



Email to All Clubs – 28 January 2009

Please find attached the following:

Results of Dan Grading, Bath, 6 December
Information on the Black and Brown Belt Course, Chesterfield, 8 February
Information on Special Northern Region Course, Sunderland, 1 March
Information on the Black and Brown Belt Course, Dunfermline, 22 March
Information on English Squad Selections for 2009
Nomination Forms for Regional Secretaries and Treasurers
KUGB Liability Insurance Certificate for 2009

Southern Region Clubs Only

Details and Entry Forms for the Southern Region Championships, 21 February, Crawley

Previous Mail-out

Year Planners and Member's Diaries together with Affiliation Renewal Forms were sent to all clubs in December; if you require any additional copies, please inform the KUGB Head Office.

We hope you have all had a good start to the year and look forward to seeing you all at forthcoming events.

KUGB Admin

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SHOTOKAN KARATE

KUGB Dan Grade Passes

Bath – 6th December 2008

Examiners: Sensei A Sherry, 8th Dan and Sensei F Brennan 7th Dan

Our congratulations to the following on their achievement:

Shodan Passes

Ryan	Arnell	Shindu Kai
Natasha	Aylen	Canterbury Christchurch
Jane	Crowther	York Karate
Souheil	Fenghour	Makenki
Max	Frost	Makenki
Arnaud	Gay	Can Do
Glynn	Harris	Thanet
Harry	James	Abingdon
Angela	Johnston	Croxteth
Brandon	Ledsam	Wolves
Nicholas	Lestas	Zanshin Coleraine
Keith	Limbert	Handbridge
Megan	Lloyd	Tekki RS
Luca	Marano	Shin Gi Tai
Andrew	McDonald	Kyoshin
Lucinda	McNally	Red Lion
Ahmad	Mustafa	Wolves
Jess	Palmer	Tekki
Liam	Pinto	Shin Gi Tai
Teah	Pope	Chelmsford
Thusith	Pothupitiya	Tekki RS
Bhagat-Taaj-Singh	Sian	Leeds
Tomer	Tricot	Makenki
Daniel	Woodward	Hollies
Robert	Woodward	Hollies

Nidan Passes

Jamie	Addison	Newtown
Alastair	Dewar	Egham
Jack	Hillsden	Chelmsford
Philip	Owen	Newtown
Rachel	Parkes	Brecon

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SHOTOKAN KARATE

**SPECIAL NORTHERN REGION COURSE
and AGM**

with

Sensei Frank Brennan 7th Dan



Sensei Matt Price 5th Dan



at

**Crowtree Leisure Centre
Sunderland**

on

Sunday 1st March 2009

Training Times

10.30 - 11.45 am

12.15 - 1.30 pm

Grade Range 7th Kyu +

Cost: £8.00 for both sessions

**The Course will be followed by the
Northern Region**

Annual General Meeting at 2.00pm



Black & Brown Belt Course

Sunday 8 February 2009

Queen's Park Leisure Centre
Boythorpe Rd
Chesterfield
S40 2ND

Tel: 01246 345559

Instructors: Sensei A Sherry, 8th Dan & Sensei F Brennan 7th Dan

Times:

Training for Brown Belts – 10.30am to 12.00pm
Training for Black Belts – 12.00pm – 1.30pm
Grading for 1st and 2nd Dan – 2.30pm onwards

IMPORTANT NOTES

All those training and grading **must** bring their current KUGB licence. Those grading **must** bring a completed official permission form, signed by their Instructor, and a recent passport-size photograph.

Forms etc must be presented at least 30 minutes prior to the start of the grading.

Gumshields and KUGB approved white hand-mitts are compulsory for Jiyu Kumite.

The training course is free.

The grading fees are as follows; 1st Dan - £50 2nd Dan - £60

Re-take (Kata or Kumite only) 1st Dan - £40 2nd Dan - £45

Cheques & POs are payable to **KUGB**

The above fees include a KUGB Dan-grade certificate and registration for successful candidates. Certificates will be sent by post.

Those who fail a Dan-grading must wait a minimum of three months before a re-take, except when the Examiner specifically states otherwise. In such cases, the required



Black & Brown Belt Course

Sunday 22 March 2009

Duloch Leisure Centre
Nightingale Place
Duloch Park
Dunfermline
Fife KY11 8LW

Tel; 01383 602209

Instructor: Sensei A Sherry, 8th Dan

Times:

Training for Brown Belts – 12.30pm to 2.00pm

Training for Black Belts – 2.00pm – 3.30pm

Grading for 1st and 2nd Dan – 4.00pm onwards

IMPORTANT NOTES

All those training and grading **must** bring their current KUGB licence. Those grading **must** bring a completed official permission form, signed by their Instructor, and a recent passport-size photograph.

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To All KUGB Club Instructors, English Regions

**Selection of the
ENGLISH JUNIOR KUMITE SQUAD
for 2009**

The selection will take place as follows:

Date

Saturday 31 January 2009

Time

Selection will commence at 12 noon
Training will follow for those selected

Venue

The Red Triangle Karate Club, 57-61 Everton Rd, Everton Liverpool L6 2EH

Eligibility

Males and Females aged 14 to under 21 years

Minimum grade 3rd Kyu

Please encourage those students who are of a high calibre and who compete at Regional and National Level. All those attending must have a current KUGB licence. Those selected will make up the Squad for 2009.

This is an excellent opportunity for Karateka to improve their standard and possibly to represent the KUGB at International level.



To All KUGB Club Instructors, English Regions

**Selection of the
ENGLISH SENIOR KUMITE SQUAD
for 2009**

The selection will take place as follows:

Date

Sunday 1 February 2009

Time

Selection will commence at 12 noon
Training will follow for those selected

Venue

The Red Triangle Karate Club, 57-61 Everton Rd, Everton Liverpool L6 2EH

Eligibility

Males and Females aged 21 years and above

Minimum grade 1st Dan

Please encourage those students who are of a high calibre and who compete at Regional and National Level. All those attending must have a current KUGB licence. Those selected will make up the Squad for 2009.

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To All KUGB Club Instructors, English Regions

**Selection of the
KUGB KATA SQUAD
for 2009**

The selection will take place as follows:

Date

Saturday 7 February 2009

Time

Selection will commence at 12 noon
Training will follow for those selected

Venue

The Red Triangle Karate Club, 57-61 Everton Rd, Everton Liverpool L6 2EH

Eligibility

Males and Females aged 14 years and above

Minimum grade 1st Dan

Please encourage those students who are of a high calibre and who compete at Regional and National Level. All those attending must have a current KUGB licence. Those selected will make up the Squad for 2009.

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Northern Region Annual General Meeting – 1 March 2009

The Regional Secretary and Treasurer are elected at the Regional AGM and nominations should be received in writing in sufficient time to allow all clubs to be informed prior to the meeting.

If you wish to nominate anyone, please complete the attached form and return it to the KUGB Administrator before the 12 February.

A nomination must be agreed by the person proposed and both proposer and nominee must be present at the AGM.

The Regional Secretary, Josie Wynn, is prepared to stand for re-election and no nominations are required for her.

The agenda and details of time and venue will follow.

Northern Region Annual General Meeting – 1 March 2009

Please complete and return this section by 12 February to: The KUGB, PO Box 3, Wirral CH43 6XX

I wish to propose:

_____ for the position of Northern Regional Secretary

_____ for the position of Northern Regional Treasurer

Proposed by _____

On behalf of _____ KUGB Shotokan Karate Club

Contact Tel: _____



Central Region Annual General Meeting – 8 March 2009

The Regional Secretary and Treasurer are elected at the Regional AGM and nominations should be received in writing in sufficient time to allow all clubs to be informed prior to the meeting.

If you wish to nominate anyone, please complete the attached form and return it to the KUGB Administrator before the 12 February.

A nomination must be agreed by the person proposed and both proposer and nominee must be present at the AGM.

The Regional Secretary and the Regional Treasurer – Pat Darcy and Paul Archer respectively – are prepared to stand for re-election and no nominations are required for them.

The agenda and details of time and venue will follow.

Central Region Annual General Meeting – 8 March 2009

Please complete and return this section by 12 February to: The KUGB, PO Box 3, Wirral CH43 6XX

I wish to propose:

_____ for the position of Central Regional Secretary

_____ for the position of Central Regional Treasurer

Proposed by _____

On behalf of _____ KUGB Shotokan Karate Club

Contact Tel: _____



Scottish Region Annual General Meeting – 22 March 2009

The Regional Secretary and Treasurer are elected at the Regional AGM and nominations should be received in writing in sufficient time to allow all clubs to be informed prior to the meeting.

If you wish to nominate anyone, please complete the attached form and return it to the KUGB Administrator before the 20 February.

A nomination must be agreed by the person proposed and both proposer and nominee must be present at the AGM.

The Regional Treasurer, Mary Mathie, is prepared to stand for re-election and no nominations are required for her.

The agenda and details of time and venue will follow.

Scottish Region Annual General Meeting – 22 March 2009

Please complete and return this section by 20 February to: The KUGB, PO Box 3, Wirral CH43 6XX

I wish to propose:

_____ for the position of Welsh Regional Secretary

_____ for the position of Welsh Regional Treasurer

Proposed by _____

On behalf of _____ KUGB Shotokan Karate Club

Contact Tel: _____



Southern Region Annual General Meeting – 28 March 2009

The Regional Secretary and Treasurer are elected at the Regional AGM and nominations should be received in writing in sufficient time to allow all clubs to be informed prior to the meeting.

If you wish to nominate anyone, please complete the attached form and return it to the KUGB Administrator before the 20 February.

A nomination must be agreed by the person proposed and both proposer and nominee must be present at the AGM.

The Regional Secretary and the Regional Treasurer – Dave Austin and Dave Graham respectively – are prepared to stand for re-election and no nominations are required for them.

The agenda and details of time and venue will follow.

Southern Region Annual General Meeting – 28 March 2009

Please complete and return this section by 20 February to: The KUGB, PO Box 3, Wirral CH43 6XX

I wish to propose:

_____ for the position of Southern Regional Secretary

_____ for the position of Southern Regional Treasurer

Proposed by _____

On behalf of _____ KUGB Shotokan Karate Club

Contact Tel: _____



CONFIRMATION OF COVER

This confirms the undernoted has renewed their cover for 12 months from


Karate Union of Great Britain

PUBLIC LIABILITY /MEMBER TO MEMBER

Policy Number	-	6938557
Date of Cover	-	01/01/2009
Limit of Indemnity	-	£5,000,000
Insurer	-	Royal Sun Alliance

EMPLOYERS LIABILITY

Policy Number	-	6938557
Date of Cover	-	01/01/2009
Limit of Liability	-	£10,000,000
Insurer	-	Royal Sun Alliance

Signed 

Name **Ms Alexandra Cooper Cert CII**

Date **16th January, 2009**



2009 Southern Region Championships

Saturday 21st February

K2 Leisure Centre, Pease Pottage Hill. Crawley, RH11 9BQ Tel: 01293 585300

The Championship will start at 10.00 am. The doors will be open from 9.00 am.

Forms should be returned **no later than Friday 13th February** to:

Southern Region Entries,
c/o Ivan Birch
Lusteds Cottage
Glynleigh Rd
Hankham,
Pevensey
BN24 5BJ

Spectator tickets will be available on the door, price £6.00 adults - £3.00 children (under 10).

Club instructors, coaches and secretaries, please note the following:

All entry forms must be completed **in full**.

Only currently licensed members of the KUGB will be allowed to compete. Club Instructors must ensure that licence details given on the entry forms are correct and it is imperative that competitors produce their licence to them for inspection. This will avoid the need for a licence check on the day of the competition and speed up entry to the leisure centre.

Members may only represent their own club, ie, where they train most frequently.

Gum shields and KUGB approved white mitts are compulsory for all Kumite events.

Groin guards are recommended for all Kumite events.

Breast protectors are recommended for all female Kumite events.

A competitor will be called to an area a maximum of three times, after which they may forfeit their match.

Winners should ensure that they report to the area control desk and check their name is entered correctly for the next round.

Competitors should use the designated entrance.

Please ensure that all perpetual trophies are returned on the day

Thank you for your attention. We look forward to seeing you there

The Southern Region Committee.

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SHOTOKAN KARATE

2009 KUGB Southern Region Championships

Saturday 21st February (Doors open 9.00 am for 10.00 am start) **Closing date for entries – Friday 13th February**

K2 Leisure Centre, Pease Pottage Hill. Crawley, RH11 9BQ Tel: 01293 585300

Categories

1	Male Team Kumite	6 th Kyu and above, 16 yrs min, (3+1 reserve) Maximum of 3 teams per club.
2	Male Senior Kumite 3rd Kyu & above	21 yrs and over.
3	Male Senior Kumite 6th - 4th Kyu	6 th - 4 th Kyu inclusive, 21 yrs and over.
4	Male Junior Kumite 16-17	6 th Kyu and above, 16-17 yrs inclusive.
5	Male Junior Kumite 18-20	6 th Kyu and above, 18-20 yrs inclusive.
6	Female Team Kumite	6 th Kyu and above, 16 yrs min, max 3 teams per club (3+1 reserve).
7	Female Individual Kumite	6 th Kyu and above, 16 yrs min.
8	Male Individual Kata 3rd Kyu + above	16 yrs of age min. Elimination Kata Heian 1-5. Kata of choice in finals. Kata of choice in finals must be different from elimination Kata.
9	Female Individual Kata 3rd Kyu + above	16 yrs min. Elimination Kata Heian 1-5. Kata of choice in finals. Kata of choice in finals must be different from elimination Kata.
10	Mixed Individual Kata Novice - 4th Kyu	Male and female, 16 yrs and over. Elimination Kata Heian 1-5. Kata of choice in finals.
11	Adult Team Kata	Any grade, 3 persons (male, female or mixed) max 3 teams per club, 16 yrs minimum. Elimination Kata of choice. Kata of choice in finals must be different from elimination Kata.
12	Children's Ippon Kumite	Boys and girls under 10 yrs, any grade. Aka will attack using right side with one jodan oi-tsuke, chudan oi-tsuke, chudan mae geri and chudan yoko geri. Aka will repeat attacks using left side. Shiro will then attack.
13	Boy's Kumite 10-11 yrs	10-11 yrs inclusive, under 5', 6 th kyu and above.
14	Boy's Kumite under 5'	12-15 years inclusive, under 5', 6 th kyu and above.
15	Boy's Kumite 5' to under 5'5"	12-15 yrs inclusive, 6 th kyu and above.
16	Boy's Kumite 5'5" and above	12-15 yrs inclusive, 6 th kyu and above.
17	Girl's Kumite under 5'3"	12-15 yrs inclusive, 6 th kyu and above.
18	Girl's Kumite 5'3" and above	12-15 yrs inclusive, 6 th kyu and above.
19	Children's Kata, 3rd kyu and above	Boys and girls under 16 yrs. Elimination Kata Heian 1-5. Kata of choice in final must be different from elimination Kata.
20	Children's Kata, Novice to 4th kyu	Boys and girls under 16 yrs. Elimination Kata Heian 1-5. Kata of choice in final.
21	Children's Team Kata	Boys, girls or mixed. Any grade, under 16 yrs. 3 per team. No maximum number of teams per club. Elimination Kata of choice. Kata of choice in final must be different from elimination Kata.

Fees:

Male Team Kumite - £18.00 per team
Senior Team Kata - £18.00 per team
Adult Individuals - £6.00 per person, per event
Adult Spectators - £6.00 per person

Female Team Kumite - £18.00 per team
Children's Team Kata - £18.00 per team
Child Individuals - £6.00 per child, per event
Child Spectators (under 10) - £3.00 per child



2009 Southern Region Championships Saturday 16th February

K2 Leisure Centre, Pease Pottage Hill, Crawley RH11 9BQ Tel: (01293) 585300

Checklist

Please check that:

All members have a current licence and that all licence numbers and expiry dates are given on the entry form*

A current (2009) club affiliation number is given on entry forms

All competitors are aware of the conditions of entry and have an understanding of the rules and procedures of competition

All competitors have the appropriate equipment – for example gum shields and KUGB approved mitts

All competitors or guardians see the statement regarding the risk of injury

All other members are told of the event and encouraged to attend as competitors or spectators – please ensure spectators are aware that there is an entrance fee of £6 (£3) for children under 10

IMPORTANT This information is requested in order to avoid the need for a licence check on the day of the championships and avoid unnecessary delays. However, it is imperative that you actually have **sight** of all licences to ensure that they are up to date and therefore proper insurance is in place. For this reason, the entry forms should be completed by the club secretary or instructor and **not** the competitors

Please complete and return this section with your entries by Friday 13th February

2009 Southern Region Championships

Name of Club _____ 2009 Club Affiliation No _____

Contact Name _____ Contact Tel No _____

Total Adult Individual entries at £6 per adult per category £ _____

Total Child Individual entries at £6 per child per category £ _____

Total Adult Team entries at £18 per team per category £ _____

Total Child Team Kata entries at £18 per team £ _____

Grand Total (Cheque or POs payable to 'KUGB') £ _____

I enclose (please tick): Adult Entry Form Child Entry Form Payment

Please note the correct address for return of entry forms: KUGB Southern Region Entries, c/o Ivan Birch, Lusteds Cottage, Glynleigh Rd, Hankham, Pevensey BN24 5BJ