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DATEBOOK

1. Apr 6, Sat, Board Meeting, 11:30 a.m., Highline.
2. Apr 8, Mon, Federation Practice, Tacoma, 7:00 p.m.
3. Apr 13, Sat, UW Taikai, 10:00 a.m., Hec Ed Pavilion Addition, University of Washington.
4. Apr 26-28, Fri-Sun, Cherry Blossom Festival.
5. May 5, Sun, Bellevue Children's Taikai, Bellevue.
6. May 14, Tue, Federation Practice, Renton, 7:15 p.m.
7. May 18, Sat, Board Meeting, 11:30 a.m., Highline.
8. May 25/26, Sat/Sun, New York City KC 20th Anniv Taikai.
9. Jun 8, Sat, Federation Practice, Obukan and Board Meeting.
10. Jun 29/30, Sat/Sun, Iaido Seminar, Obukan.
11. Jul 21, Sun, Federation Practice, Seattle, 3:00 p.m. & Board Meeting, Imperial Lanes.
12. Jul 26-Aug 6, Obukan's visit to Japan.
13. August through November, a series of AUSKF All-US Camps, details to be announced soon.
14. Aug 10, Sat, PNKF Shinsa for 2 Kyu and below.
15. Aug 17, Sat, Board Meeting, 11:30 a.m., Highline.
16. Aug 30-Sep 2, Fri-Mon, AUSKF Kendo Championships, Cleveland OH.
17. Sep 21, Sat, Board Meeting, 11:30 a.m., Highline.
18. Sep 27, Fri, Federation Practice, Northwest, 7:00 p.m.
19. Oct 19, Sat, Obukan Tournament and Board Meeting.
20. Oct 30, Wed, Federation Practice, Cascade, 7:00 p.m.
21. Nov 16, Sat, PNKF Taikai, Renton.
22. Nov 22, Fri, Federation Practice, Bellevue, 7:00 p.m.
23. Dec 7, Sat, Board meeting, 11:30 a.m., Highline.

FROM THE PNKF BOARD

COACH OF THE PNKF TEAM for the AUSKF Kendo Championships to be held in Cleveland August 30 through September 2 is David S. Yotsuuye. The Team will consist of seven men, five women, and five youth. There are usually also spaces for five goodwill entrants. Please let Yotsuuye Sensei (226-4296) know if you are interested in being included on the Team.

IAIDO SEMINAR On February 24 the PNKF held its 1996 winter Iaido Seminar at Nisei Vets Hall in Seattle. The PNKF was honored to have Eiji Aoki Sensei, Kendo and Iaido Kyoshi 7th Dan, on a personal visit to Meadowbrook Dojo, lead our session. Other guests included Takeshi Yamaguchi Sensei and Tim Yuge Sensei from Southern California KF, Pat Murosako Sensei, Tatsuhiko Konno Sensei, Jeff Marsten Sensei, and Rod Omoto Sensei. Well over forty participants represented ten PNKF Dojo including Alaska, and also Texas. Aoki Sensei validated our sense that PNKF Iai is solid, and consistently improving, with credit going to the above sensei. Promotional exams followed the Seminar. Konno Sensei was in Japan recently, and called upon Aoki Sensei, who sent his greetings to all participants, and again affirmed our good progress.

PAT GRANEY MOVEMENT MEDITATION PROJECT The PNKF Board very enthusiastically endorses the participation of Kendo and Iaido girls and women in a major performance art event to take place in Discovery Park in July, featuring females in the martial arts and ways. To become involved, please contact Susie Kozawa (935-4724) who is organizing PNKF participation.

HIGHLINE KENDO KAI 20th ANNIVERSARY KENDO CHAMPIONSHIPS - March 16, 1996

Places	Teams
1st place - M. Scott, Highline	1st place - Highline = 72
2nd place - E. Marsten, Highline	2nd place - UW = 54
3rd place - J. Orwig, Renton	3rd place - Renton = 36
3rd place - S. Smith, Highline	4th place - Tacoma = 28
4th place - J. Crawford, Obukan	
4th place - A. Bacon, UW	
4th place - M. Mihata, UW	
4th place - J. Alfstad, Renton	

SHINKYU SHINSA

IAIDO SHINSA, February 24, 1996. 2ND KYU: Thomas Faulkenberry (Alaska). 1ST KYU: Masa Ando (Alaska), Thomas Broderick (Northwest), Randy Cabe (Tacoma), Byung-Jin Kim (Northwest), Alfred Tan (Northwest). 1ST DAN: Moki Yoshikawa (Tacoma).

KENDO SHINSA, February 25, 1996. 6TH KYU: Galen Broderick (Northwest), Kjell Hansen (Highline), Cameron Johnson (Cascade), Kevin Kramer (Cascade), Jeffrey Lundell (Renton), Ashley Yotsuuye (Bellevue). 5TH KYU: Justin Bryne (Obukan), Bernard Mulcahy (Bellevue), Shin Muramoto (Bellevue), Chris Tilt (Obukan), Shun Tateyama (Northwest). 4TH KYU: Brian Koepke (Highline), Scott McGrew (Obukan), James Miyake (Obukan), Garrett Suzaka (Cascade), Nui Tateyama (Northwest), Brian Yaeger (Bellevue). 3RD KYU: Stephen Alfstad (Renton), Peter Barnes (Highline), Pam Demo (Idaho), David Kayashima (Bellevue), George Mariada (Obukan), Daniel Santon (Seattle), Hayato Shimizu (Seattle), Jennifer Wang (Bellevue). 2ND KYU: Michael Cooper (Idaho), Chris Nojiri (Bellevue). 1ST KYU: Kohei Arima (Obukan), Thomas Broderick (Northwest), Mitch Chilson (Seattle), Dave Dye (Tacoma), Mark Scott (Highline). 1ST DAN: Ryohei Arima (Obukan), Blake Kashiwagi (Obukan), Byung-Jin Kim (Northwest), Scott Parkinson (Northwest), Alfred Tan (Northwest). 2ND DAN: Nobu Monji (Seattle). 3RD DAN: Susie Kozawa (Seattle), Vicki Marsten (Renton). Congratulations to all who challenged these exams.

THE LAST WORD

Because of the clash of weapons and pounding of feet, the fencing room is always noisy. Do not make it noisier with your own voice. If the director allows it, you may talk in the locker room until your tongue is dry. In the fencing room the master's voice alone should be heard.

--Aldo Nadi, ON FENCING.

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