



January Newsletter 2020

**Happy New Year – Child Safety
Midlands Champs – Awards Night – Changing Subs – Winter Ware**

Happy New Year

Hopefully you've all had an excellent break, not eaten too much & was spoilt rotten. So now the xmas break is over & its back to work with a full on exciting program ahead of us. We start the New Year with our first Comp in Kettering at the end of the month, see news letter for details. The Stamford class is now up and running at its new venue, St Gilberts School, Foundry Rd, Stamford 6pm-7pm all grades welcome.

Don't Forget to use drivers entrance & January is FREE to any friends & family that would like to give it a go.

Midlands Championships

Arena Sports Centre, Thurston Drive, Kettering NN15 6PB

Saturday 25th Jan 2020 Doors open 9am starts 9.30am.

Entry forms out now, ask your Instructor.

Officials we need you too.

Closing date for comp is Wednesday 15th January

Please visit annabelmurcott.com for all info or see your instructor

Awards Night 2019

Well done to all those that were successful on gaining your award. They are not just given out willy nilly, you earned it so be proud of it. Thanks to all that supported it & had a great time as always.

Slightly disappointed that this year, for the first time, we did make it clear to keep costs down on hall hire, you couldn't bring your own alcohol, however at the end of the night when cleaning up, along with the staff we found empty beer cans, the result was we then had to pay extra for the bar!! We always pride ourselves

Save Money

Please Do Not Forget to alter your Standing orders by £1 per paying student In January,
A £5 admin charge will apply as from Feb if we have to remind you.

Child Safety

Parents last year we had several incidents where children had been told to meet you outside or in the car park & some parents have been over 15 minutes late, these are primary school age children, so not teenagers, luckily either our selves or adult students have spotted the situation and stayed with them. We do appreciate as parents you have other siblings to taxi around etc, however if you are late picking your child up, the knock on effect can cause us a great deal of problems, as we also have a tight schedule to get to the next class.

So could we please remind you to make sure your child is aware NOT to go outside the hall until you are there to pick them up. Please do not drop off your child in the car park & let them go in on their own, sometimes Instructors get delayed between classes & are not in the hall. If you are late please call Annabel or Dale their numbers are on the bottom. Yes we do have your number however many times it's a home number and you may be on the way with a mobile Number we haven't got.

Entering the halls

Please **DO NOT enter the halls** until the Instructor or senior adult Black Belt arrives, no one is insured to be in the hall until the Instructor is there.

January Class Changes

**Friday 17th Jan Bourne Westfield 6-7pm only
Please make up any lost time at a class of your choice.**

Winter training ware Please

No T-shirts, Doboks only please, also juniors bring a coat to go home in.

Club T shirts may be worn at sparring stamina classes



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