

KICK BACK

SHARKEY'S KARATE STUDIO'S NEWSLETTER JULY 2004

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UPCOMING EVENTS

2004 AKA Summer Camp

Few spots are left for this event which will take place July 22nd through July 25th. Contact one of the staff members for details on how you can reserve your spot. **Special discount for Sharkey Students. \$200.00 off regular camp price**



School Closing

Sharkey's Karate will be closed Saturday and Sunday July 24th & 25th for the AKA summer camp.

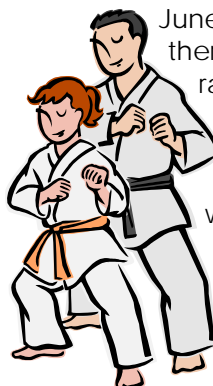
PAST EVENTS

Schools Out Party Tops the Charts

June 11th found Sharkey's Karate filled to capacity with excited out of school students and their friends. The staff of Sharkey's Karate entertained the kids with games, food and movies. Fun was had by all and the kids successfully exhausted our staff. Good work everyone!

Fathers' Day Workout

June 25th marked the 2nd annual Father's Day work out at Sharkey's Karate. Sensei Brewster lead the evening's workout where fathers and their kids kicked it up a notch for a fun filled work out. Thanks to all who came out for this great event and we look forward to seeing again next year.



Finishing big at the AKA Tournaments

June 26th and 27th had Sharkey's students competing in back to back tournaments in both Arkansas and Chicago. All students finished in the top spots for their divisions. A special congratulations goes out to Ty Hinds who won the Jr. Black Belt Forms Grand Champion and Matt Koonce who one the Under Belt Forms Grand Champion in the 4th Annual Eureka Springs Martial Arts Classic tournament. The next event will be held September 5th. See one of the Staff members for more details.

US Open Martial Arts Tournament

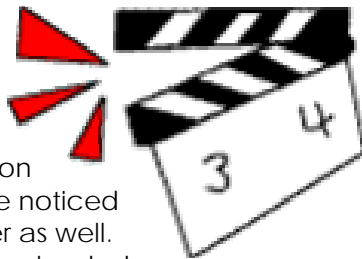
July 2nd and 3rd set the time for one of the most prestigious martial arts events in America, the US Open Martial Arts Tournament. Several students traveled down to Orland Florida for one of the biggest martial art tournaments in the world. All the students did extremely well in their divisions.

A special congratulations goes to **Sensei Craig Henningsen** who won the **World Championship** for Junior Black Belt Forms. Watch for him on ESPN2 coming this fall.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Lights, Camera, Action

We are proud to announce that Sensei Matthew Mullins is currently in the Philippines filming his first motion picture as the lead role. Many have noticed the absence of Sensei Chris Brewster as well. We are also proud to mention that he landed a part in the movie as well and is currently with Sensei Mullins on the set. Filming should be wrapping up soon and we will keep you informed as to when it will be released.



AKA Grand Nationals and WSKF World Championships

October 29th and 30th will be the dates for the 40th annual AKA Grand Nationals and 1st annual WSKF World Championships. These events will bring thousands of competitors and spectators from all over the United States and world to participate in this huge event. We are now looking for people who would be interested in being a sponsor for this event. If you or your business would like to look into being a sponsor for this event please see Sensei Sharkey or write him at Sharkey100@aol.com for the details.

PRO-SHOP

Get the gear

For those who would be interested in the kids' sparring class, or those who need sparring gear for upcoming tournaments, can place your order now. Pay no shipping fees for your items when you order them through our pro-shop. See a staff member for details.

On-going Special Sale

Sharkey sweatshirts are available for purchase now at clearance prices. Hurry while supplies last. Speak with one of the staff members for more details.

TOURNAMENTS



September 5, 2004 - Dunlap's Karate Championships

October 29-30, 2004 - 40th Annual AKA Grand Nationals and WSKF World Championships

Those wishing to participate in a tournament need to speak to a staff member for full details.

JULY BIRTHDAYS

Nicole Jose	07/06
Keegan Ferry	07/19
Matt Koonce	07/19
Joshua Sengstock	07/22
Anna Marie Taylor	07/23
Sai Pavan Vemula	07/27
Robin Huang	07/28
Veronique Rebeilleau	07/28
Kimberly Hakim	07/29

Happy birthday to everyone!

