

# 剣 Kenyu 友

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## DATEBOOK

1. January 17, Board meeting, Sun, 12:30 p.m., Imperial Lanes.
2. January 17, Seattle Keiko, Sun, 3:00 p.m.
3. February 5, UW Keiko, Fri, 7:00 p.m.
4. February 13, Steveston Taikai, Sat, 10:00 a.m.  
Board meeting to be announced will be at Taikai.
5. March, Vancouver Taikai, 12:00 noon.
6. March, Rocky Mountain Kendo Federation Taikai.
7. March 11, Renton Keiko, Thu, 7:00 p.m.
8. March 14, Board meeting, Sun, 12:30 p.m., Imperial Lanes.
9. April 3/4, North South California Taikai and KFUSA Board meeting at Northern California.
10. April 17, Monmouth Taikai, Sat, and Board meeting following.
11. April 24, UW Taikai, Sat.
12. May 12, Tacoma Keiko, Tue, 7:00 p.m.
13. May 16, Bellevue Junior Taikai, Sun, 10:00 a.m., and Board meeting following.
14. Last week in May, Nippon Budokan visit.
15. June 13, Obukan Keiko, Sun, and Board meeting following.
16. June 25, 26, 27, Seattle Kendo Kai Summer Camp.
17. July 25, Leeward Oahu Kendo Taikai, Hawaii, Sun.
18. July no Board meeting, contingent on KFUSA Taikai.
19. July Keiko to be announced based on tryout needs.
20. August 1, nominations for Board of Directors due at Board meeting, 12:30 p.m., Sun, Imperial Lanes,
21. August 20, Bellevue Keiko, Fri, 7:00 p.m.
22. Obukan Summer Camp - PNKF Junior Keiko proposed.
23. September 1, send out ballots. (calendar continued next month)

PNKF DUES ARE DUE! Please pay your dues at your Dojo!

## MONMOUTH KENDO CLUB

At their November 14 meeting the PNKF Board welcomed the formal application of the Monmouth Kendo Club. This Dojo formed in September 1990 and practices in Maple Hall on the campus of Western Oregon State College, 7:00 to 9:00 p.m. on Tuesdays and Thursdays. Membership is open to the community at large. Head Instructor is Koichi Ando, and the Assistant is Eigo Matsuzawa. Congratulations, Monmouth!

## PNKF PRACTICE SHIAIGEIKO STANDINGS (as of November 4, 1992)

MUDANSHA: Bell - 9; Arsenault - 7; Matthews - 5; Nelson - 4;  
Naumer - 4; Beale - 4; Kim - 4; Dunn - 4; Okayasu - 3;  
M. Smith - 2; Edwards - 2; Dye - 2; Rifenberry - 2;  
Tan - 2; Okutani - 2; Broderick - 2; Bixler - 2;  
Chun - 2.

YOUTH: Kayashima - 7; E. Marsten - 4; G. Bucholtz - 3; Johnson - 3;  
Anno - 2; Nojiri - 2; Wang - 2; Cole - 2; Suzata - 2;  
Curneen - 2.

YUDANSHA: Hamamatsu - 6; Yotsuuye - 4; C. Marsten - 4; McCarry - 4;

Naganawa - 4; J. Marsten - 2; G. Imanishi - 2;  
Bolling - 2; Elliott - 2; Bucholtz - 2; T. Watanabe - 2;  
Takeuchi - 2; Sawamura - 2; Young - 2; DeJong - 2;  
K. Imanishi - 2; Abe - 2.

#### SHINKYU SHINSA RESULTS

Congratulations to all those who recently passed new degrees at the November 14 exam. 7TH KYU: Joseph Imatani, Ian Yates. 6TH KYU: David Kayashima, Yoshitaka Nagano, Roy Johnson, Pamela Demo, Robert Hathaway, Charles Matthews, Lynn Stroud. 5TH KYU: Chris Nojiri, Jennifer Wang, Mitch Chilson, Michael Cooper, Harley Johnson, Steve Reed, Brian Bixler. 4TH KYU: George Bucholtz, Justin Crawford, James Imatani, Mitsuya Maki, Hiro Monji, Thomas Broderick, Lorraine Josifek, Byung Jin Kim, Joe Siemieniczuk, Robert Beale, Greg Buron, Nadim Hallaq, Robert Oikawa. 3RD KYU: Kohei Arima, Scott Bucholtz, Eric Endo, Brandy Grobart, Judy Mack, Satsuki Okayasu, Takashi Okutani, Alfred Tan. 2ND KYU: Ian Novotny, Brett Okamoto, David Dye, Nobuo Monji, Scott Parkinson, Jim Rifenberry, Elvis Chan, John Edwards. 1ST KYU: Amy Arsenault, Maximo Callao, Brad Nelson, Bill Howell. 1ST DAN: Kaori Naganawa, Dale Uesonoda. 2ND DAN: Dean DeJong, Steve Uchida. 4TH DAN: Dick Anderson, Rory Elliott.

#### TAIKAI TEE SHIRTS

For anyone who wanted a Taikai 1992 tee shirt, but found that we had run out of their size, Bill Howell will be running off another lot to cover prepaid orders received no later than January 15, 1993. Send your order indicating quantity and size to: Obukan Kendo Club, c/o Bill Howell, 2945 S.W. 196th Avenue, Aloha, OR 97006. Please make checks and money orders payable to Obukan Kendo Club. The cost is \$10.00 per shirt. Orders will be bulk shipped to your Dojo as soon as available.

#### WOMEN IN THE MARTIAL ARTS CALENDAR

A fabulous 1993 calendar featuring the Kendo of Alyne Hazard-McGinley and Malyne (Hazard) Chiu for the month of December, as well as eleven other months of outstanding women martial artists from various styles, is available for only \$10.00 plus \$1.50 shipping from Ms. Caryl Akamichi, 25769 Ferguson Road, Junction City, OR 97448. Really great!

The ad for this calendar was in the Fall 1992 issue of FIGHTING WOMEN NEWS, and we might add that Jeffrey Marsten had an excellent article on Kendo in the Summer 1992 issue. Subscriptions to this leading journal edited by Debra Lee Pettis are only \$10.00 per year, from 6741 Tung Avenue West, Theodore AL 36582.

Related to this subject is the wonderful Pacific Association of Women Martial Artists, their flyers again featuring a photo of Malyne Chiu, this time engaged in Naginata with Miyako Tanaka! Let us know if you'd like a flyer on this excellent organization, or you can send directly to PAWMA, P.O.Box 12861, Berkeley, CA 94701. Annual dues range from \$20.00 to \$40.00 on a sliding scale based on your income.

#### THE LAST WORD

Expanding the meaning of awareness to include the intuitive dimension as well as the physical senses can enhance our everyday lives. It can increase our general awareness of the people and environment around us so we can appreciate the details, changes, and events of our world that may otherwise go unnoticed. Trusting and strengthening our intuitive potential improves our creativity, problem-solving skills, and decision making abilities while helping us identify warnings that signal danger. --Debbie Leung, Self Defense.

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