



GMA News April 2010

Lots of Good News

Congrats to our many major promotions and other news in March:

- HKD: 2nd degree to Rob Snyder
- LD graduates: Karissa Pope
- TKD black belts: Mr. Richie Long, Miss Rebekah Wiley, Mr. Timothy Thomas, Miss Sarah Smith, Miss Morgan Williams, Miss Sarah Kush, and Miss Liz Stannard.
- Mr. Yoshida's commercial for the Hoosier Lottery has begun airing. He will autograph scratch off tickets if you want him to ☺
- Doug Sparks—King of Rock Light Heavyweight Champ—MMA in Jamaica

Upcoming events:

April 10 th	TTCA Black belt ceremony, Louisville 1:00 pm
April 10 th	Demo team 9:00-10:30
April 10 th	Black belt breaking free practice 10:30-12:00
April 16 th	Parents committee meeting 5:30
April 17 th	GMA Public Grand Opening 10:00-1:00
April 17 th	Black belt reunion and banquet 6:00
April 24 th	FAST Adult Basics 9:00-12:30
April 24 th	Stickfighting 1:30-4:00
May 1 st	Chin-na seminar at DPU 12:00-5:00
May 7 th	Tentative date for TTCA testing
May 8 th	TKD black belt class and stripe test 9:00-11:00
May 8 th	HKD black belt test 1:00-4:00 ?
May 15 th	Tentative date of annual break-a-thon and annual picnic.

GMA Wishes a Happy Birthday to:

Mr. Noah Wilson	4-1	Sabrina Chouinard	4-10	Haley Sieg	4-23
Ethan Minton	4-5	Vince Kreipke	4-11	Megan Gens	4-23
Silas McFarland	4-6	Olivia Poster	4-11	Richard Conner	4-27
Joe Compton	4-8	Mr. Todd Miller	4-18	Mr. Caleb Shotts	4-27
Dalton Leitz	4-8	Wes Weakley	4-18	Cathy Petraits	4-27
Logan Lamar	4-9	Christopher Mosby	4-21		

Training Anniversaries

Alex Hermann (TKD 6 yrs)	Kathryn Goodin (TKD 3 yrs)	Morgan Williams (BJJ 1 yr)
Liam Kidwell (HKD 5 yrs)	John Mosby (TKD 3 yrs)	Melissa Lane (TCC 1 yr)
Dan Wiggins (BJJ 4 yrs)	Finnegan Vandewalle (LD 2 yrs)	Mike Taylor (TKD 1 yr)
Trae Brouse (TKD 5 yrs)	Elijah Roberson (LD, TKD 2 yrs)	Taylor Payne (TKD 1 yr)
Sabrina Chouinard (TKD 4 yrs)	Eliza Vandewalle (LD 2 yrs)	Jonny Harmon (TKD 1 yr)

Quotes of the Week

Mat chats this month will focus around the two major events of BB testing and tournaments—lessons learned in both victory and defeat, and looking forward.

Class Room and Time Changes

To accommodate the demand and popularity of Zumba classes, we will be adjusting our schedule slightly. Wed night BJJ classes will be moving up a half hour to 6:30-7:30. HKD classes will meet in the hardwood room on Mon/Wed nights at their regular times.



Summer day-camp dates are set

Some people have been asking about this year's date of our popular day-camps. More details will follow, but we wanted to announce the dates so people can start planning for our intensive training camps. Pre-registration discounts apply.

HKD day-camps: June 14-18, July 19-23; TKD day-camps: July 12-16, Aug 9-13; Lil dragons camp will be June 28-29

IU Friendship tournament results

DPU competed at the IU invitational against IU and Purdue University. Congrats to these champions:

Avery Archer, 1st forms Candy Liu, 1st forms and 1st sparring Steffan Freed 1st forms

TTCA Tournament Results

Congrats and thanks to everyone who competed at the tournament. Demo team had a great performance. The dance was a lot of fun. Overall, we had 50 competitors take home 43 medals (19 in forms, 24 in sparring). We are proud of the entire Team Gentry, but here is a list of our competitors who placed: We apologize for any mistakes, please let us know about any mistakes or omissions.

Luke Wilson	3 rd forms, 2 nd sparring	Annabelle Cleary	4 th forms
Christian Marion	1 st sparring	Elijah Roberson	2 nd sparring, 4 th forms
Trinity Britton	1 st sparring	Jake Waltz	1 st forms
Richie Long	3 rd sparring	Sarah Smith	1 st sparring, 2 nd forms
Mya Freed	2 nd sparring, 3 rd forms	Timothy Thomas	3 rd sparring
Dominic Tejera	4 th sparring	Carl Underwood	3 rd sparring
Rebekah Wiley	1 st sparring, 1 st forms	Brandi Ireland	2 nd forms
Erica Honaker	1 st sparring	Jared Hamilton	4 th forms
Greg Hamilton	4 th forms	Alex Hamilton	3 rd forms
Jon Speer	2 nd sparring, 2 nd forms	Ethan Minton	3 rd sparring
Malana Harmon	2 nd sparring	Jonny Harmon	4 th sparring
Ethan Rupert	2 nd forms	Zach Rupert	4 th sparring
Morgan Williams	2 nd sparring	Noah Wilson	2 nd sparring, 1 st forms
Haley Sieg	2 nd sparring, 2 nd forms	Liz Stannard	2 nd sparring, 2 nd forms
Kathryn Goodin	2 nd forms	Luke Goodin	2 nd sparring
Raven Shotts	2 nd sparring, 2 nd forms	Marc Shotts	4 th sparring, 3 rd forms

Ego Results

Congrats to everyone who competed in the BJJ tournament. As with TKD, we apologize for any mistakes or omissions.

Doug Bailey 1st and 3rd places Brandon Mason 1st Marshall Leitz 1st

A reminder/clarification about classes:

A reminder about our class make up policy: While the basic program is twice a week, we are happy to provide more classes than that to give you flexibility to come to various nights as needed, and also as a means to make up absences. If you have been absent for some reason, you are welcome to come to other classes beyond your regular two nights, such as Friday evenings, to make up the classes still owed to you.

Banquet--Help Spread the word

We are looking forward to our black belt reunion and banquet on April 17th. Along with the catered meal, we look forward to everyone sharing their favorite stories or even roasting Mr. Miller and Mr. Sieg a little. We are trying to make sure all our old black belts know about it, but please help spread the word. RSVPs must be done by the 13th.