



APRIL 2016 Newsletter

Welcome to all the new White Tiger Martial Arts students. Please make yourself at home.

BIG CHANGES, so BIG THANKS

A BIG Thank you all for bearing with us on our White Tiger journey, moving and changing of times, etc. I know the recent changes have been a bit of a headspin for everyone involved, but it has all gone off without too much concern. Also, now we are over the hump, it will be great leaps and bounds for the club.

NEW DOJO – SENIOR CITIZENS HALL – Mellor Street, Gympie

(opposite Holden) next door to Gympie Civic Centre

TURN INTO THE DRIVEWAY DIRECTLY TO THE RIGHT OF THE HALL ON MELLOR ST, park down the bottom near the gym equipment in the park where there is a light at night. We need you all to stay safe. (Too much paperwork if you don't! 😊)

NEW TIMETABLE – NEW TRAINING DAYS/TIMES

We hope the new timetable in the new Dojo is convenient for you all. The extra space opens up opportunities for different activities in each class, as well as being able to stretch out a bit more.

ZEN DO KAI – change from one 1½ hour class to **two 1hr classes TUES & THURS – 5.30pm start**

KRAV – change to **6.45pm start TUES & THURS** – this will get you home sooner 😊

- **Students are requested to help out** with setting up the gear for class, and packing gear away after, as required. A big thanks to those who already do help out 😊
- We must vacate the premises by 8pm when the alarms are activated remotely. Doors will be locked **prior to 8pm sharp** with NO re-entry.
- **NEW EXIT PROCEDURE:**
 - Club gear to be locked away under the stage after Krav Class.
 - Thorough search after KRAV for Students lost property left in the Dojo – to go to Sensei Jaye.
 - Lock all open windows/external doors (inc toilet windows).
 - Have you lost property? – please call Sensei Jaye - **NOT** to be collected directly from the hall.

FREE STUFF!!! -- “WTMAA MEMBER REFERRAL PROGRAM”

Introduce a NEW paying member into WTMAA (they join, get two free classes, & stay/pay for 4 months) then YOU get ONE MONTH of classes FREE as a thank you from White Tiger!!

(EG. If you introduce 2 new members who Join/Pay for 4mths you get two months class fees waived).

Don't forget to tell them to let us know you introduced them to us so you get your reward.

If you have any other ideas on how to attract more members to White Tiger, please let us know, and we will get some flyers to you.

March Local Gradings (19th March) – CONGRATS!

First ever Local Grading for White Tiger Martial Arts Academy, DONE and a great success!

Congratulations to all who graded:

ZEN DO KAI - NEW BELT/TAG	PROGRESSIVE KRAV MAGA - NEW BELT/TAG
Yellow to Orange Paul	White to Yellow Axel, Harrison, Luke, Sue
Orange First Tag Ben & Karen	Orange to Blue David, Chloe, Jaidyn, Savannah, Jarrod

WOOHOO!!!!!!!!!!!!!! Also, a BIG thank you to those who dropped in, helped out on the day, and supported your fellow students. Much appreciated, and PROVERBIAL GOLD NINJA STARS TO YOU ALL!

FEES -- APRIL FEES ARE NOW DUE (AND TO BE PAID 1st OF EVERY MONTH)

Thank you to those already paid! For those who have not, please check your Tax Invoice as now you have the banking details feel free to pay automatically, at your convenience, but don't forget the reference number you have been allocated. If you are having financial difficulties, please let us know.

DISCOUNT – IF YOU PAY 6mths IN ADVANCE (by bank transfer) - TWO COMPLIMENTARY CLASSES

If you pay 6 months or more in advance, you will be entitled have 2 free classes. Let us know if you are interested in this, so we can do you up an initial invoice with the details.

OUTSTANDING ANNUAL PAPERWORK – some still outstanding

As mentioned in the March newsletter, anyone training with White Tiger Martial Arts (including instructors) are required to complete an **Annual BJMA Membership Form** and a **White Tiger Contact form** for insurance and club purposes only. We have most, but we are still waiting on paperwork from the following:

WHO	BJMA FORM	WHITE TIGER FORM
MANNINGS	OS	OS
SMITH Jarrod		OS
SMITH Jaidyn		OS
DIMMOCK Gav	OS	OS
LECKNER Justin	OS	OS
GILROY Reg	OS	OS

Please complete the outstanding documentation FOR INSURANCE PURPOSES, prior to class for Sensei Jaye.

Failure to do so may result in no insurance cover in the event of accident or injury. If we can't prove you are a permanent member, there will be no cover.

BLACK BELT CLASS – MARYBOROUGH – 23RD APRIL

For all Brown Belts up.

Don't forget it is a requirement that all students training for Black Belt and above are to attend 2 out of the 3 Black Belt Classes prior to the Grading. See Sensei Jaye for details and to join a car pool.

End of July – State Training Camp – EVERYONE IS INVITED – ALEXANDRA HEADLANDS

LOTS of BJMA Upper Hierarchy – stay tuned. Click on the link in the Club Members Section of the Website for further details and link to the event/registration page.

FYI -- List of costs

FULL WEEKEND	Adult – \$290	Child \$240	Family \$800 (2+2 or 1+3)
SATURDAY ONLY	A - \$160	C - \$140	
SUNDAY ONLY	A - \$130	C - \$110	

MARKETING, ADVERTISING & IMPROVING WHITE TIGER MARTIAL ARTS

Now we are almost settled into the new Dojo & timetable, we are about to hit the streets with a new marketing/advertising campaign to increase the numbers. By doing this we will be able to fund more equipment & activities for the whole club. If you could please share the Facebook posts marketing our club, share the website details, hand out some brochures, or whatever you can do, it would be much appreciated.

PLEASE “REVIEW” WHITE TIGER MARTIAL ARTS on FACEBOOK

Facebook has a section on our profile page for reviews. Please review us as honestly as you can, so potential students (or parents) can get a good idea of what to expect. Any reviews will be greatly appreciated. Link here: <https://www.facebook.com/WhiteTigerMAA/reviews> (you must be registered & login to Facebook)

For everything mentioned in this Newsletter, check out the website members section, Facebook page or See Sensei Jaye for more details. <http://www.whitetigermartialarts.com.au/#!/instructors/kp3fz>

WHITE TIGER MARTIAL ARTS -- CALENDAR OF EVENTS

APRIL:

23rd - Black belt class CHANGE IN VENUE – Aldridge High School, MARYBOROUGH QLD
(All brown belts and above must attend 2 out of 3 black belt classes to qualify for their grading.)

MAY:

7th – WKA Tournament & opening of Kyoshi Jim Friis Training shed, Toowoomba

8TH – DON'T FORGET MOTHERS DAY!

28th - Black belt class - Aldridge High School, Maryborough.

(All brown belts and above must attend 2 out of 3 black belt classes to qualify for their grading.)

JUN:

18th – 9am **State grading** - Pacific Paradise State Primary School, Sunshine Coast.

July:

29/30/31st - **State Training Camp** - Alexandra headland, Sunshine Coast. Open to all members

NEW UPDATED CLASS TIMETABLE – from 1/4/2016

Times	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
5.15pm		Enter Hall & prepare for class		Enter Hall & prepare for class		
5.30pm		Zen Do Kai 5.30 – 6.30PM 1 hour		Zen Do Kai 5.30 – 6.30PM 1 hour		
6.30pm		Paperwork, fees, advice ----- KRAV arrive early to warm up, prepare Dojo		Paperwork, fees, advice ----- KRAV arrive early to warm up, prepare Dojo		
6.45pm		KRAV 6.45 – 7.45PM 1 hour		KRAV 6.45 – 7.45PM 1 hour		
7.45pm		EXIT PROCEDURE		EXIT PROCEDURE		

ZEN DO KAI – Blend of many styles, but based on Karate

Men, women & kids 7 yrs & over

PROG KRAV MAGA – based on the Israeli Military hand to hand combat system known as KRAV MAGA

Men 18+, women 16+ **Unfortunately, this style is not suitable for early teens or children

Check the website for more details on styles & tradition/history.

<http://www.whitetigermartialarts.com.au/#!/progressive-krav-maga/m9o10>