

# GARDENA JUDO CLUB NEWS

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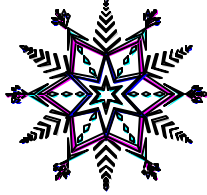
December, 2001

## 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

Winter



Break

GJC will not have its regular practice sessions\* between December 10 and January 1. Practice will resume on Thursday, January 3, 2002. See you there!

\*(see below for kata schedule)

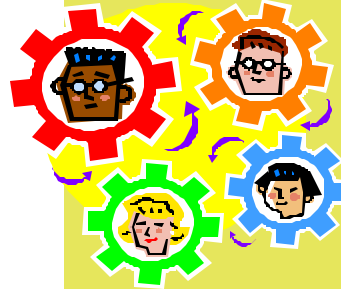
## Happy Holidays From GJC

The Holiday Party was a fun time for all. Many thanks to all the parents of our Beginners' Class who organized the festivities. The food was great, the awards were plentiful and well deserved. Thank you to the many generous donors of the wonderful raffle prizes. Have a happy holiday season!

Coming up...	
Mon. Dec. 10	Kata Clinic Begins Gardena Judo Club
Sat. Dec. 15	Nanka Juniors' Judo Clinic Pacoima
Sat. Jan. 19	Guerreros Novice Tournament TBA
Sat. Jan. 26	Nanka Kata Clinic Ogden Judo Club, Long Beach
Sun. Jan. 27	San Fernando Dojo Invitational San Fernando, CA

See us on the Web at [www.gardenajudo.com](http://www.gardenajudo.com)

## Thank you, Leo!



Our sincerest thanks go to our fearless leader, Leo Ortega, Club President for the year 2001. Leo was terrific guiding us through a very successful 50th Anniversary Tournament, as well as our many, many other club activities including the JCI Carnival, Summer Swim Party, in-house tournaments, just to name a few. Leo has devoted so much time to this club, and GJC has benefited greatly from his dedication!

Thank you, Leo, for making this such a great year for Gardena Judo Club!

— the GJC Board

## K atame-no- K ata

*Low Dong and Harold Sharp will be leading a two-week Kata Clinic at the dojo, beginning December 10, 2001. Classes will meet on Monday and Thursday nights at 7:00 pm. Kata certificates are needed for brown and black belt promotions. This opportunity is open to students ages 13 and up, and the cost is \$10 per person.*