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PNKF DATEBOOK

1. Jul 24/25/26 PNKF Junior Seminar, Thu/Sat; Jul 24 evening at Sno-King; Jul 25 evening at Bellevue; Jul 26 8:30am-4:30pm at South Bellevue Center, 14509 SE Newport Way.
2. Jul 26, PNKF Shinpan Seminar, Sat, 12noon-4:30pm, South Bellevue Center, 14509 SE Newport Way.
3. Aug 9, PNKF Shinsa, Sat, Iaido 1st Dan and below 9am-12noon; Kendo 2nd Dan and below 12:30-5pm, Kent.
4. Aug 8/9/10, Tomokawa Sensei Seminar, Fri/Sat/Sun, Curtis High School, 8425 40th Street W, University Place, WA 98466.
5. Sep 13, PNKF Board, Sat, 2-4pm, Kent.
6. Oct 4, PNKF Shinpan Seminar, Sat, 12noon-5pm, Kent.
7. Oct 18 or 25, Tacoma Taikai, Sat, 10am-4pm, Curtis High School (possible dates).
8. Nov 1, PNKF Board, Sat, 2-4pm, Kent.
9. Nov 15, PNKF Taikai, Sat, 9:30am, Kent.
10. Dec 20, Kent Taikai, Sat, report time 9am, start 9:30am, Kent.

OTHER DATES

1. Jul 3/4/5, AUSKF Kendo Championships, Las Vegas.
2. Jul 25-Aug 1, 2008 AJKF Foreign Kendo Leader's Summer Seminar, Kitamoto.
3. Aug 2/3, NCIA Iaido Seminar, with Kendo and Iaido Kyoshi 8th Dan Tomoharu Sensei, Chief Iaido instructor at the Tokyo Metropolitan Police Department, Sat/Sun, Stuart Hall High School, 1715 Octavia Street, San Francisco, California.
4. 2009, 14WKC, São Paulo, Brazil.

PNKF TOURNAMENT CHAIRPERSON NEEDED

Please let Curtis Marsten Sensei know if you are willing to chair the PNKF Taikai on November 15.

8th HONG KONG ASIAN OPEN KENDO CHAMPIONSHIPS - February 22/24, 2008, Hong Kong Park

Men's 3-member Team 2nd Dan and Below

- 1st place - Hong Kong H
- 2nd place - Manila
- 3rd place - Hong Kong A
- 3rd place - Syudokan A Guangzhou

Ladies' 3-member Team

- 1st place - Minoo A Osaka
- 2nd place - Thailand Kendo Club
- 3rd place - Hong Kong C
- 3rd place - Beijing A

Men's 5-member Team

- 1st place - Asia Kendo Club A, Tokyo
- 2nd place - Sawara ku Fukuoka
- 3rd place - Hong Kong G
- 3rd place - Shanghai A

44th ANNUAL VANCOUVER KENDO TOURNAMENT - May 10, 2008, BC Institute of Technology

9 Years and Under

- 1st place - J. Park, Global
- 2nd place - T. Marsten, Kent
- 3rd place - N. Choi, Global
- 3rd place - S. Yamamoto, UVictoria

10 to 12 Years

- 1st place - D. Kim, Bellevue
- 2nd place - S. O'Sullivan, Steveston
- 3rd place - B. Ko, Global
- 3rd place - B. Lin, Bellevue

13 to 15 Years

- 1st place - T. Iba, Bellevue
- 2nd place - C. Mills, Kent
- 3rd place - S. Cresse, Kent
- 3rd place - J. Tubajon, Steveston

16 to 20 Years

- 1st place - Y. Mizutani, Renbu
- 2nd place - G. Mizutani, Renbu
- 3rd place - T. Kikuchi, Steveston
- 3rd place - C. Moon, Global

21 to 30 Years

- 1st place - T. Yamada, Vancouver
- 2nd place - J. Marsten, Highline
- 3rd place - S. Ueno, Vancouver
- 3rd place - A. Fortier, McGill

31 to 40 Years

- 1st place - N. Tanimura, Seattle
- 2nd place - S. Asaoka, Youshinkan
- 3rd place - D. Hayashi, UVictoria
- 3rd place - P. Nishikihama, Steveston

41 Years and Over

- 1st place - S. Shiono, Calgary
- 2nd place - D. Harding, UBC
- 3rd place - R. Elliott, Highline
- 3rd place - H. Samkange, Bellevue

Women's Over 16

- 1st place - M. Taguchi, Renfrew
- 2nd place - N. Fukushima, Vancouver
- 3rd place - K. Marumo, Edmonton
- 3rd place - E. Marsten, Highline

Junior Team

- 1st place - Bellevue (G.Burgess, T.Iba, R.Blechsmidt, B.Lim, D.Kim, A.Samkange)
- 2nd place - Steveston (C.Lam, S.O'Sullivan, R.Murao, JaTubajon, JoTubajon)

Senior Team

- 1st place - Vancouver (K.Negishi, A.Fukushima, S.Ueno, S.Jung, T.Yamada)
- 2nd place - Seattle (S.Guidi, W.Abe, N.Tanimura, G.Suzaka, D.Imanishi)

Fighting Spirit (Junior Category)

M. Kim, Renfrew

Fighting Spirit (Senior Category)

H. Yamada, Vancouver

ROSE CITY KENDO TAIKAI - June 7, 2008, PCC Sylvania Campus

Junior 11 and Under

- 1st place - A. Sinclair, Spokane
- 2nd place - J. Hunt, Obukan
- 3rd place - T. Yamada, Bellevue
- 3rd place - J. Mills, Kent

Junior 12-15

- 1st place - C. Mills, Kent
- 2nd place - C. Marsten, Kent
- 3rd place - S. Cresse, Kent
- 3rd place - M. Wolf, Spokane

Junior Team

1st place - Kent (C.Marsten,S.Cresse,
T.Marsten,J.Mills,C.Mills)
2nd place - Spokane (J.Duplain,D.Sinclair
D.Sinclair,A.Sinclair,J.Lamb,M.Wolf)

0-3 Kyu

1st place - Y. Shim, Bellevue
2nd place - J. Lamb, Spokane
3rd place - Y. Bogusharov, Bellevue
3rd place - S. Kelly, UO

2 Kyu-1 Dan

1st place - I.Cresse, Kent
2nd place - C. Thompson, Spokane
3rd place - S. Day, Kent
3rd place - J. Hunter, Obukan

2-4 Dan

1st place - W. Abe, Seattle
2nd place - J. Marsten, Highline
3rd place - M. Sinclair, Spokane
3rd place - L. Tsybert, Bellevue

Women's

1st place - E. Marsten, Highline
2nd place - C. Huang, Obukan
3rd place - Y. Iwanaga, OSU
3rd place - T. Iwanaga, OSU

45 and Up Dan

1st place - C. Marsten, Kent
2nd place - H. Goh, Seattle
3rd place - R. Elliott, Highline
3rd place - T. Antush, Puyallup

Adult Team

1st place - Highline (R.Elliott,J.Scherer,A.Arsenault,E.Marsten,J.Marsten)
2nd place - Obukan 1 (Y.Miyata,H.Chang,S.Choi,J.Byrd,C.Huang)
3rd place - Sno-King (J.Chen,N.Grimes,W.Abe,H.Goh,T.Zee)
3rd place - Kent (K.Duong,P.Cresse,I.Cresse,S.Jolly,Day)

AUSKF 2008 IAIDO CHAMPIONSHIPS - June 7, 2008, Bryn Mawr College**Mudansha Cup 2 Kyu and below**

1st place - Tomoyuki Hirasawa, DFWKIK
2nd place - Brian Beckford, Iaido Miami
3rd place - Andres Cabrera, ShidoNY
3rd place - Peter Maenner, Princeton
Fighting Spirit - Craig Bell, Doshikai

Murosako Cup 1 Kyu and 1 Dan

1st place - Jonathan DeSousa, Doshikai
2nd place - Michelle Gay, KenZen
3rd place - Yuta Kusakari, ShidoNY
3rd place - Thomas Petchel, Musokai
Fighting Spirit - Arthur Cain, JSS

Yamaguchi Cup 2 Dan and 3 Dan

1st place - Paul Shin, ShidoNY
2nd place - Jason Hankins, ZenBuKan
3rd place - Gordon Hall, KenZen
3rd place - David Bressler, KenZen
Fighting Spirit - Koji Kurohara, ShidoNY

Nakanishi Cup 4 Dan and Above

1st place - Mark Uchida, Mushinkan
2nd place - Pam Parker, KenZen
3rd place - Russell Ichimura, DFWKIK
3rd place - Thomas Hooper, SeiZanKai
Fighting Spirit - Samuel Okuno, Norwalk

LEEWARD OAHU KENDO TOURNAMENT - June 15, 2008, Mililani District Park Gym**Yonenbu 11 Years and Under**

1st place - Tatsuya Okada
2nd place - Yuma Okada

Yudansha Masters 40 Years/3 Dan and Above

1st place - Hiroshi Tokuhashi
2nd place - Lawrence Chun

Shonenbu 12-14 Years

1st place - Chase Takenaka
2nd place - Erica Hill
3rd place - Camie Nakagawa
3rd place - Seth DiNardi

Seinenbu 15-34 Years

1st place - Taku Matsukage
2nd place - Dominick Coreli
3rd place - Aaron Kim
3rd place - Sean Warrington

Seinenbu Masters 35 Year and Older

1st place - Ron Miller
2nd place - Elbert Yoshida
3rd place - Jay Suemori
3rd place - Travis Miyashiro

Yudansha 1-2 Dan

1st place - Braxton Fukutomi
2nd place - Kevin Chun
3rd place - James Okada
3rd place - Shem Kim

Women's Yudansha

1st place - Nicole Yoshida
2nd place - Karen Mejia
3rd place - Audrey Hayase
3rd place - Michelle Ham

Yudansha 3-5 Dan

1st place - Mark Kawabata
2nd place - Andy Fujimoto
3rd place - Wesley Fujimoto
3rd place - Mark Miyamoto

Parents/Children Team Match - Parents 5 Children 1

James Oka Fighting Spirit Award Kantosho - Lucia Chung

SHINKYU SHINSA

IAIDO SHINSA, March 22, 2008, Tokyo Budokan, Ayase, Tokyo.

4TH DAN: Katsunori Osuga (Kaneda Dojo, Kiyose).

IAIDO SHINSA, June 8, 2008, Bryn Mawr College.

4TH KYU: Nobukazu Miura (Northern Virginia Budokai). **3RD KYU:** Robert Banas (Princeton), Chuck Caffarella (Doshikai), Michael DeRosa (Princeton), David Fitch (KenZen), Andrew Florentino (Doshikai), Mark Norton (Washington), Samuel Rivier (SyracuseU), Donald Roland (KenZen), Terry Sewell (DFWKIK), Andrew Southworth (DFWKIK), Daryl Williams (Princeton). **2ND KYU:** Craig Bell (Doshikai), Louis N. Carreras (Doshikai), Charles Howell (Omaha). **1ST KYU:** Brian Beckford (Iaido Miami), Andres Cabrera (Shido NY), David Haas (SeiShinKan), Tomoyuki Hirasawa (DFWKIK), Peter Maenner (Princeton). **1ST DAN:** James Konrad (Baltimore-Annapolis), John LiButti (JSS), Jiyou Ni (JSS), Jocelyn Wright (Shido DC). **2ND DAN:** Arthur Cain (JSS), Aeree Chung (SeiZanKai), Jonathan DeSousa (Doshikai), Michelle Gay (KenZen), , Robert Maddux (Meitokukan), Shauna Toh (Norwalk), Jason Willey (Doshikai). **3RD DAN:** Eunice Chan (SanFrancisco), Don Crittenden (Memphis), Rod Faghani (ShidoDC), Kazuhiro Kawashima (ShidoCT), Loren M. Nishimura (Alaska), Suzanne Rancourt (SeiZanKai), Hideki Rose (GWU), Rob Tranchin (DFWKIK). **4TH DAN:** Brian Blomquist (Everett), David Bressler (KenZen), Gordon Fisher (Doshikai), Jason Hankins (ZenBuKan), Atsushi Miyamoto (Berkeley), John Prough (JSS), Sachiko Prough (JSS). **5TH DAN:** Barry Poitras (Doshikai).

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