



BKK Newsletter



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GB Junior and Cadet Squad Training – 6th September

Great Britain Kyokushinkai Karate Junior & Cadet Squad Session held by *Shihan Andrew Turner, 5th Dan and Sensei John Moulden 4th Dan.* **SUNDAY, 6th SEPTEMBER,** MICHAEL SOBELL SPORTS CENTRE, THE YNS, ABERDARE, WALES, CF44 7RP, 11.00am-2.00pm Juniors and Cadets Cost £4.00. **OLD AND NEW STUDENTS WELCOME** - *The last Junior and Cadet World Tournament was in 2008 and we had some great results. The next World Tournament has yet to be confirmed but could possibly be as early as 2010 or 2011. To be eligible to compete you must be over twelve years old for juniors and be 16 - 17 for cadets. We will be holding at least three GB Squad sessions over the next 6 months and it is important that you start attending these sessions in preparation for the World Tournament. At this squad session in Wales I would like the support of as many students from Wales, England and Scotland. The Instructors on the day will be myself, Sensei's John and Stephen Davies. Without pads or licence you will not be allowed to fight!! ALL CADETS 16 -18yrs. ARE WELCOME AND WILL BE WORKING ON KYOKUSHIN (Knockdown) AND CLICKER TECHNIQUES AND TRAINING.*

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.**

Black Belt Grading — Crawley Dojo – 8th November

The date for the next National Grading will be **8th November** 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.

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.

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.

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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.

Diary Dates 2009

6th September - GB Junior and Cadet Squad Training - Michael Sobell Sports Centre, Wales

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

8th November - National Black Belt Grading - Crawley Dojo (Please note change of date)

28th November - National Clicker Tournament - Rivermead Leisure Centre, Reading

Do Not Miss the
33rd Open National Knockdown Tournament
@ K2 Crawley
Saturday, 17th October 2009
Tickets are on Sale NOW!
