

# **January Newsletter 2018**

Welcome Back – Student of the Year Dropping Off – Stamford Class

#### **Welcome Back**

This year could be our biggest and best yet, we have a very full on and exciting year ahead. Some of the classes will be re structured to allow us to step up the fitness & self defense side of TKD as well as maintain the syllabus for Gradings. We will also be opening a few more clubs along the way. All we ask is that you read the news letters and keep up to date with everything that will be going on. If you are just joining us, then welcome to the journey in Tae Kwon Do, we know everyone will be making you feel welcome and remember we are all hear to help each other.

#### **STUDENT OF THE YEAR & AWARDS NIGHT**

This is the highlight of the year, from White to Black Belt you are all in with a chance. These Awards go to the student that has either shown dedication or followed the tenets of TKD & never given in, so open to all of you.

Each year we alternate between December & January to allow you to attend other events outside TKD. So this year its on Saturday the 13<sup>th</sup> Jan at the Bourne Academy (Grading Hall) doors open at 7.30pm NO TICKETS ON THE DOOR so please get them in advance from your Instructor. The dress code is smart NO JEANS OR TRAINERS etc. ALL children must be accompanied & you may bring your own food and drink. We have an excellent Disco that will be making sure that everyone has a good time. Parents and other family members more than welcome.

#### Dropping off & picking up your Children

Parents 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. Also please do not drop off your child in the car park & let them go in on there own, sometimes Instructors get delayed between classes & are not in the hall. We are aware that in winter time you get delayed in traffic etc, however if you don't pick your children up on time the Instructor may be late for the next class.

## Stamford Class, Next Comp & getting ready for the World Champs in 2018

### THIS SATURDAY THE 13<sup>TH</sup> JAN STAMFORD CLASS 12.30-1.30 DUE TO SCHOOL FUNCTION

As from Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> Jan, the Stamford class will be from 11.30am – 1pm All those wishing to improve your stamina & sparring for the competitions ahead, then we advice you attend this class, the class will be split in two, one end of the hall will be dedicated to sparring, stamina & fitness, the other end will be technical covering all normal Grading & patterns syllabus. So something for everyone of all ages and Grades, any Instructors wishing to come along and help out that would be gratefully appreciated. We will still cover all aspects of training in every other class, however not all classes will have the right mix of students to allow you the best sparring partner for your division.

Anyone wishing to attend the **WORLD CHAMPS** in July, you must have competed in at least two other comps prior to the World Champs, also Annabel will be taking some students squad training, these will be chosen from the Saturday class.

The first comp of the year will be at Kettering on the 4<sup>th</sup> of Feb **THE MIDLANDS CHAMPIONSHIPS** closing date for entries is Tuesday the 23<sup>rd</sup> of Jan NO exceptions.



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