



# BKK Newsletter



## January 2010

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### Thank You for 2009

Another full and successful year within the BKK and our thanks to everyone who supported and helped throughout the year. On behalf of **Hanshi Steve Arneil**, **Shihan Liam Keaveney** and all the **Executive Committee** we wish you a healthy and successful New Year.

### License Renewals for 2010

Dojo operators are advised that students Licenses renewals will be due after 31<sup>st</sup> January – details will be on BKK Web Site for downloading shortly.

### Open GB Kata Squad Course – 10<sup>th</sup> January

**Sensei Sunil Taylor** will be hold the above course on 10<sup>th</sup> January at Dunmow Leisure Centre, Parsonage Downs, Great Dunmow, CM6 2AT from 11 a.m. – 3 p.m. The course is open to green belts and above for both juniors and seniors, to have an opportunity to be selected to represent Great Britain at the World IFK Kata Tournament to be held in Switzerland on 16<sup>th</sup> – 18<sup>th</sup> April 2010. Fee for the course is £5.00 – please see attached poster for full details.

### Knockdown Squad Training – 23<sup>rd</sup> January 2010

A GB Senior Knockdown Squad session with **Shihan Dave Pickthall** (6<sup>th</sup> Dan) will be held on 23<sup>rd</sup> January 11.00am - 2.00pm, cost £5.00. Venue: Crawley Dojo (Visit [www.multimap.com](http://www.multimap.com) and enter postcode "RH10 5HP" – for location and directions) – Shihan David is looking for fighters to compete in various International Tournaments (including Novices) and for the England v Wales Tournament in April. Please contact **Shihan David Pickthall** for further details on 01293 425269.

### Instructors Course and Child Protection Course – 7<sup>th</sup> February

The BKK Instructor's Course will be held on 7<sup>th</sup> February from 11.00 am to 2.45 pm. Instructors at the course will be **Hanshi Steve Arneil** (9<sup>th</sup> Dan) assisted by **Shihan's Alex Kerrigan** (6<sup>th</sup> Dan) and **Liam Keaveney** (6<sup>th</sup> 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 – 28<sup>th</sup> 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 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 attached poster for full details.

### Kata and Adults Team Clicker Tournament – 13<sup>th</sup> March

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

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## **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](mailto:ndacosta@lineone.net). Cheque and Cash sales contact **Sensei Stuart Wright**: 07956 565021, [stuartj.wright@blueyonder.co.uk](mailto:stuartj.wright@blueyonder.co.uk).

## **Diary Dates 2010**

- 10<sup>th</sup> January - Open GB Kata Squad Course - Dunmow Leisure Centre, Gt. Dunmow*
- 23<sup>rd</sup> January - Knockdown Squad training - Crawley Dojo*
- 7<sup>th</sup> February - Instructor's Course Rivermead Leisure Centre, Reading*
- 28<sup>th</sup> February - Kata Referee and Judges Course/Kata Course, Michael Sobell Sports Centre, Aberdare*
- 13<sup>th</sup> March - Kata Tournament and Senior Adults Team Clicker Tournament - Rivermead Leisure Centre, Reading*
- April - England -v- Wales - Wales (Venue to be confirmed)*
- June - Regional Knockdown Tournament - Wales (Venue to be confirmed)*
- 18<sup>th</sup> - 22<sup>nd</sup> August - Summer Camp - Felsted, Essex*
- 2<sup>nd</sup> October - National Knockdown Tournament - (To be confirmed)*
- 27<sup>th</sup> November - National Clicker Tournament - Rivermead Leisure Centre, Reading*