

# 剣 Kenyu

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### DATEBOOK

1. May 4, Sun, Bellevue Youth Taikai, 11:00 a.m., Bellevue, with PNKF Board meeting following.
2. Jun 21, Sat, PNKF Iaido Taikai, 10 a.m., Highline, with PNKF Board meeting following.
3. Jun 24-25, Shioiri Hiroyuki Sensei visit.
4. Jul 12-15, AUSKF Iaido Seminar, Colorado Springs.  
Jul 17-20, AUSKF Kendo Seminar, Colorado Springs.
5. Jul 20, Sun, PNKF Board meeting.
6. Aug 9, Sat, PNKF Kendo Shinsa, 2nd Kyu and below.
7. Aug 10, Sun, PNKF Iaido Seminar.
8. End of August, Takada Machi visit to Seattle.
9. Sep 20, Sat, PNKF Board meeting.
10. Oct 11, Sat, PNKF Board meeting.
11. Nov 8, Sat, PNKF Taikai - \*\*WE NEED A VOLUNTEER FOR CHAIR!\*\*

### PASSAGE

The PNKF and the AUSKF lost a great friend when Onuma Hiroshi, Kendo Hanshi 9th Dan, passed away of a heart attack on April 22. Onuma Sensei, who was a Director of both the IKF and the ZenKenRen, was one of those in charge of the recent 10WKC in Kyoto. An extremely kind person, Onuma Sensei was generous in helping the PNKF and the AUSKF in numerous visits to the America Zone. We will deeply miss his gentle, shy smile.

### FIRST ANNUAL PNKF IAIDO TAIKAI, 10 A.M., JUNE 21, HIGHLINE

Invitations and entry forms are now being sent to all PNKF Dojo for the first PNKF Iaido Taikai. Prizes will be given for the best Mudansha, Yudansha, and Teams. The purpose, however, is not so much competition, win or lose, but rather to enjoy Iai together. The event will draw upon the ten ZenKenRen Iai Kata, and all Iaidoists affiliated with the IKF are welcome to participate. For any KENYU readers outside the PNKF area planning to attend, please call or send email to Dick Anderson (206) 334-8524 <DFIND1@aol.com> Entries must be received by June 7, 1997.

### AUSKF SUMMER SEMINARS, JULY 12-20, COLORADO SPRINGS, COLORADO

IAIDO: July 12, 13, 14 and 15, 1997

KENDO: July 17, 18, 19 and 20, 1997

Four ZenKenRen Sensei will be attending the Seminar, one Iaido Hachidan, two Iaido/Kendo Nanadan, and one Kendo Hachidan.

Iaido Shinsa will be Monday July 14 for 1st Kyu through 5th Dan. Kendo Shinsa will be Saturday July 19 for 1st Kyu through 7th Dan.

Iaido is limited to 75 participants and Kendo is limited to 150 participants. The cost for each Seminar will be \$250 per person, which includes room/board/instruction. For those attending both Seminars it will be \$500, and attendees may stay in the residence hall over the Wednesday July 16 break day. Airfare to and from the site will be the responsibility of the individual attendees. Iaido will be open to all levels of experience, class allotment may be based on experience level.

Kendo will be in three groups, tentatively 0 to 2 Kyu, 1 Kyu to 2 Dan, and 3 Dan and up. Final group selection may be revised based on

sign-up. The upper group will be studying shiai shinpan, examination process for shodan shinsa, and kata standardization.

Place: Colorado Springs, CO. REGISTRATION: Send your name, rank and check (payable to AUSKF) to Dr. Ken Lorimer, 13329 Aldrin Avenue, Poway, CA 92064. Registration will close on May 24, 1997, and will be on a first-come, first-served basis. Places are expected to fill up quickly, so get your name and money in as soon as possible.

#### 10th WORLD KENDO CHAMPIONSHIPS, Kyoto, Japan - March 27-30, 1997

##### Women's Individuals, Junior

1st place - S. Takashima, Japan  
2nd place - M. Onaka, Brazil  
3rd place - E.J. Lee, Korea  
3rd place - J.Y. Kwon, Korea

##### Women's Individuals, Senior

1st place - M. Kimura, Japan  
2nd place - S. Mogi, Japan  
3rd place - W. Nakano, Canada  
3rd place - H.J. Cho, Korea  
Kantoshu - Judy Abe, USA

##### Women's Teams

1st place - Japan B  
2nd place - Japan A  
3rd place - USA B  
3rd place - Korea A  
Kantoshu - Karen Fukumoto, USA

##### Men's Teams Division II

1st place - Hungary  
2nd place - Sweden  
3rd place - Italy  
3rd place - Romania

##### Men's Individuals

1st place - M. Miyazaki, Japan  
2nd place - F. Miyazaki, Japan  
3rd place - S. S. Park, Korea  
3rd place - T. Ishida, Japan  
Kantoshu - Chris Yang, USA

##### Men's Teams Division I

1st place - Japan  
2nd place - Korea  
3rd place - Brazil  
3rd place - Taipei  
Kantoshu - Mark Grivas, USA

#### RENTON KENDO CLUB INVITATIONAL TOURNAMENT, APRIL 5, 1997

##### 9 Years and Under

1st place - H. Paik, Highline  
2nd place - S. Tateyama, Northwest  
3rd place - G. Kellams, Renton  
3rd place - T. Suzaka, Cascade

##### 10 to 12 Years

1st place - L. Hancock, Obukan  
2nd place - J. Lundell, Renton  
3rd place - B. Imanishi, Cascade  
3rd place - J. Marsten, Highline

##### 13 to 15 Years

1st place - J. Ou, Obukan  
2nd place - J. Wang, Bellevue  
3rd place - G. Suzaka, Cascade  
3rd place - D. Kayashima, Bellevue

##### Women's

1st place - A. Arsenault, Highline  
2nd place - T. Anderson, Bellevue  
3rd place - N. Yoritomo, Cascade  
3rd place - E. Marsten, Highline

##### 0 to 2nd Kyu

1st place - L. Kayashima, Bellevue  
2nd place - N. Konno, UW  
3rd place - G. Chan, Renton  
3rd place - V. Matsumoto, Renton

##### 1st Kyu to 2nd Dan

1st place - E. Marsten, Highline  
2nd place - H. Gomi, Cascade  
3rd place - A. Arsenault, Highline  
3rd place - N. Yoritomo, Cascade

##### Teams

1st place - Bellevue  
2nd place - Highline

Most Improved - Garrett Chan

THE LAST WORD To mold the mind and body --IKF Rules.

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