

- Jan 28, UW Keiko, Hec Ed Annex, Fri, 7:00 p.m. 1.
- Feb 5, Yudansha Keiko, Sat, 8:30 a.m., Board meeting, 11:00 a.m., Imperial Lanes.
- Feb 12, Steveston Taikai, Steveston Community Centre, 4111 Moncton Street, Richmond, BC, Sat, 10:00 am.
- Feb 25, Bellevue Keiko, 7:00 p.m.
- Mar 5, Yudansha Keiko, Sat, 8:30 a.m., Nisei Vets.
- Mar 19,20, Obukan Seminar and Board meeting.
- Apr 2, Yudansha Keiko, Sat, 8:30 a.m., Nisei Vets.
- Apr 5, Tacoma Keiko, Tue, 7:00 p.m. 8.
- Apr 16, Board meeting, Sat, 12:30 p.m., Imperial Lanes. 9.
- End of Apr or first week of May, UW Taikai. 10.
- May 7, Yudansha Keiko, Sat, 8:30 a.m., Nisei Vets. 11.
- May 8, Bellevue/Highline Youth Taikai, Sun, at Highline. 12.
- May 12, Renton Keiko, Thu, 7:00 p.m. 13.
- May 21, Bellevue Youth Seminar, Sat. 14.
- May 27,28,29,30, US Air Force Academy Seminar, Colorado. 15.
- Jun 4, Yudansha Keiko, 8:30 a.m., Nisei Vets. 16.
- Jun 11, Obukan Keiko, Seminar and Board meeting, Portland. 17.
- Jun 24,25,26, Seattle Kendo Kai Summer Camp. 18.
- 19. Jul 16, Yudansha Keiko, Sat, 8:30 a.m., Nisei Vets.
- 20. Jul 20, Highline Keiko, Wed, 6:30 p.m.
- Jul 23, Board meeting, Sat, 12:30 p.m., Imperial Lanes. 21.
- 22. August, Haga Sensei visit.
- August, nominations for PNKF Board of Directors. 23.
- Sep 2,3,4, KFUSA Kendo Camp, proposed site is Atlanta, GA. 24.

### FROM THE PNKF BOARD

The policy for the Yudansha Keiko will be that it is an activity of the PNKF Yudansha Kai. MUDANSHA MAY WATCH, BUT NOT PRACTICE. THERE WILL BE NO EXCEPTIONS.

If your Dojo is having a seminar, please let Steve Uchida know as he is coordinating our seminar program. Steve's new address is: Berryhill Court, Beaverton, OR 97005; phone: (503) 526-8625.

People interested in sending ideas and input to the Shinsa

Committee, please tell Jeff Marsten (246-2289).

Videotapes in English of the All Japan Kendo Federation basic Kendo training, Kata, Iaido, and Jodo will soon be available from Curtis Marsten. Order forms will be distributed to all Dojo.

PNKF is putting together a joint shinai purchase at greatly reduced price. Please tell Curtis Marsten (878-1880) if your Dojo is interested.

SWUSKF and KFUSA in conjunction with the US Air Force Academy Kendo Club's 10th Anniversary are planning a four day seminar Memorial Day It will include Iaido, testing for Iaido, Shinpan instruction, and Taikai. Guest instructor will be Ota Sensei (from the Kata tapes).

#### KODANSHA SHINSA RESULTS

Congratulations to Robert Stroud who passed 5th Dan at the KFUSA examination held on September 6, 1993, in San Jose, California.

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9 and Under Eliminations
                                      10 to 12 Eliminations
1st place - T. Young, Sunrise
                                      1st place - M. Akitaya, Vancouver
2nd place - K. Kaneyoshi, Vancouver
                                      2nd place - S. Higashio, Sunrise
3rd place - M. Yamada, Vancouver
                                      3rd place - D, Udagawa, Steveston
3rd place - M. Kobuchi, Vancouver
                                      3rd place - H. Hyde, Renbu
13 to 15 Eliminations
                                      16 to 18 Eliminations
1st place - T. Kaneyoshi, Vancouver
                                      1st place - R. Ohashi, Steveston
2nd place - K. Aoki, Steveston
                                      2nd place - K. Yanagawa, Sunrise
3rd place - K. Kiribayashi, Steveston 3rd place - K. Shirahama, Renbu
3rd place - E. Kurahashi, Renbu
                                      3rd place - G. Nakayama, Steveston
19 to 34 Eliminations
                                      35 and Over Eliminations
1st place - M. Asaoka, Sunrise
                                      1st place - M. Yabe, Seattle
2nd place - H. Naumer, Highline
                                      2nd place - N. Monji, Seattle
3rd place - S. Asaoka, Sunrise
                                      3rd place - C. Marsten, Renton
3rd place - E. Chan, Cascade
                                      3rd place - J. Fralick, U Vic
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Women 16 and Over Eliminations 1st place - K. Akiyama, Vancouver 2nd place - Y. Hayashi, Renbu 3rd place - M. Nagata, Vancouver 3rd place - T. Amgward, Sunrise

Fighting Spirit, Women - A. Akitaya, Vancouver Fighting Spirit, Men - T. Yamada, Vancouver

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PNKF PRACTICE SHIAIGEIKO STANDINGS (as of November 20, 1993)

MUDANSHA: S. Smith - 11; Dunn - 7; Chilson - 7; Naumer - 6;

Monji - 6; Alberola-Ila - 6; Anderson - 5; Orwig - 5; Schmidth - 4;

Lum - 4; Kim - 3; Ichinaga - 3; Willy - 2; Tan - 2; Mihata - 2;

Alfstad - 2; Swenson - 2; Seto - 2.

YOUTH: E. Marsten - 10; Kayashima - 7; Scoccolo - 6; B. Nagai - 6;

R. Nakajima - 4; J. Wang - 4; B. Colio - 4; R. Colio - 4; B. Yaeger - 4;

M. Yaeger - 4; Buonadonna - 4; H. Monji - 2; C. Nojiri - 2; Santon - 2;

J. Marsten - 2; Mitsuya - 2; Y. Konno - 2; J. Nakajima - 2; Shimizu - 2.

YUDANSHA: D. Anderson - 10; Elliott - 8; Hamamatsu - 7; Yabe - 6;

Nelson - 6; Lu - 5; Watanabe - 5; J. Marsten - 4; Shimizu - 4;

Bolling - 4; Arsenault - 4; Konno - 3; DeJong - 3; Yotsuuye - 2;

Do. Imanishi - 2; McCarry - 2; Da. Imanishi - 2; Uesonoda - 2; Miura - 2;

Osawa - 2; Naganawa - 2.
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## PARDON OUR TYPO

The Shoji Trophy was won this year by Eric Endo, Obukan and Elizabeth Marsten, Highline. Our sincere apologies for misspelling Eric's name in the November/December issue.

## THE LAST WORD

Learn to see everything accurately .-- Miyamoto Musashi, Gorin no Sho.

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