



BKK Newsletter



February 2010

BKK Web Site: bkk-uk.com

England Assistant Junior Coach

Shihan Andrew Turner (5th Dan) has asked that if there is anyone who would like to be considered as an Assistant England Junior Clicker Coach – could they please send a letter of application, in the first instance, to Shihan Liam Keaveney (6th Dan) e mail: liam.keaveney@btinternet.com.

License Renewals for 2010

Dojo operators are advise that student's License renewals will be due after 31st January – details are now on BKK Web Site for downloading and your dojo should have received these by e-mail.

Instructors Course and Child Protection Course – 7th February

*The BKK Instructor's Course will be held on 7th February from 11.00 am to 2.45 pm. Instructors at the course will be **Hanshi Steve Arneil (9th Dan)** assisted by **Shihan's Alex Kerrigan (6th Dan)** and **Liam Keaveney (6th Dan)** - Following the Course there will be a seminar on specific teaching aspects of Children (including Child Protection) and this will be from 3.00 pm to 5.00 pm. **Venue: Rivermead Leisure Complex, Richfield Avenue, Reading, RG1 8EQ** (Tel: 0118 901 5000). Please note the Grading Instructors Course will be held in April (details to follow).*

Kata Referee and Judges Course – 28th February

*Shihan Janine Davies will be holding a Referees and Judges course on the above date at **Michael Sobell Sports Centre, Aberdare, South Wales**, please see attached poster previously circulated for full details. **Sensei Sunil Taylor** will be holding an open course for blue belts and above for both juniors and seniors at **Michael Sobell Sport Centre**, as above. Please see previously circulated poster for full details.*

Kata and Adults Team Clicker Tournament – 13th March

*We will be holding the **National Kata Tournament** together with **Senior Adults Team Clicker Tournament** - **Rivermead Leisure Centre, Reading** on 13th March – Full details will be sent out next week and will be on the BKK Web Site for downloading.*

IFK World Kata Tournament – Switzerland 2010

*The 3rd IFK Kata World Tournament will be held on Saturday, April 17th, 2010 in Kriens, Switzerland. The BKK will be sending a squad (to be announced soon.) Any Kata judges (must be already qualified to Class A) who would like to be considered to judge at the forthcoming World Tournament, should contact **Shihan Janine Davis**. There will be an international judge's seminar in Switzerland prior to the tournament and judges will be selected from those who attend.*

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Black Belt Grading — Crawley Dojo – 2nd May

The date for the next National Grading will be **2nd May** at Crawley Dojo (Visit www.multimap.com and enter postcode "RH10 5HP" – for location and directions). **Please send your completed grading forms to Hanshi at least two weeks before the grading** (published recently in revised format and available to download from the BKK Web Site – together with stamped addressed envelope as soon as possible). Further details and information from Hanshi tel: 020 8946 0673 or e-mail: hanshi@the-ifk.co.uk.

K2 2009 Knockdown Tournament DVD – Pre Order NOW!

The BKK is now taking orders for the **2009 33rd Open National Knockdown Tournament at K2** - The cost will be **£13.00 (which includes P and P)**. This price will be held for the next few weeks and then will be sold at £15.00 Plus P and P. **ORDER NOW!** For Credit Card sales contact **Shihan Maria Da Costa**: 01708 743 789, ndacosta@lineone.net. Cheque and Cash sales contact **Sensei Stuart Wright**: 07956 565021, stuartj.wright@blueyonder.co.uk.

Senior and Junior Summer Camp 18th to 22nd August - Felsted

As last year, the **Junior and Senior Summer Camps** will run simultaneously at the same venue: **Felsted School, Felsted, Essex, CM6 3LL**. For seniors there will be dedicated Knockdown training sessions and much more! Camp commences lunchtime on **Wednesday, 18th August 'til after breakfast on Sunday, 22nd August** - (4 nights). Training three times a day with top instructors led by **Hanshi Steve Arneil** (9th Dan) assisted by Shihan's **Liam Keaveney** (6th Dan), **Nick Da Costa** (6th Dan) and **David Pickthall** (6th Dan) - Junior Camp Instructors led by **Shihan Andrew Turner** (5th Dan) and **Sensei John Moulden** (4th Dan). Cost for all the above inclusive of all meals, accommodation and the Sayonara Party - **Junior Under 16's: £135.00, Cadets £155.00 and Seniors £205.00**. Please note that there is a **£10 discount for second and subsequent members of the same family**. (Please note the age limit for Juniors is eight years and over). Entry forms will be sent out very soon.

Diary Dates 2010

- 7th February - Instructor's Course Rivermead Leisure Centre, Reading**
- 28th February - Kata Referee and Judges Course/Kata Course, Michael Sobell Sports Centre, Aberdare**
- 13th March - Kata Tournament and Senior Adults Team Clicker Tournament - Rivermead Leisure Centre, Reading**
- 17th April - IFK World Kata Tournament - Switzerland.**
- 24th April - England -v- Wales - Wales (Venue to be confirmed)**
- 2nd May - National Grading Crawley Dojo**
- June - Regional Knockdown Tournament - Wales (Venue to be confirmed)**
- 18th - 22nd August - Summer Camp - Felsted, Essex**
- 2nd October - National Knockdown Tournament - (To be confirmed)**
- 27th November - National Clicker Tournament - Rivermead Leisure Centre, Reading**