

Eishinkan Dojo: registered with The British Kendo Association

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The 19th Eishinkan Jodo Taikai

Will be held on Sunday 10th December 2017 with generous support from Kenyukan and Kenmukan Dojo

Dear Dojo Secretary,

The 19th Eishinkan Jodo Team Competition will be held on Sunday 10th December 2017 at Knebworth Village Hall, (Park Lane, Knebworth, Herts, SG3 6PD).

Doors will open at 9.30am and we hope to finish the event by 4pm.

The finals should be completed by early afternoon, followed by lunch for everyone attending (please bring your own drinks).

We would be really pleased if some of the Godan present take the opportunity to improve their refereeing skills instead of joining a team, however they are welcome to compete if they prefer.

The format and rules are the same as for the European Team Championships i.e. 3 players with a maximum of 10 dan in total - with mudan counting as one dan. The kata stipulated will be selected from the first seven forms of the ZNKR Seitei Jodo Kata. All teams not progressing to the tournament stage of the Taikai will be entered into the Plate Competition. Please note that this is a dojo event and we hope that, as far as possible, all team members will be from the same Dojo.

The cost of entering each team is £30, however a discount of £5 per team is available if payment is received by November 18th and naturally any dojo may enter as many teams as it wishes. In order to keep the entry fee as low as possible we cannot unfortunately cover expenses for referees, but there will be a small gift for all participants. It would greatly help if teams & referees register as soon as possible so that an adequate number of sanko-sho gifts can be organised.

Please let Chris know, by telephone or e-mail, before November 10th if your Dojo will be entering a team.

Entry fees should be paid by November 18th if you wish to take advantage of the early £5 booking discount.

Entry form & cheque (payable to Mr C.A. Buxton) should be sent to the above address.

If you have any questions, please contact Chris.

We would like to take this opportunity to thank Greg Drewe, Alain Bangard, their dojo members and families for supporting this event.

Best wishes from Jock & Chris

Eishinkan Taikai Team Entry Form: Please register additional teams on a separate sheet .

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Team Member_____ Grade_____ Dojo_____

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5/6/7Dan Referees: _____ Dojo_____

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Signed Dojo Leader_____

Contact telephone number or e-mail address_____