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## December 2020 Newsletter

To all students, parents, friends;

As we approach this new month of December, we find ourselves at a crossroad. Do we continue down the same path with our fingers crossed hoping to stay safe or make a change?

As a teacher, my first concern is the safety of my students. It is with that in mind I have decided to close the Dojo for the month of December. In light of the current rise of numbers due to Covid, I feel it is in the best interest of students, parents and our community at large to close. I feel a proactive approach is needed to help stop the spread of this terrible disease. Thankfully none of our students are, or have been infected. We want to keep everyone safe.

The month of December is a time to think of others. The safety of students and community is always on our mind. It is my hope that all of us follow the guidelines put in place and we can have a safe and Merry Christmas. We will post on facebook and email plans to reopen in the New Year. As of now we are not sure as to reopening date, please stay tuned.

Let us continue to follow the advice of Dai Sensei Yagi; "To endure in all things". We all must try to do just that in these trying times.

Please stay safe everyone and have a Very Merry Christmas!

Sensei Bill

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