

# STUBBINGTON KARATE

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June 2007



## EGKA May Training

This years EGKA Spring Southern training weekend was held in Bournemouth at the Little-down Sports Centre on the weekend of May 19th & 20th. The Academy entered 8 cadets for their Black Belt test of which I am proud to announce that all 8 passed which brings out Dan Grade students to 17 in total. Well done to all those who graded and passed. Their hard work and effort paid off!

## ILOGKF European Gasshuku 2007

Each year the ILOGKF (International Okinawan Goju Ryu Karate Federation—to whom the English Goju Ryu Karate Association is affiliated) holds a week long training camp for all students in Europe. This year we are hosting the event and as it is usually only held in the UK once every 10 years this is an event not to be missed. The training will be conducted by the world Chief Instructor Sensei Morio Higaonna 9th Dan and his senior instructors. There has been a morning set aside to teaching the junior community and this will be taken by Sensei Terauchi (Chief Instructor of Japan). the Junior course will be held on the either Saturday 21st or Sunday 22nd July and is open to all juniors or Infant red belts. Further details will be available next month.

## June Grading

The 1st grading of 2007 will be held on Sunday 25th March

Previously we have held one grading for all Juniors & Cadets however this has become increasingly difficult to accommodate all students. Therefore the following gradings will take place.

White Belt—Green Belts      9.00am—10.00am

Blue Belts— Brown Belts      10.15am—11.30am

Students will undergo some aspects of their grading in the week leading up to the event, this will include pad work and some preliminary ground work in an attempt to keep the structure of the test focused.

***All students are required to bring a license including Community Centre Membership, clean white Gi, £15 grading fee and Mitts if owned.*** Each of the two tests will start promptly so early arrival is essential. Blue Belts and above should register outside to hall and wait quietly until the dojo has been cleared before entering. As usual spectators are welcome but seating is on a first come first served basis. This grading does not affect Infants of the Academy.



# STUBBINGTON DOJO



## June Students of the Month

**Infant: Emma Davies for all her hard work**

**Junior: Victoria Nightingale for her determination and effort in class**

**Cadet: Alex Speed for his Kumite**

Special Mentions: Ben Skinner, Natasha Carrigan, Theo Carpenter, Jasmine Hinselwood, Sean Pitt, Alex Austin, Charlie Hooper, Fran Ilott, Chris Lowman, Gabe Pickering, Lewis Terret & Abbi Grace

## Community Centre Memberships

Would all parents and students be reminded that your CCA membership is now due for renewal as from August 1st 2006. It is imperative that this is made current as quickly as possible in order for the Academy to maintain it's current hall rental rate.

Forms are available at the front office however if you return your 2005/2006 card the renewal process can be made considerably easier.

## May Birthdays

Happy Birthday to all those who have a birthday in May Henry Mallen, Jack Miller, Thomas Thorpe, Sean Pitt, Theo Carpenter, Dominic Truslove, James Field & Nicki Adamson. Many Happy returns from all at the dojo and belated birthday wishes to Danielle Keenan who I carelessly forgot to

## June Birthdays

Happy Birthday to all those who have a birthday in June Danny Jones, Josh and Owen Nelson, Thomas White, Adam Winiarczuk, Alex Maynard, Alex White, Jamie Nevin, Mary Rance Reece Butler, Scott Ryder, Kathryn Bowden, Many Happy returns.

## DIARY 2007

<b>JUNE</b>	<b>Grading</b>	<b>Sun 24th 9am — 11.30am</b>
<b>JULY</b>	<b>Cadet Weapons Training</b>	<b>Sat 14th 8.30am —9.30am</b>
<b>JULY</b>	<b>IOGKF Gasshuku—B'mouth</b>	<b>Sat 21st—Sat 28th</b>
<b>JULY</b>	<b>European Gasshuku –Bournemouth</b>	<b>21st-28th</b>
<b>JULY</b>	<b>European Gasshuku Junior Course</b>	<b>Sat 21st 12.00am — 4.00pm</b>
<b>SEPT</b>	<b>Cadet Weapons Training</b>	<b>Sat 22nd 8.30am —9.30am</b>
<b>OCT</b>	<b>Cadet Weapons Training</b>	<b>Sat 27th 8.30am —9.30am</b>
<b>NOV</b>	<b>Grading</b>	<b>TBC</b>
<b>DEC</b>	<b>Cadet Weapons Training</b>	<b>Sat 15th 8.30am —9.30am</b>