

**Tibon's Goju Ryu Fighting Arts  
Introducing Jujitsu and MMA Class  
Our Program on Sunday's 3-5pm  
Starting May 6<sup>th</sup>, 2012  
Taught by Sensei Justin Love**

Sensei Justin Love is our current instructor for our Thursday night teenage adult Karate program. He is also the Chief Instructor and Founder of the Victory Outreach Karate Program, and is the current California Highway Patrol Regional Instructor for the C.H.P. O.S.T. (California Highway Patrol Officer Safety Training Self Defense Tactical defensive for knife and Gun defensive Techniques.

There will be a separate monthly charge for those who register for the Jujitsu MMA classes on Sunday's 3-5p. Please contact the main dojo to register so Jujitsu gi's Can be ordered to your size for classes.

The class will introduce basic ground grappling and Defensive techniques against ground fighting. It will Also introduce boxing style punching for heavy contact Training for those wanting to compete in those types Competitions.

Successful Referee and Judges Certification

Justin Love introducing new Jujitsu & MMA Class in May.

CHP Officer Training at Tibon's Goju Ryu Dojo

Neighborhood Self-Defense Class

Welcome new students!

Tibon's Goju Ryu Summer Karate Camp

New 1<sup>st</sup> Summer Annual IN HOUSE Karate  
Tournament

Oshiro Weapons 2012



**Members of Tibon's Goju Ryu Leadership  
Black Belts and Brown Belts Attend  
WKF Referee Judges Rules Workshop for  
USANKF of Northern California  
Regional Sports License Certification**

Tibon's Goju Ryu Fighting Arts Dojo was the hosting dojo for the Regional Sports Organization Licensing Certification for the USANKF of Northern California, Inc. upcoming Western States Invitational National Qualifier for the National Championships and USA Team Trials.

With new rule changes at the WKF level, and changes for our Athletes who compete it is vital to participate in the workshops to learn the rules and signals.

Sensei Javier Mantilla the PKF (Pan-American Federation) and is the member of the WKF (World Karate Federation) member Of the International Olympic Committee taught the class. It was informative and technical for all who attended from the many supporting dojos of the (Regional Sports Organization) Aka the RSO.

We look forward to Sensei Mary Crawford also a Pan-American Referee and a WKF Judge will be teaching a workshop of the Hand signals and flag signals for all of our referees and judges.

**This will be on Sunday April 1<sup>st</sup> at Tibon's Goju Ryu Dojo on Yosemite St. 12:30-2:30pm.**

**WWW.GRASSROOTSKARATE.COM**  
**2012 GRASSROOTS KARATE CAMP**  
**AUGUST 2-6, 2012**  
 University of the Pacific - 3601 Pacific Ave., STOCKTON, CA

**CAMP SCHEDULE**  
 August 2nd - Arrival date, Check In.  
 August 3rd- 5th - Training  
 August 6th - Departure date.

**SPECIAL "TOKUBETSU RENSU" TRAINING AT SAM**  
 Sensei Jose M. Pregoner

**Gene Tibon**  
**National Director**  
 The US National Grassroots Karate Program is powered by the experience and knowledge of the previous Coaches. Sensei and world-class athletes. Through this program you will gain the skills to compete at the elite level and knowledge, at the Grassroots Camp you will be prepared to succeed with the guidance from a world class coaching staff. You'll train more efficiently and effectively than ever before!

**Sensei Hiidearu Iguchi**  
 (Head Coach)

**Sensei Toshi Uchiage**  
 (WKF Bronze World Champion)

**Sensei George Kotaka**  
 (WKF Kamite World Champion)

**Josh Yoshida**  
 (National Speaker)

**Special Clinic by**  
**Toriya Master**  
**Darren Tibon**

**Sensei Antonio Diaz**  
 (WKF Kato World Champion)

**Sensei Chuck Swigart**  
 (Referee/Rules Training)

**Chay Martin**  
 (WKF Kama World Champion)

For more information about Schedules and Training Camps contact:  
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 USANKF of Northern California, Inc. a non-profit 501(c)(3) organization Sports Organization  
 Financial support is available. Please contact the "Karate Professional Group, Inc." a non-profit 501(c)(3) organization. This organization was created to help athletes, coaches, and referees who need financial support to participate. Scholarship request will be selected by panel of "Karate Professional Group, Inc."

## 2012 USA Grassroots Karate Program National Director Sensei Gene Tibon

For Ages 8yrs – 80 yrs old

## New USA Grassroots Karate Camp Posted for 2012! Take Advantage of Early Discount ON LINE Registration Soon!

You Can Now Register for 2012 USA  
Grassroots Karate Camp ON LINE At  
[www.karateTmaster.com](http://www.karateTmaster.com)

Take Advantage of Early Sign-up  
Discount and now Payment  
Arrangements ON LINE  
With Credit Card!

## Upcoming Karate Tournaments, Technical Sensei Oshiro Weapons Classes Now Every Other Month

If you are studying Weapons you are supposed to be attending these seminars. Sensei Oshiro world renown as one of the foremost experts in the world has been teaching seminars in Japan and Europe. He has finally made his rounds across the country and comes back to **Tibon's Goju Ryu Fighting Arts Main Dojo at 923 N. Yosemite in Stockton.**

### Weapons Seminar for 2012

May 20   July 22   Sept. 16   Nov. 18th

### Seminars and Events

- USA Jr. Olympic Las Vegas Caesar's Palace April 6, 2012. Tokubetsu going
- USA Open Caesar's Palace April 7-8, 2012. Tokubetsu going
- Ozawa Cup International Las Vegas April 5-8, 2012.
- Quan Bushido-Kai Martial Arts Championships May 5, 2012 Granit Ridge Intermediate School 2770 E. International Ave. Fresno, CA 93730. Saturday Tokubetsu will go going!
- 45<sup>th</sup> International Tournament Japan Karate Do Ryobu-Kai May 6<sup>th</sup>, 2012 Doubletree of Norwalk 1311 Sycamore Dr. Norwalk, Ca. 90650. (Tokubetsu should go to Quan or Yamazaki tournament.)
- USANKF of Northern Calif. Inc. Western States Invitational USA Grassroots, & Escrima Championships April 14, 2012. Tokubetsu going!
- Okaigan Dojo Tournament Cupertino, CA 6/10/12 Tokubetsu going!
- Tibon's Goju Ryu Summer IN HOUSE Invitational June 24, 2012 San Joaquin Delta College
- USANKF Nationals July 12-15<sup>th</sup>, 2012 Ft. Lauderdale, FL.
- Pan-Am Jr. Championships/ Cancun, Mexico Aug.27-Sept 3, 2012.
- Itosu-Kai Karate Tournament David Crockett 9/16/12 Tokubetsu going!
- West Coast Open Tacoma, WA October 2012. Tokubetsu going!
- WKF Sr. World Championships Paris, France Nov. 21-25
- Tibon's Goju Ryu Annual Winter IN HOUSE Karate Tournament San Delta College December 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2012.

**Tibon's Goju Ryu** - Sergio Mungula   Albertol Mungula   Leonardo Garcia   Gianni Picardo  
Anthony Delano   Carlos Castaneda   **Welcome Back:** Baccio Picardo   Chris Vasquez

**Stockton GymStars** - Brandy West   Adnan Corkhill   Jay Morehead   Her Noah

**Modesto GymStars** - N/A

**Hiers Goju Ryu** - Ramee Hammer   **Welcome Back**   John Rowlands   Tyler Rowlands

**Diamond Springs** - Marcelia Farley   Ethan Melton

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**Tibon's Goju Ryu Fighting Arts Dojo  
Hosting Facility for  
California Highway Patrol  
Officer Safety Training Self Defense Course  
Taught by Sensei Justin Love  
The Regional Self Defense Instructor for  
CHP in Self Defensive Tactics  
In May**

You may see about 50 CHP Officers over a period of two days training in the mornings at Tibon's Goju Ryu Fighting Arts Karate Dojo in May. Sensei Justin Love says the facility at the National Guard Armory was not available, as in past for them so they asked Sensei Justin Love if they can come to his training dojo. Sensei Gene Tibon's dedication and support to our law enforcement Officers and first responders are always welcome at our dojo facility for their training.

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**Tibon's Goju Ryu Fighting Arts  
Hosting  
Self Defense Workshop for  
Yosemite Street Neighborhood Parents  
April 1st**

A few weeks ago Brianna Heinrich, a neighbor who lives on Magnolia St. came into the dojo on Yosemite St. and spoke with Yvonne and Sensei Tibon about the latest crime issues in the neighborhood with home invasions in the middle of the night. She asked if Tibon's Goju Ryu would give a neighborhood self-defense class due to the current issues. Sensei Gene Tibon told Brianna would give a free self-defense class for the entire neighbor on Sunday April 1<sup>st</sup> from 10:00am - 12:00noon at the dojo. They were excited and said they may have about 20 men and women attend the self-defense workshop.

**Tibon's Goju Ryu doing our part for community and family.**

**New!**  
**1<sup>st</sup> Annual**  
**Tibon's Goju Ryu Summer IN HOUSE Karate Invitational**  
**Championships**  
**San Joaquin Delta College Blanchard Gym**  
**June 24<sup>th</sup>, 2012**

Due to the overwhelming request by our Karate families, we will be hosting a new event during the summer break to give our friends from other states to come and compete at our 1<sup>st</sup> Annual Tibon's Goju Ryu Summer IN HOUSE Karate Invitational Championships. From the December Winter IN HOUSE Tournament we now give our students the great opportunity of competing with some of the best competitors in the country at their own Karate tournament.

We will have invited guest, who also have outstanding students that will be great experience for many of our athletes who do not have the chance to travel to other states to test their skill level. We now bring the talent together at our Summer IN HOUSE Karate Invitational. You won't want to miss this one!

Look for flyers to be out after the Western States Invitational National Qualifier in April 2012. Take advantage of the qualifier to test your skill level against those athletes who are trying to qualify for the USA National Championships and USA Team Trials.

Sensei Gene Tibon is bringing it to your back yard; take full advantage of driving just 15 minutes from your door steps to challenge yourself against some of the top Karate athletes in Northern California.



**Goju Ryu Uchiage Kai Memberships Due!**  
**Students please complete the attached form for your annual**  
**membership for your ranking test.**



# Central Valley Karate Boosters

The Booster Club recently allocated \$2,500 to thirteen athletes who attended the Northwest Classic Karate Tournament in Oregon. The Booster Club has also voted to allocate \$1,000 to nine athletes attending the upcoming Jr. Olympics, U.S. Open, and Ozawa Cup Karate Tournaments in Las Vegas, Nevada on April 6, 7, and 8, 2012. The Booster Club is committed to supporting our athletes and helping to offset travel and tournament costs, especially those tournaments that are out-of-state.

Here are some important dates for upcoming activities and fundraisers:

**-Saturday, March 31, 2012 from 1PM to 4PM** – THE THIRD ANNUAL EASTER PICNIC at Swenson Park (across the street from Lincoln High School). See flyers that have been distributed for details.

**-Thursday April 5, 2012 from 4PM to 9PM** – RUBIO’S RESTAURANT fundraiser. Rubio’s will donate 20% of your transaction to the Booster Club, but you will need to present a flyer, which is being distributed to the various dojos. If you would like a copy of the flyer, please e-mail me at [mitsbo@hotmail.com](mailto:mitsbo@hotmail.com).

**-Saturday, April 14, 2012** – USANKF OF NORTHERN CALIFORNIA WESTERN STATES INVITATIONAL USA GRASSROOTS, AND ESCRIMA CHAMPIONSHIPS at Delta College. The Booster Club will be raffling an electric guitar donated by one of our dojo parents, Gary “Mick” Lazer.

**-Sunday, April 22, 2012 from 12PM to 4 PM** – ELSA’S PALADAR AUTHENTIC HOMESTYLE CUBAN RESTAURANT fundraiser. Tickets are being sold for \$12.00 for a rib and chicken barbeque meal that can be picked up on this date. People have been raving about their food. If you would like tickets, please e-mail me at [mitsbo@hotmail.com](mailto:mitsbo@hotmail.com).

**-Saturday and Sunday, April 28 and 29 2012** – ASPARAGUS FESTIVAL. The Booster Club will be volunteering at the Asparagus Festival.

**-Sunday, June 24, 2012 - IPAD 3 RAFFLE** – Raffle will be held at the Summer In-House Tournament. Tickets will be going on sale soon.

Results from the election of Board Members for the upcoming year: President – Mits Ohata, Vice Presidents – Todd Gilmour and Aaron Helsby, Secretary – Mary Pedraza, Treasurer, Michele Tolentino, and Legal Officer – Roger Moore.

The next Booster Club General Meeting will be on Saturday, May 12, 2012 at the Main Dojo. We will not have a meeting in April.

Thanks. Mits Ohata

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## CENTRAL VALLEY KARATE BOOSTERS CLUB Member Information

Mother’s Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

Father’s Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone#: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail: \_\_\_\_\_ Dojo: \_\_\_\_\_

Student’s Name

Age

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# 2012 Karate Summer Camp

*Tibon's Goju Ryu Fighting Arts Summer Camp*

**All Campers**

**Receive a Tibon's**

**Goju Ryu T-**

*Sign up for 2 weeks and receive a free karate uniform!*

**shirt**

Full day: 9:am –

3pm \$270

Half day: 9am – 12pm \$170 or 12pm – 3pm \$170

Ages 6 – 12 Monday – Friday

**No karate experience necessary!**

**Discounts if Register before March 31<sup>st</sup>**

**STUDENTS ARE RESPONSIBLE TO BRING  
THEIR OWN LUNCH!**

**IF LESS THAN 5 IN CAMP WEEK WILL BE CANCELLED!**

**AVAILABLE CAMP WEEKS**

\_\_\_ June 11-15

\_\_\_ June 18-22

\_\_\_ June 25-29

\_\_\_ July 16-20

\_\_\_ July 23-27

(Summer Camp closed for two weeks between Jul 2- Jul 13)

**REGISTER EARLY FOR DISCOUNT OPPORTUNITIES!** IF YOU REGISTER BEFORE MARCH 31<sup>ST</sup>, FULL DAY WILL BE \$225 AND HALF DAY WILL BE \$150. IF YOU REGISTER BEFORE MAY 31<sup>ST</sup>, FULL DAY WILL BE \$250 AND HALF DAY WILL BE \$160. AFTER MAY 31<sup>ST</sup> THE PRICE WILL BE \$270 FOR FULL DAY AND \$170 FOR HALF DAY.

**Take advantage of Early Sign up Discounts!**

**923 N. Yosemite St.  
Stockton, Ca. 95203**

**or FAX TO (209) 465-1517**

**Extended care 8-9am and 3-4pm: \$15 per hour**

**\*\*Siblings receive a 15% discount per week**

Parents name..... Yes, I want to purchase a gi (\$30).....

Student's name..... Student's Age.....

Telephone number..... E-mail address.....

Credit Card Visa/Master/Amex..... Exp. date..... CCV#.....

Signature.....



## What Better way to give your child a positive, energetic summer of fun?

Our summer camp starts with a three-hour first half karate Kata, drills, and Kumite Drills Speed agility drills training. The second half has a 12-1:30 Lunch/Fun –Museums, Police Dept, Fire Dept, movies, games, and crafts. From 1:30 – 3:30p Karate, Weapons, Self Defense, Bully tactics, Bunkai, Jujitsu techniques.

In Tibon's Goju Ryu summer program, kids not only get quality karate training, they also receive official Karate t-shirt. They'll learn firsthand the benefits of training and focused effort, and return to school with visible progress and accomplishments they can be proud of. They'll have spent an active summer having fun and making new friends!

## Tibon's Goju Ryu Fighting Arts

Program Coordinator and Contact

## Summer Camp

Person

Mrs. Yvonne Tibon and Sensei Gene

Tibon – 209-465-0943

[emtibon@hotmail.com](mailto:emtibon@hotmail.com) or

[vtibon@hotmail.com](mailto:vtibon@hotmail.com)

Full day: 9am – 3pm \$270

Half day: 9am – 12pm \$170  
Ages 6-12 Monday – Friday  
No karate experience necessary!

Return this form to:

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Stockton, CA. 93205

OR FAX to (209) 465-1517

OR CALL (209) 465-0943



**Tibon's Goju Ryu Fighting Arts Karate Studio  
Approved as a Physical Education Alternative for  
St. Mary's High School**

**Most all Stockton Unified School District High Schools accept Tibon's Goju Ryu Karate Program as a Physical Education alternative, just check in with your Counselor.**

**Lincoln High School and Tokay High School require athlete be in the Elite Karate Training program to qualify – See Sensei Tibon on those requirements!**

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## **Connecting Waters Charter School**

**Connecting Waters is Fully Accredited by the Schools Commission  
of the Western Association of Schools and Colleges (WASC)**



**We have many students in the Connecting Waters Charter Schools that come to Tibon's Goju Ryu Fighting Arts Programs for their physical education requirements. If you have questions about our program and how to qualify through Connection Waters Charter Schools just call our main Karate school at (209) 465-0943.**



# USANKF of Northern California, Inc

## Presents

### Sensei Hideharu Igaki

Director of Coaches for USA Grassroots Karate Program

Kumite Seminar

Day After National Qualifier - Sunday April 15<sup>th</sup>, 2012



Beginner/Novice Kumite Drills and Techniques - \$35 per person 10:00a – 11:30a

Intermediate Level Kumite Drills and Techniques - \$35 per person 12:00n – 1:30p

Advanced Level Kumite Drills and Techniques - \$40 per person 1:30p – 3:30p

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## **Parents Special Announcement For Main Dojo on Yosemite St. ONLY!**

**Parents,**

**Starting immediately we will have our front counter girls start bringing the kids to the cars so they are not just running into the street carelessly. We almost had a couple of children hit by cars due to not paying proper attention on entering their cars.**

**Parents who take control of their children in the lobby or in front of the dojo are responsible for their children's safety.**





**Please watch your children as they go to their car, they are excited and energized after class and just run out with the parents not cut in to the potential hazard of cars driving by.**

**Let's make sure are kids getting home safe by getting into their cars safely.**

**Thank you,**

**Gene Tibon  
Sensei**

# April

<i>Sun</i>	<i>Mon</i>	<i>Tue</i>	<i>Wed</i>	<i>Thu</i>	<i>Fri</i>	<i>Sat</i>
<b>1</b> Palm Sunday A-Team 8-10am Neighbor Self Defense 10-12n Referee Workshop 12:30-2:30p	<b>2</b> Weapons 730-900pm	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b> Make up classes during the month early!	<b>5</b> Rubio's Fundraiser & Nubi Yogurt By Boosters Club Please Support to raise money for our athletes!	<b>6</b> Jr. Olympics Vegas Dojo Closed! Good Friday 	<b>7</b> US Open Vegas Easter Weekend Dojo Closed! 
<b>8</b> US Open Vegas Easter Sunday Dojo Closed! 	<b>9</b> Weapons 730-900pm	<b>10</b>	<b>11</b> Make up classes during the month early!	<b>12</b>	<b>13</b> Mighty Mites 4:30-5:30p Weapons 7-8:30p	<b>14</b> Western States Qualifier Delta College 8a-5pm  Dojo Closed! All should be competing! No Tokubetsu!
<b>15</b> Igaki Seminar Beg 10-11:30a Inter 11:30a-1p Advance 1:30p-3:30p Kumite bring gear! No A-Team !	<b>16</b> Weapons 730-900pm	<b>17</b>	<b>18</b> Make up classes during the month early!	<b>19</b>	<b>20</b> Mighty Mites 4:30-5:30p No Weapons  Promotion Ceremony White/yell 7:15p Color belts 8:15p	<b>21</b> 10:00-12:00 Mighty Mites Promotion Testing White/yell 12:15p Color belts 2:15p  Tokubetsu 5-7p
<b>22</b> Boosters Fundraiser Cuban Dinner 12-4p  A-Team 8-10am	<b>23</b> Weapons 730-900pm	<b>24</b>	<b>25</b> Make up classes during the month early!	<b>26</b>	<b>27</b> Mighty Mites 4:30-5:30p Weapons 7-8:30p	<b>28</b> 10:00-12:00 Mighty Mites Tokubetsu 5-7p  Boosters working Asparagus Festival
<b>29</b> A-Team 8-10am Leadership 1-3p 	<b>30</b> Weapons 730-900pm	<b>31</b>				

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