

GARDENA JUDO CLUB NEWS

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Practice Schedule

Mondays and Thursdays

Judo mats are set up at 6:00 pm.

****We need your help!****

YONEN (ages 12 and under): 6:30 pm

SHONEN (ages 13 and up): 7:45 pm

Summer Splash

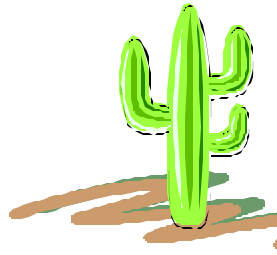
The Gardena Judo Club will be holding its summer pool party at the Gardena Municipal (Primm) Pool on August 12th from 4 pm to 7 pm. Pizza and drinks will be provided!!

New Parents Fed rep!

Nan Taketa will be representing Gardena Judo Club in the So. Cal. Parents Federation. Thank you, Nan, for serving our club in this way!

Coming up...	
Sun., Aug. 5	Nanka/Maruchan Goodwill Tourn.,
Mon., Aug. 6	Celebration Dinner at JCI (No Judo Practice)
Sun., Aug. 12	Swim Party, Primm Pool, Gardena
Sun., Aug. 19	Nikkei Games Judo Tourn, CSU Long Beach
Sun., Aug. 26	Golden State Open Judo Championships, Baldwin Park

World Champ from GJC



Congratulations to Low Dong, who took **FIRST PLACE** at the World Masters Judo Championships in Scottsdale, Arizona. He was also recently promoted to 5th dan.

Jr. Nationals Update

Many of our students competed in the USJF Junior National Championships in Monterey, California. They all did an outstanding job! Special congratulations go to winners Sarah Isozaki (1st), Jamie Sakata (1st) and Joe Ortega (2nd)!! Thank you to our dedicated coaches Tyrone Taketa, Mike Mitori, and Sensei Wada for all their hard work.

LOOKING FOR WINNERS!



There were 2 raffle winners at the 50th Anniversary Tournament that won a judo gi. If you were a winner of this raffle prize, please be sure to see Hideki Nakamura.

CLUB TIPS

1. During judo practice, there is hot water available in the JCI kitchen for coffee and tea. Feel free to help yourself to some!
2. For the safety of all students, be sure all nails are trimmed for practice sessions and tournaments.