

PAPAKURA | WAIAU PA NEWS AUGUST 2004

Halls not available

Both Papakura and Waiau Pa clubs are without their halls next week (1st week of August). Papakura will train at Mr Pellow's Infinity Branch on Monday & Wednesday, Greenmeadows Intermediate, Greenmeadows Ave, Manurewa, 6.30 - 8.00pm. Waiau Pa members welcome too of course! Be there early as everyone has to be let in the school gates at the same time.

Waiau Pa hall is also unavailable on Thursday 9 September.

First dan Fever

Paul McPhail, Dave Butchers and Deborah Oleson attended the First dan Fever seminar in New Plymouth on the weekend of 24th & 25th July. It was a most enjoyable seminar with 50 1st dans from around the Country in attendance.

Howick Kids

Congratulations to Mr Butchers for being appointed the new Instructor of the kids class in Howick.

Junior World Champs

New Zealand came 3rd over-all at the Junior World Champs in Italy, and the Womens team won Gold!

International Instructors Course

There is an International course being held on Auckland on the 6th - 8th August, conducted by three 8th dans from overseas.

Members from our clubs attending the course are:

Paul McPhail (grading for 7th dan)

Evan Impson

Dan Jackson

Steve Morris

Mark Banivevich

Amanda Insull

Dave Butchers

Deborah Oleson

Brad Thomson

Banquet

ITFNZ is holding a special dinner following the International Course, and it is open to all members, families and friends. It is a celebration for the completion of the course and (hopefully) the promotion of New Zealand's first Masters (me and Mr Davidson). I would love as many club members to attend as possible - please ring Mrs Sue Breen to arrange your tickets - 521 3244. \$50 per head.

Master Class

Two of the visiting Masters are conducting a seminar on Tuesday 10th August, 6.30 - 8.30 pm - venue to be advised. Cost is \$20 (\$30 per family) and it is a chance for all grades to train under two of the top instructors in the world:

Master Hector Marano

(8th dan, ITF Technical & Instruction Chairman)

Master Pablo Trajtenberg

(8th dan, ITF Senior Vice President)

Gup Grading

Gradings for our clubs are to be held as follows:

PAPAKURA: Thursday 26 August at Waiuku, Sandspit School, Sandspit Rd, Waiuku.

WAIAU PA: Thursday 2nd Sept at Waiau Pa.

New members please remember you need a uniform to be able to grade, and these can sometimes take a few weeks to receive. Contact Martial Arts Apparel urgently if you have not done so yet:

www.martialartsapparel.co.nz, 82 Queen Street, Waiuku, Ph 021 837-110.

Grading fees are:

August 6-8

August 8

Single person - \$45

Two person family - \$80

Three or more in a family - \$95

Double grading - double the normal fee

Please fill out a grading application form and return at least one week prior to the grading.

PREGRADING will be held at Waiau Pa on Tuesday 17 August to determine who will grade. By that date you should have a uniform and must have your training fees up to date.

The Papakura Pre-Grading will be held over several nights as determined by Mr Impson.

CALENDAR

ITF International Instructors Course

August 26 Papakura Grading (at Waiuku)
September 2 Waiau Pa Grading (at Waiau Pa)

Oct 3 Under 18 Tnt - Midlands

Oct 9-10 Minnies & Masters Tnt - New Plymouth
Oct 23-25 Ocenaia Championships - Auckland

Oct 31 Pee Wee tournament - Papakura

Nov 19-22 National Kids Camp

Nov 19-21 ITF World CUP in Florida

Nov 29 End of year gradings start

Dec 11-12 Black Belt grading - Akd

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