

Park's Martial Arts

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Valentine's Day

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- February 16th : President's day- Yes We do have class
- March 7th: All Belt promotional Testing
- March 28th –Park's 17th Annual Tae Kwon Do Open Championship starts 9:00 AM at Lafayette High School
- April 11th - Black Belt Dan testing starts at 9:00 am at Clarkson Clayton location

Staff

Our staff is here to help you on your journey to becoming a Black Belt. Please feel free to ask questions of anyone on our staff.

Grand Master Park

Grand Master Park is the three times Tae Kwon Do Korean National Champion. Master Park has a 8th degree Black Belt in Tae Kwon Do and a 4th degree Black Belt in Hapkido.

Young Park

Grand Master Park's wife and office manager, Young can answer any of your questions concerning the operations of the academy.

New Business

Promotional Testing



Once again, it's time for our students to advance in rank. Testing will be on Saturday, March 7th the Clarkson Clayton location. White, Yellow, Orange Belt testing will start at 9AM. Green, Blue, Purple Belts will start at 9:45AM. Brown, High Brown, Red Belt will start at 10:30AM. High Red & Black Belt credit testing will start at 11:00 AM. Grand Master Park and the Instructors will award stripes to those students who have displayed the skills and endurance for their current rank. **Testing form must be filled out and returned with the testing fee by March 4th.** We are also having a belt ceremony right after testing (same day). If you do not bring the testing form by Wednesday March 4th, you will get the belt at a later date. If you are not ready for advancement, there will be another promotional testing offered in eight to nine weeks. Students should wear regular uniforms on testing day. (Due to testing, there will be no regularly scheduled classes on March 7th)

Park's Annual Tae Kwon Do Open Championship



On March 28th, 2015 Park's Martial Arts will be hosting the annual Tae Kwon Do Open Championship. The tournament will be held at Lafayette High School. It is open to all students with the rank of

White Belt through Black Belt. All 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place winners from each division will receive beautiful trophies to display at home. There are five events in which you may compete: *Forms, Sparring, Family Form, and Board Breaking*. The cost is \$65 for one or two events, \$75 for three events, \$85 for four events before March 20th, and after \$75 for one or two events, \$85 for three events, \$95 for four events. Boards must be purchased at the tournament. We encourage all of our students to take part in this tournament. Please speak to any instructors for additional information. Also, pre-registration forms are due by March 20th.

fee is \$189 per camper. The second camper is just \$159. Be sure to mark your calendars!

Black Belt Dan Promotion Testing



The Black Belt Dan (degree) testing is April 11th. If you plan to test this session, please be sure speak to the front desk about supplying the proper paperwork. Forms should be turned in two months prior to the testing date.

Tae Kwon Do Summer Day Camp



On June 8th to June 12th Tae Kwon Do Summer Day Camp starts. Spend a week learning the secrets of Tae Kwon Do. It will be from 9 AM to 3:30 PM, and we will have special events such as a swimming party, bowling, Korean language class and much more. Grand Master Park will head the staff. The