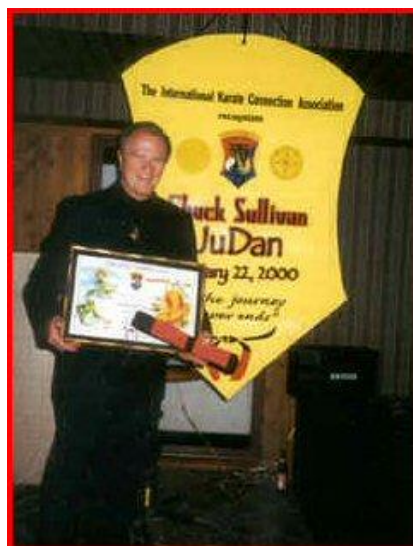


# INTERNATIONAL KARATE CONNECTION ASSOCIATION NEWS

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## TWO GREAT PARTIES



The IKCA has just had a couple of the **greatest parties** of its history, which is saying a lot because we're a partying group. First was the Judan party where the first promotion to 10th Degree Black Belt was celebrated. What a fantastic evening it was. I would like to thank everyone who attended once again. The brotherhood was running rampant that night. I got to see people I haven't seen in too long. Mr. Steve Muhammad came from Atlanta as a special treat and I was awarded the BKF Warrior Patch by Mr. Darrell Jones, the president of the BKF. He announced that this was the eleventh patch of its kind to be awarded in the thirty-one years the BKF has been in existence. What an unbelievable honor.

Then came the International Karate Connection Championships, which is really, a party to end all parties. The best parties I have ever attended have had some sort of theme or activities. In other words: party games. Well the Championships have to be the best games imaginable, the IKCA Master form, the Black Belt Triathlon and the Team Event. And what games they were!

At the First Championships, everyone who attended said it was great. We felt they were being generous. We knew where we had to make adjustments so this

year it would truly be great, and it was. This year when people told us they had a fantastic time we knew they really meant it. We have been to a ton of tournaments and this was one of the smoothest and certainly the most enjoyable we've ever attended, let alone been directly involved in. What a pleasure.

The level of competition has definitely improved from last year, as was expected. We knew that anything as revolutionary as the events for the IKCA Championships would take some time to work themselves out and actually it's happening sooner than we expected.

Last year there was a great deal of nervousness involved. It was brand new and off the wall to all of the competitors. Some handled it better than others and they usually turned out to be the winners. Those that competed last year had that experience behind them and it made it a lot easier for them this year. There were several others who didn't compete last year but had the opportunity to observe, which put them a leg up as well.

The under Black Belt divisions went off very well and while they were competing we organized the Junior Black Belt division as well as the Senior Men and Women's Black Belt divisions so the competition ran very steadily from one division to the other.

Unlike many tournaments where they are run like a Dance School Recital or a Little League Ball Game where everyone gets a ribbon, metal or trophy just for showing up, we restricted the winners Medallions to those who really win. We wanted to allow everyone there to compete but if a division was made up of only two or three contestants there was only a first place medallion awarded. If the division had four or five there was a first and second place awarded. For a first second and third place to be awarded there had to be six or more contestants.

## THE MASTER FORM

As in any competition there were some disappointments. The biggest disappointments came to those competitors who seemed to regard the Master Form as a race. They were so engrossed with the notion that they had to beat the other guy's time that they forgot that the most important element of the Master Form is ACCURACY. Every move of the system is represented in the Master Form and the accuracy of those moves is of utmost importance. Without absolute accuracy there is no meaning to the form and therefore to the system when practiced through the Master Form. Period. If there is a block, with a maneuver that's followed by several blows to various targets and those moves are not clearly defined and on target, what would the purpose be? If the hands simply wave in the general direction of the attack and the blows aren't fully developed to the location of the targets they are intended to strike, there's no purpose served at all and that was the problem some of the competitors had in trying for speed. Their moves were too foreshortened and undeveloped or were otherwise so far off target it earned them deductions they would otherwise not have gotten.

The most important thing to remember when doing the Master Form, whether it's solitary practice for yourself, doing it as part of the test for rank or in an IKCA Tournament is that you must hit all of the targets all of the time and that includes the blocking of the blows. The blocking and parrying must be done with all of the snap and conviction you would have done them with, had a real fist been flying toward your face or a real foot toward your groin.

To make it feasible for judging, the judges are to assume that all of the attackers (all fifty eight of them) are the same size of that individual competitor. That way all of the strikes can be judged reliably for all of the competitors. If you are very tall and are in the habit to shooting most of your blows at a downward angle, you will have to keep this in mind when competing. The same goes if you are of below average height and are used to shooting at an upward angle. You'll have to alter where you would be shooting, to someone your own size. It's the only way the judging can be done consistently.

As you can see, there are a few things that are a challenge to this sort of competition; things that don't otherwise come up in the normal study of the Art. But it's these kinds of challenges we find exciting. Incidentally, if you are doing this form in an Open Tournament, don't worry about those things. The judges haven't the foggiest notion where the blows belong or for that matter what you're even doing and you can get away with murder. We know people who do the form only until they get tired and then stop. They still walk away with a trophy so that might give you an inkling of what that kind of competition is all about. That's what makes the IKCA Championships such a unique event.

Here are our Master Form Winners!

Junior Black Belt

Kenny Keing, Bellflower, CA, USA – Instructor Armando Deloa

Women's Black Belt

Sandra Cadena, Falfurrias, TX, USA – Instructor Joey Cadena

Men's Black Belt

1<sup>st</sup> Place - Alan Nisberg, Tampa, FL, USA – Video Student

2<sup>nd</sup> Place – Efren Palacios, Bellflower, CA, USA – Instructor Armando Deloa

3<sup>rd</sup> Place – Joey Cadena, Falfurrias, TX, USA – Video Student

## THE TRIATHLON

Now here's a bird of a different feather. I still maintain that the IKCA Triathlon competition is the toughest of all Martial Arts competition to date. To ask what is asked of these competitors is just plain cruel. But it's the only way we know of that allows the competency of the practitioner to be judged by an absolute set of standards. It works for competition and it works in the training itself. The only downside is for those who don't have enough people to practice with on a regular basis; although, the winner of

the third place medallion in the Triathlon was Alan Nisberg of Tampa Florida. Alan is a video student who has a very small contingent of students he teaches mostly for his own enjoyment. It's a private thing, not a commercial enterprise. So, most of the time he doesn't have enough people to run a semi-circle and as you know by now that's the make-it or break-it part of the three events. Running the Line and Striking the Dummy are certainly important but it's the Semi-Circle that puts your tush on the line. Oddly enough, it's the Striking the Dummy event that landed Alan in third place, because of time. If there is a tie score, it's the amount of time you spend beating the Dummy that breaks the tie and determines the winner. However, accuracy is still more important because if one or the other of the tied contestants were to have had one less deduction, he or she would automatically have been the winner. So, think it over - remember how early in your training we stressed ACCURACY - SPEED and POWER, in that order? Well, it still goes. You can be the fastest dude in town but if you can't hit the target you're kidding yourself.

Here are our Triathlon Winners!

- 1<sup>st</sup> Place – Joey Cadena, Falfurrias, TX, USA – Video Student
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Place – Ronnie Rodriguez, Bellflower, CA, USA – Instructor Armando Deloa
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Place - Alan Nisberg, Tampa, FL, USA – Video Student

## THE TEAM EVENT

The team event was perhaps the most interesting of all. I had the pleasure of spending a large part of the evening, after the Tournament, with an old friend and Kenpo compatriot, Jack Autry and was more than pleased when he looked me in the eye and said, "I am impressed." Jack has been around for a long, long time and for him to say that with the obvious sincerity he displayed, said a lot to me.

One of the reasons for the favorable impression, I'm sure, was that he got to see something that you aren't likely to see in many other places in this world, if at all! And that something is STANDARDIZATION.

Mr. Autry is well aware of the problems concerning American Kenpo insofar as standardization is concerned. He told me that several years ago, after the untimely passing of Ed Parker he and a group of high-ranking Kenpo Black Belts tried to implement a program of standardization within the system and in his words, "it failed miserably".

The particular thing that I am referring to, concerning the standardization of IKCA Kenpo, is not only the fact that all of the students do all of the basics and techniques exactly the same and can be judged as such for competition purposes but when it came to the "Three Person Team Event" we were all blown away. What happened was that each of the three teams that were going to compete had lost, for one reason or another, a member that had been practicing with them so they each showed up with only two and were going to be unable to enter the competition. Being

the resourceful Kenpo people they are, they began talking to people they had never even met before that day and each team was able to pick up a third member. As it happens, one team picked up another local person but that person had never done the form with them. The other two teams found someone far removed from where they come from. Leonard Mushtuk from Canada teamed up with Val and Mari Holms out of Montana. Glen Lyman and Curtis Tate from Cedar City Utah teamed up with Paul Metz from Wisconsin. Ronnie Rodriguez and Efren Palacios both from Bellflower, California teamed up with Robby Barnett of Los Alamitos California. The later three know each other but Robby had never done the three-man form with Ronnie and Efren.

When the competition began it was hard to tell these teams had never worked on this exercise before that day. In fact had you been told they were doing it daily you would have believed it. In looking at the video I am still amazed at their performances. It's a shame they couldn't all have been awarded a medallion but as the judging proved, the team to beat was Ronnie, Efren and Robby who took home the "Iron".

What a fantastic job they did. You have to remember, this is a team event. Meaning that if a member of the team is not where he or she is supposed to be at a particular moment in time and with the proper attack from the proper distance, it throws the flow of the action off, if not stopping it completely, and that in itself can drop you out of the competition.

Because each one of the teams was actually a "pick-up" team" it made it an even more exciting event than it would have been had they all been highly practiced and rehearsed. What it showed of course is that the moves and the system itself are so standardized that a person unknown to you and trained hundreds or even thousands of miles from you can just drop into a complex series of moves such as those that comprise the three man form and fit in perfectly, like a piece of a jigsaw puzzle. That's one of the things Jack Autry saw and that impressed him. Hell, it impressed me and I'm getting harder and harder to do that to.

All in all the IKCA Championships 2000 were exactly what we wanted. And yet, we will strive to make it even better in the future. How we are going to do that isn't exactly clear at this point but we are thinking about next year even now. As an example, we will be experimenting with video as a method of judging the performances of our brave and resourceful competitors. We have some ideas that could make the judging easier on us and even more absolute for the competitors as well. As fine as the judging was this year, we are looking to the future and the possibility of help from the magic of video, which we already know and love.

See you at the IKCA Championships on the second Saturday of March 2001.

# Back to Louisiana!!

It seems that with all of our talking about it for the past several years, a lot of our people from right here in Southern California have decided to see for themselves what the hullabaloo is all about. We've got a heck of a group going with us to Amite this year, just for the fun of it. They can train with us here any time they want, they don't have to travel clear across the country for that, so this is just for kicks and to meet and work with their brothers and sisters down in the heart of Dixie. That, and to kick up their heels in the French Quarter on Saturday night.

Remember, Mayor Goldsby throws a party at his pool house on Friday night so get there early. Don't just roll in for the Saturday Seminar unless you absolutely have to. For the past two years the Friday night party has included an informal tournament for whoever wanted to compete. It's all for fun and we have a ball.

It's those casual Louisiana tournaments that have given us a head start on the real thing here in Long Beach. They have been a valuable learning experience for us and once again we have to thank Dr. Reggie and Mrs. Goldsby for their over-gracious hospitality and for all he has done for his brothers and sisters of the IKCA in the past. Nothing would be the same without him.

To recap, it's the Second Saturday in June, which this year falls on June 10th. If you need any information or maps give Vic a call and he'll take care of you, as usual.

We generally try to link-up with as many people as possible right at the New Orleans Airport so they can get together and chip-in on car rentals to get to Amite, then we caravan there.

Hopefully I won't be distracted by an accident at the fork in the road that goes to Button Rogue and lead a three car caravan on a wild goose chase, like I did the second time we were on that road. Very embarrassing; about forty miles of embarrassment, before I realized we were heading west instead of north. I kept thinking something was wrong but I had only been there once before and I didn't have total recall as to the lay of the land, or should I say the bayou. Now of course, it's like going home. We love being there. It's an enchanted place, the forest is so thick around Reggie's home you can't see into it, it's like a beautiful living wall of green.

As far as transportation to the French Quarter in New Orleans is concerned, Mayor Goldsby makes arraignments for a school bus and driver, or two, if we need them. There's a charge but it's reasonable and a whole lot better than a DUI. If you wish to be included in the bus ride contact Vic and he'll put you on the list.

## **THE BLACK BELTS DO IT AGAIN**

In the last issue of the Newsletter, if you recall, there was a vote put to the IKCA Black Belts. It concerned time in rank for Degrees within Black Belt.

We had received a suggestion that with the study of extra material the time between promotions for degrees might be reduced. The time factor was a year for every three subjects studied, within a two year period. The limit would be two promotions under those conditions. It was also suggested that an instructor might advance a year earlier for having a student of his or hers win the Video of the Year Award or if the student were a video student he or she might be eligible for winning it themselves.

To cut through the confusion and get right to the heart of the matter - don't worry about any of the above because the Black Belts, in their infinite wisdom voted the whole thing down. Resoundingly Down!

The votes and accompanying letters we received indicated overwhelmingly that they loved the idea of extra material and the subject matter to be offered when a student becomes a Black Belt but that material should have nothing to do with degrees of Black Belt. Again - It ain't broke - so don't fix it!

So, there it is. The Black Belts came through once more. It's difficult for us to know when a suggestion is brilliant or a bust but so far it seems the plan as first devised is alive and doing extremely well.

Please don't let the above discourage you from making your feelings and ideas known to the Association. There have been numerous proposals and recommendations on a variety of subjects that we have acted upon in the past and will in the future. It's just that when a particular suggestion appears to have the power to effect a large number of members or the Black Belts in particular we feel it only proper to give them the right to decide their own destiny in the matter.

Our great nation was founded upon the premise of the Democratic process and the' popular vote and it's worked out pretty well. So our thinking is that if it's good enough for the US of A it's good enough for the IKCA.



# PROMOTIONS



**We would like to take this opportunity to congratulate you on your promotion. We know what kind of dedication and perseverance it requires to earn rank in the Martial Arts and we wish to pay our sincerest respects to you for having shown what it takes to appear on this list.**

Ric Bobkowski	California City, CA, USA	<b>ORANGE BELT</b>
Jonathan Bai Raphael	California City, CA, USA	<b>ORANGE BELT</b>
Von Varendorff	California City, CA, USA	<b>ORANGE BELT</b>
Tim Wolf	Traverse City, MI, USA	<b>GREEN BELT</b>
Michael Sosa	Daly City, CA, USA	<b>ORANGE BELT</b>
Kevin Holman	Napa, CA, USA	<b>3<sup>rd</sup> Degree Black Belt</b>
Hugo Garcia	Long Beach, CA, USA	<b>2<sup>nd</sup> Degree Black Belt</b>
Daniel Roberts	Napa, CA, USA	<b>1<sup>st</sup> Degree Blade Belt</b>
Doug Meeks	Napa, CA, USA	<b>5<sup>th</sup> Degree Black Belt</b>
Kolby Schloesser	Napa, CA, USA	<b>PURPLE BELT</b>
Jean-Paul Zimmerman	Helena, MT, USA	<b>BLUE BELT</b>
Christopher D. Wisely	Helena, MT, USA	<b>ORANGE BELT</b>
Nicholas H. Cline	Helena, MT, USA	<b>ORANGE BELT</b>
Jason W. Squires	Helena, MT, USA	<b>ORANGE BELT</b>
Roger C. Barnett	Helena, MT, USA	<b>ORANGE BELT</b>
Levi L. Rennison	Helena, MT, USA	<b>ORANGE BELT</b>
Alexander M. Jardon	Helena, MT, USA	<b>ORANGE BELT</b>
Scott Yankey	Helena, MT, USA	<b>ORANGE BELT</b>
Keeley E. Dion	Helena, MT, USA	<b>ORANGE BELT</b>
Robert L. Bird	Helena, MT, USA	<b>BLUE BELT</b>
Kyle E. Hopkins _	Helena, MT, USA	<b>BLUE BELT</b>
Shane Younger	Helena, MT, USA	<b>BLUE BELT</b>
Alex D. Lobdell	Helena, MT, USA	<b>BLUE BELT</b>
Karen S. Midtlyng	Helena, MT, USA	<b>BLUE BELT</b>
Michelle D. Carkeek	Helena, MT, USA	<b>GREEN BELT</b>
Wayne T. Dion	Helena, MT, USA	<b>GREEN BELT</b>
Milo M. Lyon	Helena, MT, USA	<b>GREEN BELT</b>
Alexa Hater	Lompoc, CA, USA	<b>PURPLE BELT</b>
Karlee Kelley	Lompoc, CA, USA	<b>PURPLE BELT</b>
Ryan Lynch	Lompoc, CA, USA	<b>YELLOW BELT</b>
Tatiaana Wheeler	Lompoc CA, USA	<b>YELLOW BELT</b>
Jose Segovia	Oakhill, VA, USA	<b>PURPLE BELT</b>



Daniel I. Maher	Boonville, NY, USA	<b>PURPLE BELT</b>
James Folse	Montrose, AL, USA	<b>BROWN BELT</b>
Noel A. E. Hurtley	Ferndale, WA, USA	<b>YELLOW BELT</b>
Glenn Wallace	Philadelphia, PA, USA	<b>BLUE BELT</b>
James F. Seals	Georgetown, TX, USA	<b>BROWN BELT</b>
Mike Gemmell	Rossmoor, CA, USA	<b>GREEN BELT</b>
Tiffany C. Pall	Orange City, FL, USA	<b>YELLOW BELT</b>
Joseph Manluco	Vallejo, CA, USA	<b>GREEN BELT</b>
Tim Burns	Bellflower, CA, USA	<b>GREEN BELT</b>
Andrew Osnaya	Bellflower, CA, USA	<b>ORANGE BELT</b>
Brandon James	Bellflower, CA, USA	<b>YELLOW BELT</b>
Joey Cadena	Falfurrias, TX, USA	<b>2<sup>nd</sup> Degree Black Belt</b>
Charles H. Turner	Gainesville, FL, USA	<b>GREEN BELT</b>
Kevin McKenney	Rockville, MD, USA	<b>PURPLE BELT</b>
Tanner Christ	Napa, CA, USA	<b>PURPLE BELT</b>
Cierra Sciven	Napa, CA, USA	<b>YELLOW BELT</b>
Chloe Meltzer	Napa, CA, USA	<b>GREEN BELT</b>
Cody Gochenouer	Napa, CA, USA	<b>PURPLE BELT</b>
Veronica Zimmerman	Napa, CA, USA	<b>YELLOW BELT</b>
Robbie Wakerlin	Napa, CA, USA	<b>PURPLE BELT</b>
Robert P. Hampton	Phoenix, AZ, USA	<b>1<sup>st</sup> Degree Black Belt</b>
LaRanda Thomas	DeBary, FL, USA	<b>PURPLE BELT</b>
Danny Martiin	DeBary, FL, USA	<b>BLUE BELT</b>
Chelsea Bethan	DeBary, FL, USA	<b>BLUE BELT</b>
Kevin Finnerty	DeBary, FL, USA	<b>BLUE BELT</b>
Lenny Pisciotto	DeBary, FL, USA	<b>BROWN BELT</b>
Efrain Rivera Miranda	Moca, PR, USA	<b>PURPLE BELT</b>
Walt Goulden	Cumberland, RI, USA	<b>ORANGE BELT</b>
Thomas A. Claunch	Webster, TX, USA	<b>3<sup>rd</sup> Degree Black Belt</b>
Sacia Cox	Cedar City, UT, USA	<b>ORANGE BELT</b>
Lynn Lane	Vass, NC, USA	<b>GREEN BELT</b>
Ron Whipple	Lancaster, CA, USA	<b>BLUE BELT</b>
Ryan E. Rudolph	San Diego, CA, USA	<b>ORANGE BELT</b>
Joel M. Gollihur	San Diego, CA, USA	<b>PURPLE BELT</b>
Norman G. Fernandez	Woodland Hills, CA, USA	<b>ORANGE BELT</b>
Robert L Duppler	South Elgin, IL, USA	<b>BLUE BELT</b>
Nicholas Lauer	Morinville, AB, CAN	<b>ORANGE BELT</b>
John Sturgess	Morinville, AB, CAN	<b>ORANGE BELT</b>
Anthony Martin	Morinville, AB, CAN	<b>ORANGE BELT</b>
Gary Berard	Morinville, AB, CAN	<b>ORANGE BELT</b>
Kurt Elzinga	Morinville, AB, CAN	<b>ORANGE BELT</b>
Wendy Phillips	Morinville, AB, CAN	<b>ORANGE BELT</b>

Robert Neufeld	Morinville, AB, CAN	<b>ORANGE BELT</b>
Troy Baker	Snohomish, WA, USA	<b>ORANGE BELT</b>
Ken Adams	Everett, WA, USA	<b>ORANGE BELT</b>
Carl Forsberg	Everett, WA, USA	<b>PURPLE BELT</b>
Ken Adams	Everett, WA, USA	<b>PURPLE BELT</b>
Carl Ogle	Napa, CA, USA	<b>ORANGE BELT</b>
Amber Ogle	Napa, CA, USA	<b>ORANGE BELT</b>
Larry Lauer	Edmonton, AB, CAN	<b>3<sup>rd</sup> Degree Black Belt</b>
Ryan Jellison	Helena, MT, USA	<b>Jr. Black Belt</b>
Jesica Sossamon	Bellflower, CA, USA	<b>ORANGE BELT</b>
Amanda McWhorter	Bellflower, CA, USA	<b>ORANGE BELT</b>
Raul Figueroa	Bellflower, CA, USA	<b>ORANGE BELT</b>
Anthony Falls	Bellflower, CA, USA	<b>BLUE BELT</b>
George F. Lamas	Fredrick, MD, USA	<b>GREEN BELT</b>
Ron Ridley	Elk Grove, CA, USA	<b>ORANGE BELT</b>
Joy L. Newby	Spring Hill, TN, USA	<b>ORANGE BELT</b>
Sarah Cooper	Harwinton, CT, USA	<b>PURPLE BELT</b>
Michelle Herbert	Harwinton, CT, USA	<b>PURPLE BELT</b>
Lee Dumond	Harwinton, CT, USA	<b>PURPLE BELT</b>
Lee Dumond	Harwinton, CT, USA	<b>BLUE BELT</b>
Michelle Herbert	Harwinton, CT, USA	<b>BLUE BELT</b>
John J. Rojas	Torrance, CA, USA	<b>PURPLE BELT</b>
James Parson	Lompoc, CA, USA	<b>1<sup>st</sup> Degree Black Belt</b>
Rod Weible	Holt Summit, MO, USA	<b>1<sup>st</sup> Degree Black Belt</b>
Thomas Fihl	Denmark	<b>PURPLE BELT</b>
Andy Cantrell	Dacula, GA, USA	<b>BLUE BELT</b>
Ethan Wagner	California City, CA, USA	<b>ORANGE BELT</b>
Tyler O. Hamilton	Ferndale, WA, USA	<b>YELLOW BELT</b>
Andrew L. Hamilton	Ferndale, WA, USA	<b>YELLOW BELT</b>
George Bellangue	Marietta, GA, USA	<b>BLUE BELT</b>
Norman G. Fernandez	Woodland Hills, CA, USA	<b>PURPLE BELT</b>
Mike Spencer-Smith	Napa, CA, USA	<b>2<sup>nd</sup> Degree Black Belt</b>
Alan Nisberg	Tampa, FL, USA	<b>2<sup>nd</sup> Degree Black Belt</b>
Jack Parks	Long Beach, CA, USA	<b>BROWN BELT</b>
Matthew L. Gibbons	Santa Clarita, CA, USA	<b>PURPLE BELT</b>
Erica N. Roa	Santa Clarita, CA, USA	<b>BLUE BELT</b>
Erica N. Roa	Santa Clarita, CA, USA	<b>GREEN BELT</b>
Sascha C. Aquino	Santa Clarita, CA, USA	<b>BLUE BELT</b>
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Arielle N, Aquino	Santa Clarita, CA, USA	<b>BLUE BELT</b>
Arielle N. Aquino	Santa Clarita, CA, USA	<b>GREEN BELT</b>
Jared B. Bradshaw	Santa Clarita, CA, USA	<b>ORANGE BELT</b>

Marco Palacio	Santa Ana, CA, USA	<b>ORANGE BELT</b>
Trevor Seedarnee	DeBary, FL, USA	<b>Junior Black Belt</b>
Rich Smith	DeBary, FL, USA	<b>Junior Black Belt</b>
Andy Hartman	DeBary, FL, USA	<b>Junior Black Belt</b>
Mari Holms	Helena, MT, USA	<b>3<sup>rd</sup> Degree Black Belt</b>
Herman Jones	Anaheim, CA, USA	<b>1<sup>st</sup> Degree Black Belt</b>
Donald Dunlop	Pisgah, AL, USA	<b>ORANGE BELT</b>
Jimmy Dunlop	Pisgah, AL, USA	<b>YELLOW BELT</b>
Michael Dunlop	Pisgah, AL, USA	<b>YELLOW BELT</b>
CJ Mc Cray	Pisgah, AL, USA	<b>YELLOW BELT</b>
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Greg Yates	Pisgah, AL, USA	<b>BLUE BELT</b>
Tony Evers	Holts Summit, MO, USA	<b>ORANGE BELT</b>
Tim Stuart	Clifton, ME, USA	<b>GREEN BELT</b>
Kyle L'Heureux	Canada	<b>PURPLE BELT</b>
Tiffiney Clarke	Canada	<b>ORANGE BELT</b>
Robert Trujillo	Napa, CA, USA	<b>BLUE BELT</b>
Phil Alsworth	Napa, CA, USA	<b>BLUE BELT</b>
Roni Carrillo	Napa, CA, USA	<b>BLUE BELT</b>
Brandt Jorgenson	Napa, CA, USA	<b>BLUE BELT</b>
Daniel Hide	Napa, CA, USA	<b>BLUE BELT</b>
Edgar Minor	Bellflower, CA, USA	<b>PURPLE BELT</b>
Brandon James	Bellflower, CA, USA	<b>ORANGE BELT</b>
Tsan Saelee	Oakland, CA, USA	<b>ORANGE BELT</b>
Khankham Chaiyasane	Oakland, CA, USA	<b>ORANGE BELT</b>
Alan Du	Oakland, CA, USA	<b>ORANGE BELT</b>
Michael Sun	Oakland, CA, USA	<b>ORANGE BELT</b>
Koung Chaiyasane	Oakland, CA, USA	<b>ORANGE BELT</b>
Rosa Hernandez	Oakland, CA, USA	<b>ORANGE BELT</b>
Lily Diep	Oakland, CA, USA	<b>ORANGE BELT</b>
Omar Himed	Oakland, CA, USA	<b>ORANGE BELT</b>
Jian Liu	Oakland, CA, USA	<b>ORANGE BELT</b>
Jonathan Spint	Oakland, CA, USA	<b>ORANGE BELT</b>
Betty Noem	Oakland, CA, USA	<b>ORANGE BELT</b>
Coug Ho	Oakland, CA, USA	<b>ORANGE BELT</b>
Nick Yang	Oakland, CA, USA	<b>ORANGE BELT</b>
Rany Ath	Oakland, CA, USA	<b>ORANGE BELT</b>
Tong Mo	Oakland, CA, USA	<b>ORANGE BELT</b>
Fahm Saelee	Oakland, CA, USA	<b>ORANGE BELT</b>
Khern Saelee	Oakland, CA, USA	<b>ORANGE BELT</b>
Alice Tran	Oakland, CA, USA	<b>ORANGE BELT</b>

Jenny Young	Oakland, CA, USA	ORANGE BELT
Thomas Campuzano	Oakland, CA, USA	ORANGE BELT
Kimsal Chea	Oakland, CA, USA	ORANGE BELT
Lemar Grey	Oakland, CA, USA	ORANGE BELT
Richard Ortega	Oakland, CA, USA	ORANGE BELT
Kevin Chen	Oakland, CA, USA	ORANGE BELT
Charles To	Oakland, CA, USA	ORANGE BELT
Steven Ha	Oakland, CA, USA	ORANGE BELT
Nancy Loac	Oakland, CA, USA	ORANGE BELT
Ming I uyen	Oakland, CA, USA	ORANGE BELT
Daniel Magana	Oakland, CA, USA	ORANGE BELT
Anthony Phung	Oakland, CA, USA	ORANGE BELT
Venus Lieu	Oakland, CA, USA	ORANGE BELT
Ming Lim	Oakland, CA, USA	ORANGE BELT
Fatima Mendoza	Oakland, CA, USA	ORANGE BELT
Van Coong	Oakland, CA, USA	ORANGE BELT
Nia Saechao	Oakland, CA, USA	ORANGE BELT
Nancy Saelee	Oakland, CA, USA	ORANGE BELT
Thu Tang	Oakland, CA, USA	ORANGE BELT
Linh Truong	Oakland, CA, USA	ORANGE BELT
Susan Song	Oakland, CA, USA	ORANGE BELT
Susana Wu	Oakland, CA, USA	ORANGE BELT
Jason Smith	DeBary, FL, USA	2 <sup>nd</sup> Degree Black Belt
Megan Joyce	DeBary, FL, USA	1 <sup>st</sup> Degree Black Belt
Robby Novak	DeBary, FL, USA	1 <sup>st</sup> Degree Black Belt
Lenny Pisciotto	DeBary, FL, USA	1 <sup>st</sup> Degree Black Belt
Brent Harper	Grand Terrace, CA, USA	2 <sup>nd</sup> Degree Black Belt
Steven W. Mosley	Gainesville, GA, USA	1 <sup>st</sup> Degree Black Belt
Rod Larson	Rapid City, SD, USA	1 <sup>st</sup> Degree Black Belt
Keri Jo Allbritton	Scottsboro, AL, USA	ORANGE BELT
Shauna Albritton	Scottsboro, AL, USA	YELLOW BELT
Lisa Tolliver	Scottsboro, AL, USA	ORANGE BELT
Donald Dunlop	Scottsboro, AL, USA	PURPLE BELT
David Watson	Scottsboro, AL, USA	PURPLE BELT
Jonathan I	Scottsboro, AL, USA	PURPLE BELT
Michael Dung	Scottsboro, AL, USA	PURPLE BELT
Jimmy Cosby	Scottsboro, AL, USA	PURPLE BELT
Anthony Falls	Bellflower, CA, USA	GREEN BELT
Archie Thompson	Bellflower, CA, USA	GREEN BELT
Ivan Godinez	Bellflower, CA, USA	PURPLE BELT
Sergio Herrera	Bellflower, CA, USA	GREEN BELT
David Allred	Gravois Mills, MO, USA	ORANGE BELT

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Froilan Robles  
Jesse Loback  
Gregory Gaver  
Kevin Lloyd  
Juan Carlos Freanceschi  
Tony Evers  
Donato Disciscio  
Jimmy Vuong  
Pauline Vuong  
Rudy Corrales  
Edgar Minor  
Roland Culhno  
Michael Perez  
Gaston Ragazzo  
Christiaan Berulfo  
Nick Capenhurst  
Arthur Emboido  
Armando Ocsona  
Christian Santos  
Darrell Madarang  
Alvin Peralta  
Eldwin Yballa  
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Kristy Crosier

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Wyomissing, PA, USA  
Morinville, AB, CAN  
Sunnyside, NY, USA  
Holt Summit, MO, USA  
Australia  
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San Bernadino, CA, USA  
Bellflower, CA, USA  
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