

# **ABTKD NEWSLETTER AUGUST 2017**

Welcome to our latest newsletter containing news and information about our clubs and events. Check our website news page for further updates – [www.abtkd.co.uk](http://www.abtkd.co.uk)

## **SUMMER CLOSURE**

All clubs are now closed for our usual summer break.  
First class back will be at Castel Vale / Stechford Monday 4<sup>th</sup> September.  
Friday Night Fight Club at Lode Heath school will reopen on 1<sup>st</sup> September.

## **STECHFORD CLUB TRAINING TIMES**

Summer training times for Stechford club at Colebourne Primary School will continue until further notice. All grades and ages will be training together on Mondays and Thursdays 5pm-5:45pm only. This will be the case until we establish our usual student numbers and decide how to split for senior classes. Further updates will be in our next newsletter.

## **LICENCE RENEWALS**

Please remember that your licence renewal is your responsibility. I personally make my best endeavour to inform all members of a pending licence renewal approximately eight weeks before expiry. If I do not have up to date contact details then this presents a problem and your membership and training is suspended if your licence expires. Please be sure to update your instructor with any change of address, phone number, email or emergency contacts.

Full details of expiring licences and payment option available on the 'Licences' page of our website.

## **PUNCTUALITY**

We still have issues with poor punctuality. Please endeavour to arrive five minutes before the start of your class. Poor punctuality is detrimental to building confidence, respect and discipline, as well as a hindrance to the lesson plan and a heightened risk of injury due to missing the warm up. Poor punctuality is not welcome at our clubs - consistent latecomers will be refused entry to the dojang. Please respect the rules of the club which all members were made aware of before committing to join our clubs.

## **AREA PRE GRADE TRAINING FOR BLACK BELTS AND RED BELTS**

For any students who intend to take a further grading within the constitution of the TAGB national syllabus from red belt, black stripe or black belt, you must attend national area pre grade training. Red belts need an attendance card to be stamped / signed to confirm attendance, (cards available from your instructor); black stripe and black belts need licence booklet stamped / signed to confirm attendance. Full details of these training sessions are on the next pages of this newsletter. We are in the Central England South area, under World Master Paul Donnelly; you must attend training in your own area only – other area training is only available with advanced permission from the area representative.

***Anthony Brennan, 5<sup>th</sup> Dan Instructor, [www.abtkd.co.uk](http://www.abtkd.co.uk)***

# AREA BLACK BELT GRADING PRE-TRAINING SESSIONS

## OCTOBER 2017 BLACK BELT GRADING

Any student who wishes to attend a training session in a different area must apply (via their Instructor) to the relevant Area Co-Ordinator of the area they wish to attend.

**Please note:**

**ALL BLACK BELTS AND 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> KUP STUDENTS WHO ARE NOT GRADING MUST ATTEND ONE TRAINING SESSION EACH 6 MONTHS.**

**A FEE WILL BE PAYABLE ON THE DAY FOR THESE TRAINING SESSIONS.**

Please refer to your Black Belt grading pack for information regarding handing in Black Belt grading forms and payment.

Only TAGB sparring equipment and white doboks are to be worn at these sessions.

*TAGB COUNCIL*

## North of England

**Mr Kenny Walton**

**Tel: 07973 883971**

**All forms & payment are to be handed in on, or before, the first session.**

Times stated are session start times.

Please ensure you arrive early enough to get your licence stamped and to warm up.

### 1st Session - Sunday 17th September 2017

Sugden Sports Centre  
114 Grosvenor Street  
Manchester  
M1 7HL

1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> Kups                    9.30am - 11.30am.

All Black belts                    10.30am-12.30pm

### 2nd Session - Sunday 24th September 2017

Bradford Unique Lifestyle Gym  
University of Bradford  
Bradford  
BD7 1DP

1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> Kups                    9.15am - 11.15am

All Black belts                    10.00am - 12.00pm

### 3rd Session - Sunday 7th October 2017

Trinity Academy  
Church Balk  
Thorne  
Doncaster  
DN8 5BY

1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> Kups                    2pm - 4pm

All Black belts                    3pm - 5pm

The early start times are for 1st and 2nd kups and the overlap time for Black belts. Please be early to sign in.

**Central England South**

**Mr Paul Donnelly**

**Tel: 07836 619233**

**All forms & payment are to be handed in on the first session.**

**All sessions to be held at:**

**Ellowes Hall Sports College**

**Stickley Lane**

**Lower Gornal**

**Dudley**

**DY3 2JH**

**1st Session - Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> September 2017**

1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> Kups                    10.00am - 11.15am

All Black belts                    11.15pm – 12.30pm

**2nd Session - Sunday 24th September 2017**

1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> Kups                    10.00am - 11.15am

All Black belts                    11.15pm – 12.30pm

**3rd Session - Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> October 2017**

1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> Kups                    10.00am - 11.15am

All Black belts                    11.15pm – 13.30pm

(inc star grades)

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**Scotland**

**Mr Paul Donnelly**

**Tel: 07836 619233**

Please contact Master Donnelly for Timings & Venues for training in Scotland

## **South Midlands**

**Mr Don Atkins**

**Tel: 01926 772246**

**All Forms & payment to be in at the first session or on Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> of Sept at the BB patterns course.**

### **All sessions to be held at:**

**Sports Hall**

**Stratford upon Avon School**

**Alcester Road**

**CV37 9DH**

*BLACK/RED BELTS WHO ARE NOT GRADING AND WISH TO GET THEIR BOOKS & CARDS STAMPED CAN ATTEND THE FIRST OR THIRD SESSION OR THE PATTERNS COURSE FOR BLACK BELTS ONLY.*

### **BB Patterns course - Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> September 2017**

1<sup>st</sup> Dans                                      10am – 12pm

2<sup>nd</sup> Dans & Above                        12pm – 2pm

### **1st Session – Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> September 2017**

1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> Kups                            2.00pm – 3.00pm

All Black belts                              3.00pm – 4.00pm

### **2nd Session - Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> October 2017**

All Grades                                    10am – 12pm (Pre Grading incl any Junior star grading)

### **3rd Session - Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> October 2017**

1st and 2<sup>nd</sup> Kups                            2.00pm – 3.00pm

All Black belts                              3.00pm – 4.00pm

**Wales**

**Mr Gianni Peros**

**Tel: 07866 491984**

**All Sessions to be held at:**

**Tae Kwon Do Centre  
194b Cowbridge Road East  
Cardiff  
CF5 1GW**

**1st Session - Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> September 2017**

1 <sup>st</sup> and 2 <sup>nd</sup> Kups	10.00am
1 <sup>st</sup> Dans	11.30pm
2 <sup>nd</sup> Dans & above	1.00pm

**2nd Session - Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> September 2017**

1 <sup>st</sup> and 2 <sup>nd</sup> Kups	10.00am
1 <sup>st</sup> Dans	11.30am
2 <sup>nd</sup> Dans & above	1.00pm

**3rd Session - Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> October 2017**

1 <sup>st</sup> & 2 <sup>nd</sup> Kups	10.00am
1 <sup>st</sup> Dans	11.30pm
2 <sup>nd</sup> Dans & above	1.00pm

**South East**

**Mr David Oliver**

**Tel: 07770 917233**

**All forms & payment to be handed in on the first training session**

**1st Session – Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> August 2017**

Garth Hill College  
Bull Lane  
Bracknell  
RG42 2LN

1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> Kups                    11.00am

All Black belts                    12.00pm

**2nd Session - Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> September 2017**

Burgess Hill Leisure Centre  
Triangle Way  
Burgess Hill  
RH15 8WA

1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> Kups                    12.00pm

All Black belts                    1.00pm

**3rd Session - Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> October 2017**

Garth Hill College  
Bull Lane  
Bracknell  
RG42 2LN

1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> Kups                    11.00am

All Black belts                    12.00pm

## **South West**

**Mr Michael Dew**

**Email: [academy@tagbtaekwondo.com](mailto:academy@tagbtaekwondo.com)**

### **1st Session (Pre-grading)- Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> September 2017**

Bristol Academy  
163A Church Road  
Redfield  
Bristol  
BS5 9LA

All Red Belts                      10.00am

Junior Star                         12.00pm

All Black belts                    1.00pm

### **2nd Session Sunday - 1<sup>st</sup> October 2017**

Hutton Moor Leisure Centre  
Weston super Mare  
BS22 8LY

All Black Belts                    10.00am

All Red Belts                      11.45am

### **3rd Session - Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> October 2017**

Hutton Moor Leisure Centre  
Weston super Mare  
BS22 8LY

All Black Belts                    10.00am

All Red Belts                      11.45am



**North Midlands**

**Mr Brian Towndrow**

**Tel: 01246 590630/07813 216992**

Map and directions to venues can be found on: [www.nmtkd.org.uk](http://www.nmtkd.org.uk)

**1st Session (Pre-grading) – Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> September 2017**

Derby Arena  
Royal Way  
Pride Parkway  
Derby  
DE24 8JB

All belts                      1.00pm

**2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Sessions to be held at:**

Belper Sports Centre  
John O` Gaunts Way  
Belper  
Derby  
DE56 0DA

**2nd Session Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> September 2017**

All belts                      1.00pm

**3rd Session Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> October 2017**

All belts                      1.00pm

**Central England North**

Mr Ron Sergiew

Tel: 07894 035265

**All sessions to be held at:**

**Wreake Valley Community College  
Parkstone Road  
Syston  
Leicester  
LE7 1LY**

**Map & Directions to the venue can be found at:**

[www.wvcc.leics.sch.uk/contact.htm](http://www.wvcc.leics.sch.uk/contact.htm)

*NB: BLACK BELTS & RED BELTS WHO ARE NOT GRADING AND WISH TO GET THEIR CARDS/LICENCE BOOKS STAMPED CAN ATTEND ANY ONE OF THE 3 SESSIONS.*

*NO BLACK BELT APPLICATIONS WILL BE ACCEPTED AT THE SESSIONS*

*THE DEADLINE FOR RECEIVING BLACK BELT PAPERWORK & FEES IS SATURDAY 16<sup>th</sup> SEPTEMBER 2017*

*ALL CEN APPLICATIONS TO BE SENT TO: TAGB ADMIN PO BOX 16641 TAMWORTH STAFFS B77 9NA*

*DO NOT SEND REGISTERED MAIL. LATE APPLICATIONS RETURNED*

**1st Session - Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> September 2017**

All Red Belts                      11.00am - 12.00pm

All Dan Grades                    12.00pm - 1.00pm

**2nd Session - Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> September 2017**

All Red Belts                      11.00am - 12:00pm

All Dan Grades                    12:00pm - 1:00pm

**3rd Session - Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> October 2017**

All Red Belts                      11.00am - 12:00pm

All Dan Grades                    12.00pm - 1:00pm