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Sensei Ronny Guzman receives his Bachelor Degree in Human Resource Management from California State University Sacramento with two proud Sensei's

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- Sensei Paul Munoz marries Ammy Gilliam
- Sensei Eliza Cabanig marries Carlos Balanon
- Sensei Gene Tibon sets up Self Defense and Technical Kata Seminar Series for June.
- Sensei Oshiro's Weapons Seminar go Bi-monthly
- Sensei Adam Tibon and Senpai Demytryk Del Rio both
- Win gold in Washington State Invitational Karate
 Championships, along with both also winning \$500
 scholarships to compete in Houston, Texas National
 Championships and USA Team Trials in July, 2008

Special Announcement!

Watch For our Commercials on KVOR 13 Starting June



Mr. & Mrs. Ammy and Paul Munoz Sensei Paul is one of our 3rd Degree Black Instructors



Mr.& Mrs. Eliza Cabanig Balanon & Carlos Balanon Sensei Eliza is one of our 3rd Degree Black Belt Instructors

Both Sensei Paul Munoz and Sensei Eliza Cabanig were married on May 24th and May 25th, 2008 Congratulations to both of you and your new spouses!

Upcoming Karate Tournaments, Technical Seminars, and Events

- USA National Karate Federation National Championships and USA Team Trials Houston, Texas July 18-20, 2008. Houston Hyatt mention "Karate" \$129.00 (713) 654-1234
- Nihon Itosu-Kai Annual Invitational Karate Tournament Sensei David Crockett September 21, 2008 Soka University 1 University Dr. Aliso Viejo, Ca. 92693
- World University World Championships Poznan, Poland 7/12-7/13.
- Long Beach International Karate Championships Classical Karate Aug. 2nd, 2008 Sensei Gene Tibon Teaching Seminar.
- GymStars Modesto Junior College Mini Olympics Karate Demo Aug. 9th, 2008
- GSKA World Championships Karate Championships Sensei Gene Tibon to Receive Hall of Fame Award Civic Auditorium Stockton Aug. 16th
- Annual Tibon's Goju Ryu Karate Picnic at Mickie's Grove Aug. 23rd.
- Stockton GymStars Mini Olympics McNair High School Aug. 23rd.
- Junior Pan-American Karate Championships Chile 8/31-9/6, 2008
- 19th WKF World Senior Championships Karate Championships Nov. 13, 2008 Tokyo, Japan
- **Tibon's Goju Ryu Annual IN HOUSE**Tournament December 7th Sunday Black Belt testing December 6th Saturday. Location TBA



Go Ryu Uchiage Kai Annual Memberships Are Due!

Please fill out your sheet or see Mrs. Tibon for Information

Sensei Oshiro Weapons Classes Moves to Every Other Month

Sensei Oshiro has been teaching seminars around Europe and has finally returned to the USA. He will resume his Bi-monthly seminars at Tibon's Goju Ryu Dojo at 923 N. Yosemite St. in Stockton.

The Dates for the 2008 Kobudo Weapons Seminars Are:

July 27 Sept. 7 Nov. 16

Questions about Buying a House in Today's Market? How about wanting to Refinance? Call Sensei Geno Tibon 30yr fixed 530-521-2504

Students and Parents Going to USANKF Nationals & USA Team Trials

Please make sure you are a 2008
Federation Member If your are planning
to go to
Houston, Texas July 18-20th, 2008

Ask About the Tokubetsu Advance Development Classes on Saturdays!

Welcome New Students - Tibon's Goju Ryu Karate Organization

Tibon's Goju Ryu - Jacob Ruiz Samantha Rodriguez Joel Chavez Adrian Chavez

Welcome back: Isabelle Verdusco

Hiers Goju Ryu - Jamie Shepherd

Welcome back: Christopher Bregman Cameron Bregman Alex King Cindy Constanza

Stockton GymStars – Saul Becerra Joseph Kay Mason Weillie Kyle Medina Cameron Medina

Welcome back: Kathryn Kriter Marisa Alderete

Modesto GymStars

Kata Technical Series of Seminars Taught By Sensei Gene Tibon 6th Dan USANKF and Uchiage Kai

USANKF Federation Dan Class A Examiner, Uchiage Kai Dan Examiner, USA National Karate-do Federation Technical Committee, Sr. National Coordinator Classical Japanese Okinawa Karate and Kobudo for Disney's Martial Arts Festivals in Orlando, Florida and Anaheim, Ca. Executive Board of Directors Stockton Sports Commission, Past Executive Vice President USA National Karate-do Federation, President USANKF of Northern California, Inc. Regional Sports Organization for Traditional Karate in Northern California, President Western United States Goju Ryu Uchiage Kai, Owner and Chief Instructor of Tibon's Goju Ryu Fighting Arts Karate Studios.

Technical Seminar for Self Defense Taught by Sensei Gene Tibon 6th Dan June 22nd at Main Dojo 923 N. Yosemite St. for teenagers and adults \$25.00 per person or \$40.00 for two. Limited to 30 athletes!

Technical Kata Seminar for Gigi Sai Dia Ichi & Gigi Sai Dia Ni Taught by Sensei Gene Tibon 6th Dan. June 28th 12n – 1:30p. Orange Belt & Above level \$35.00 Limited to 30 athletes!

Technical Kata Seminar for Saifa Kata & Seiyunchin Kata 1:45p – 3:15p Sensei Gene Tibon 6th Dan teaching. **Purple Belt & Above rank only! \$35.00** Limited to 30 athletes!

Technical Kata Seminar Sanseru Kata & Shisochin Kata 3:30p – 5:00p **taught by Sensei Gene Tibon** 6th Dan. Green Belt II & Above only! **\$40.00** Limited to 30 athletes!

Technical Kata Seminar Seisan Kata & Seipai Kata 12:00noon to 1:30pm taught by Sensei Gene Tibon 6th Dan. Green Belt III & Above rank only! \$45.00 Limited to 30 athletes!

Technical Kata Seminar Kururunfa Kata 1:45p – 3:15pm **taught by Sensei Gene Tibon** 6th Dan this seminar limited to Brown belts & Black Belts only! **\$45.00**

Technical Kata Seminar Suparimpei Kata 3:30pm – 5:00pm **taught by Sensei Gene Tibon** 6th Dan. Seminar limited to Black Belts only! **\$50.00** Limited to 30 athletes!

Sign up a New Student You & New Student Receive a Free Tibon's Goju Ryu Karate Club T-shirt!

Trial Coupon For Guest

Guest Name

Member Name

Members of Tibon's Goju Ryu Fighting Arts Karate traveled to Edmonds Community College for the Washington State Karate Federation 2008 Invitational Tournament in Linnwood, Washington.

The athletes did a great job in 11 matches fighting for the gold medal and the rest fighting for bronze. Over 400 competitors along with the Canadian National Junior Team in the competition made is an international event. The results are as follows: Adam Tibon 1st place men's -80 kilo Kumite Black Belt men's fighting also won \$500 scholarship to compete in the USA Team Trials in Houston, Texas July 2008. Demytryk Del Rio 1st place 16-17 yr old Black belt Kumite also won a \$500 scholarship to compete in the USA Team Trials in Houston, Texas in July 2008. Andrew Moore 2nd place in WKF men's Black Belt Kata, 2nd in Team Synchronized Kata Black Belt. Rupert Espinosa 2nd place Team Synchronized Kata Black Belt, 3rd place in Kata, 2nd place in 14-15 yr old Black Belt Kumite. Michael Brian Embry 2nd place Team Synchronized Kata Black Belt, 2nd place in advance 16-17yr old Black Belt Kata. Mario Evangelista 2nd place in Black Belt Weapons, 3rd place in Black Belt 16-17yr old Kata. Jack Gonzales 2nd place in men's Black Belt Kumite -80 Kilo. Sara Paper 2nd place female 12-13 yr old Black Belt Kumite. Cristian Embry 3rd place in Back Belt 12-13 yr old Kumite, 1st place Black belt 12-13 yr old Kata.

DOJO REMINDERS

Please make sure you pick up your child on time.

- All tuition payments are due by the 10th of each month NO EXCEPTIONS. A late charge of \$15.00 will apply; a return check charge of \$20.00 will apply.
- Sensei Oshiro continues to give Kobudo instruction here at the Dojo. Students should take advantage of being taught by one of the foremost weapons instructors in the world. Only \$25 per class plus you must provide your own weapons.
- Per the Goju Ryu Uchiage Kai rules, there will no longer be any rank skipping, unless you pay for each level of the test. This may seem rather harsh, but traditional training makes the student wait at least six month between each level to properly be prepared for the test. This is based on two days per week program.
- The Brown Belt Kyu tests are one year apart, and 100 assisted classes minimum are due before each promotion. A requirement of 300 assisted classes by the brown belt must be logged before allowing testing for Black Belt candidate.
- Private lessons MUST be prepaid, or they will be canceled.
 We are sorry to announce this, but lately we have had an abundance of no-shows, or last minute cancellations. There are no refunds on these types of issues.
- We still have had complaints about people parking in the street waiting to pick up their children. Please pull into a parking place, circle the block, or park in the rear of the school so this does not create an unsafe condition while picking up your child. Thank you!
- Current students are encouraged to bring in a friend in to try
 out a class. If the guest decides to continue and join the
 program, the student who referred will be awarded a \$10 gift
 certificate for the referral.
- Please see Yvonne about any make-up classes you need to schedule. She is always happy to help you! Please Note: Four classes equal one half month which is \$60. Any classes over four is equal to a full month or \$75.
- All Dojo Information see www.tibonkarate.com

Special Announcement! Please look for all of the Great Products that we are selling on our website under "Links and Products" "Products" will now feature the famous "Monavie" Health Drink with the "Acai Berry" and the 19 other power fruits that may well be the Healthiest Drink on the Planet.

We are now selling "SANBON" Martial Arts Clothing also on line our website. All custom shirts.

June						
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
A-Team 10-12	2 Weapons 730-900pm	3	4	5	Mighty Mites 430- 530pm Weapons 7-830pm	Mighty Mites 10-12 Car Wash? Tokubetsu 5-7pm Grad Party for Jack
A-Team 10-12	9 Weapons 730-900pm	10	11	12	Mighty Mites 430-530pm Weapons 7-830pm	14
Happy Father's Day!	16 Weapons 730-900pm	17	18	19	20 Mighty Mites 430- 530pm No Weapons! Promotion Ceremony White/Yellow 7:15pm Color Belts 8:15pm	21 Mighty Mites 10-12 Promotion Testing White/Yellow 12:15 Orange & Up 2:30pm Tokubetsu 5-7 pm
A-Team 10-12 Leadership 1-3 Booster Mtg 2-3	23 Weapons 730-900pm	24	25	26	27 Mighty Mites 430- 530pm	Mighty Mites 10-12

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Tokubetsu 5-7pm

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