



BKK Newsletter



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National Knockdown Tournament – 17th October - K2 Crawley

The BKK's National Open Knockdown Tournament will be held on **Saturday, 17th October at K2 Crawley**. After last year's tremendous success – there has been a tremendous amount of interest via the internet for this year's National Tournament. **Tickets are on sale NOW - £15.00 so to avoid disappointment – order your tickets as soon as possible – this will be an event not to be missed! Contact Linda Keaveney 01245 256891.**

Senior and Junior Summer Camp 19th to 23rd 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, 19th August 'til after breakfast on Sunday, 23rd August** - (4 nights). Training three times a day with instructors led by **Hanshi Steve Arneil (9th Dan)** assisted by **Shihan's Liam Keaveney (6th Dan), Nick Da Costa (5th Dan) and David Pickthall (5th Dan)** - Junior Camp Instructors led by **Shihan Andrew Turner (5th Dan)** and others. Cost for all the above inclusive of all meals, accommodation and the Sayonara Party - **£199.00 Seniors and £129.00 Under 16's**. (Please note the age limit for Juniors is eight years and over). After the terrific success of Sensei Moss Ageli's sword seminar, we are planning next year's seminar(s) and hope to publish details of special dedicated courses being offered at camp – not least Hanshi's special Kata Seminar and much, much more! Entry forms should be returned to Summer Camp Officer: **Shihan Maria Da Costa** (full details on forms).

First Aid Course - Summer Camp

A Basic First Aid for Sport certificated course is being held by **John Hunt** on at **Summer Camp** this course is open to anybody going for a grading or wishing to up-date their current first aid qualification. Cost £20.00. Those wishing to attend should in the first instance course submit in their Summer Camp form together with £50.00 deposit and also send an email to **Shihan Maria Da Costa** (Summer Camp Officer) ndacosta@lineone.net - to reserve a place on the first aid course.

Black Belt Grading — Summer Camp – 20th August

The date for the next National Grading will be on **20th August** at the BKK Summer Camp : **Felsted School, Felsted, Essex, CM6 3LL**. 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.

Severn Challenge 23rd to 26th October

This year's **Severn Challenge** will be held at between **23rd and 26th October** - details to be confirmed and for further information please contact **Shihan Andrew** on Tel: 01371 872650 or Mobile: 07974 094925.

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Dan Grade Qualifications

All instructors are advised to check with the current grading syllabus as to what the specific requirements are for people attempting Dan gradings - specifically qualifications relating to judging. In addition, grading forms should be received by Hanshi no later than ten days prior to the grading.

K2 2008 Knockdown Tournament DVD

The BKK is now selling copies of the 32nd Open National Knockdown Tournament held at K2 in October 2008. The cost will be £13.00 (Plus P and P). 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.

First Aid Courses - 7th November

A Basic First Aid for Sport certificated course is being held by **John Hunt** on **7th November** this course is open to anybody going for a grading or wishing to up-date their current first aid qualification. Venue: Crawley Dojo (Visit www.multimap.com and enter postcode "RH10 5HP" - for location and directions) - from 10.00 am. Cost £25.00. Those wishing to attend should contact John on his mobile 07836 225664 - you must register for the course in advance.

Diary Dates 2009

- 19th - 23rd August - Summer Camp - Felsted, Essex*
- 20th August - National Black Belt Grading - Felsted, Essex*
- 11th October - Knockdown Referees Course - Venue to be confirmed*
- 17th October - National Knockdown Tournament at K2 (Please note change of date)*
 - 23rd to 26th October - Severn Challenge*
 - 7th November - First Aid Course - Crawley Dojo*
 - 15th November - National Black Belt Grading - Crawley Dojo*
 - 28th November - National Clicker Tournament - Rivermead Leisure Centre, Reading*

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33rd Open National Knockdown Tournament
@ K2 Crawley
Saturday, 17th October 2009
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