciation for your and MJDA's efforts and success in raising funds to provide financial assistance for them to attend the London Games. We are very appreciative of all of the generous donors too. We were very surprised by everyone's kindness and generosity. To everyone, we offer our heartfelt thanks.

Thank you very much to all of our Judo Family & Friends for making this trip of a lifetime possible!

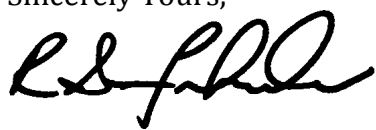
It was very exciting for Terry & Mom to watch our athletes compete. Especially, to see Marti Malloy win her bronze medal and Kayla Harrison win her gold medal. They were able to witness some American Judo history in the making! Just in case you were wondering, it was a really tremendous experience to see the successes of our athletes. It is truly a wonderful & overwhelming feeling to hear the Star Spangled Banner being played and watching our flag being raised after Kayla won her gold medal.

I've included some photos in this letter to show you some of what we saw and experienced in London.

Thank you very much to MJDA for organizing the fund raising effort. Thank you very much to all of the generous donors. It was a big surprise to all of us and we appreciate everyone's generosity and support. Without it, this would not have been possible.

Again, thank you very much for your hard work and that of the other kind folks at MJDA. Looking forward to seeing everyone somewhere soon...

Sincerely Yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'R. S. Fukuda', written in a cursive style.

Robert S. Fukuda
Grateful Son, Husband, Father, & London 2012 Olympic Judo Referee