



# **The British Kendo Association Jodo and Iaido Level One Coaching Course**

**8<sup>th</sup> February 2025**

## **Information Pack** **Roles and Qualities of a coach**

The course will be led by

Martin Clark – Iaido Coach Tutor

Assisted by Martin Chambers

Rob Townson

John Burn

### **Introduction**

The BKA is pleased to announce a Level 1 coaching course for both Jodo and Iaido  
The course will run from 09:30 for 10:00 – 17:00

### **The Course/Delegate notes**

Available from,  
Martin Clark - Coach Program Officer.  
at [maark@bas.ac.uk](mailto:maark@bas.ac.uk)

**You will require access to a copy of these with you on the day!**

**Closing date for Booking and Notes – 24<sup>th</sup> January 2025**

### **Venue**

Walkerville Community Centre  
6 Pinewood close (off Appletree gardens)  
Walkerville  
Newcastle upon Tyne  
NE6 4SZ

Please bring lunch.

The Day involves a teaching session, so it is advisable to wear loose clothing. Hakama is required for the day but does not have to be worn. Please bring Bokken/Jo as appropriate for the teaching session

### **The Course.**

The L1 course is aimed at those wishing to step up to the role of assistant coach and Dojo Leader.

It focuses on the Roles and Qualities these persons play in the Dojo It reinforces the ideals of correct practice, Health and Safety, Equity in your coaching and duty of care.

It also lays out the minimum requirements for you to fulfil these positions with a view to Risk assessment, Must have for Coaches, Dojo Administration, Duty of care and begins to focus on the importance of how teaching happens and how you go about teaching others, including warming up and cooling down.

**You are required to be conversant with the delegate notes and have a copy of the notes for reference on the day.**

This is the start of your coaching manual so please do not take this lightly.

Please bring Hakama and Gi these are required for one session but do need to be worn on the day.

Swords are not required but cleaning, care and taking apart may be covered.