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CONGRATULATIONS

TAYLAH GILES - SUB-JUNIOR BROWN BELT



Congratulations to Taylah Giles from Sandgate PCYC dojo, who attained the rank of sub-junior brown belt at the recent gradings. Taylah is only 8 years of age and showed better technique in both her kata and in her normal curriculum requirements to gain the coveted brown belt before the usual age of 9yrs. She commenced Jujitsu in October 2015 when she was only 6 years of age and has kept pace with her brother, Caleb, who is now a junior. Their dad, Craig, joined the ranks of seniors for a while until an old injury played up, and now their mum, Tania, has become a Sempai recently at Sandgate. The whole Giles family are a sporting family, and are involved in many different sports. Taylah and Caleb both were part of the Gold medal winning team when they were selected to represent Australia in the Australian Jujitsu Demonstration Team event, at last year's World Jujitsu Championships held on the Gold Coast. The Australian team met the USA team in the final and took the Gold. Both, Taylah and Caleb, have a lot of potential to become black belts of the future. Taylah is also a very talented gymnast and has

won many medals and trophies in that sport. She will be contesting in the Annual Kyushin Ryu Skills Competition which will be held at Sandgate PCYC on Sunday 3rd June. She is expected to go well and take out her division again as she did last year. She is a very focussed and determined young lady with a big martial arts future ahead.

Congratulations on your achievement, Taylah!

Sensei Moti Ram, Head Coach, of Kyushin Ryu School of Jujitsu at Sandgate PCYC is proud of the training Taylah puts in to attain her promotions. She is a pleasure to teach, and Sensei Steffi Stackpoole, along with Senior Coach Lee Hayes, will continue to help her develop her talent in this sport.

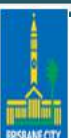
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HAPPY BIRTHDAY

APRIL 2018

Olivia Hogan	2nd
Alexander Lukac	2nd
Daisy Bott	7th
Sempai Mark Holloway	14th
Joseph Quant	16th
Katie Falzon	17th
Dane Audibert	19th
Zoe Wendt	22nd
Isiaha Lancaster-Everuss	23rd
Greta Main	23rd
Harman Walia	24th
Sensei Thomas Serafin	29th
Ethan Hayes	29th

SHIHAN'S WORDS OF WISDOM

Never stop trying,
Never stop believing,
Never give up,
Your day will come!



BUNNINGS SAUSAGE SIZZLES

Bunnings BBQs - volunteers always welcomed



Thank you to everyone who helped out on Monday 19th February. Much appreciated. The money raised is used to fund club events for all students - juniors and seniors and coaches. Next BBQ: To be confirmed

Please contact Margaret King:
kingmj250@gmail.com



Thank you to volunteers at last BBQ: Margaret & Neville King, Jim & Meladee Stackpoole, Andrew Hammer. Lee Hayes, Norm McInerney, Cindy Nagle, Arielle Elkenhans and Matthew Horne.



CALENDAR OF EVENTS

KRJJ MEMBERSHIP FEES HAVE CHANGED

KYUSHIN RYU SCHOOL OF JUJITSU INC.

which also encompasses our KRJJ Judo Club, as the Judo class is an offshoot of our Jujitsu School. Members need to become financial members of our Jujitsu/Judo school. An annual fee of \$10 will be charged **per member**, but fees will be **capped at \$30 per family** annually. Please see dojo Sempai. (Management Committee President: Anthony Smith)

March	20/21/22 25th 30th Mar to 15th April	Promotion certificates Z, S, PR Judo comp Arana Hills PCYC Easter holidays and school holidays
	April	7th 16th April 17th April 18/19th April



To all our wonderful Kyushin Ryu School of Jujitsu Inc. families - please have a Happy Easter, relax, enjoy good family time and stay safe to return to us. We shall see you all after holidays, week starting 16th April.

Easter Jokes

What would you call a rabbit who is mad at the sun? A hot cross bunny!
What happened to the Easter egg when it heard a funny joke? It cracked up!
What kind of stories do rabbits like best? Ones with hoppy endings!
What do you call the Easter Bunny the Monday after Easter? Tired!

2018 Date Claimers:

1. SESD annual trip to Warana (TBC) Saturday 12th May;
2. Backyard Bonanza Jujitsu Display McPherson Park - Sunday 27th May;
3. Annual KRJJ Jujitsu competition Sunday 3rd June - Sandgate PCYC 8.30am start.
4. Black Belt Grading - 21st October (TBC) Sandgate PCYC 1pm.





MOLLY'S CORNER



SANDGATE PCYC



First of all, congratulations to all who graded this term! After weeks of such hard training, we should all be proud of how we performed and what we achieved; it has taken a lot of effort to master the techniques and practise the kata that you may have needed to pass your grading. Even if you didn't pass or attempt your grading, you should still be proud for so diligently participating in training sessions and being a partner for other students. Thank you again to all the sensei and sempai who taught us and helped us out on the mat. None of us would be where we are today without you. Hope to see you all next term!

COMPETITION NEXT TERM - BE PREPARED - 3rd JUNE



WHEN YOU REALISE YOU SHOULD HAVE PICKED ON SOMEONE YOUR OWN SIZE IN SPARRING.

Need more competition practice?? Remember to come to Zillmere PCYC on Mondays from 5 - 6 for juniors and 6 - 7pm for seniors. This practice will be with the Judo group, and other Jujitsu players from all dojos, and will incorporate lots of standing and grappling training and competition. Come along for the extra sessions at only \$6 per lesson. Coaches include: Shihan Jim, Sensei Meladee, Sensei Steffi and Judo coach Sensei Jan Davis 5th Dan. Make sure you are prepared in all three areas. Jujitsu gradings are competition based this term, so you have to compete to be graded.



Annual Kyushin Ryu Jujitsu Skills Competition

Three areas: Sparring, Standing, Grappling

Trophies for skill based games
Everyone comes away with a medal.

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Judo - Mondays at Zillmere PCYC
Juniors 5 - 6pm
Seniors 6 - 7pm
Cost \$6
Social, fun, defence.
Competition training.
Jujitsu comp training.
Come along, join in!
Good sport.
Info: 0414183096
Sensei Steffi, Sensei Jan, Sensei Meladee and Shihan Jim



Happy 70th Birthday Sensei Jan!

We hope you are enjoying the cruise with your son and we wish you many more birthdays to come.



CONGRATULATIONS ON YOUR PROMOTIONS!



SENIORS

Joshua Neville	Green belt
Ryan Wakeling	Orange belt, green tip
Ryan Kenny	Orange belt
Elizey Rablin	Orange belt
Kaden Dunn	Yellow belt, orange tip
Alexander Lukac	Yellow belt, orange tip
Adrian Kurtz	Yellow belt, orange tip
Daniel Darcy	Yellow belt
Andrew Quant	Yellow belt
Jocelyn Burke	Yellow belt

JUNIORS

Molly Quant	Blue belt, brown tip
Eve Davidson	Blue belt
Elliott Brown	Green belt, blue tip
William Drew Finn	Green belt, blue tip
Caleb Giles	Green belt
Eros Mawlood	Orange belt
Felicity Shrimpton	Orange belt
Harrison Bennett	Orange belt
Mikayla Gazelle	Yellow belt, orange tip
Isiaha Lancaster-Everuss	Yellow belt, orange tip
Maddyn Allison	Yellow belt
Jesse Heinemann	Yellow belt
Luke Midson	Yellow belt



SUB-JUNIORS

Taylah Giles	Brown belt
Madelyn Wood	Blue belt, brown tip
Emma Lukac	Blue belt
Honeybee Gavriel	Blue belt
James Drew Finn	Blue belt
Hudson Alderman	Green belt, blue tip
Marcus Audibert	Green belt, blue tip
Isaac Thompson	Green belt, blue tip
Ethan Halcrow	Green belt
Luka Ganseman	Orange belt, green tip
Malakai Vercoe	Orange belt
Miley Sherlock	Orange belt
Felix Riley	Orange belt
Mia Krige	Orange belt
Zoe Wendt	Yellow belt, orange tip
Aleeyah Horne	Yellow belt, orange tip
Will Tommasi	Yellow belt, orange tip
Jackson Campbell	Yellow belt, orange tip
Daisy Bott	Yellow belt, orange tip
Tama Marriott	Yellow belt, orange tip
Mia Wendt	Yellow belt
Cruze Jones	Yellow belt
Harrison Gestro	Yellow belt
Benjamin Manfield	Yellow belt
Riley Walsh	Yellow belt
Ciaron Hickey	Yellow belt
William Heinemann	Yellow belt
Jasper Wraith	Yellow belt
Toby Gazelle	Yellow belt
Logan Kenny	Yellow belt

GRADING INFORMATION

There has been discussion regarding age requirements within the curriculum system, and we are advising you of the following, which has always been the case:

Age limits are **guidelines only** and not a barrier or to be seen to be a deterrent. If the student is good enough, of the correct age, and shows enough knowledge and technique in what that age is required to do by the summary sheet, that makes for a good grading. If the student is **younger** by a small margin and fulfils the requirements **above** what is necessary, that also makes for a good grading.

Sub-juniors: Orange belt - 6+yrs, Green belt - 7+yrs, Blue belt - 8+yrs, Brown belt - 9+yrs;

Juniors: Green belt - 11+yrs, Blue belt - 12+yrs, Brown belt - 13+yrs. Seniors: Black belt 16+yrs

There are four grading opportunities per year, one each term, and the expectations are that students are good if they grade twice a year. If they grade any more times, that is very good and a bonus!