



## **The Alex Jeffrey Memorial Sabre Open**

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## **USFA New York State Fencing Championships**

**Place:** Vassar College - Walker Field House: 124 Raymond Ave., Poughkeepsie, NY 12604

**Dates:** Sat 8/4/12, Sun 8/5/12

The Open Mixed Sabre event will be the Alex Jeffrey Memorial Sabre Event this year.

Alex Jeffrey was the head coach of Beaches Sabre Club of Troy, was a member of the Canadian National Sabre Team and he was Head Coach of the Canadian Women's Sabre Team. His greatest gift was the ability to put a smile on the faces of those he met, and those that knew him. Alex will be remembered by the Fencing Community throughout the world for his contributions to the sport and he will be remembered by all who knew him as a man who always walked his own path.

The format for all of the Open Events is a round of mixed pools followed by a mixed direct elimination table and a women's direct elimination table. No extra fee is charged for participation in the women's table.

Entry fee for all senior events is \$40/event if preregistered by 8/3/12 for the Open events, \$45 at the door.

Entry Fee for the first Vet Event is \$30, \$15 each additional vet event.

Vet 50 events are for people age 50 and over. There are no separate Vet 60 or vet 70 events.

You may fence in both Senior and Vet 50 events if you are age qualified for both.

The events are open to all USFA Members. You do not have to be a New York State resident.

Foil Masks with lame bibs will be required.

All events require proof of valid USFA membership.

The new membership year starts August 1, 2012.

You may join at the tournament.

#### **Events Scheduled:**

**Open Mixed Epee - Sun 8/05 9:00 AM**

**Open Mixed Foil - Sat 8/04 9:00 AM**

**Open Mixed Sabre - Sat 8/04 2:00 PM**

**Vet 50 Mixed Epee - Sun 8/05 12:00 PM**

**Vet 50 Mixed Foil - Sat 8/04 12:00 PM**

**Vet 50 Mixed Sabre - Sat 8/04 4PM**

**Register at** [http://askfred.net/Events/whosComing.php?tournament\\_id=17506](http://askfred.net/Events/whosComing.php?tournament_id=17506)

Absolute Fencing Gear will be providing scoring equipment for the tournament and will have a table set up for all who would like to purchase gear on Saturday 8/4 and Sunday 8/5!