



*Special Edition Founders Day Review
Newsletter
September 2009*

Save the Date!

**Founder's Day 2010 is scheduled for
July 10, 2010 at Kemper Center in
Kenosha, Wisconsin.**

**Please mark your calendars now and
plan on attending.**



Founder's Day 2009 in Review

This year's Founders Day was held on July 11 at Kemper Center in Kenosha, Wisconsin. We had a beautiful day and had approximately forty (40) participants.

The entire day was a great success. Martial artists came from numerous dojos throughout Wisconsin and Illinois.

Tim Hillary Sensei provided us with a surprise visit to show his continued support for the Association. This seemed only fitting since he is a large part of Yin Yang Do history.

We began the day with an introduction and a moment of silence in remembrance of all of those who have passed on before us. We not only celebrated the memory of Reverend Foster but also the memory of Master Robert A. Trias as July 11, 2009 marked the 20th anniversary of Mr. Trias's death.

We introduced all of our special guests and instructors including Joe Pounder Sensei, who taught introductory to ground-based techniques. Roger Davis Sensei was also a guest instructor and taught practical self-defense. Pat Weyand taught an introductory clinic on knife and gun defense.

The group was then broken into three groups and trained for approximately four (4) hours, rotating between the three disciplines.

Afterwards, we celebrated fellowship by having a post training picnic where old friends were able to sit and visit together at leisure.

Present at this event were Karateka of whom many of us had not seen in years, including, Jackie O'Connell Sensei and Dan Wilmot Sensei...just to name a few. We also enjoyed having guest from the Kazoku Budokan in



Walworth County who came out to spend some time with us.

We realize that those of you who were unable to attend already had prior commitments over a busy summer weekend however, you were greatly missed.

If you were unable to attend this year we hope to see you next year. Mark your calendar now for Founder's Day 2010 on July 10, 2010.



To follow are comments from those in attendance this year. Enjoy!

Patrick Weyand

2009 Founder's Day Workout Tim Hillary Sensei

I want to thank all of the people who worked so hard to make the Founder's Day workout at the Kemper Center in Kenosha a resounding success. The weather was perfect; the guest instructors were amazing, and the participants enthusiastic.

On a personal note, it was really good to see old friends and make new ones. Unfortunately, I was unable to join the workout due to a recently injured shoulder. Hopefully it will be corrected by next year's group workout. On the positive side, the injury allowed me to circulate around and take a bunch of photos, talk with many people, and get a better sense of the

whole atmosphere. The newer (kyu ranked) students were active participants and seemed to enjoy the variety of sensei & techniques. Older (dan ranked) students worked out with enthusiasm and took advantage of the great instruction. The support people (spouses, parents, and friends) really did a fine job of making the whole day fantastic. The folks that provided food & drink did a wonderful job – it was terrific.

A special thank you to Christine & Pat Weyand who so graciously welcomed an unannounced visitor with open arms. Meeting Mr. & Mrs. Weyand (Pat's parents) and Odin was a special treat for me. I had heard about all of them but had never met them before. It was a distinct pleasure.

All in all, it was a very successful get together. I hope to see everyone again next year. Until then, train hard, laugh often, and love much.

Tim Hillary

Other Association News

The Association has a new address of:

Yin Yang Do Karate Association
Box 1671 Kenosha, WI 53141-1671

Membership is always open and Membership Forms may be downloaded from Yinyangdokarate.com at any time. If you did not register or forgot to register this year, and/or just never did we ask you to please take the time to do so.

The Association provides numerous benefits to its members. These include being a member of a larger network with a long and distinguished history of training, providing clinics for furthering our martial arts knowledge, an Association website, regular newsletters, and much more. Please take the time to register and support the Association from which your art originated.



From the Treasurer

Joe Sielski

We have the following items available to members:

Patches	\$8
Double Ax (Yudansha)	\$7
Kyu Certificates	\$10
Dan Certificates.....	\$25
T-shirts	\$16
X-L and XXL.....	\$18

Order from may be printed from

www.yinyangdokarate.com.

Send application and order forms to:

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DOJO LISTINGS and DOJO NEWS

WISCONSIN KENOSHA

Ron Zieth Sensei

With Rich Halverson and Don Jambrek
Danish Brotherhood
Mon, Thurs 6:00-7:30 P.M. (weather permitting Mon
evenings at Zieth Sensei's home)

Al Gomez Sensei

GI-KO-TA-N-KYU (Quest for Personal Excellence)
Kenosha National Guard Armory
Tues, Thurs 5:30-7:00 P.M.

Elio Covelli Sensei

Eastside Racquet Club
Tues 11:30-1:00 P.M.

Mike Stancato Sensei

Vince Perez Sensei
Shorei/Kempo Karate, Chen Style Taijiquan Practical
Method, Hunyuan Qigong
262-552-7129

Rick Cesario Sensei

Zan Shin Do Dojo
Tuesday & Thursday 5:30pm-6:30pm at St. Peter Church
on 2224-30th Avenue Kenosha, WI
Phone # (815)482-1847 cell

Larry Miletta Sensei

lmiletta@wi.rr.com

Braun's Martial Arts

262-412-5942

www.bkmartialarts.org

MADISON

Eduardo Gomez Sensei

shoreikempo@hotmail.com
1127 University Ave.
Madison, WI
Tue, Thurs 5:00-6:30 P.M.

Ryan Grimes Sensei

University Wisconsin Apartments Community Center
Madison, WI
Classes every Tuesday and Thursday 7 PM - 8 PM
(608) 244-2969
e-mail: rgrimz@yahoo.com

Northern Schools

DePere WI

Chuck St.Pierre Sensei

October to April
6-7:30 Tues & Thurs at The Abbey Bar
May to September
6-7:30 Tues & Thurs Legion

NEENAH

Bob Nelson Sensei

Valley Academy of the Arts
125 W Wisconsin Ave
Tues, Thurs 6:30-7:30 P.M.

ANTIGO

Bob Okray Sensei and Don Dunphy Sensei

Boys and Girls Club - Langlade
801 5th Ave
Mon, Thurs 6:30-8:00 P.M.

WAUSAU

Gary Rhyner Sensei and Julie Rhyner Sensei

Boys and Girls Club of Wausau
1710 N 2nd St
Tuesday's 7:00-8:30 P.M.

APPLETON

KIMBERLY

Phil Vanden Heuvel Sensei and Dave Hietpas Sensei

JR Gerritts Middle School
525 S John St
Wed 6-7 P.M.

OMRO

Jen Lustey Sensei

Omro Area Community Center
130 W Larrabee St
Mon, Thurs 6:30-7:30 P.M.



GREEN BAY

Jean Lutsey Sensei
Day Care Advantage
1823 S Webster Ave
Mon Thur. 5:45-7:00pm

ILLINOIS

David Boehm Sensei
Strength through Discipline
Saturday morning's from 900-1030 am. We are outside in the back of (Lindenhurst, Illinois) Millburn School off of Millburn Road - west of Hunt Club Road. When school is in session, we are in the cafeteria of Millburn School.

OREGON

Klamath Falls
Steph Finnianous Sensei
Winter Location: Tang Soo Do 2000
834 Richmond St
Tues 5:30-6:30 P.M.
Wed 6:30-7:30 P.M.
Thur 6:30-7:30 P.M.
Fri 6:30-7:30 P.M.
Summer Location: Moore Park
Lakeshore Dr
Summer Hours Subject to Change (see above)

MINNESOTA

Twin Cities
Jon Lutsey Sensei
Eastview Recreation/Community Center
608 Kennard St
Mon, Thurs 6:30-7:30 P.M.

UTAH

Orem
Raymond H. Sensei
Orem Fitness Center
580 West 165 South
Orem, UT 84058
(801) 229-7154 / (801) 229-7156

Ulf Mutzing Sensei
Brigham Young University

Virginia

Panther Arts
Scott Andrus Sensei
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