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Message from the Kilohana President

GREETINGS FROM YOUR PRESIDENT

Kilohana Martial Arts Association is 26 years old this year — we have hosted some epic events, and we have nurtured a community of martial artists who have helped each other grow and continually expand our horizons. I have felt privileged to have served as president of this great organizations, and I look forward to what Suro Jason Inay, our incoming president, will bring to the table. As always, our mission is to bring as many opportunities to our members as possible for world class training. As we emerge from the covid pandemic, I look forward to a return to training together. Let us always conduct ourselves in a manner that would make our founder Professor Kufferath proud of us.

Aloha nui,

Hans Ingebretsen

President of Kilohana Martial Arts Association

Kilohana Dojos / Clubs updates

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Shinbukan



The covid pandemic has been hard on virtually all of us, and most dojos have suffered because of it. We closed down in March of 2020, but we opened back up in August of 2021, holding a small class for the adult kenpo practitioners at our home dojo. Classes at the Campbell community Center are still on hold (Indefinitely???). We have made proof of

covid vaccination a requirement to train, in an effort to keep each other as safe as we can. We are about to start a ju jitsu class again, as it appears the pandemic is easing a bit. I do not see us returning to the numbers of students that we used to have, as I imaging many people have moved on to other endeavors, but for those who cannot see their lives without martial art, we are here to train. Two things that I have learned from my training that have come even more into focus because of the pandemic are to be tolerant of viewpoints other than my own, and to be patient. Let us hope that our training has given us the strength to deal with whatever comes our way.

Professor Hans Ingebretsen.

Kiriishi Kai "Hewn Stone Club"



If you didn't know our club is connected to the city of Arcata's parks and rec program and has been running since 2007. In march 2020 the city programs went on hold as the pandemic started, fortunately our club is Danzan Ryu based but I also had the opportunity to train Kashima Shin Ryu kenjitsu. Our classes were held at Arcata's "judohut" connected to the Humboldt Crabs baseball field. In 2013 I asked Shihan if I would be allowed to teach sword and was granted permission. The Dojo has low ceilings but the field worked great for the summer months when it stayed light later..... And so that

went a couple of months of the year, but after a bit of time passed in 2020 I talked to the main group of adults ranks and we decided sword with masks met our concerns for distance and contact but also fed our need for our art, so we became "ninjas" at local parks and beaches with random weekend/evening workouts until in Oct of 2021 weather and light became an enemy and we began classes inside through the city again. We are currently using an alternative building (with higher ceilings) and our own mats to train Dzr one day a week and Sword another. In January we opened for new students. And so it begins again.

Sensei Matt Olson.

Kilohana Dojos / Clubs updates Cont.

Suigetsukan

At Suigetsukan, like many other dojo, it has been hard in the last 2 years, but we have also been fortunate.

Like many other dojo we have lost a chunk of our student body. Some were overwhelmed with challenges in their own lives, some were not able or willing to adapt to the changes in our training environment, some just founds indoor solo hobbies that fascinated them. It will take years to make up for the losses, particularly in our intermediate ranks. The fact that we own our dojo and that 6 of us live there helped a lot with the finances and the monetary contributions our students made, including many who had not trained in years, kept us afloat. I have been repeatedly humbled by the amount of support our community has shown in these hard times.

We were on zoom first for a while, improvising with brooms, pillows and anything we could grapple. Then starting last winter we trained in the parking lot, at first solo and when vaccines became available (and everyone got them), partnered. We slowly moved back into the dojo by early summer. Until 3 weeks ago we were training normally, except for masks (which to me is a minimal safety consideration, much like mats or headgear).

At the moment, the rising infections connected to Omicron has once again put us back on zoom, hopefully for only a brief time. The flexibility required in meeting the changing landscape is tiring, but I tell myself that as a jujutsuka, I should always strive to adapt (ju can be translated as flexible or adaptable after all). I also remind myself that the people who brought us our knowledge through the generations risked their lives and at times faced hardship far greater than I have, to carry our arts forward..

Professor Michael Esmailzadeh.

MO'O Ryu Kempo



The last two years have been hard for everyone due to the COVID 19 Pandemic. The MO'O Ryu Kempo Dojo teaching Kaihewalu lua, Kempo, Ip Man Wing Chun, and Presas Kom-

batan-Modern Arnis, was able to continue classes via Zoom for its clubs in Guatemala, Mexico, and Argentina.



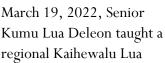
In 2020, GM Deleon was deployed with the US military to Guantanamo Bay Cuba, and with the local base restrictions guidelines, Soke Deleon was able to teach philipino weapons (Kombatan – Modern Ar-

nis) to a group of military personnel. Some of the deployed new students continue with their training at the MO'O Ryu Kempo Dojo after returning from deployment.





October 16, 2021, the Kaihewalu Lua Association was able to conduct its annual lua seminar in Mesa Arizona.





seminar is Buenos Aires Argentina, with participants from Argentina, Chile, and Brazil. The Kaihewalu Lua now has



three schools in South America, and one school in Guatemala. The MO'O Ryu Kempo looks forward to a fantastic year.

Dr. Carlos Deleon Hanshi.



2022 Kilohana Kufferath Masters Seminar Campbell CA May 21, 2022

2022 KILOHANA KUFFERATH MASTERS SEMINAR

Saturday, May 21, 2022

John D. Morgan Park, 540 West Rincon Ave., Campbell, CA 95008 10:00 am to 4:00 pm

Cost: \$40 for Kilohana members, \$60 for non-members Payable at the site on day of training Lunch is not provided - bring a sack lunch



Senior Professor James Muro Suro Jason Inay

Professor Michael Esmailzadeh

Professor Rowdy Hall

Senior Kumu Lua Carlos DeLeon

Professor Hans Ingebretsen

Kilohana awards will be presented immediately after the training in the picnic area PROOF OF COVID VACCINATION IS REQUIRED FOR ATTENDANCE

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International Kenpo Jiujitsu Organization Seminar Portugal May 27,28 & 29 2022



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23rd Kaihewalu Annual Lua Seminar Spokane Washington July 16, 2022



2022 Spokane Washington Annual Lua Seminar Honored Guest Instructors



Kumu Lua Mike Whittle

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Kumu Lua Carlos Deleon (Kaihewalu Lua / Mokomoko)

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Additional Guest Instructors TBD

Saturday, July 16, 2022

All Schools and Styles are Welcome!





Other Upcoming Events for 2022

Regional Lua Seminar Senior Kumu Lua Carlos Deleon Mexico May 2022 Location and date TBD

Shinbukan 25 Year Anniversary Celebration this Summer Location and date TBD

Chow Hoon Promotion end of September
Location and date TBD

Mangisursuro Mike Inay Workout Location and date TBD

Brown and Black Belt Weekend October Location and date TBD

Shingin review class by Professor Muro Location and date TBD

> Rowdy Hall Seminar Location and date TBD