



KARATE NEWS



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HELLO:
I'M JAVIER BETANCOURT, NEWEST EDITOR OF OUR NEWS LETTER. THIS IS MY FIRST TIME DOING THIS TYPE OF WORK SO I HOPE YOU LIKE AND ENJOY IT. MY PURPOSE IS TO KEEP YOU INFORMED OF THE DIFFERENT EVENTS AT AND AROUND OUR DOJO. THANKS TO PROFESSOR AND SIMU FOR GIVING ME A CHANCE TO HELP OUR DOJO IN THIS WAY.

NEW STUDENTS

Bill Grossman's School of Kenpo Karate is happy to welcome the following new students to our Kenpo family. The names listed below include all new student from the beginning of the year (I apologize for any misspellings).

- Chad Betleyoun
- Andres Esparza
- Earl K. Hampton
- Adam Abrego
- Alondra Vergara
- Julissa Vergara
- Yessenia Andrade
- Nohemi Vergara
- Iana Vergara
- Andrei Quianbao
- Jesus Sigueiros
- Joselyn Siguieros
- Brittany Burgo
- Kevin Abrego
- Andrea Rodriguez
- Caroline Rodriguez
- Adam Nash
- Sean Crilly
- Troy Braganza
- Nick Baer

WELCOME BACK

Professor and Simu would like to welcome back:

- Steven Williams
- Chris Volikakis
- Charles Tillman
- Joe Leonetti

STRIPES:

As you all know by now, stripes will be awarded within your private lessons. Those of you who do not have private lessons please see Simu or Professor to arrange Stripe Testing.

NEXT KENPO LOWER BELT TEST:

The next Kenpo test for lower belt will be:

April 21, 2007

Make sure you turn in your or your child's application ASAP!

PROMOTIONS

Promotions will be of Friday April 27, 2007 at 7:00 pm. Please be on time, in full uniform.

NEXT ARNIS TEST:

The next ARNIS test will take place on March 31, 2007. Promotions will take place right after the test, at 12:00 noon.

TOURNAMENT RESULTS:

On February 10, 2007 several of our students competed at the Disneyland qualifier tournament in Anaheim, CA. Here are the results:

Mr. Dominic Antonelli:

- First Place: Kata
- Second Place: Weapons

Miss Jeannette Hanna:

- First Place: Kata

Miss Brittany Cardoza:

- Third Place: Kata

On March 13, 2007 our school was represented at the Rising Sun tournament in South San Francisco, CA. Here are the results:

Mr. Dominic Antonelli:

- First Place: Kata
- Second Place: Weapons (after tying three times for first place!)

Miss Sarah Minsky

- First Place: Kata
- First Place: Weapons
- Grand Champion

WOW! Where are we going to fit all of these new students?



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TOURNAMENT RESULTS: (CONTINUED)

Mr. Shawn McGrath:
• Second Place: Kata

Harjot Grewal:
• First Place: Kata

Javier Betancourt:
• First Place: Kata
• First Place: Weapons

Kimberly Noches:
• Second Place: Kumite

Aaron Ragual:
• First Place: Kata
• First Place: Kumite

David Lewis:
Second Place: Kata

Karla Flores
• First Place: Kata

Magali Flores:
• First Place: Kata

Rory Resuello:
• Second Place: Kata

Peter Hawrylow:
• First Place: Kata
• First Place: Kumite

Andrew Juardo:
• First Place: Kata
• First Place: Kumite

Ashlei Ragual:
• First Place: Kata
• First Place: Kumite

Trevor Nordstedt:
• First Place: Kata

Tristin Antonelli:
• First Place: Kata

I wonder if we left any for the other competitors!

On March 17, 2007 our school was represented at the Lone wolf Nationals tournament in Albany, CA. Here are the results:

Karla Flores
• Second Place: Kata

Magali Flores:
• Second Place: Kata

Rory Resuello:
• First Place: Kata

UP COMING TOURNAMENTS:

April 7th, 2007
• El Sobrante Ultimate Slam

STUDENT REMINDERS:

- Be on time for class
- Practice what you learn.
- Respect instructors and classmates alike
- No talking in class
- Practice good hygiene
- All students must have patches on their uniform.
- Uniforms must be neat and clean, and fit properly.
- Students must attend at least one sparring class per week. **Sparring gear is mandatory.**

Private Lessons

- If you are unable to attend your private lesson, please call and cancel (24 hrs, if possible). If you do not cancel in advance you will be charged for the missed lesson. The Dojo's phone number is (650) 875-4111



MESSAGE FROM PROFESSOR:

The following is a list of books I recommend you read.

Joe Hyams:
• The Journey

Chuck Norris:
• The Secret of Inner Strength

Remy Presas:
• Modern Arnis

Mayamoto Musashi:
• The Book of Five Rings

Lee Wedlake Jr.:
• Kenpo Karate 101

Sun Tzu:
• The Art of War

Gishin Funakoshi:
• My Way

BE PREPARED, BE AWARE, BE SAFE!