SPRING SEMINAR IN KISAKESKUS, March 19th to 21st 2010

The Finnish Kendo Association and Ki-Ken-Tai-Icchi kendo club welcome all kendokas with bougu to FKA's annual spring seminar. Our main teacher this year will be KONDO Wataru sensei, 8th Dan Kyoshi of Tokushima police. He was the Finnish national team coach in 1998 sent by the All Japan Kendo Federation. Kondo sensei will be accompanied by HIRANO Seiji sensei 7th Dan Kyoshi. They'll be joined by this year's AJKF coach KADOTA Mutsushi, Kendo Kyoshi 7th Dan (Aichi Prefecture Police) and our local 6th Dan holders.

This seminar is one in a series of FKA's thank you seminars funded by the EKC2008 revenues. All participants of the seminar will be able to enjoy the benefits from a very successful championship hosted by the FKA two years ago. Those who worked as officials at the EKC will be given a discount in the seminar fee.

The seminar will have a grading from 6th to 1st Kyu and from 1st to 3rd Dan. In addition it's possible for Finnish club leaders to obtain the FKA's grading licence during the seminar.

SENSEIS

Wataru KONDO 8th Dan Kyoshi
Seiji HIRANO 7th Dan Kyoshi
Mutsushi KADOTA 7th Dan Kyoshi
Markus FREY 6th Dan Renshi
Mikko SALONEN 6th Dan Renshi
Kari JÄÄSKELÄINEN 6th Dan

PROGRAM May 19th to 21st 2010

Friday, March 19th

16.00 -	Registration for the seminar
16.30 - 18.00	Dinner
18.00 - 20.00	Practice

Saturday, March 20th

07.00 - 08.00	Practice
08.00 - 09.00	Breakfast
10.00 - 12.00	Practice
12.00 - 13.00	Lunch
14.00 - 15.15	Practice
15.30 - 17.00	Grading 6th - 1st Kyu and 1st - 3rd Dan Evaluation for the Grading Licence
17.00 - 18.00	Dinner
19.00 - 22.30	Sauna (at the beach)

Sunday, March 21st

07.30 - 09.00	Breakfast
09.00 - 11.00	Practice
11.30 - 12.30	Lunch and check-out
13.00 - 14.00	Practice

All practice is held in the big sports hall (palloiluhalli). In case there is kata practice, please bring your bokken.

SEMINAR SITE

Sport Institute Kisakeskus
Kullaanniemi 220, 10420 Pohjankuru
http://www.kisakeskus.fi/english.php

REGISTRATION February 15th to March 10th

Registration takes place via the internet. The registration form can be found on KKTI's home page: www.kendohelsinki.org. Registration starts on Monday, February 15th 2010. The last day of registration is Wednesday, March 10th.

PRICES AND PAYMENT INFO

Whole seminar: **90 euros**

- includes accommodation from Friday to Sunday, all meals and practices and the sauna on Saturday evening

Single day: 45 euros

- includes meals and the sauna

EKC2008 officials
Whole seminar: 60 euros

- includes accommodation from Friday to Sunday, all meals and practices and the sauna on Saturday evening

After your registration you will receive a confirmation via email. Please pay the camp fee in cash when you arrive. All cancellations have to be made before Tuesday, March 16th 2010.

CANCELLATIONS

Cancellations have to be made three days before the seminar starts, which is on **Tuesday, March 16th 2010**.

If you cancel after Tuesday, March 16th, you will have to pay a cancellation fee of 90 euros (maximum). If there are any problems with your participation, please contact FKA immediately.

The exact amount of the cancellation fee depends on how much the FKA has had to pay for your participation to Kisakeskus Sports Institute in advance.

TRANSPORTATION

The bus to Kisakeskus will leave on Friday, March 19th at 15:30 from the Central Railway Station Square (Rautatientori). The bus stop for chartered buses is located on opposite side to the Station building (Mikonkatu). The bus will return to the same location on Sunday at 16:00. The preliminary price for a two-way trip is 25 euros. The trip will be paid in cash inside the bus. Please register for the bus separately while registering for the seminar.

GRADING on March 20th

Dan Grading 1st Dan to 3rd Dan

Prices:	attempt	registration	together
1st Dan	10 €	15 €	25€
2nd Dan	15 €	25 €	40 €
3rd Dan	25 €	40 €	65 €

Please register for the grading at the same time with your seminar registration. The grading is to be paid for in cash on the spot.

We welcome you to practice with us in Kisakeskus!

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