



# **GMA news**

## **Aug 2003**

### **Upcoming schedule of events:**

The fall brings quite a bit of activity for us. Not everything is completely planned, so please refer to the website and school postings for continually updated listings. Here is what we know so far though:

Testings: TKD testing will be Friday, Aug 22 at 5:00 pm at GMA-martinsville.  
TKD testing in Sept will be Sat, Sept 20<sup>th</sup> in Louisville. Black belt testing also this day.  
Hapkido testing will be Friday Aug 29 at 6:30 pm.  
Dragons testing (spencer school) will be Sat Aug 30 at 10:00 am  
Dragons testing (martinsville school) will be Sat. Sept 13<sup>th</sup> at 10:00 am

### Seminars and Special Events:

Tai Chi push-hands seminar with legendary Dr. Tao-- Bloomington Aug 9-10.  
FAST Defense Children's class: Sept 13<sup>th</sup>. 2:00 pm  
Martinsville Fall Foliage Parade—Oct 12<sup>th</sup>  
USHF Fall Seminar—Bloomington Oct 18<sup>th</sup>.  
Game night and School Clean up (see below)

### Tentative Dates:

DPU Horangi Cup tournament—Oct 11<sup>th</sup>.  
Chin-na workshop at DPU—Nov 8-9

*Things to watch for:* TKD tournaments in Bedford and St. Louis in October.  
Project Action Kick-a-thon  
Staff form workshop  
Japanese Restoration Therapy (massage) workshop.

Also look for demo team practices in Sept and Oct leading up to the Fall Foliage festival.

### **TKD and Hapkido Students Invited to Fun and Games Night**

Following testing and classes on Friday Aug 22<sup>nd</sup>, the Martinsville school will be hosting a game-night and pizza party. It is a chance for our students to enjoy fellowship, play games, watch movies, etc. Parents may enjoy more adult conversation while playing cards in the adjacent areas. The event will run from approximately 8-12 pm. Cost is 5 bucks to cover the cost of pizza. Please sign up in advance so we can estimate numbers.

### **School Clean up Needs Your Help**

Ok, spring cleaning is coming a little late this year. The school is in need of a thorough scrubbing, painting, and overall touch up. We also have a few projects we would like to accomplish. As you can tell from the calendar, we don't really have a lot of time to do these projects, so we are asking for everyone's help. We will have a clean up on Saturday morning, Aug 23<sup>rd</sup>. We appreciate any time that you can spare to help keep our facility the premier martial arts school in the area.

### **Leadership team lock-in**

Following the game night, leadership team will be having a lock-in. We will be having a leadership training session before the clean up on Sat.

**DPU Clubs Start back up Wed. Aug 27. Looking forward to seeing everyone again.**