



## **Vacaville Police Department**

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## *Press Release*

**Today's Date:** 11-13-09  
**Date & Time** 11-08-09  
**Occurred:**  
**Submitted By:** G. Makimoto  
**Phone:** 707-449-5200  
**Type of** PAL Judo  
**Crime/Incident:**

### **Narrative:**

On November 8, 2009, six youth from the Vacaville Police Activities League - Makimoto Judo club competed in the Palo Alto Judo tournament. The tournament was at the Palo Alto High School and had approximately 250 competitors.

Justin Johnson and Cody Costello both won silver medals. Hunter Costello, Michael Fife and John Fife all won Gold medals, winning all the matches in the pools. Alexander Makimoto fought hard and won one match but did not place.

The Vacaville Police Activities League Judo Club is coached by Officers Gordon and Lucy Makimoto of the Vacaville Police Department. For questions about the Vacaville PAL program, please contact Officer Gordon Makimoto at 449-5200 or Amanda Slade at 449-6288.

The Police Activities League program is one of the oldest citizen-building youth programs in the nation. It builds friendships between law enforcement and children within the community. By helping our youth we help the future of our community.

The Vacaville Police Activities League is a non-profit organization.