



ELORA GORGE KARATE DOJO

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February/March Newsletter

As we head into what we hope is the halfway point of this old fashioned winter, we have a few updates for your calendars. February is almost up so as we look ahead to spring, we have March to get through first.

March Break Camp

We will be running a full day camp for the break, March 10th through 14th, from 9:00 am to 3:00 pm. We will have a workout in the morning, so students will need Gym clothes and Gym shoes, Full Gi and Belt as well as outdoor clothes (snow pants, boots, hats and mitts), as we will also be outside playing games each day. The Karate portion of this camp will be an excellent tuning up for our Tournament the end of March. Please provide food and drink for your child to last the full day. We will have a Pizza Lunch and Movie Afternoon with popcorn on the last day, Friday March 14th. Cost for this camp will be \$100 per student, and tax receipts can be provided.

March Break Classes

For the week of March Break: March 10th to 14th, there will be no Kids classes, Adult classes will proceed as scheduled.

Gorge Karate Tournament

Sunday March 23rd is our Tournament Day – ALL students, even white belts are encouraged to participate in some form to support the Dojo. This is an important part of your training, and an excellent chance to show your skills. Volunteers are needed for set-up (Saturday evening), take down (following tournament), scorekeeping etc. Please help if you can, many hands make light work. As with recent tournaments we request that all participants pre-register, please see Sensei for registration details and forms. Spectator fees are: Adults \$5, Children 6-14 \$2, Children under 5 Free. Volunteers are admitted free of charge.

Finally I would like to thank all students and parents for your continued support of our Meibukan Family.

If you have any questions, please stop by or call the Dojo 519.846.9002, friend us on Facebook or visit our website www.gorgekarate.com.

Yours,

Sensei Bill Stimpson