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DATEBOOK

1. Feb 10, Steveston Taikai, Sat, 10am.
2. Feb 18, Michigan Rensei Taikai, Sun, Detroit.
3. Feb 24, PNKF Kendo Shinsa, Sat, Highline, doors open 9:30am, Shinsa 11am, leave building by 3pm.
4. Feb 25, PNKF Iaido Seminar and Shinsa, Sun, doors open 10am, Seminar 10:30-11:30, break, resume 12noon-1pm, Shinsa 1pm, leave building by 3pm.
5. March, no PNKF Board meeting.
6. Mar 17, Highline Taikai, Sat, 10am, Highline.
7. Mar 23/30, Kenseikan Kamei Dojo visit to Alaska.
8. Mar 31/Apr 1 IKF/AUSKF Shinpan Seminar, Santa Clara, CA.
9. April 7, UW Taikai, Sat, 10am, UW IMA.
10. Apr 8, PNKF Board meeting, Sun, 10am, CJ Chaney home.
11. Apr 14/15, Harvard-Radcliffe Shoryuhai Intercollegiate Kendo Tournament, Cambridge, Massachusetts.
12. Apr 13/15, 17th European Kendo Championships, Bologna, Italy.
13. May 6, Bellevue Junior Taikai, Sun, 11am, Bellevue.
14. May 20, PNKF Board meeting, Sun, 10am, CJ Chaney home.
15. June, no PNKF Board meeting.
16. June 23, PNKF Women's Team Taikai, Sat, Renton.
17. Jun 29/Jul 2, AUSKF Iaido Summer Camp 2001, on the campus of Linfield College, McMinnville, Oregon.
18. Jul 15, PNKF Board meeting, Sun, 10am, CJ Chaney home.
19. Jul 27/Aug 3, IKF/AJKF Camp for Kendo Leaders, Kitamoto, Japan.
20. End of July, send out for PNKF Board nominations.
21. Aug 11, PNKF Iaido Seminar and Shinsa, Sat.
22. Aug 12, PNKF Kendo Seminar and Shinsa, Sun.
23. Aug 21/26, Shidogakuin 2001 Summer Kendo Camp.
24. September, nominations for new Board due.
25. Sep 16, last meeting, current PNKF Board, Sun, 10am, CJ Chaney home.
26. Oct 14, first meeting, new PNKF Board, Sun, 10am, CJ Chaney home.
27. Nov 3, PNKF Taikai, Sat, 9:30am, Renton.

NEW PNKF WEBSITE

Please adjust your web browser's links and bookmarks to the new urls for the PNKF official website, which is now at <http://www.kendo-pnkf.org/> and then be sure to check the new pages out frequently, as PNKF President CJ Chaney will be making some major upgrades in them. Likewise please note the Kenyu's new url at <http://www.kendo-pnkf.org/kenyu.html>

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SHINSA STUDY GUIDE AVAILABLE

As you prepare for your rank exam, please remember that the AUSKF's wonderful Study Guide is available on the web, at <http://www.kendo-usa.org/studyguide.htm> to help you with the written questions. Of course, the Study Guide is fascinating and extremely helpful general reading for kenshi any time, not only when exams roll around.

IKF/ALL JAPAN KENDO CAMP, KITAMOTO, JAPAN, JULY 27/AUGUST 3, 2001

If you are 3rd Dan or above, there is a wonderful opportunity to apply to attend the IKF/All Japan Kendo Federation Summer Camp for Kendo leaders. If you are a PNKF member and are interested, please notify the PNKF President CJ Chaney as soon as possible. Absolute deadline is April 1, so please contact him well before that. If you apply, you **MUST** do so knowing that it is a **FIRM COMMITMENT TO ATTEND**, in the highly likely event that you are selected. The Camp itself is free, with all expenses paid including lodging and delicious food. You are responsible to pay air flight and ground transportation to and from the Camp, with limited PNKF subsidy granted. (Kenyu readers not in the PNKF must apply through their own Federation.)

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9 YEARS AND UNDER

1st place - G. Mizutani, Renbu
2nd place - C. Benak, Cascade
3rd place - R. Murao, Steveston
3rd place - H. Shinohara, Renbu

10 TO 12 YEARS

1st place - H. Fukushima, Vancouver
2nd place - Y. Mizutani, Renbu
3rd place - R. Campbell, Steveston
3rd place - R. Aramaki, Sunrise

13 TO 15 YEARS

1st place - K. Negishi, Youshinkan
2nd place - J. Inoue, Youshinkan
3rd place - A. Akitaya, Vancouver
3rd place - M. Negishi, Youshinkan

WOMEN'S 16 YEARS AND OVER

1st place - M. Hayashi, Vancouver
2nd place - M. Akitaya, Vancouver
3rd place - K. Marumo, Sunrise
3rd place - M. Tajiri, Renbu

16 TO 20 YEARS

1st place - N. Akitaya, Vancouver
2nd place - G. Suzaka, Cascade
3rd place - M. Kobuchi, Vancouver
3rd place - Y. Maruyama, U. Victoria

21 TO 30 YEARS

1st place - S. Asaoka, Youshinkan
2nd place - M. Asaoka, Youshinkan
3rd place - J. Watanabe, Sunrise
3rd place - D. Taguchi, Sunrise

31 TO 40 YEARS

1st place - N. Nakano, Steveston
2nd place - D. Imanishi, Seattle
3rd place - B. McCarry, Highline
3rd place - D. Rittenberg, UW

41 YEARS AND OVER

1st place - M. Yabe, Seattle
2nd place - J. Marsten, Highline
3rd place - D. Yotsuuye, Bellevue
3rd place - C. Marsten, Renton

JUNIOR TEAM

1st place - Vancouver
2nd place - Youshinkan

SENIOR TEAM

1st place - Youshinkan
2nd place - Steveston

DOJO TEAM

1st place - Vancouver
2nd place - Youshinkan

BEST PLAYER AWARD

Men - N. Nakano, Steveston

Women - N. Fukushima, Vancouver

RENTON KENDO CLUB NEWS

Renton's website has a new url, <http://www.kendo-pnw.org/renton.htm>
Practice time is Tuesdays 7:15-9:15pm. Renton is also adding a class at Kent Commons Recreation Center, 525 4th Ave. N (corner of 4th and James St.) Kent, beginning April 5, 2001. Practice time will be Thursdays, 8:00 - 9:30pm.

THE LAST WORD To fully learn about the philosophy and concepts of Kendo, one must continue their own education by studying all aspects of Kendo and not only limiting their study to this "guide". --AUSKF Study Guide.

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