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### DATEBOOK

1. Nov 23, PNKF Board meeting, Sat, 2:30pm, Kent.
2. Nov 23, All Hawaii Kendo Championships, Sat, Hilo, Hawaii.
3. Dec 7, Renton Taikai, Sat, 10am, Renton.
4. Jan 18, Vancouver Taikai, Sat, 10am, Refrew Community Centre.
5. Feb 8, Steveston Taikai, Sat, 10am, Steveston Community Centre.
6. Jun 2003, World Naginata Championship, San Jose State University.
7. Jul 1/9, 2003, 12WKC, Glasgow, Scotland. <http://www.kendochampionships.com>

**MARSTEN SENSEI AND GRIVAS SENSEI EMBU AT THE 50th ALL JAPAN CHAMPIONSHIPS** We are extremely proud that Jeffrey Marsten, head instructor of Bellevue and Highline, was one of only two Americans given the high honor of being selected to perform a commemorative embu November 3 at the 50th All Japan Championships. Also chosen was Mark Grivas of Sag Harbor, NY.

**PNKF ELECTIONS** The following candidates are elected to serve on the **PNKF Board of Directors** for 2002/2003: **Dick Anderson** (Everett), **Tom Antush** (Highline), **Tom Bolling** (Bellevue), **CJ Chaney** (Bellevue), **Gary Imanishi** (Cascade), **Shinichi Koike** (Northwest), **Curtis Marsten** (Renton), **Elizabeth Marsten** (Highline), **Elizabeth Shin** (UW), **Neil Sunderlund** (Renton), **John Tischler** (Renton), **Manabu Yabe** (Seattle), **Moki Yoshikawa** (Tacoma), and **David Yotsuuye** (Bellevue). **Jeff Marsten** (Bellevue/Highline) and **Kiyoshi Yasui** (Seattle) continue as Advisors.

### 3rd TACOMA INVITATIONAL YOUTH TOURNAMENT, October 19, 2002, Truman Middle School, Tacoma

#### 8 Years Old

- 1st place - John-Paul Stroud (Obukan)
- 2nd place - Conor Marsten (Renton)
- 3rd place - Olivia Lindsey (Renton)
- 4th place - Gabriel Cortez (Tacoma)

#### 9-12 Years Old

- 1st place - Jason Akahoshi (Obukan)
- 2nd place - Jason Wang (Cascade)
- 3rd place - Ikaika Yoshikawa (Tacoma)
- 3rd place - Michelle Rasmussen (Tacoma)

#### 13-15 Years Old

- 1st place - Robert Rasmussen (Tacoma)
- 2nd place - Leroy Um (Tacoma)
- 3rd place - Tomoko Iwanaga (Obukan)
- 3rd place - Jed Sarmiento (Highline)

#### 16 - 18 Years Old

- 1st place - Jeff Marsten (Highline)
- 2nd place - Lonny Hancock (Obukan)
- 3rd place - Joseph Hoang (Seattle)
- 3rd place - Bryan Imanishi (Cascade)

#### Open Championship - all brackets

- 1st place - Jeff Marsten (Highline)
- 2nd place - Jason Akahoshi (Obukan)

### 50th ALL JAPAN KENDO CHAMPIONSHIPS, November 2/3, Tokyo.

#### All Japan Championships

- 1st place - Kaigo Ando, 5th Dan, age 29 (Aichi Prefectural Police)
- 2nd place - Hidenori Iwasa, 6th Dan, age 32 (Tokyo Prefectural Police)
- 3rd place - Taro Koseki, 5th Dan, age 26 (Tokyo Prefectural Police)
- 3rd place - Satoru Harada, 5th Dan, age 29 (Tokyo Prefectural Police)

#### Commemorative 8th Dan Championships

- 1st place - Eiji Sueno, Kyoshi, age 53 (Shihan, Kagoshima Prefectural Police)
- 2nd place - Minoru Makita, Kyoshi, age 54 (Professor, International Budo University)
- 3rd place - Hideo Kobayashi, Hanshi, age 60 (former Shihan, Kanagawa Prefectural Police)
- 3rd place - Hironori Yamada, Kyoshi, age 54 (Shihan, Kumamoto Prefectural Police)

### 28th ANNUAL PNKF KENDO TOURNAMENT - November 9, 2002, Renton

#### 10 Years and Under

- 1st place - D. Holmes (Tacoma)
- 2nd place - R. Murao (Steveston)
- 3rd place - G. Cortez (Tacoma)
- 3rd place - S. Meatte (Tacoma)

#### 11 and 12 Years

- 1st place - J. Wang (Cascade)
- 2nd place - I. Yoshikawa (Tacoma)
- 3rd place - M. Rasmussen (Tacoma)
- 3rd place - T. Chmielewski (Renton)

**13 to 15 Years**

1st place - K. Fukazu (Vancouver)  
 2nd place - Y. Iwanaga (Obukan)  
 3rd place - J. Biagtan (Vancouver)  
 3rd place - H. Fukushima (Vancouver)  
 4th place - T. Imanishi (Cascade)  
 4th place - P. Lee (Steveston)  
 4th place - J. Lee (Steveston)  
 4th place - J. Koplín (Bellevue)

**Junior Team**

1st place - Bellevue  
 2nd place - Tacoma

**Men 19 and Older 0 Kyu-4 Kyu**

1st place - M. Lee (UW)  
 2nd place - T. Hoang (Seattle)  
 3rd place - M. Alquist (UW)  
 3rd place - S. Chang (Steveston)

**Women Kyu**

1st place - Y. Abe (Tacoma)  
 2nd place - A. Ko (UBC)  
 3rd place - A. Hoang (Seattle)  
 3rd place - M. Iwadare (Vancouver)

**Men 1-2 Dan**

1st place - J. Higo (Steveston)  
 2nd place - G. Suzaka (UW)  
 3rd place - N. Sunderland (Renton)  
 3rd place - L. Cañares (Renton)

**Men 4 Dan and Up**

1st place - D. Taguchi (Sunrise)  
 2nd place - S. Asaoka (Youshinkan)  
 3rd place - I. Sato (Hawai'i)  
 3rd place - T. Ariga (e-bogu)

**Shoji Trophy** - Yuko Iwanaga, Obukan

**Five Years of Service as UW Advisor** - Dean DeJong

**ONTARIO OPEN SENIOR KENDO CHAMPIONSHIPS, November 10, 2002, Leaside High School****Mudansha/Non-Degree**

1st place - J. Van Schoonhoven (JCCC)  
 2nd place - M. Cardinal (McGill Univ)  
 3rd place - M. Ward (Forest City)  
 3rd place - A. Wai (UWaterloo)

**1st-2nd Dan:**

1st place - K. Miura (UWaterloo)  
 2nd place - R. Tamaru (JCCC)  
 3rd place - T. Kimura (Toronto)  
 3rd place - JC Park (Jung Ko)

**3rd Dan and Above**

1st place - M. Raymond (UToronto)  
 2nd place - JW Lee (Jung Ko)  
 3rd place - Y. Kimura (Toronto)  
 3rd place - E. Yamashita (Etobicoke)

**Team Match:**

1st place - Team Canada	K. Kamata, C. Hao, E. Yamashita, R. Tizzard, M. Raymond
2nd place - JCCC 'E'	A. Asa, L. Tsuji, S. Asa, Y. Koriyama, S. Nakatsu
3rd place - Jung Ko 'B'	YH Kim, M. Park, SJ Kang, HY Han, HC Shin
3rd place - Toronto 'A'	T. Kimura, E. Chiu, Y. Kimura, P. Nakamura, R. Soso

**Fighting Spirit:** HB Kim (McGill Univ)

**Men 16 to 18 Years 0 Kyu-2 Kyu**

1st place - J. Hoang (Seattle)  
 2nd place - N. Takahashi (Hawai'i)  
 3rd place - R. Pain-Donovan (Everett)  
 3rd place - R. Cabanizas (Hawai'i)

**Men 16 to 18 Years 1 Kyu-2 Dan**

1st place - J. Marsten (Highline)  
 2nd place - L. Hancock (Obukan)  
 3rd place - K. Kobayashi (Youshinkan)  
 3rd place - T. Young (Sunrise)

**Men 19 and Older 3 Kyu-1 Kyu**

1st place - R. Chen (Sunrise)  
 2nd place - J. Chien (Steveston)  
 3rd place - J. Walton (UVictoria)  
 3rd place - T. Lee (Sunrise)  
 4th place - J. Ng (Sunrise)  
 4th place - D. Kuk (Renbu)  
 4th place - L. Tsybert (Bellevue)  
 4th place - D. Moles (Cascade)

**Women Yudansha**

1st place - R. Barr (Bellevue)  
 2nd place - E. Marsten (Highline)  
 3rd place - M. Akitaya (Vancouver)  
 3rd place - M. Hayashi (Vancouver)

**Men 3 Dan**

1st place - Y. Maruyama (UVictoria)  
 2nd place - N. Nakano (Steveston)  
 3rd place - D. Sato (Hawai'i)  
 3rd place - T. Yamada (Vancouver)

**Senior Team**

1st place - Highline  
 2nd place - Steveston  
 3rd place - Youshinkan  
 3rd place - Vancouver

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