



## E- Newsletter

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To all Students and Parents of Choi Kwang Do.

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### Welcome

Hi everyone, welcome back to our latest newsletter. It has been a busy month for us with lots of new members as well our largest belt test and presentation.

The year has flown by so fast and our Choi family is every expanding so a special welcome to all our new members.

October is another big month with the draw for the Romp Freestyle BMX and Tony Hawk signature helmet as well as our instructor training workshop and of course Halloween. This was our largest event last year and is sure to be huge this year. All ages welcome and details inside.





## **Birthdays**

Happy birthday in October to: Colin, Jennifer, Ben, Daniel A, Caleb and Luke. Have an awesome day.

## **Special Congratulations**

### **New Black Belts**

Well done to Lee and Gavin who achieved IL Dan Black Belt in September. Thanks to Lee R and Carl for helping during testing.



### **New Black Belt Club Members**

Welcome to Stephanie, Jade and Cameron who have become the latest Black Belt Club members.

### **Belt Testing in August**

Congratulations to the following who sat their belt test in September: White Senior – Ian, Robert, Richard, Yasmine, Taylor, Dylan, Nigel, Esme, Lee R, Hayley, Jen, Hetty, Yellow - Samuel, Max, Damon, Jordon, Roger, Ben, Yellow Senior – Danielle, Gold – Cameron, Julie, Mark, Hamish, Gold Senior – Alan, Orange – Teresa, Jade, Orange Senior – Stephanie, Caleb, Kathryn, Green – Jacob, Samuel, Fohe, Green Senior - MacKenzy, Stanley, Kevin, Luke, Stacey, IL Dan Black Belt – Lee, Gavin.

## **Important Dates and Activities**

- Monday 13 October – Belt Testing (Red Stripe)
- Saturday 18 October – Instructor training (Swat, Storm, Al's and Head instructors)
- Saturday 25 October – Prize Draw for Freestyle BMX and Tony Hawk Helmet
- Monday 27 October – No classes Labour Weekend
- Friday 31 October – Halloween 5.30pm to 7pm
- Monday 10 November – Belt Testing (Black Stripe)
- Monday 8 December – Belt Testing (Red Stripe)
- Saturday 6 December – Browns Bay Christmas Parade and XFest from 10am.
- Saturday 20 December – Special Christmas Class
- Wednesday 24 December – Last Class for the Year
- Monday 12 January – First Class for the Year, all classes operate as usual
- Monday 19 January – Belt Testing (Black Stripe)

## General News

### **Open House and Belt Presentation**

Thanks to everyone who attended. It was a fun hour and really special to see so many people being presented their belt. Well done.

### **Instructor Training**

On Saturday 18 October we have an Instructors workshop for SWAT leaders, STORM Leaders, Assistant Instructors and Head Instructors. We currently have 20 SWAT, STORM, AI's and Chief Instructors attending the workshop. If you are interested in becoming involved let us know asap.



### **Win a Romp Freestyle BMX and Tony Hawk signature Helmet**

As part of the school holidays we distributed a number of colouring in forms. Each entry gives the person one chance in the draw. In addition every member also goes in the draw with one chance. If a member has also completed the colouring in then you get two chances to win. So good luck to everyone. Thanks Cameron for the publicity photos below.



## Halloween

Last year this was our biggest event. This is a great opportunity for every child, adult member, family and friends to come along. We enjoy this event as it's a fun chance for everyone to dress up and also keeps the kids off the street. There will be lots of fun, music, disgusting things to put your hand in, a BBQ and of course lollies. Tickets are \$1 per person attending and everyone must have a ticket to attend, this way we can ensure we have enough lollies and sausages for everyone. So please register as soon as possible at the Dojahng. Please note this event is suitable for kids/adults of all ages. Please arrive by 5.30pm



## Bully Busters

Over the last week and again next week we have been talking about how to deal with a Bully. We have been handing out Bully Buster cards to the children. If you would like some more for other siblings then just let us know.



*See you at your next class.*