



**BKA Jodo Summer Seminar and Grading 2017**

**27th to 29th July 2017**

**Teaching Faculty**

Jock Hopson, Kyoshi 7th dan

Louis Vitalis, Kyoshi 7th dan

Chris Buxton, Kyoshi 7th dan

**Bring a Tanjo!**

**Dear Jodobu Members**

We are delighted to invite you to this year’s BKA Jodo Summer Seminar and Grading (up to and including 4th dan). This year we are especially pleased to be able to invite Louis Vitalis Sensei from The Netherlands. Like Jock Sensei, Louis Sensei holds 7th dan in all three arts and is an experienced referee at European and international events. Please find below all the information necessary to make your entry. We look forward to seeing you at this event.

Stojanka Vidinic, Jodo Bucho

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| **Venue**  Munrow Sports Centre  Slater Hall  University of Birmingham  Birmingham B15 2TT  **Programme**  09:30 Registration  10:00 Start  13:00 - 14:00 Lunch  17:00 Finish  Thursday - Seitei  Friday – Seitei/Koryu  Saturday – Seitei grading practice/Tanjo  ***+ Saturday grading at 15:30***  **Prices**   |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | |  | Price | Until | | Concession 1 day early book | £20.00 | 27th June | | Concession 1 day late book | £25.00 | 23rd July | | Concession 2 days early book | £40.00 | 27th June | | Concession 2 days late book | £50.00 | 23rd July | | Concession 3 day early book | £60.00 | 27th June | | Concession 3 day late book | £75.00 | 23rd July | | Full member 1 day early book | £30.00 | 27th June | | Full member 1 day late book | £35.00 | 23rd July | | Full member 2 days early book | £60.00 | 27th June | | Full member 2 days late book | £70.00 | 23rd July | | Full member 3 days early book | £90.00 | 27th June | | Full member 3 days late book | £105.00 | 23rd July | | **Grading**  The grading will be held on Saturday up to, and including, 4th dan.  Grading applications must be completed and submitted to the Grading Officer no later than 13th July. This includes submission of a grading question paper.  Please ensure you are aware of the grading policy, published on the BKA website and sent to your dojo leaders by email.  Non-BKA members are requested to either register online through the seminar booking process and pay beforehand or inform the relevant grading officer of your wish to grade. You will also need to provide a letter of permission from your own federation to take part in the grading.  **BOOKING - BKA MEMBERS**  Please book onto this event through the online booking system by going through your account at [www.membership.kendo.org.uk](http://www.membership.kendo.org.uk).  Please make sure that you have booked:  1. The right seminar booking.  2. The correct grading if you are grading.  If you have any problems with the online booking system, please contact Stojanka at [jodo.bucho@gmail.com](mailto:jodo.bucho@gmail.com) |

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| **BOOKING - OVERSEAS MEMBERS**  You can now book onto the event via the BKA website  Online registration system as a “guest” member.  To do this you will need to:   1. Go to the link <http://www.membership.kendo.org.uk/html/guest_member_register.php> 2. Register a User Name and Password, email address and submit. 3. You will receive a link in your email. Click on this to confirm. 4. You will be directed to a page to enter your full details. 5. You will be allowed to book onto the events required (then follow as per BKA members instructions)   If you are unable to achieve this then please send  an e-mail to Stojanka at [jodo.bucho@gmail.com](mailto:jodo.bucho@gmail.com) with your name, current grade and whether you intend to grade. | **Suggested Accommodation**  Premier Inn  Birmingham Broad Street (Brindley Place) 80 Broad Street Birmingham B15 1AU  Ibis Styles Hotel  313 Hagley Rd  Birmingham  B16 9LQ  **Access**  The University has a main train station labelled as **University (Birmingham)** schedules of which can be found at <http://www.nationalrail.co.uk/>  Information on car parking will be published shortly on the BKA website. |

**JUNIORS (under 18 years old)**

A declaration must be completed by your parent or guardian by obtaining a form from Stojanka Vidinic

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**CANCELLATION AND REFUND**

**Cancellations must be received in writing (letter or email) by 20th July for a full refund. If you do not cancel or do not attend the event, no refunds will be made.**