

Fall 2009

KARATE NEWS



Mark your calendar now for the 2012 celebrations. The 50th Anniversary of Master Ueshiro arriving in the United States.

A word from Hanshi

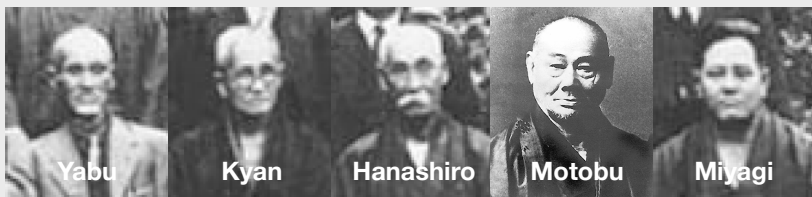
Congratulations to all who tested worldwide & those who showed up to lend support.

Today, right now is the moment to prepare for your next rank, to work towards "mastery of self and to foster courage through the ecstasy of sweating in hard work in our dojo(s) where the human spirit is polished" - a quote from Master Nagamine.

We thank the Shihan for keeping our dojo doors open. Much gratitude to the Sensei, Sempai and training partners for assisting.

We appreciate our family members - husbands, wives, parents, etc. - for their continued encouragement, making karate possible for us.

Sincerely,
Hanshi Robert Scaglione



Ueshiro Midtown Karate Dojo

Onegai shimasu, Hanshi, Kyoshi, Sensei and Deshi world-wide, These past six months have been a truly rewarding time at the Midtown Karate Dojo. It seems that as economic and personal challenges become greater, our students only become stronger – both on the deck and off. I've also witnessed first hand through weekly conferences with Hanshi, Kyoshi Seeger, Kyoshi Baker and various Shihan/Club Directors a renewed commitment to preserving the core precepts of Shorin-Ryu Karate, as established by Grand Master Ansei Ueshiro over 45 years ago. As Hanshi wisely reminds us, *propagating* the art of karate-do can only happen if we succeed in *preserving* it first.

The following topics and events highlight our effort to continue the line.

Guest Instructor classes

Sensei Carmelo Aleman, Shihan of the Ueshiro Poinciana Karate Club in Florida, visited our dojo and offered a Guest Instructor class on Wednesday, April 8. It was a honor to have Sensei back in New York, the origin of his karate roots. This is an open invitation

for any and all visiting black belts to host a class at the Hombu Dojo. Topics may range from kata to bunkai to pre-arranged fighting – share your area of expertise.

April katathons and tip test

The Midtown Dojo held a tip test April 22 in celebration of Grand Master Ansei Ueshiro's birthday. The following deshi advanced in rank:

Promoted to Ro-Kyu

- Daniel Vich
- Joëlle Ramson
- Wilson Perez (High School for Leadership and Public Service Karate Club)

Promoted to Go-Kyu

- Alejandro Vich
- Vinay Mahajan

Congratulations on your hard-earned tips. Domo arigato to the board of judges, Sensei (plural) Gamiel Ramson, Rob Neff and Richard Vachino for helping to keep the standards high. There was also a large representation of all ranks who lent support and performed kata with great enthusiasm.



Sept. 11
Memorial
Workout

Hombu



Ueshiro Midtown Karate Dojo

Kyoshi Michael Mackay,
Shihan
St Bartholomew's Church
Athletic Center
109 E 50th Street
New York, NY 10022
(212) 909-6440

Katathons were held all week in honor of Grand Master Ueshiro. Since the Midtown Dojo does not use katathons to raise funds for a local cause, many deshi supported the Cocoa Beach school in its fundraiser to benefit the St. Jude Children's Research Hospital.

Special visit/class from Hanshi

Hanshi Robert Scaglione travelled to New York and conducted a special class on Saturday, May 9 at the Hombu Dojo. It was truly an honor having Hanshi's input and energy on our deck. Domo arigato gozaimasu, Hanshi, for sharing your time and wisdom with us.

Roslyn tip test

On Tuesday, May 19, Mr. John Draghi and I attended the Ueshiro Roslyn Karate Club's first tip test. Sensei Boris Grossman set his usual high standard for discipline and respect and the candidates delivered huge spirit (and devastating front snap kicks).

Harlem health fair

On Thursday, May 21, the Hombu dojo was invited to give two seminars at a health fair in Harlem sponsored by CityYear, a community service organization. The fair, held at Public School 182, targeted elementary school students at risk for obesity or diabetes. Domo arigato to Sensei Shelly Melton and Sensei Rob Neff for their excellent research and input re: the role exercise – especially kata – can play in improving the lives of these children.

Sensei Garcia memorial workout

On Saturday, June 13, the Midtown Dojo held a workout marking the one year anniversary of Sensei Eddie Garcia's passing. The group assembled on the lower East Side (where Sensei fought many pre-karate battles) and trained in front of the East River Amphitheatre. Domo arigato to Kyoshi David Baker for assisting with the workout. We were also joined by Mr. Robin Islam from Philadelphia.

Captain Islam has returned from an extended Army tour during Operation Desert Storm. We are trying to lure him back to the Hombu dojo as a regular student.

June green tip test

Congratulations to the students who moved forward at the June 16th green tip test:

Promoted to Yon-Kyu
Placido Hernandez

Promoted to Go-Kyu
Kai Pascuali
Victoria Baughman

This group of candidates submitted particularly thoughtful essays, demonstrating once again that the pen can be as mighty (if not mightier) than the sword. Domo arigato to Sensei Larry Link, Sensei Rob Neff and Mr. Adams for judging the test, and to the deshi who demonstrated great focus in the workout before and the demonstrations after.

Special July classes

- The Midtown Dojo was the site of several summer school workshops during July as Sensei Rob Neff brought in students from the High School for Leadership & Public Service. Sensei Richard Vachino presided over the classes and Ms. Kristen Dominguer assisted.

- Sensei Kevin Reymond kicked off the July 4th weekend by holding the Friday morning class at Pier 54 in lower Manhattan on July 3.

- Starting July 1 we added a Friday noon class to the schedule conducted by Sensei Richard Vachino. The class, which ran through the end of August, was oriented towards families that train together.

Sherwood Island Beach workout

On July 19 approximately forty students stormed the beaches of Long Island Sound for our traditional Sherwood Island workout.

Congratulations to all the deshi for showing great fortitude, especially with the tough gravel down by the water's edge. The stoicism of the white belts and white-stripe students was particularly inspiring.

An extra "Domo arigato gozaimasu" to the black belts and students who joined us from other dojo and clubs: Pelham Manor, Palisades, Northfield, Rockland County, High School for Leadership & Public Service, and Easton. Your presence always brings a refreshing diversity to such events, and it is a pleasure to meet new deshi from other locations.

Finally, a most enthusiastic "Thank you!" to Sensei Adam Dunsby and family for hosting the after-workout picnic and pool party at their beautiful Easton home. It was a wonderful way to recuperate from the morning's marathon.

August promotion

The Ueshiro Midtown Dojo held its August promotion on Sunday, August 9 at the St. Barts Athletic Center. A tip test was conducted in the Karate Studio while the full belt promotion took place in the main gymnasium. After much sweat and vigor (interspersed with joy), the determined group of candidates received the following promotions in rank:

Promoted to Go-kyu
Joëlle Ramson
Shawn Nemoto
Placido Hernandez
Art Forne (Easton Karate Club)

Promoted to Yon-Kyu
Lawrence Saikin

Promoted to San-kyu
Muhammad Jalloh
Robert Bandel
Colin Tennyson (To-Te Karate Club)

Promoted to Ni-kyu
Ibrahima Jalloh

Promoted to Ik-kyu
Candace Morgan
Michael Gallagher

Congratulations to the candidates and domo arigato to all the deshi who contributed in multiple ways to making the event a success. I would especially like to acknowledge the strong support of the black belts who served as judges, instructors and role models throughout the day. As mentioned at the test, the black belts are here to help bring each and every student up through the ranks. They have much to offer -- do not let their experience go to waste.

Domo arigato to our many visitors, particularly the club directors who made the trek to Park Avenue:

- Sensei Preston Powell,
To-Te Karate Club
- Sensei Boris Grossman, Roslyn High School Karate Club
- Sensei Robert Neff, High School for Leadership Karate Club
- Sensei Adam Dunsby, Easton Karate Club (represented by Frank Mowka)

The Hombu Dojo has been very fortunate in receiving USRKUSA travelers from around the world. Now is the time to return the favor by venturing out with gi and obi in hand. (See, also, [Gallery: Karate-Go.](#))

Visitors from Israel

Two students from the Hertzlia Ueshiro Dojo in Israel, Sharon Engel and Amiad Raz, made a point of looking us up while passing through New York. Although their visits were short, their enthusiasm and eagerness to learn left a lasting mark on those they trained with. Domo arigato to Sensei Neff for his extra measure of support and to Sensei Nir Zamir for nudging his students our way.

Trip to Virginia for workout and promotions

A small but enthusiastic contingent of Midtown students travelled to the Washington, DC, area on August 22 for high-level training and testing conducted by Hanshi. Domo arigato to Mr. Ron Ballin and Sam Suzuki for making the trip, and congratulations to former Midtown Sho-Dan Shabbir

Kazmi on his promotion to Ni-Dan. Sensei Sal Scaglione and Sensei Joe Knight of the Ueshiro Northern VA Karate Club provided great hospitality, and Hanshi gave us more "sugar" in the six-hour workout/test than one could possibly absorb in a year.

Web site

Photographs of these and other Midtown Dojo events are available at: [Gallery](#)

Influx of new white belts

Perhaps the greatest milestone between these newsletters is the corp of new white belts who have just taken the first step in joining our dojo. The Midtown Karate Dojo has enjoyed a fresh group of highly diversified new students, even as we celebrate the prior group of beginners moving on to receive their green tips.

Future events

As the cooler weather approaches, we look forward to a final sweat-soaked workout in Central Park to commemorate the spirit of endurance shown by New Yorkers during the September 11 attacks. The event, now in its eighth year, will be held Sunday, September 13 with Sensei Steve Lott and myself presiding.

• The Hombu Dojo is proud to host the annual system-wide black belt workout, review and dinner, scheduled for Saturday and Sunday, December 5 and 6. Directed by Hanshi Robert Scaglione, this event will be the climax of a very full and exciting year. We look forward to receiving a great many visitors from around the world.

Students of every rank are invited to train with us here in the heart of Manhattan.

Domo arigato gozaimasu, Hanshi, for not only continuing the line as laid down by Grand Master Ueshiro, but for actually strengthening it. Kyoshi Michael Mackay, Shihan



Class schedule

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun
--	7:45 – 8:30am	--	7:45 – 8:30am	7:45 – 8:30am	10:45 – 11:45am	11:00 am - 12:00 noon
12:00 – 1:00pm		12:00 – 1:00pm	1:15 - 2:00pm	--	12:00 – 1:00pm	
5:30 – 7:00pm	5:30 – 7:00pm	5:30 – 7:00pm**	5:30 – 7:00pm*	5:30 – 7:00pm	--	
--	7:15 – 8:45pm				--	

* Black belt class – first Thursday of each month.

** Green belt emphasis – third Wednesday of each month

Ueshiro Bushi Dojo

Greetings USRKUSA Family.

We have had a wonderful summer at the Bushi Dojo. Many highlights - but certainly at the top was a vigorous visit from Sensei Barnes, bringing a renewed spirit which inspired a total overhaul of the dojo! Newly appointed Co-Shihan Sensei Pell led the summer Dojo clean up, which consisted of painting floor and ceilings, new floors, along with a total clean up of every inch of the Dojo.

Sensei Barnes was also able to participate in the August promotion in Virginia. And - stay tuned for an East Coast Poconos road trip in October led by Sensei Barnes!

One of our students - Natalie Farrey Ni-Kyu, has returned to training with us and participated in our Summer Beach Workout. We also had a Black Belt test for several of our Deshi.

I would like to congratulate the following students on their new rank: Mark Tongret - promoted to San-Dan Rebecca Scott - promoted to San-Dan Haven Pell - promoted to San-Dan

I would also like to congratulate

Sensei Pell on becoming co-Shihan of the Dojo. He has put in a great deal of effort in the past years keeping the Dojo running and has made a lot of contribution of time and money to keep us open.

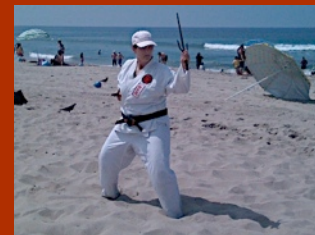
This summer we had additional classes. Saturdays morning the Dojo trained on the beach (led by Mr. Tongret). Tuesday mornings Sensei Brophy led a class on the bluffs overlooking the ocean. We expect to continue with these additional classes during the Fall.

We were sorry to see Sempai Mark Zeizel move back East, but we wish him well at his new job (keep training Mark!).

We welcome visitors - so please come and see us!

Barnes Sensei, Denshi/Shihan, Roku-Dan
Brophy Sensei, Shihan Yon-Dan
Pell Sensei, Shihan, San-Dan

California



Ueshiro Bushi Dojo

Denshi Chris Barnes,
Shihan, Roku-Dan
(310) 393-6686 (home)
Sensei Karen Brophy,
Co-Shihan
(917) 353-0935 (home)
Sensei Haven Pell,
Co-Shihan
716 Colorado Ave.
Santa Monica CA 90401

Easton Connecticut Ueshiro Shorin-Ryu Karate Club

Onegai shimasu Hanshi,

The Easton Club continues to train hard and grow. Over the past six months we have kept up our travels, attending the advanced weapons workshop, Sherwood Island Beach workout, and the NYC promotions.

Arigato,
Sensei Adam Dunsby, Shihan, San-Dan

traditional Okinawan karate-do with our morning pre-work classes. We also celebrate the transplant of one of our karateka, Ryan Fitzgerald, having left the Connecticut area for college in State College, Pennsylvania. Thank you Sensei Kaplan for warmly receiving our student.

Our club has gotten significantly smaller in the wake of lay-offs, as we are all employees of financial corporation facing difficult times. We do look forward to recruiting more students and increasing the energy on the deck. We wish all of our karateka brethren the best of training! See you on the deck!

Domo arigato,
Sensei Keith Eng, Shihan, San-Dan

Wilton Connecticut Ueshiro Shorin-Ryu Karate Club

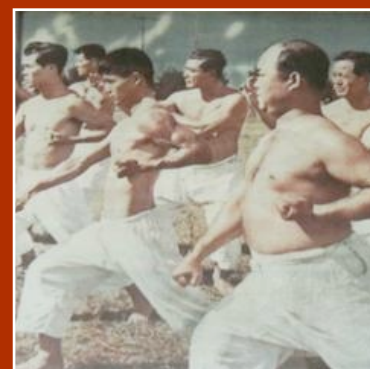
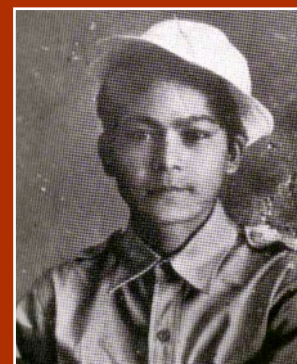
Onegai-shimasu Hanshi, Kyoshi, Sensei, Sempai and Deshi,

Our small group continues to train at the Wilton, CT club housed in our company's gym. We have continued through the summer and move forward. Our goal is to continue to preserve and ensure the vitality of

Class Schedule	
Monday	7:15 AM
Wednesday	7:15 AM



Connecticut



Easton Connecticut Ueshiro Shorin-Ryu Karate Club
Shihan Adam Dunsby,
San-Dan
(203) 292-3692 (home)
Easton, CT 06612

Wilton Connecticut Ueshiro Shorin-Ryu Karate Club
Shihan Keith Eng, San-Dan
(203) 221 4810 (work)
50 Danbury Road
Wilton, CT 06897-4444

Ueshiro Cocoa Shorin-Ryu Karate Dojo

Onegai – Shimasu Hanshi, Kyoshi,
Sensei and SRKUSA Deshi,

Ueshiro Cocoa Shorin-Ryu Karate
Dojo continues to move forward under
the guidance of Hanshi Robert
Scaglione in Brevard County, Florida.

This summer the Cocoa Deshi have
trained with diligence and energy
leaving much “sweat on the deck”.
We currently conduct three classes
each week for all ranks including
adults and children with the follow
schedule:

Monday and Wednesday

– 7:00 PM to 8:30 PM

Saturday – 10:00 AM to 11:30 AM

The Cocoa Dojo class location is the
YMCA Cocoa Family Center located
on the Brevard Community College
Campus in Cocoa, Florida.

The previous 6 months have been very
busy with four tests conducted which
culminated in the joint Florida Dojo
combined testing on August 16, 2009
at Hanshi’s Dojo located in the Viera
Parks and Recreation Complex in
Viera, Florida.

April 25, 2009

Promoted to Ro-Kyu: Luke Reed,
Jarren Lewis, Peter Haddad,
Andrew Haddad, Dennis Flynn,
Matt Reed, Steve Murdick

Promoted to Go-Kyu: Jacob White

June 20, 2009

Promoted to one green stripe:

Eric Reed

Promoted to two green stripes:

Levi Robison

Promoted to Go-Kyu: Luke Reed,

Peter Haddad, Andrew Haddad,

Dennis Flynn and Matt Reed

August 1, 2009

The Ueshiro Shorin Ryu Karate USA
Florida Schools met on August 1st for
a Dan level workout conducted by
Hanshi Robert Scaglione. The class
was held at the Ueshiro Cocoa Shorin-
Ryu Karate Dojo from 10:00 AM until
3:00 PM and was a memorable event
where Hanshi Scaglione provided

detailed guidance regarding
technique and kata. Extensive
training on all basic techniques was
provided along with practice of all
19 kata, weapons kata, and
Yakusoku Kumite.

Congratulations to Ms Kathleen
Lemire who tested and was promoted
to the rank of Sho-Dan following the
class.

Class participants included:

Hanshi Robert Scaglione, Ju-Dan

Sensei David Tamir, Go-Dan

Sensei Des Chaskelson, Yon-Dan

Sensei Ron Marchetti, San-Dan

Sensei Connie Rutkowski, San-Dan

Sempai Carla Eddy, Ni-Dan

Sempai Joe Motro, Sho-Dan

Sempai Pat Marchetti, Sho-Dan

Sempai DJ Johnson, Sho-Dan

Sempai Kathleen Lemire, Sho-Dan

August 16, 2009

The Ueshiro Cocoa Karate Dojo Deshi
joined the other Florida SRKUSA
schools for a joint test and class on
August 16 for an event that lasted for
6 hours and included many kata, kyu
level tests with multiple boards of
judges and demonstrations. The
Ueshiro Cocoa Dojo participants in
this event included:

Promoted to Ro-Kyu: Dakota Flynn,

Bronte Mayhew, and Levi Robison

Promoted to Yon-Kyu: Jacob White,

Luke Reed, Dennis Flynn and

Matt Reed

Promoted to San-Kyu: Travis Culp

Promoted to Ni-Kyu: Dakota Lora,

Taran Birdsall

Florida



April 25 White Belt Promotion



August 1 Dan level workout

Ueshiro Cocoa Shorin-Ryu Karate Dojo

Shihan Ronald A Marchetti,
(321) 452-9135 (cell)

Located at the Cocoa YMCA
Family Center, attached to
Brevard Community College
1519 Clearlake Rd., Bldg. 18
Cocoa, Florida 32922
(321) 433-7770

Cocoa Beach Ueshiro Shorin-Ryu Karate Dojo

Cocoa Beach has had a busy summer with belt testing, fundraising karate self defense seminars and kata-thon for St Jude's Children's Cancer Research Hospital, and kyu rank testing and demos at Hanshi's Viera Dojo.

As always we thank Hanshi Scaglione for his tireless leadership and support!

Congratulations to the following deshi who received promotions since the last newsletter:

Green Stripes: Kelly Dunn; Bryce Grant, Aiden Adams; Katie Brewer, and Levi Mutter.

Ro-Kyu (one green tip): Kelly Dunn; Ivan Hidalgo; Ken Shellman, Alex Henry; Natalie Lyons; Alec Diamond; Corey Boyer

Go Kyu (two green tips): Ben Gaffney

Yellow Belt: Nicholas Davidson; David Bondi

Yon-Kyu (Green Belt): Jamieson Dettmer

San-Kyu (Brown Tips): Logan Clifton

Ik-Kyu (Black Tips): Wade Parker

The fundraising karate self defense seminars and kata-thon for St. Jude's Children's Cancer Research Hospital raised over \$5,800 and resulted in several new students signing up as a result of the seminars and some

positive press coverage for Ueshiro Shorin-Ryu. The kata-thon was well attended by all Brevard deshi – most stayed for the “half-marathon” (50 kata) and 24 deshi finished the “Full marathon” of 100 kata in the time of 3 hours and 14 minutes (all 19 kata were included in the full kata-thon).

We continue to train hard and prepare for the upcoming white belt and kyu-rank testing.

Arigato,
Sensei Des Chaskelson,
Shihan

May 15, 2009:
Kata-thon for
St Jude's Children's
Cancer Research
Hospital at Cocoa
Beach



Florida



August 2009: Sensei Chaskelson and Sempai Joe Motro perform demo at Hanshi's Viera Dojo Kyu-rank testing



May 12, 2009: Self Defense Seminar for St Jude's Children's Cancer Research Hospital at Cocoa Beach



April 2009: Cocoa Beach White Belt Testing

Cocoa Beach Ueshiro Shorin-Ryu Karate Dojo
Shihan Des Chaskelson
(321) 693-7831
Cocoa Beach Rec Center
321 Ramp Road
(S 5th St. - S 6th St., off A1A)
Cocoa Beach, FL 32931

Ueshiro Poinciana Karate Club

Onegai shimasu Hanshi, Kyoshi, Sensei, Senpai and fellow deshi, First and foremost the Ueshiro Poinciana Dojo in Osceola County would like to offer Sensei Sal and his bride our warmest wishes on their recent nuptials. May you both have a life time of good health, happiness and great joy!

Recent dojo news!

Ichi

The Ueshiro Poinciana Dojo recent schedule change:

Sun	4:15PM
Tue	7:15PM
Wed	4:15PM
Thur	7:15PM

Visiting deshi should call ahead of time. Also they should let their Shihan know they will be visiting.

All current members of Ueshiro Shorin-Ryu Karate USA are more than welcome!

Ni

On Aug. 25, 2009 here at the Ueshiro Poinciana Dojo we had a mile stone event. We had our very first deshi promoted to the rank of Ni-kyu!

Our solid belt promotion was high lighted by visiting Sensei David Tamir Godan, Shihan, Ueshiro Suntree YMCA Dojo who lead us through a vigorous training session. Followed by a traditional belt promotion test, breaking, yakusoku kumite, empty hand kata and weapons demonstration!

Visiting deshi from the Brevard County's Ueshiro Suntree YMCA Dojo included Mark Quirion who tested and was promoted to Ro-kyu and Steve Quirion Ni-kyu who did not test but trained and lend his support!

Ueshiro Poinciana Dojo deshi who tested and were promoted: Camilio Rivera Yon-kyu Jamel Aici Ni-kyu

Also present but did not test was Brian Ospina Shichi-kyu, our newest deshi!

A special domo arigato gozaimasu to Hanshi Robert Scaglione for his guidance and sharing of his infinite wisdom.

Domo arigato gozaimasu, Sensei Carmelo Alemán, Shihan

Florida



August 25, 2009 Belt Promotion

Ueshiro Poinciana Karate Club

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Viera/Palm Bay Ueshiro Shorin-Ryu Karate Clubs (Dojo) of Florida

We celebrate upcoming two year anniversary at Viera.

We began the Palm Bay location in August 2009.

Thank you all Florida Shihan, Sensei, Sempai & Deshi for your continued support.

On August 16, 2009 the Florida Groups Kyu level tests drew over 100 people in gi(s) and over 60 people tested at our Viera Center.

Sincerely,
Hanshi Robert Scaglione,
Shihan
Viera & Palm Bay locations



Sensei Des Chaskelson executes cement block break with Sempai Joe Motro wielding sledge hammer



August 16, 2009
Joanna Cohen, San-Kyu from Suntree breaking boards

Ueshiro Viera Shorin-Ryu Karate Dojo

Hanshi Robert Scaglione,
Shihan/Director
(321) 433-1533
Located at the corner of Judge Fran Jamieson Way and Lake Andrew Drive Viera, FL 32940

Ueshiro NW Palm Bay Shorin-Ryu Karate Dojo

Hanshi Robert Scaglione,
Shihan/Director
(321) 433-1533

Located at the Ted Whitlock Community Center at Palm Bay Regional Park 370 Championship Circle NW Palm Bay, FL 32907

Tropical Elementary School 885 South Courtenay Parkway Merritt Island, FL 32952

August 16, 2009
Florida Groups Kyu Level Tests at Viera location



Ueshiro Suntree YMCA Karate Dojo

Greetings from Ueshiro Suntree YMCA Karate Dojo in Melbourne Florida,

We continue moving forward with our training as we celebrate this September our 3rd anniversary since opening our dojo at the Suntree YMCA location. Our weekly schedule of classes is as follows:

- Sundays 11:00 AM
- Mondays 7:45 PM
- Wednesday 7:45 PM
- Friday 6:00 AM and 4:00 PM (2 classes)

Last month we participated in a large joint testing and demonstrations event involving our half dozen local Brevard county schools, under the direction of Hanshi Robert Scaglione. During this event 12 of our deshi from the Suntree Dojo were promoted. We also visited and supported the testing at Sensei Carmelo Aleman's Dojo in Poinciana Kissimmee Florida, where another one of our deshi was promoted. After 3 years of hard work, we now have built a cadre of 5 Ni-Kyu (Brown Belts), half a dozen San-Kyu (Brown Tips and

Orange Belts), and various other upcoming ranks including about half a dozen beginners.

We continue to receive regular visitors from our other nearby sister dojo[s] such as Viera, Cocoa, Cocoa Beach, Titusville, and Merritt Island. We are looking forward to meet and train with the newest local addition to Ueshiro Shorin-Ryu Karate USA from Palm Bay. Moreover, we were fortunate to have Sempai Bob Dobrow, Shihan of the Northfield Minnesota Karate Club, visit us recently as guest instructor for our Sunday class.

We look forward to supporting upcoming special karate events such as next month's Get Active Brevard, where our various local karate schools will assemble at an annual county event promoting healthy exercise. We will have an outdoor booth to recruit new students and a full day of training and demonstrations near our booth and on a pavilion stage. Our local schools combined will be donating over \$2,500

in free one month karate classes. We also look forward to having some of our sempai visit our New York based Kyoshi[s] and respective dojo[s] this coming early December, including the annual Black Belt workout and dinner.

Domo Arigato to Hanshi and the Kyoshi[s] for their ongoing teachings, guidance and support.

Best Regards,
Tamir Sensei, Shihan/Godan

Florida



Ueshiro Suntree Shorin-Ryu Karate Dojo
Shihan David Tamir
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Located at the Suntree YMCA
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Suite 114
Melbourne, FL 32940

Ueshiro Merritt Island Karate Club

Onegai-Shimasu Hanshi, Kyoshi, Sensei and all Deshi,

The Ueshiro Merritt Island Karate Club is entering it's third year as a member of the Ueshiro Shorin-Ryu Karate USA family. We continue to call Tropical Elementary home.

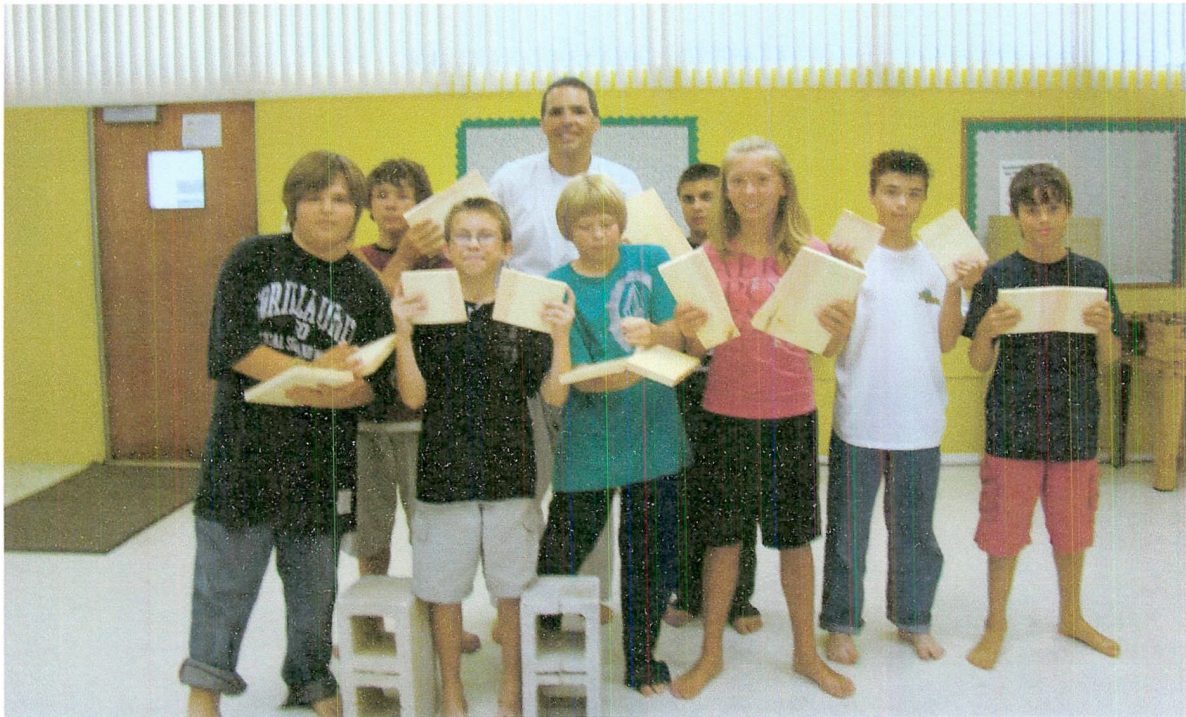
Sign-up is occurring right now with classes beginning the first week of September. I anticipate we will have four or five holdovers from last year and several new children that will be introduced to karate for the first time. Classes will be conducted every Tuesday and Friday from 3:30pm to 4:00pm. The Friday's class will continue to be geared for "advanced students" and Sensei Connie Rutkowski has graciously agreed to teach this class.



In May our students were invited to perform a demonstration at Tropical Elementary's Light's Out program. The students did the basics, performed kata and then demonstrated yakusoku kumite. Each one showed great spirit with no butterflies despite a crowded auditorium.

I was invited by the school to participate in their mini-mesters program. Graduating 6th graders were given the opportunity to pick from a list of classes which introduce them to a skill or vocation outside the regular school curriculum. These three hour classes were spread over the course of three weeks.

While the students didn't become karate experts, there is no question that they left with something - more self-confidence, the knowledge to defend themselves or even a new friend.



Domo Arigato Hanshi for your advice and suggestions as to the most effective way of teaching karate to elementary school age children.

Domo Arigato Sensei Connie Rutkowski for agreeing to teach the Friday afternoon advanced class.

Arigato to Sempai Kevin Tezel Ni-Kyu for serving as an assistant instructor.

Domo Arigato Gozaimasu,
Tezel Sensei
Shihan, San-Dan
Ueshiro Merritt Island Shorin-Ryu Karate Dojo

Ueshiro Titusville Shorin-Ryu Karate Dojo

Onegai-Shimasu Hanshi, Kyoshi, Sensei and all Deshi,

The Ueshiro Titusville Shorin-Ryu Karate Dojo continues to move forward. On April 22 we held our inaugural tip test and promoted eight students to the rank of RoKyu.



The club held another tip test on June 19. Here we promoted nine students to the rank of RoKyu and four students to the rank of Go-Kyu.



Titusville was well represented at the combined testing of all six Florida schools on August 16. This was a fantastic event lasting from 10am to 3:30pm filled with training, promotions and demonstrations. Eleven Titusville students were among the 60 students receiving a new rank.

Domo Arigato to Hanshi Robert Scaglione for continuing to raise the bar through example. Instead of resting on his considerable laurels he has opened yet another school - this time in Palm Bay. Congratulations Hanshi!

Arigato to Sempai Trevor Tezel Sho-Dan, Kevin Tezel Ni-Kyu and Clay Tezel Orange Belt for all of their help and patience in teaching the 4:30pm to 5:00pm four to seven year old children's class.

Domo Arigato Gozaimasu,
Tezel Sensei
Shihan, San-Dan
Ueshiro Titusville Shorin-Ryu Karate Dojo



Hawaii

Ueshiro Hawaii Karate Dojo

Aloha All from Hawaii,

We continue to train hard and move forward with tons of energy and big spirit. We recently redesigned our web site; so please make visit to see all the latest that is going on here in Hawaii.

We are still in the process of adding more content, but are extremely excited to move forward with a new feel for 2009 going into 2010.

Any new students interests in joining the Ueshiro Karate Dojo can now reach us at info@uhkdojo.com

We were very fortunate to have beautiful weather here in Oahu this summer. We invite anyone traveling to our area in Oahu to stop by and train. We are always very excited to have visitors drop by and train with us.

May we all continue to move forward and train hard. Domo Arigato to Hanshi for continuing to guide us as we train traditional Okinawan Matsubayashi Shorin Ryu Karate.

Aloha From all of us at the Ueshiro Hawaii Karate Dojo,
Sensei Lorenzo Aguon



Ueshiro Hawaii Karate Dojo

Massachusetts

Boston Chinatown Ueshiro Shorin-Ryu Karate Club

Onegai-shimasu Hanshi, Kyoshi, Sensei and fellow Deshi.

We are moving forward. We continue to train at the Wang YMCA of Chinatown, 8 Oak Street West, Boston MA. Classes are on Monday and Wednesday nights at 7:30pm and Sundays at 12:30pm. The YMCA is near downtown Boston. We are honored when visitors train with us. If you may be able to do so, please let me know.

We held a tip test in August.

Domo arigato gozaimasu to Hanshi for leading us down the Path that Grandmaster Ueshiro laid out for us.

Domo arigato to Mr. Keith Burrows, Sho-Dan, for calling the test and to all of our kyu ranks who came to train and support the candidate, even though they were not testing.

Congratulations to Keith Chan who was promoted to Rokyu and a reminder that we only earn our present rank when we reach our next one, or in other words . . .

Keep Training.

Domo arigato gozaimasu to all, Emiliano Mazlen, San-Dan



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Northampton Ueshiro Pine Forest Karate Dojo

Onegai shimasu Hanshi, Kyoshi, Sensei, Sempai and all Deshi!

Members of the Northampton Ueshiro dojo were honored to attend the Bunkai, Breaking & Brunch event hosted by Kyoshi David Seeger at the Ueshiro Pine Forest Karate School in Palisades, NY on 26 April 2009. In attendance were Sensei Daniel Gobillot, yon-dan and Shihan, Mr. Steve Parsons, ni-dan, Dr. Nancy Owen, sho-dan, and Ralph Miller, white belt. All attending found the event to be stimulating and rewarding. Domo arigato Kyoshi for your instruction and hospitality!

April 2009: New windows for the dojo

New windows were installed at our dojo in April, a milestone event. For years we have had to staple plastic sheeting to the window frames to keep out the cold winter winds. Later, Mr. Parsons made plexiglass frames that could be fitted more easily to the windows, and these were put up each winter – a big improvement for which we have been very grateful to

Mr. Parsons. Now we have new, energy-efficient windows with screens, and expect to be very snug this winter. An artist from a neighboring studio in our building snapped the picture below, during the installation process.

A visit to Spain

Mr. Steve Parsons and Ms. Cathie Parsons traveled to Spain in June to attend the wedding of former PFK deshi Angela Pozo (PFK 2006-2008) and Andy Wright (2007). You may have met the pair at the 45th anniversary celebration in Washington, DC where they tested for Yon-Kyu (Angela) and Go-Kyu (Andy). The newlyweds will reside in England, where they have taken up kick-boxing.

Outdoor Workout

Our dojo held a workout in front of the Florence Civic Center on 15 August 2009. It was a beautiful day and we had many spectators. Many thanks to Ms. Tracey Magdalene (Ik-Kyu) for organising this, and to Tom Marcus (Ik-Kyu) and son Derek (Sho-

Massachusetts



August 15, 2009
Outdoor workout at Florence Civic Center
Photo by Cathie Parsons



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Outdoor workout at Florence Civic Center
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Northampton Ueshiro Pine Forest Karate Dojo

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Dan) for creating a beautiful eye-catching sign to help promote the event. Another outdoor workout will be held on 11 September at 6 pm, at First Churches in downtown Northampton.

Wedding Bells in September

Sensei Jean Gobillot and Mr. Per Brandin will marry on 12 September 2009 in Charlemont, MA. Sensei Jean has been practicing Ueshiro Shorin-Ryu karate for 11 years and continues to be a profound inspiration on our deck. Mr. Brandin has practiced tai chi for 30 years. The pair will live in Shelburne Falls. Congratulations and many happy years to you both!

New Deshi

We have welcomed six new deshi to the deck in the last few weeks thanks largely to the recruitment efforts of Dr. Nancy Owen and Ms. Tracey Magdalene. Arigato Sempai! We also are happy to welcome Mr. Kenneth Mannin back to Pine Forest Karate Dojo after an extended visit to his native France.

Domo arigato gozaimasu Hanshi, Kyoshi, Sensei, Sempai, and all fellow Deshi for your motivating spirit, for continuing to support all of us in our training and helping us to move forward in the martial way.

Respectfully submitted,
Mary McKitrick, Ni-Dan

Ueshiro Shorin-Ryu Karate Club of Northfield, Minnesota

Onegai-shimasu Master Ueshiro, Hanshi, Kyoshis Mackay, Baker and Seeger, Sensei, Sempai, and Deshi.

"To teach kata is to learn kata," and from that maxim applied to life, an unbroken cultural chain is created and sustained." – Hanshi Robert Scaglione, from the Introduction to the "Red Book".

Weekly Classes

Monday and Wednesday
– 6:45 - 8 pm
Saturday - 10 - 11 am

Webpage

<http://northfieldkarate.wordpress.com>

With much gratitude,
Shihan Bob Dobrow, Sho-Dan

Minnesota



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The High School for Leadership & Public Service Ueshiro Karate Club

Onegai Shimasu Hanshi, Kyoshi, Sensei, Sempai, and fellow Deshi,

The High School for Leadership & Public Service Ueshiro Karate Club has been on summer break for the past two months. As always I encouraged my students to continue their training during the summer months and not let their kata get "cold." This school year's club schedule is still up in the air. School begins on September 9th.

Over the summer I taught summer school for the first time and brought three different groups of students to our Hombu Dojo, Ueshiro Midtown Karate Dojo. Approximately 40 students were exposed to Shorin-Ryu Karate through these classes. A special thank you should be noted to both Kyoshi Mackay for welcoming us into his dojo and to Sensei Richard Vachino for leading those classes. My students really seemed to enjoy the classes and new experience. They showed a tremendous amount of interest as could be seen through their numerous and thoughtful questions. I am hopeful that I may have gained a few new members to our club through those trips.

On Friday, June 5th our club was part of a school-wide Spring Arts Festival held for the first time. This will be an annual event we look forward to participating in. My students show incredible focus and spirit. Thank you to Kyoshi Baker for coming to support us that day.

Once our schedule is finalized for the fall I will let you all know. If you wish to join my students and I for a workout just let me know ahead of time so I can give our security your name.

Thank you to Master Ueshiro for putting us on this wonderful path and to Hanshi Scaglione for keeping us on it.

Domo Arigato Gozaimasu,
Robert Neff, San-Dan

New York



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Ueshiro Pine Forest Karate School

We would like to thank the 40 Ueshiro Shorin-ryu Members who joined us for Spring 09 Bunkai Breaking & Brunch.

You are all invited back for a free workshop:

Fall Kick Off 09 – “unlocking the devastating power of the kick”

Sunday October 4, 10-1pm, Palisades

Congratulations to our new kyu level family

Brian Heese - Ni-kyu

Zack Heese - Ni-kyu

Kieran Heese- San-kyu

Brian Heese - Ni-kyu

Palisades Class Times

Wed. 7-8:30pm

Sun. 10-12pm

Kyoshi

Ueshiro Pelham Manor Dojo

The Ueshiro Pelham Manor Dojo has been re-invigorated by members of the Palisades dojo under the direction of Kyoshi Seeger.

Training re-commenced in November 2008 at the request of Hanshi and Barbara Nichuals, the widow of Sensei Dan Nichuals.

A spirited training class takes place on Tuesdays from 7:30-8:30pm. The class focuses on the Pinan and Fukyugata katas, reflecting the abilities and training level of the students. Classes are small; usually 5 students attend each class. This allows for personalized instruction and intense focus.

Barbara Nichuals routinely stops by to observe class and commented that she is very excited that we have "once again breathed life into Danny's Dojo."

“Special Thanks to all those teachers and students who train both Pelham and Palisades.”

Pelham Class Time

Tuesday 7:30-8:30pm

Kyoshi



New York



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Okinawan Karate Club

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Pelham Manor, NY 10803

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To-te Ueshiro Karate Dojo

Onegai shimasu, Hanshi, Kyoshi, Sensei, Sempai & Deshi - Greetings All

Another year has excelled us forward, as we step closer to the 50th Anniversary celebration.

I give thanks to Master Ansei Ueshiro for taking that first step on American soil in 1962.

Thank you Hanshi for moving us all forward and never allowing us to forget our Shorin-Ryu past and it's rich history.

2009 Summer Promotion

The results of our 2009 Summer Promotion held August 31st at the Hook Mountain Beach, Nyack, NY.

I'd like to congratulate the following students that tested and received the next rank:

- Colin Tennyson - San-Kyu
- Steven Martinez - San-Kyu
- Gemini Watanabe - San-Kyu

To-te Ueshiro Dojo Training Schedule at the Nyack YMCA, 35 S. Broadway, Nyack, NY.

Monday, Wednesday & Friday (Adults) Noon - 1PM
 Sunday, Family Karate Sunday's (Children & Adults) 2PM - 3PM

I look forward to training with all of you Worldwide and please join us in Nyack anytime.

Respectfully,
 Arigato,
 Sensei Preston Powell



New York



"Karate training creates pathways toward family unity at the Y every Sunday 2-3pm."



August 31, 2009
Belt Promotion,
Hook Mountain Beach, NY

To-te Ueshiro Karate Dojo
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 35 South Broadway
 Nyack, NY 10960
 (Rockland County)

**Ueshiro Okinawan Karate
Family Club**

This is the time of year when State College, Pennsylvania bristles with new life. Beyond the accelerated foliage and animal life activity, we are in the crest of the wave of returning Penn State University students.

At our karate club, we now have 2 new black belts: Lynn Pellas, who tested in Northern Virginia on August 22, 2009, and Michael Ma, who took and passed his "make-up" test in State College on September 7, 2009.

We also have 12 additional students who recently earned new rank. Here are the results from the karate test we conducted on August 30, 2009:

Go-Kyu (2 green tips):

- Hesu Chen and Jeffrey Huang
- Ling-Mei and Wen Jun Leng
- Silu Shen

Yon-kyu (Green belt):

- Ryan Fitzgerald

Ni-kyu (Brown belt):

- Lisa Mensinger and Brian (took make-up test on September 6th)

Ik-kyu (Black tips):

- Patrick Zhao
- Noah Kaplan
- Lihong Huang
- Lie-Ken Lee

We're also happy to announce that Ryan Fitzgerald, a Freshman at Penn State University, comes to us directly from Connecticut, where he trained with Sempai Keith Eng. A big arigato to Sempai Eng for bringing us our first "implant" student.

On September 10, we bid a bon voyage to Sho-Dan Ruilong Ma who left to attend Northwestern University in Chicago. We're sure he'll do us all proud.

We continue to hold two classes a week – on Sundays (5:00 – 7:00 pm) and Thursdays (6:00 – 7:30 pm) – at the Mt. Nittany Institute of Natural Health, 301 Shiloh Road State College, PA 16801. Everyone is invited. We'll keep a candle lit in anticipation of visiting students.

Domo Arigato Gozaimasu,
Matt Kaplan, Roku-Dan



Pennsylvania



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Ueshiro East Meets West Karate Club of Northern Virginia

Onegaishimasu Hanshi, Kyoshi, Sensei, and all of the hard training Deshi of Ueshiro Shorin Ryu Karate USA.

This summer, the Ueshiro Shorin-Ryu Virginia Karate Club deshi continued to move forward both on and off the deck. Our belt promotion was conducted on August 22nd in combination with deshi from Pennsylvania. Hanshi provided a great training day with guests led by Kyoshi Mackay of Hombu Dojo, Sensei Matt Kaplan of State College, PA and Sensei Chris Barnes of Scranton, PA. The workout was invigorating and the promotion that followed was a tremendous learning experience for all involved.

The thunder and lightning that was occurring outside the Dojo was no match for the enthusiasm and energy on the deck thanks to Hanshi's urging of us to get lower, punch faster, and kick higher. Congratulations to the following Deshi who moved forward in rank on Saturday:
Sensei Lisa Markowitz, SanDan, NoVA
Mr. Shabbir Kazmi, NiDan, NoVA
Mr. Sean Paus, NiDan, NoVA
Mr. Jim Davis, ShoDan, NoVA
Ms. Lynn Pellas, ShoDan, State College

Mr. Jonah Markowitz, IkKyu
Mr. Joshua Paus, NiKyu
Ms. Lauren Paus, GoKyu

Special thanks as well to the many members of all the Dojo who were in attendance offering support and encouragement throughout the day. The Virginia club was honored to be able to host this event and look forward to many more visits from Deshi system-wide.

The day concluded with a celebration of Sensei Kaplan's birthday and many words of wisdom led by Hanshi and Kyoshi Mackay. This celebration will continue on thru the Fall as the Northeast Ueshiro Karate Tour continues including the Annual Black Belt workout in New York City. More information will follow as the schedules are set for each workout.

We continued the celebration the following week, when Sensei Sal and Rebecca Lynn Damico were married on August 29th, in a beautiful outdoor ceremony in Leesburg, Virginia. Please join us in congratulating Sal and Rebecca, and wishing them a "Happy Ever After".

Domo Arigato
Sensei Joe Knight



August 22 Belt Promotion

Virginia



August 22, 2009
Belt Promotion



August 29, 2009
Rebecca Damico and Sensei Sal wed

Ueshiro East Meets West Karate Club of Northern Virginia

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Hong Kong Ueshiro Karate Club

Onegai-shimasu Hanshi, Kyoshi, Sensei, Sempai and Deshi,

Shorin-Ryu karate moved forward in many ways during the past season in Hong Kong.

We received a much anticipated visit from Kaplan Sensei and his family during June 2009. Training during the week provided a great opportunity for deshi in Hong Kong to get feedback from Kaplan Sensei, domo arigato Sensei! The final event was a classic four hour session with testing. In attendance, we had almost every deshi in Hong Kong as well as friends and family observing. As we started with the traditional warm up and then moved on through basic techniques and kata, the spirit of everyone on the deck fused together, providing more spirit for everyone to go even further. For the tests, the board of judges consisted of Kaplan Sensei, Lai Sensei, Wong Sensei and Sempai Kleusch.

Successful deshi receiving promotions:

Rayvel Tan promoted to Ni-Kyu
Linus Chin promoted to Go-Kyu
Elvis Lau promoted to Go-Kyu

Domo arigato to Sensei, Sempai, deshi and all supporters that attended this great session!

In addition to karate, the Kaplan family had the opportunity to experience Hong Kong in all five senses: delicious smells and tastes from food that included traditional Cantonese, Buddhist and Okinawan cuisine, bright lights in the skyline, bustling sounds nearly everywhere and the deft touch of a foot massage.

Domo arigato Master Ueshiro and Hanshi for preserving the legacy of Shorin-Ryu karate to make such an occasion possible! Domo arigato Kaplan Sensei and all of the Kaplan family for making the journey once again to Hong Kong, we are humbled



Hong Kong



Hong Kong Ueshiro Karate Club

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Hong Kong Ueshiro Karate Club

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and invigorated! Domo arigato to Sensei, Sempai and all deshi in Hong Kong who put in extra time and effort during the visit! We continue to have an open invitation for everyone and are always grateful to receive visitors both for the opportunity to train karate and to let you experience Hong Kong in all five senses!

Another very important event occurred with the creation of a second Shorin-Ryu Karate USA club in Hong Kong in July 2009. Sempai Kleusch received permission from Hanshi and approval from Kaplan Sensei, Lai Sensei and Wong Sensei to move forward with a new club in Hong Kong called: "Ueshiro Okinawan Karate Club".

The new club has already started adding deshi into the system and all deshi from both clubs have been encouraged to train with one another when possible.

Finally, we continued to move forward with the August 2009 promotion test. We had one deshi testing on this occasion but there was a large turnout for the session and plenty of spirit during both testing and the rest of the training. The board of judges consisted of Lai Sensei, Wong Sensei and Sempai Kleusch.

Successful deshi receiving promotions:

Janet Hsiao promoted to Yon-Kyu

Domo arigato to Sensei, Sempai, and all deshi that attended!

Those were some of the special events of the season in addition to the ongoing training, where we continue to see good progress among all deshi and a steady influx of new members.

Domo arigato Master Ueshiro, Hanshi, Kyoshi, Sensei, Sempai and all deshi for maintaining the traditional art of Shorin-Ryu karate.

Ueshiro Okinawan Karate Club

Onegaishimasu Hanshi, Kyoshi, Sensei, Sempai and Deshi

We have a new club in Hong Kong. Sponsored by Kaplan Sensei, Sempai Kleusch has opened the "Ueshiro Okinawan Karate Club". We have three new students, Kelvin Lee, Andy Lam and Oscar Lee.

Classes are:

Wednesday: 4:30pm - 5:30pm
in Hong Kong Park at the
Tai Chi Garden.

Friday: 4:30pm - 5:30pm in Tung
Chung on the planet Jupiter (ha-ha,
it's a tile mosaic at Coastal Skyline.)

Saturday: 5:00pm - 6:30pm in Hong
Kong Park at the Tai Chi Garden.

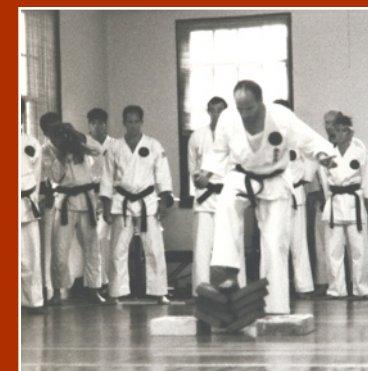
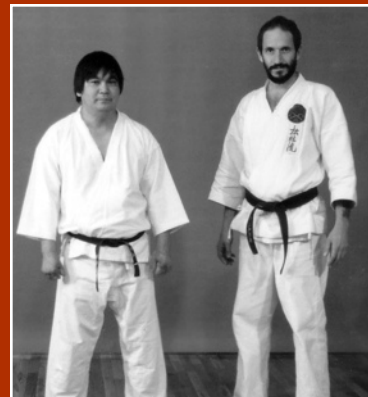
We have lots of support from Sensei Lai and his organization, the Ueshiro Hong Kong Karate Club, to help us move forward in Hong Kong.

During Kaplan Sensei's recent visit, The Ueshiro Okinawan Karate Club was honored to have Kaplan Sensei conduct our Friday Tung Chung Class. Many of the Ueshiro Hong Kong Karate Club members also attended. Arigato Sensei!

We welcome and look forward to any future visits from Shorin Ryu Karate USA members, and we are humbled to be allowed to propagate the art of Shorin Ryu Karate.

Arigato Hanshi, Kyoshi, Sensei, Sempai and Deshi,
Sempai Kleusch

Hong Kong



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Herzlia Ueshiro Dojo and Eilat Ueshiro Dojo

We are planning a promotion event toward the end of September, and will send an update following it. The last promotion event we had was hosted by Dadon Sensei in Eilat, and this time the Herzlia Dojo will host Sensei Dadon and his Deshi, and we appreciate their effort to be in Herzlia for that special training and test session.

Recently two of our Deshi, Ms. Sharon Engel and Mr. Raz Amiad, had an opportunity to train with Kyoshi Mackay and the New York City Dojo, and we are all grateful and appreciative of the hospitality in which they have been received, and the knowledge they have been able to bring back to us, like a breath of fresh air. We look forward to being able to host our SRKUSA colleagues from around the world in Israel, any time.

Arigato,
Nir Zamir & Shlomo Dadon

Israel



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Domo arigato gozaimasu

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