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New Student Handbooks

Students have already been receiving their brand new Okami Kai student handbooks. These books will replace the new member packets we used to give out to new students. We are also hoping to eliminate the constant loss of requirement sheets given to our students. All current Okami Kai members will be given a book. Any person wishing to purchase a second or replacement book can do so for a fee of \$10.00 each. These books should be treasured and kept close at hand in order to enhance your studies at Okami Kai. All students should be encouraged to take good care of this valuable reference tool.

New Fall Class Schedule

Our fall class schedule starts September 7. Please make sure that you have a copy so that you know when your actual class time is. We still have a late for class policy. If you are not on the floor and ready to train when your class starts you can still watch but cannot participate. Please remember that due to the Wolf Pack party on September 11, all Saturday classes will remain the same as the current summer schedule (9am Karate / 10am bo class) on that day. We will then be offering the split classes as indicated in the schedule. The Bo class times have been changed this year. People who are working on the second or third Bo kata will be considered advanced students and therefore they should attend the class time of 11:45am. All other Bo students should arrive for the earlier 11am class time.

Next Grading: September 25, 2004

Still Time To Be A “Capital Conqueror”

Sensei's offer to pay for WKF memberships for anyone wishing to attend Capital Conquest in Hull, Quebec has now expired. However, there is still time to reserve your spot for the event happening Nov. 6 & 7. Don't miss out on what may be the best martial arts learning experience of the year. You can give Sensei your \$50 refundable deposit at any time and he will be in close contact with the World Kobudo Federation headquarters to be sure that there is still space available. Don't wait too long as this event will definitely sell out. Accommodations should also be booked by those already on the Okami Kai Capital Conquest team. The Ramada Plaza Hotel located at 75 Edmonton St. in Gatineau is the host hotel for this event. They are offering rooms for \$99 per night for up to 4 people. You can contact them toll free at 1-800-296-9046. Make sure you mention Capital Conquest.

Wolf Pack Report

Welcome to another year of Wolf Pack competition. It is every pack for themselves again. This could be your year. Good Luck!

<u>Red Pack</u>	<u>121 points</u>
<u>Green Pack</u>	<u>98 points</u>
<u>Blue Pack</u>	<u>57 points</u>
<u>Yellow Pack</u>	<u>37 points</u>

**Happy 5th
Anniversary
Okami Kai!
Sept. 7, 2004**

Welcome Lil' Dragons!



September 7 is the first class for Term 1 of this year's Lil' Dragon season. There is still room for more 4 and 5 year olds for the second and third terms starting Dec. 7 and Mar. 29. Call the dojo or email lildragons@okamikai.com to register.