



# BKK Newsletter



## November 2008

**BKK Web Site: [bkk-uk.com](http://bkk-uk.com)**

### **BKK Web Site**

*We are experiencing some technical problems with the BKK web site and apologise for any inconvenience this may cause – we are doing all we can to rectify this and it is hoped that our new “revamped” web site will go live very soon. Thanks to Lamine Darbouche and Moss Ageli for all their hard work.*

### **National Knockdown Tournament – 4<sup>th</sup> October - K2 Crawley**

*An excellent day all round and our thanks to all that contributed to a great day at our new venue – results are enclosed.*

### **Dan Grade Promotions to Shihan**

*Congratulations to **Ray Bond, Janine Davies, Terry Prescott and Andrew Turner** for their recent promotion to 5<sup>th</sup> Dan by Hanshi Steve Arneil (9<sup>th</sup> Dan) at the recent Open National Knockdown Tournament at K2.*

### **Squad Training Seniors, Juniors and Cadets – 16<sup>th</sup> November**

***Shihan Andrew Turner** (5<sup>th</sup> Dan) and **Sensei Dave Dyas** (3<sup>rd</sup> Dan) will be holding a Clicker squad training session on **16<sup>th</sup> November** - it will be a joint Junior Clicker/Cadet Clicker and Kyokushin Fighting Women and Men's Clicker in preparation for the England v Wales Tournament. From 11am - 2pm at Cascades Leisure Centre, Thong Lane, Gravesend, DA12 4LG. All the usual applies i.e. bring up-to-date license, pads and protection, drink, enthusiasm etc.. Cost: £4.00. For further information please contact **Shihan Andrew Turner: 01371 872650.***

### **K2 Knockdown Tournament DVDs**

*The BKK will be taking pre-orders for the DVD of this event – if you pre-order the DVD before 30<sup>th</sup> November the cost will be **£11.00 (Plus P and P)**. Thereafter the DVD will go on general sale at **£13.00 (Plus P and P)**. Alternatively you can telephone your order on **01245 256891.***

### **Black Belt Grading - 16<sup>th</sup> November - Crawley Dojo**

*The date for the next National Grading will be **16<sup>th</sup> November** at Crawley Dojo (Visit [www.multimap.com](http://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](mailto:hanshi@the-ifk.co.uk). Could all candidates please ensure they leave plenty of time for travelling to Crawley dojo. Please ensure that all forms for National Grading are legible and correctly completed as some forms are being sent to Hanshi wrongly filled out.*

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## Clicker Referees Course - 23<sup>rd</sup> November- Dunmow

*Shihan Ray Bond (5<sup>th</sup> Dan) will be holding a Clicker Referees course on Sunday, 23<sup>rd</sup> November 10 am 2.00 pm. Course fee: £5.00 Exam: £5.00 Practical: £5.00. This course is for everyone wishing to improve there current Qualifications, and also qualified Referees refreshing there Knowledge. Please note that if any official who has not officiated at a tournament over the last 2 years should attend a refresher course to be able to judge or referee at the November Clicker Tournament. Venue: Dunmow (Foakes Hall, Stanford Roa,d Gt. Dunmow, CM6 1DG). Bring uniform, pen, paper, whistle and rulebook (rulebook should be studied before the course), rulebooks can be obtained from Shihan Ray - for further details tel: 07977015327 - Email [senseiraybond@aol.com](mailto:senseiraybond@aol.com).*

## National Clicker Tournament – 29<sup>th</sup> November - Reading

*This year's National Clicker Tournament is being held on 29<sup>th</sup> November at Rivermead Leisure Complex, Richfield Avenue, Reading, RG1 8EQ. This year we are holding, as normal, an "Individual Event" and in addition to this a "Junior Team Event". The Junior Team entries will be capped and we will treat these on a "first come" basis – it is hoped next year that the Seniors will then fight in a Team Event. Spectator tickets - £6 adult, £4 junior and £15 family ticket. **Please note revised entry forms and fee schedule have been sent out - so please use these when returning to Shihan Andrew.***

## Senior and Junior Summer Camp 19<sup>th</sup> to 23<sup>rd</sup> August 2009 - 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 till after breakfast on Sunday, 23<sup>rd</sup> August** - (4 nights). Training three times a day with top instructors led by **Hanshi Steve Arneil (9<sup>th</sup> Dan)** assisted by Shihan's **Liam Keaveney (6<sup>th</sup> Dan)**, **Nick Da Costa (5<sup>th</sup> Dan)** and **David Pickthall (5<sup>th</sup> Dan)** - Junior Camp Instructors led by **Shihan's Dave Lund Regan (5<sup>th</sup> Dan)** and **Andrew Turner (5<sup>th</sup> Dan)**. 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 and hope to publish details of special dedicated courses being offered at camp - not least Hanshi's special Kata Seminar and much much more!***

## 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.*

## BKK Licensing System

*Just another gentle reminder that the BKK will be introducing a new web-based licensing system from 1st February and full details will be sent out in the very near future.*

## BKK Magazine

*There are a limited number of magazines left after K2 – if any dojos require copies could they please contact Liam Keaveney by e mail at [liam.keaveney@btinternet.com](mailto:liam.keaveney@btinternet.com) - and if available any remainder magazines will be on sale at the Clicker Tournament in November to raise funds for the BKK.*

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## **GB Knockdown Squad Training– 14<sup>th</sup> December**

A GB Senior Knockdown Squad session with **Shihan Dave Pickthall** (5<sup>th</sup> Dan) will be held on Sunday, 14<sup>th</sup> December 11.00am - 2.00pm cost £5.00, Venue: Dunmow Leisure Centre, Parsonage Downs, Gt. Dunmow, Essex, CM6 2AT5 – Shihan David is looking for fighters to compete in France IFK/Shinkyokushin Jan 2009 and Dutch Shinkyokushin in February 2009. **Please contact Shihan David Pickthall** for further details on 01293 425269.

## **Squad Training Juniors and Cadets – 14<sup>th</sup> December**

**Shihan Andrew Turner** (5<sup>th</sup> Dan) will be holding an England Junior and Cadet Squad Session on Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> December, 2.00pm - 5pm cost £4.00, Venue: Dunmow Leisure Centre, Parsonage Downs, Gt. Dunmow, Essex, CM6 2AT. At the junior and cadet squad session Shihan Andrew will be selecting the England teams for the Pilatus Cup, Switzerland 15<sup>th</sup> March 2009. For further information please contact **Shihan Andrew Turner: 01371 872650**.

## **Instructors Course and Child Protection Course – 1<sup>st</sup> February 2009**

The BKK Instructor's Course will be held on **1<sup>st</sup> February** from 11.00 am to 2.45 pm. 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).

## **Diary Dates 2008**

- 16<sup>th</sup> November - National Black Belt Grading – Crawley Dojo*
- 16<sup>th</sup> November - Squad Training, Seniors, Juniors and Cadets – Cascades Leisure Centre, Gravesend*
- 23<sup>rd</sup> November – Clicker Referees Course – Foakes Hall, Dunmow, Essex*
- 29<sup>th</sup> November – National Clicker Tournament – Rivermead Leisure Centre, Reading*

## **Diary Dates 2009**

- 1<sup>st</sup> February – Instructors Course and Child Protection – Rivermead Leisure Centre, Reading*
- 7<sup>th</sup> March – National Kata Tournament – Venue to be confirmed*
- 18<sup>th</sup> April – AGM/England v Wales/Grading Instructors Course – Dunmow (to be confirmed)*
- 26<sup>th</sup> April – National Black belt Grading – Crawley Dojo*
- 13<sup>th</sup> June – Regional Knockdown Tournament – Milton Keynes*
- 19<sup>th</sup> – 23<sup>rd</sup> August – Summer Camp – Felste, Essex*
- 20<sup>th</sup> August – National Black belt Grading – Felsted, Essex*
- 10<sup>th</sup> October – National Knockdown Tournament at K2*
- 23<sup>rd</sup> to 26<sup>th</sup> October – Severn Challenge*
- 15<sup>th</sup> November – National Black belt Grading – Crawley Dojo*
- 28<sup>th</sup> November – National Clicker Tournament – Rivermead Leisure Centre, Reading*