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## DATEBOOK

1. Jun 7, Fri, Team Practice, Bellevue, 7:00 p.m.
2. Jun 8, Sat, Team Practice, Highline, 8:30 a.m.
3. Jun 22, Sat, Team Practice, Obukan, 12:00 noon,  
and Board meeting after.
4. Jun 29/30, Sat/Sun, Iaido Seminar, Obukan.
5. Jul 6, Sat, Team Practice, Highline, 8:30 a.m.
6. Jul 20, Sat, Team Practice, Highline, 8:30 a.m.
7. Jul 21, Sun, Board Meeting, Imperial Lanes.
8. Jul 27, Sat, Team Practice, Steveston.
9. Jul 27/28, Sat/Sun, Pat Graney Movement Meditation, Magnuson Pk.
10. Aug 10, Sat, PNKF Shinsa for 2 Kyu and below, Obukan, 12:00 noon  
with Team Practice after Shinsa, 1:30 p.m.
11. Aug 17, Sat, Board Meeting, 11:30 a.m., Highline.
12. Aug 18, Sun, Team Practice, 8:30 a.m., Highline.
13. Aug 24, Sat, Team Practice, afternoon, place to be announced.
14. Aug 30-Sep 2, Fri-Mon, AUSKF Kendo Championships, Cleveland, OH.
15. Oct 5, Sat, PNKF Shinpan Seminar.
16. Nov 7, Sat, PNKF Kata Seminar.

## FROM THE PNKF BOARD

PNKF TEAM On May 26th, we held our first elimination to select the Men's Competitors. The remaining Competitors in the Men's division and all other divisions are: MEN'S: Dick Anderson, Masa Ando, Rory Elliott, Doug Imanishi, Daryl Imanishi, BJ Kim, Curtis Marsten, Brian McCarry, Nobuo Monji, Shane Smith. SENIOR'S: Tom Bolling, Charles Lu, Jeff Marsten. WOMEN'S: Amy Arsenault, Susie Kozawa, Judith Mack, Elizabeth Marsten. YOUTH 16-18: Ryohei Arima, Eric Endo, Justin Crawford, Mark Scott. YOUTH 15 AND UNDER: Kohei Arima, Brian Koepke, Chris Nojiri, Joon Ou, Garrett Suzaka. The Competitors for the Goodwill are yet to be selected. The next elimination will be June 8. Anyone interested in attending the US Championships and needing information, please contact David Yotsuuye (206) 226-4296. Also, our deepest thanks go to Murao Sensei of Steveston and his contingent from the BC Federation that came to help shinpan our eliminations and to practice with us. It was a great practice and we enjoyed Murao Sensei's talk.

The PNKF Monthly Practice has been suspended, effective immediately. The previously scheduled Practices for the rest of 1996 will not be held.

The Board is proud of their ad appearing in the current issue Number Six of FURYU listing all the Clubs of the PNKF. Thanks to Wayne Muramoto and Charles Goodin for their exemplary journal of the classical Japanese martial arts and ways. We continue to wish FURYU all the best!

The PNKF Recording Secretary/Editor of the KENYU wishes to thank everyone who has encouraged him to persist in publishing this monthly newsletter for ten years. He is particularly indebted to Rod Nobuto Omoto Sensei, who taught him the cherished words "Whoever holds a shinai is a friend of mine!". And here's to another ten! Thanks again everyone!

6th ANNUAL BELLEVUE JUNIOR CHAMPIONSHIPS - May 5, 1996

9 Years and Under Kihon

1st place - S. Tateyama, Northwest  
2nd place - B. Yotsuuye, Bellevue  
3rd place - J. Lundell, Renton  
4th place - T. Suzaka, Cascade

10-12 Years Kihon

1st place - J. Wang, Bellevue  
2nd place - J. Marsten, Highline  
3rd place - A. Yotsuuye, Bellevue  
4th place - G. Suzaka, Renton

13-15 Years Kihon

1st place - K. Arima, Obukan  
2nd place - S. Muramoto, Bellevue  
3rd place - H. Monji, Seattle  
4th place - J. Crawford, Obukan

9 Years and Under Eliminations

1st place - J. Lundell, Renton  
2nd place - B. Imanishi, Cascade  
3rd place - B. Yotsuuye, Bellevue  
4th place - E. Howard, Bellevue

10-12 Years Eliminations

1st place - D. Kayashima, Bellevue  
2nd place - J. Wang, Bellevue  
3rd place - J. Marsten, Highline  
4th place - G. Suzaka, Cascade

13-15 Years Eliminations

1st place - K. Arima, Obukan  
2nd place - J. Crawford, Obukan  
3rd place - C. Nojiri, Bellevue  
4th place - J. Ou, Obukan

Teams

1st place - Highline  
2nd place - Obukan

20th ANNUAL SOUTHERN CAL KENDO FEDERATION CHAMPIONSHIPS - May 19, 1996  
(abbreviated results)

Women's Division

1st place - Y. Shikai, Chuo  
2nd place - M. Takeda, OCB  
3rd place - J. Kodama, Norwalk  
3rd place - L. Tauchi, Norwalk

Senior Division (50 years +)

1st place - M. Henmi, Norwalk  
2nd place - K. Hira, OCB  
3rd place - T. Mason, Costa Mesa  
3rd place - K. Irie, Chuo

0-6 Kyu Division

1st place - E. Kim, Chuo  
2nd place - H. Kinjo, Covina  
3rd place - Y. Shibata, Sho Tokyo  
3rd place - Y. Lee, Chuo

5-4 Kyu Division

1st place - G. Ishino, Costa Mesa  
2nd place - K. Sakae, Sho Tokyo  
3rd place - Y. Goya, OCB  
3rd place - Y. Kinjo, Norwalk

3-1 Kyu Division

1st place - T. Kitajima, Torrance  
2nd place - Y. Goya, OCB  
3rd place - D. Yang, Torrance  
3rd place - F. Itokazu, Covina

Adult Kyu Division (18 years +)

1st place - Young Kim, Chuo  
2nd place - M. Harris, Chuo  
3rd place - G. Sakamoto, Torrance  
3rd place - S. Sagawa, Covina

Southern Cal Champions - Individuals

1st place - S. Kinomoto, Torrance  
2nd place - S. Hosokawa, Costa Mesa  
3rd place - C. Yang, Torrance  
3rd place - M. Shikai, Chuo

Teams

1st place - Torrance  
2nd place - Chuo  
3rd place - Norwalk  
3rd place - OCB

THE LAST WORD Although you can hardly become a real fencer without temperament, you should use it only when needed. The good fighter knows how to control it at all times, even when, intentionally, giving the opposite impression. --Aldo Nadi, ON FENCING.

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