Park's Martial Arts

Valentine's Day



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CALENDAR - FEBRUARY

- ➤ **Feb 14**th Valentine's Day
- > Feb 16th All Belt Promotion Testing
- Feb 18th President's Day We are OPEN!

CALENDAR - LOOKING AHEAD

- Apr 27th Black Belt Dan Testing
- ➤ May 11th Park's Open Championship
- ➤ June 3rd-June 28th Summer Day Camp

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. Grand Master Park has an 8th degree Black Belt in Tae Kwon Do and a 4th degree Black Belt in Hap Ki Do.

YOUNG PARK

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

Attention Black Belts!

If you would like a picture up on the wall, please bring in an 8x10 photo of yourself in your Tae Kwon Do uniform.

Picture Day

We will have an opportunity for all students to have special action photos taken of you to celebrate your martial arts journey. Picture Day Atlanta will be at the Clarkson Clayton School on Monday, February 25th and Tuesday, February 26th from 4-8pm. Sign up sheets are available at both schools. There are a limited number of slots, so make sure to reserve yours today!

All Belt Promotion Testing



Once again it is time for our students to advance in rank. Testing will be held on Saturday, February 16th at the Clarkson Clayton School.

9am- White, Yellow & Orange Belts

9:45am - Green, Blue & Purple Belts

10:30am - Brown, High Brown, Red & High Red Belts

11:15am - All Black Belt Credit

Grand Master Park and the Instructors will award stripes to those students who have displayed the skills and endurance for their current rank. Testing forms must be filled out and returned no later than Wednesday, February 13th in order to receive your belt on testing day. The Belt Ceremony will take place immediately after testing.

Due to testing there will be no regularly scheduled classes on Saturday, February 16th

Black Belt Dan Testing



Our next opportunity for Black Belt Dan Testing will be <u>Saturday</u>, <u>April 27th at 9am</u>. Testing forms and packets for Black Belt Dan Testing are now available at both schools. If you plan to test, make sure to start your preparations early to ensure success!

Testing forms are due no later than <u>Saturday</u>, <u>March 16th</u> in order to ensure you receive your belt on testing day.

We will be announcing additional important dates soon, such as the Black Belt Boot Camp and Prep Classes. Also note that Rehearsal Testing will be Friday, April 26th at 7pm. Rehearsal Testing is *mandatory* for all testing students.

If you have any questions regarding Black Belt Dan Testing, please speak to Miss Young.

Tae Kwon Do Summer Day Camp



This year we will have four (4) sessions of Tae Kwon Do Summer

Day Camp available! Learn more about the secrets of Tae Kwon Do. There will be Korean language lessons, special events, group outings, and much more. Camp will run from 9am-3pm each day. The weekly fee for the first camper is \$199, and each additional family member camper is only \$169. Additional sessions can be added at a discount of \$10 per week. Session 1: June 3-7 Session 3: June 17-21

Session 2: June 10-14 Session 4: June 24-28

22nd Annual Park's Open Tae Kwon Do Championship



On Saturday, May 11, 2019, Park's Martial Arts will be hosting our 22nd Annual Open Tae Kwon Do Championship. This tournament will be held at Lafayette High School. It is open to all students from White to Black Belt. Competition events are: Official Form, Board Breaking, Sparring, Weapon, and Family Form. 1st, 2nd and 3rd place winners in each division will receive medals. 1st place Black Belt finishers will have the opportunity to compete for Grand Champion in Official Form and Board Breaking. The cost during pre-registration is \$60 for one or two events, with an additional \$10 fee for each added event. After the pre-registration deadline of April 27th, the price increases \$10 per event. Boards for the breaking competition must be purchased at the tournament venue for an additional charge. All students are encouraged to participate in this tournament. For additional information speak to any instructor.

Private Lessons

Need a little extra help preparing for Dan Testing? Want to perfect your form for the tournament? Private lessons are great make to make great improvements! Speak to Miss Young today about scheduling a private lesson.