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DATEBOOK

1. Jul 5/6/7, AUSKF Championships, Fri/Sat/Sun, USC, Los Angeles.
2. Jul 6/7/8 50th anniversary Japanese Student Kendo Federation (JSKF), Tokyo, Japan.
3. Jul 10/14, US Naginata Federation Seminar, Shinsa and Tournament, Bryn Mawr College, Bryn Mawr (near Philadelphia), Pennsylvania. email Raymond Sosnowski: 110742.522@COMPUSERVE.COM
4. Jul 19/21, 7th Annual Guelph School of Japanese Sword Arts, Kyudo, Naginata, Jodo, Iaido, Kenjutsu. Guelph, Ontario Canada. http://www.uoguelph.ca/~iaido/gsjsa_ma.htm
5. Jul 21, Toronto Junior Kendo Tournament.
6. Jul 26/Aug 2, Kendo Leaders Summer Seminar, Gedatsukai, Kitamoto, Japan.
7. Jul 27/28, University of Waterloo Kendo Club 15th Annual Tournament and Godo Keiko. Guest of Honour: Taro Ariga, founder of the Club. email uw_kendo@hotmail.com
8. Aug 2/5, 6th Annual Toronto Kendo Club Summer Camp with Shigeo Kimura Sensei, Bracebridge Ontario Canada. Registration deadline July 15. http://www.analecta.ca/toronto_kendo_club/Kendo_Camp2002/index.html
9. Aug 10, PNKF Kendo and Iaido Shinsa, Sat, Kent Commons Recreation Center, 525 4th Avenue N. (corner of 4th & James Street), Kent, Washington. Iaido 8am-12noon; Kendo 12:30-4pm.
10. Aug 18, Aiea Taiheiji Kendo Club Tournament, Sun.
11. Aug 31/Sep 1, final selection for Team USA, California.
12. September, nominations for new PNKF Board due.
13. Sep 14, PNKF Board meeting, Sat, 2:30pm, Renton.
14. Sep 20/21/22, AUSKF Iaido Seminar, Taikai, and Shinsa, Fri/Sat/Sun, Renton.
15. Oct 12, PNKF Board meeting, Sat, 2:30pm, Renton.
16. Nov 9, PNKF Taikai, Sat, 9:30am, Renton.
17. Nov 23, PNKF Board meeting, Sat, 2:30pm, Renton.
18. Nov 23, All Hawaii Kendo Championships, Sat, Waiakea Uka Gym, Hilo, Hawaii.
19. Jul 1/9, 2003, 12WKC, Glasgow, Scotland. <http://www.kendochampionships.com>

AUSKF IAIDO SEMINAR, NATIONAL TAIKAI AND SHINSA, SEPTEMBER 20/21/22, RENTON DOJO The PNKF is pleased to be hosting this year's AUSKF Iaido Seminar, National Taikai, and Shinsa. **Instructors:** Yamaguchi Takeshi, Iaido Renshi 7th Dan & Kendo Kyoshi 7th Dan; Kato Shozo, Iaido & Kendo Kyoshi 7th Dan; Konno Tatsuhiko, Iaido Renshi 7th Dan & Kendo Kyoshi 7th Dan; Murakami Ichiro, Iaido 5th Dan & Kendo Kyoshi 7th Dan; Thomas Hooper, Iaido & Kendo 6th Dan. **Location:** Renton Community Center, with accommodations available at the Silver Cloud Inn directly across from the Dojo. **Preliminary Schedule:** **Friday** Registration/Check-In/Pay for Exam 3-4pm; Opening Introductions/Koryu 4-6pm; dinner break 6-7pm; Koryu continued/Kendo keiko 7-8:30pm. **Saturday** ZenKenIai 9-11:30am; lunch break 11:30am-12:30pm; AUSKF National Taikai 12:30-3pm; ZenKenIai 3:30-5:30pm; Participants' Banquet 6:30-8:30pm; Awards Presentation 9pm. **Sunday** Shinsa Preparation 8-9am; AUSKF Shinsa 9:30am-12noon; lunch break 12-1pm; ZenKenIai 1:30-4pm; Closing Ceremony 4-4:15pm. **Contact person:** Brian Blomquist email: brianb@concur.com phone: 425-497-6411. **Cost:** \$80 for AUSKF members and \$130 for non AUSKF members. Fee includes Saturday & Sunday lunch, and Saturday banquet. For those wishing to compete in the AUSKF National Taikai, there's an entry fee of \$10. There are also the usual exam fees for those testing for rank. **Complete details** have been sent to each regional Federation, and posted on the PNKF website <http://www.kendo-pnkf.org/>

17th ANNUAL LEEWARD OAHU KENDO TOURNAMENT - June 16, 2002, Mililani

Yonenbu Division

1st place - Braxton Fukutomi, Aiea Taiheiji
2nd place - Kevin Chun, Kenshikan
3rd place - Matthew Ito, Kenshikan
3rd place - Eita Shima, Waipahu Seibukan

Shonenbu Division

1st place - Shem Kim, Mililani
2nd place - Takuma Hirako, Kenshikan
3rd place - Yukari Hirako, Kenshikan
3rd place - Masako Furutani, Kenshikan

Seinenbu Division

1st place - Gail Mejia, Waipahu Seibukan
2nd place - Colin Maruoka, Aiea Taiheiji

Yudansha 1-2 Dan

1st place - Billy Kang, Aiea Taiheiji
2nd place - Jerilyn Chun, Kenshikan

3rd place - Takayo Furutani, Kenshikan
3rd place - Karen Mejia, Waipahu Seibukan

3rd place - John Tamashiro, Waipahu Konkokyo
3rd place - Jun Matsuura, Mililani

Yudansha 3 Dan and Above

1st place - Wesley Fujimoto, Mililani
2nd place - Sang Oh, Kenkyukai
3rd place - David Sato, Wahiaawa
3rd place - Andy Fujimoto, Mililani

Yudansha Masters

1st place - Michael Kurosawa, Aiea Taiheiiji
2nd place - Tusha Buntin, Kenshikan
3rd place - Lawrence Chun, Mililani

Team Match Championship

1st place - Aiea Taiheiiji
2nd place - Kenkyukai

Kantosho "Fighting Spirit Award"

Yo Wan Kim, Mililani

Results courtesy of Carl Nakamura.

26th SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA KENDO FEDERATION CHAMPIONSHIPS - June 23, 2002, Torrance

0-6 Kyu

1st place - Owaki, Covina
2nd place - Otsu, OCB
3rd place - Tanaka, Torrance
3rd place - Okamura, Covina
Honorable Mention - Fukumoto, Sho Tokyo
Honorable Mention - Arima, Sho Tokyo
Honorable Mention - Amano, Norwalk
Honorable Mention - Choi, Tustin
Eguchi Kantosho - Owaki, Covina
Kubota Kantosho - Fujimoto, JCI

5-4 Kyu

1st place - Owaki, Covina
2nd place - Hamamura, Norwalk
3rd place - Hori, Torrance
3rd place - Kanamori, Torrance
Honorable Mention - A. Kern, JCI
Honorable Mention - Tanaka, Torrance
Honorable Mention - Amano, Norwalk
Honorable Mention - Lee, Torrance
Eguchi Kantosho - Yang, Cypress
Eguchi Kantosho - Kim, PCI
Kubota Kantosho - Otsu, OCB
Kubota Kantosho - Kato, Sho Tokyo

3-1 Kyu

1st place - H. Kinjo, Covina
2nd place - Iwata, Torrance
3rd place - Endo, Norwalk
3rd place - Park, Cypress
Honorable Mention - Hamada, Covina
Honorable Mention - H. Fukusumi, Covina
Honorable Mention - Choi, Cypress
Honorable Mention - Imai, Torrance
Eguchi Kantosho - Hori, Torrance
Eguchi Kantosho - Y. Fukusumi, Covina
Kubota Kantosho - A. Kinjo, Covina
Kubota Kantosho - Morikawa, Torrance

Women's Kyu

1st place - K. Omura, Norwalk
2nd place - Domen, Norwalk
3rd place - Endo, Norwalk
3rd place - C. Chung, OCB
Kubota Kantosho - K. Moore, SFV

Women's Yudansha

1st place - M. Sakae, Sho Tokyo
2nd place - J. Kodama, Norwalk
3rd place - Y. Shikai, Chuo
3rd place - J. Abe, Chuo

Adult Kyu

1st place - H. Kim, Torrance
2nd place - Meng, SFV
3rd place - Splinter, Costa Mesa
3rd place - Tomimatsu, Norwalk
Honorable Mention - Fukumoto, Sho Tokyo
Honorable Mention - Lee, Torrance
Honorable Mention - Roda, Westside
Honorable Mention - Chang, San Diego

Yudansha

1st place - C. Yang, Torrance
2nd place - K. Matsukubo, Chuo
3rd place - T. Ariga, Tustin
3rd place - B. Harada, Sho Tokyo
Honorable Mention - J. Kurokouchi, Covina
Honorable Mention - Y. Kitajima, Torrance
Honorable Mention - S. Tamura, OCB
Honorable Mention - S. Hosokawa, Costa Mesa

Senior A Group

1st place - Hosokawa, Costa Mesa
2nd place - Fukawa, Norwalk

Senior B Group

1st place - Sakaue, Covina
2nd place - Kato, Covina

Team

1st place - Torrance
2nd place - Costa Mesa
3rd place - Sho Tokyo
3rd place - OCB

Results courtesy of Brian Olson.

THE LAST WORD

There is a saying "do your keiko like kata and your kata like keiko"... --Jeff Marsten, "Seven," **Kendo World**, v.1, n.2, p.47.

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