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Newsletter 2, 18 February 2025

The dojo is in full gear, and we want to thank everyone for continuing the karate journey with us and to all those who have joined us in 2025.

Please go through the newsletter and just be reminded of the fee structure taking effect for old students as of April 2025.

In addition, please go through the results of our Club at the Gauteng Karate Federation Championships & Trials as well as upcoming events.

DOJO TERM SCHEDULE

Term 1: 13 Jan - 28 March (29 MARCH - 7 APRIL 2025 - HOLIDAY/SKELETON CLASSES)

UPCOMING EVENTS

TERM 1

FEB 21-23 KSA NATIONALS, u/21, SENIORS, VETERANS, SECUNDA

MAR 1 MMK SQUAD TRAINING/CAMP

MAR 7-9 KSA NATIONALS, CHILDRENS, CADETS, JUNIORS, KZN

MAR 21 NO KARATE

MAR 25-27 GRADING 1



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2025 TRAINING COSTS (APPLIES TO ALL MMKI BRANCHES & TAKES AFFECT AS OF APRIL 2025)

	ANNUALLY
Affiliation (All Members)	R 750.00
Development & Equipment Fee	R 300.00
	MONTHLY
Tuition Fee (Karate: Children to Adults) (1 Member)	R 650.00
Tuition Fee (Karate: Children to Adults) (2 Members)	R 1200.00
Tuition Fee (Karate: Children to Adults) (3 Members)	R 1650.00
Tuition Fee (Karate: Children to Adults) (4 Members)	R 2000.00
Tuition Fee (Karate: Children to Adults) (5 Members)	R 2250.00
Tuition Fee (Pre-Karate: 4 - 5 years)	R 500.00
Children's Tournament Class (7-11 years)	R 300.00
Children's Pre-Cadet Tournament Class (12-13 years)	R 350.00
Cadet, Junior & Senior Tournament Class (Internal)	R 400.00
Cadet, Junior & Senior Tournament Class (External)	R 750.00
	TERMLY
Schools Karate (Pre-Schools, Primary/High Schools)	R 1200.00
	HOURLY
Private Coaching (1 Member) (R 300.00 x 1)	R 300.00
Private Coaching (2 Members) (R 250.00 x 2)	R 500.00
Private Coaching (3 Members) (R 200.00 x 3)	R 600.00
Private Coaching (4 Members) (R 175.00 x 4)	R 700.00
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Seiwakai Life Book (All Students)	R 200.00
Seiwakai Badges	R 100.00
Credion/Test Milita Valley 9 Organia Delta	D 200 00
Grading/Test – White, Yellow & Orange Belts	R 300.00
Grading/Test - Green & Blue Belts	R 350.00
Grading/Test – Purple & Brown Belts	R 400.00
Grading/Test – Annual Standardization – Black Belts Only	R 500.00

Your fees are paid monthly in advance before the 7th day of the new month. An annual affiliation fee, development & equipment fee is payable each year. This covers International, National, Provincial Associations and Dojo registrations. Gradings and compulsory seminars take place during the year, cost vary on these.



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GAUTENG KARATE FEDERATION CHAMPIONSHIPS & TRIALS - REPORT BACK

The West Rand Karate Federation topped the Gauteng Championships medal table by winning 27 Gold medals to second place Johannesburg with 14.

What makes Sensei Morgan super proud is that our club alone took 22 Gold medals of those 27. That is 8 more than the second place Johannesburg.

Congratulations to the 36 members who were selected for the Provincial team and good luck at the upcoming National Championships for Seniors in Secunda and the Juniors in Durban respectively.



















TEAMMAK KARATE CAMP 3

Children u/14, Cadet (14/15), Jnr (16/17)



Full Karate Suit (GI) & Belt, Running Shoes, Cap, T-shirt, Shorts, Full Eqipment

1 MARCH 25

SATURDAY

08 - 04

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PM

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2025 MMK TRAINING CAMP 3

CHILDREN (7-13), CADETS (14/15), JUNIORS (16/17)

Dear parents and students

The club will be hosting its THIRD elite training camp for the year. This will finalize our elite squad's preparation for the 2025 National Championships and will take place on the 7th-9th March 2025.

Please make sure that you read the following information carefully regarding you/your child's participation and ensure that the following matters are addressed.

CAMP INFORMATION

VENUE: Morgan Moss Karate – HQ, 6 Pluto Avenue, Wilropark

DATE: Saturday, 1 March 2025

COST: The cost of the camp is R250 and is payable in cash on or before the

day of the camp. NO EFT. Payment after the camp will be R 300.

DRESS: Full karate suit (Gi) and belt, running shoes, cap, T-shirt, shorts, full

equipment

TIME: Saturday (08:00-16:00)

Saturday

May 31

08:00 – 10:00 Children, Cadets & Juniors 10:30 – 12:00 Children, Cadets & Juniors 13:00 – 14:30 Children, Cadets & Juniors

Seiwakai Open

15:00 - 16:00 Cadets & Juniors

Important Dates:

Mar 1	MMK Camp 3
Mar 7-9	KSA Nationals, Childrens, Cadets, Juniors, KZN
Apr 11-13	KSA League Championships, Bloemfontein
May 10	MMK Development Championships
May 23-25	UFAK South Region 5 International Championships, Durban

KSA U/14, CADET & JUNIOR NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS



KSAU/14、カデット、ジュニア全国選手権







GRADING

MARCH 25-27 JUNE 17-18 SEPTEMBER 15-16 DECEMBER 2-4

WHITE/YELLOW/ORANGE BELTS R300

GREEN/BLUE BELTS R350

PURPLE/BROWN BELTS R400



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WHITE - BROWN BELT & ADULT GRADING 1

Dear parents and students

Morgan Moss Karate and SEIWAKAI will be hosting its <u>FIRST</u> Grading for the year this <u>MARCH</u>. Please make sure that you read the following information carefully regarding you/your child's participation and ensure that the following matters are addressed. Also note that if you have received this letter then you/your child are officially eligible to grade.

GRADING INFORMATION

VENUE: Morgan Moss Karate HQ, 6 Pluto Avenue, Wilropark

Tuesday, 25 March 2025

17:15 - 18:30

ORANGE/GREEN/BLUE BELTS (SESSION 1 OF 2)

19:00 - 20:30

PURPLE/BROWN BELTS & ADULTS (SESSION 1 OF 2)

Wednesday, 26 March 2025

17:30 - 19:00

WHITE/YELLOW/JNR ORANGE BELTS (SESSION 1 OF 1)

Thursday, 27 March 2025

17:15 - 18:30

ORANGE/GREEN/BLUE BELTS (SESSION 2 OF 2)

19:00 - 20:30

PURPLE/BROWN BELTS & ADULTS (SESSION 2 OF 2)

Please take note that there is **NO ADDITIONAL OPPORTUNITY TO GRADE** if the grading is missed and all sessions must be attended.

COST: White/Yellow/Orange Belts = R 300

Green/Blue Belts = R 350.

Purple/Brown Belts & All Adults = R 400.

The grading fee is payable in cash before or on the day of the grading in the office (NO EFT). Upon completion of payment and registration, the student will receive his/her grading form to be handed to the panel during the grading. This fee also includes the belt (if applicable), level stripe, certification and ratification. **NO PAYMENT = NO GRADING**

DRESS: Full karate suit (Gi), belt, (mitts & mouth guard for Blue – Brown Belts).

RESULTS: Handed out directly after the grading.

NB NOTICE: Only registered examiners will be present. Examiners decisions are final

and to be respected.

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DATE	DAY	TIMES	BELTS/GROUPS
25 MAR	TUESDAY	17:15 – 18:30	ORANGE/GREEN/BLUE BELTS (SESSION 1 OF 2)
25 MAR	TUESDAY	19:00 - 20:30	PURPLE/BROWN BELTS & ADULTS (SESSION 1 OF 2)
26 MAR	WEDNESDAY	17:30 - 19:00	WHITE/YELLOW/JNR ORANGE BELTS (SESSION 1 OF 1)
27 MAR	THURSDAY	17:15 – 18:30	ORANGE/GREEN/BLUE BELTS (SESSION 2 OF 2)
27 MAR	THURSDAY	19:00 - 20:30	PURPLE/BROWN BELTS & ADULTS (SESSION 2 OF 2)

CRITERIA FOR GRADING

- 1. Time: A minimum of fifteen (15) to twenty (20) classes of training is necessary before a student is allowed to grade.
- 2. Age: Age does affect how often a student grades (Younger students progress slower).
- 3. Standard: The student must know the syllabus for his/her grade at the minimum standard required.
- 4. Attendance: Students who miss more than 3 classes for no reason at all (12 IN THE YEAR), may not grade.
- 5. Gashkyu: All grading candidates must attend the full Grading Gashkyu to qualify for the grading (communication will be sent out regarding this if applicable).

GRADING: PLEASE TAKE NOTE OF THE FOLLOWING

- 1. ONLY INVITED STUDENTS' MAY GRADE. Students who have not received an invitation or who do not appear on the list of invited students are encouraged to attend the training component as well as the actual test. Attendance will still be recorded as per normal class times.
- 2. Grading fee to be paid in cash on or before the date of grading. NO PAYMENT = NO GRADE.
- 3. Only students whose accounts are up to date will receive grading results. Students' development will continue as per normal, and the grade will be considered but not issued until this point has been addressed. Under no circumstances will this change.
- 4. Those students who have been invited to grade but are unable to attend the grading on the set date need to inform the dojo of this a minimum of 72 hours prior to the grading so that an alternative arrangement can be made. Failure to do this or nonattendance will result in automatic failure.

Morgan Moss (Sensei)