

BRITISH JUDO ASSOCIATION

Southern Area



2006

Annual General Meeting

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Stadium Suite, Broadfield Stadium,

Broadfield, Crawley,

Sussex, RH11 9RX

7.30 pm

Addresses & Reports

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President's Report

My year has, as usual been a busy one (as has your committee's). At the end of July '05, I organised and coached the last weekend kata course to be held in Pound Hill, Crawley. This year it will be at High Wycombe.

I retired from my position as chief coach in Kin Ryu J.C. and the coaches are now Peter Seymour and Martin Rivers. I am, however, continuing to coach, both at my schools and various courses.

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|-------------------------------------|--|-------------------------------------|---|
| July '05 | | 29 th | Croydon J.C. New Dodo Opening |
| 16 th | S.A. Referees Course, Kin Ryu J.C. | March '06 | |
| 30 th /31 st | Annual Kata Course, Kin Ryu J.C. | 5 th | Kata Working Party (K.W.P.) Meeting, High Wycombe |
| September '05 | | 11 th | S.A. Technical Day, Dartford |
| 24 th | B.J.A. A.G.M. | 12 th | S.A. Open Masters And Kyu & Dan Grade Championships K2, Crawley |
| October '05 | | 19 th | Ju No Kata Course, Sovereign J.C., Reigate (Coach Tina Penfold) |
| 23 rd | S.A. Examiners Seminar, Hants. | 22 nd – 29 th | EJU Commission Meeting, Rome |
| 30 th | S.A. Jnr Orange & Senior Blue (Closed), C.P. | April '06 | |
| November '05 | | 1 st | Women's' World Cup, Birmingham |
| 3 rd | EJU Judges Seminar, The Triangle, Burgess Hill | 23 rd | S.A. Young Women's' Trials, Croydon J.C. |
| 4 th | First EJU Kata Championships As BJA Co-Ordinator Dennis Penfold, Judge Tina Penfold, British Team Manager Myself I/C Mat 1 | 27 th | Meeting With C/M Densign White, Croydon |
| 13 th | High Wycombe Event For Danny Da Costa & Simon Hicks | 29 th | Sussex A.G.M. (Flying Visit), Brighton |
| 23 rd | S.A. Meeting | 30 th | K.W.P. All Day Meeting, High Wycombe |
| December '05 | | May '06 | |
| 4 th | British Open, The Triangle, Burgess Hill | 7 th | S.A. Inter-Counties, Dartford J.C. |
| 11 th | Sussex Grading, Worthing | 21 st | Shiai/Kata Course, Joff J.C., Peacehaven |
| January '06 | | June '06 | |
| 18 th | S.A. Meeting | 4 th | British Kata Trials, Sovereign J.C. Reigate |
| 20 th – 22 nd | N. Ireland Kata Course | 11 th | S.A. Open & Youth Champs, K2 Crawley |
| 28 th | National Seminar For Senior Examiners, High Wycombe | 15 th - 22 nd | Sweden, Coaching & Judging National Champs |
| | | July '06 | |
| | | 2 nd - 9 th | Malta. Coaching & Examining European Kata Judges And Coaching Juniors (Malta & Italy) |

My congratulations to Dennis Penfold, qualified EJU judge and to Tina Penfold, British kata team manager, Turin, Italy in October. Tina has also been appointed vice chair of the world masters kata commission.

The first IJF kata championships takes place in Madrid in March 2007 - dates to be advised.

M. Leigh
President, BJA Southern Area
June 2006

Chairman's Report

The new Southern Area Committee structure has continued to function efficiently and all the area business to be conducted successfully.

As usual each of the key appointees in the area are presenting the detailed reports of their sections activities. I ask you to consider how much voluntary work they do which benefits SA members and thank them for their dedication. Chris and Marcia Mullen have moved to Norfolk so reducing their involvement with the Area. They have still taken some part in our events but of course we needed to find a new secretary. Graeme Skelly was co-opted by the committee and has made a good beginning in this demanding post.

Many S.A. achievements occurred during the year but I shall mention just a small selection.

Alan Roberts (Dartford), Ray Roberts (Bexhill) and Ben Jones from Guernsey were recognised by the BJA Honours committee. The welcome re-emergence of Judo in Guernsey was hence doubly recognised. Roy Court was also honoured for his work across the Areas.

Alan Rickard had the great pleasure of opening the new Croydon J.C. with great joy for Sheila and the Croydon club.

Equally the joy for Alan Roberts was the opening of the new Dartford premises after a similar long haul.

The area has also now established its foothold in K2, Crawley. This trio of magnificent venues add enormously to the area facilities. Croydon and Dartford will host National Squad sessions as well as our own events, while K2's four mat area will allow the largest Area events to be sited there. The Area now owns the four mat areas at K2 and for the first time has control over the facilities and resources for its events. If the coordinators are unable to attend I will give a verbal report on Personal Safety and Inclusion.

Barry James
June 2006

Accounts

| | apr 04 to mar 05 | apr 05 to mar 06 |
|------------------------------------|------------------|------------------|
| <u>INCOME</u> | £ | £ |
| Additional Needs Judo | | |
| Bank Interest | | |
| BJA Rebates | | |
| Coaching | | |
| Competitions | | |
| Examiners | | |
| Grading Levies | | |
| Miscellaneous | | |
| Sponsorship | | |
| Squads | | |
| | ----- | ----- |
| Total Income | ===== | ===== |
| <u>EXPENDITURE</u> | | |
| Accountancy Fees | | |
| Additional Needs Judo | | |
| Bad Debt | | |
| Bank Charges | | |
| Coaching | | |
| Committee Expenses | | |
| Competitions | | |
| Development | | |
| English Areas & Commonwealth Games | | |
| Examiners | | |
| Financial Commission | | |
| Grading Levies | | |
| Honoraria | | |
| Newsletter / PR | | |
| Refereeing | | |
| Secretary / Chairman | | |
| Sponsorship | | |
| Squads | | |
| | ----- | ----- |
| Total Expenditure | | |
| Total Income | | |
| | ----- | ----- |
| Net | ===== | ===== |
| | (04/05) | (05/06) |

Accounts - Continued

BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31 March 2006

| | £ | £ |
|-------------------------------------|-------|-------|
| Current Assets Represented by: | | |
| Debtors | | |
| Bank Balances | | |
| | ----- | ----- |
| Current Liabilities Represented by: | | |
| Creditors | | |
| | ----- | ----- |
| Net Current Assets | | |
| Represented by: | | |
| Balance b/f | | |
| Less Excess Expenditure / Income | | |
| | ----- | ----- |
| Funds Balance cfrd | | |
| | ===== | ===== |

Richard K Anderson
Southern Area Treasurer

Independent Examiner's Report

To The Members of The British Judo Association Southern Area

Income and Expenditure Account for the 12 Months Ended 31 March 2006
and Balance Sheet as at 31 March 2006

I have examined the Financial Statements and notes to the accounts. The accounts examined show income £, Expenditure £, for the period £ with Net Current Assets of £

Respective Responsibilities of Officers and Examiner

The officers of the club are responsible for the preparation of accounts detailing the income and expenditure for the club and its financial situation at the year end. It is my responsibility to examine the accounts, without performing an audit, and to report to the members.

Basis of Examiner's Statement

An examination includes a review of the accounting records kept by the club officials and a comparison of the accounts presented with those records. It also includes a review of the accounts and making such enquiries as are necessary for the purposes of this report. The procedures do not constitute an audit.

Examiner's Statement

Based on my examination, no matter has come to my attention which gives me reasonable cause to believe that in any material respect the accounts presented do not accord with the club records.

J Gomer
FCCA Certified Accountant
5 June 2006

Treasurer's Report

The attached account sheet shows that the Southern Area again received a good income over 2005/6 and has maintained a substantial reserve. Significantly, the BJA continues to fulfil its commitment by giving the areas a rebate from the membership subscription income.

The Southern Area would like to thank Mrs Carey for the generous donation of £ given in memory of her husband Alan and to be used towards Additional Needs Judo. Further thanks go to John Bushnell for approaching EDF Energy and gaining an award of £ for the further development of judo in the Area.

2005/6 has been an extraordinary year for the Southern Area as it can now boast 3 superb new judo venues. The Southern Area has been able to assist the development of these projects with financial help. Both Croydon Judo Club in Surrey and Dartford Judo Club in Kent received £ from the Southern Area towards the cost of mats and fittings. K2 Leisure Centre in Crawley, Sussex has the potential to be the major competition venue for the BJA at all levels, this will be of considerable benefit to the Southern Area. Consequently, the Southern Area has invested £ in facilities at K2 to achieve this objective.

Once again the Southern Area was pleased to be able to sponsor 2 Young Judo Players in the Area. The Area Squad Managers nominated Katrina McDonald and Bradley Belsey to share £ during the 2005/2006 financial period.

It will be noted that under 'Examiners' a net expenditure of £ was incurred. This was due to the cost of running the biannual revalidation seminars this year. Analogously, there were no refereeing seminars this year so there was no large expenditure as was the case in the 2004/5 figures.

The accounts were submitted to Julie Gomer of Aquarian Accounting for examination and her report is attached.

Richard K Anderson
Treasurer, BJA Southern Area
June 2006

Coaching Report

There has been varied activity during the year.

Some difficulties generated from the NCC have presented problems in running coach award courses. During the year, however 2 were held:

Croydon - mainly to pick up people who had already part completed previous courses - run by Eddie Awford.

Rainham, Kent run by Terry Malkinson.

There were two coach revalidation days, one in Hampshire by Derek Pears, which included a child protection course, and one in Kent by Alan Roberts, which was a day with varied presentations.

I have now qualified as a BJA KATA Examiner, and have begun the process of development towards the new coaching structure assessor qualification.

I was very please to be presented with the "BJA Volunteer of the Year Award" at the British "A" Tournament.

Alan Roberts
June 2006

Male Squad Report

It is very pleasing to see the opening of 2 new Dojos in the area, at Croydon and at Dartford.

These two excellent facilities give all aspects of Judo the very best opportunities for training and courses.

Area players have continued with success throughout the year, gaining medals and selection to all major events.

The trip to Zuidland was again very successful, and the Dutch Clubs will be visiting us to compete in the Kent Open.

Area players also competed successfully at events in Dunkirk France and Valenza Italy. The Italians are also coming to compete in the Kent Open this year.

Several successful regional training sessions have been run, in conjunction with the BJA, and more recently monthly sessions are being held for Southern players, at Dartford Mondays and Thursdays, and London players at Croydon on Thursdays.

I have just returned from a very successful Commonwealth Judo Tournament held in Northern Ireland, where I was England Head Coach

Alan Roberts
June 2006

Female Squad Report

Area players have continued with success throughout the year, gaining selection and medals to major events, including cadet, junior, masters and seniors Europeans, junior, masters and seniors World Championships, World Cup events, the Commonwealth Tournament and cadet, junior and senior A class and B class tournaments.

The Area senior women participated in Zuidland with success.

There have been WCSP regional sessions and now the two Southern Area dojos – Croydon and Dartford – are functioning, there are new open monthly sessions for the WCSP age band. This is to be expanded to include junior and senior players.

Mandy Humphrey
June 2006

Competition Report

During the end of 2005 a decision was made to move out of Crystal Palace National Sports Centre into the newly built K2 Centre in Crawley. There were various reasons why the move was made, the main one being the uncertain future of the building, whether it was going to be refurbished or pulled down.

Moving into the new Centre was no mean feat, firstly the centre did not have any mats and secondly the staff had no experience in holding Judo competitions. We were very lucky to be able to purchase some very good second hand mats from Dartford JC and Kin Ryu who were moving to new premises and a quantity of mats from Dorking JC. In addition mats were also donated by Croydon JC and Hampshire County. Following some hard negotiating we received permission to store the mats at K2 and are now the owners of 4 full size mat areas.

Three Competition Officials from the Southern Area were invited to officiate at the First Great Britain Women's World Cup in Birmingham: R Luff (Sussex) J Lingham (Kent) and J Bushnell (Surrey)

During the past year the competitions organised by the Southern Area were:

- Sept 05. First English Special Needs Championships at Portsmouth
50+ entries, Tournament Director J Bushnell, entries collated by J Cleere from the Northern Home Counties
- Oct 05. Orange and Under Junior Open Championships (360 entries) and Southern Area Senior Closed Championships (62 entries) at Crystal Palace, Tournament Director J Bushnell, entries collated by N and P Sexton
- March 06. South of England Open Dan and Kyu Grade Championships at K2 (85 entries).
Tournament Director J Bushnell, entries collated by J Bushnell
- May 06 Southern Area Inter Counties at the new Dartford JC (16 teams entered)
Hosted by Kent County, Tournament Director J Lingham
- May 06 National Team Championships on behalf of the BJA (19 teams entered) at K2,
Tournament Director and entries J Bushnell
- June 06 South of England Open Junior and Youth Championships (264 entries) at K2
Tournament Director and entries J Bushnell

Future events organised by the Southern Area during 2006/2007 are:

- Nov 06 South of England Orange and Under Open Championships at K2 Crawley
- March 07 Dan and Kyu Grade Championships at K2 Crawley
- June 07 South of England Open Junior and Youth Championships
- Nov 07 South of England Orange and Under Open Championships at K2 Crawley

TBA Southern Area Inter Counties hosted by Sussex County

After being impressed with the set up at K2 the following National Events are to be held
January 2007 Senior British Open Championships
March 2007 Junior British Open Championships

John Bushnell
June 2006

Refereeing Report

Firstly, many thanks to all the referees, both from and outside the Area, that have supported the Area throughout the past year.

The Area's events continue to run smoothly, with enough referees attending.

Outside of the Area, its referees continue to be busy - refereeing at events throughout the country, and abroad.

This year's highlights included the Master, Senior, Cadet, Junior and Visually Impaired British Opens and the Welsh, Irish and Zuidland (Holland) Opens. Laura Sexton continues with her Special Needs refereeing both home and abroad. The Area's IJF referees continue their international duties; refereeing at events including the European Masters and Women's World Cup.

There have been no Area courses this year.

Lisa Harrison passed her final National 'A' assessment at the British Closed.

All four counties continue to hold successful junior official courses and exams.

Alan Lingham continues his appointment on the National Refereeing Commission, as Junior Official Coordinator.

The Area Refereeing Sub-Committee continues with Chris Mullen (Chair), Claire Greenwood (Secretary/Technical), Martin Rivers (Senior Registrar) and Peter Seymour (Junior Registrar).

The Area's refereeing numbers are (2005 in brackets):

IJF A: 3 (3); IJF B: 2 (2); S.Nat 1 (1); Nat A: 8 (7); Nat B: 9 (11); Nat C: 10 (11); Area: 14 (12)

Martin Rivers
June 2006

Director of Examiners' Report

This past year has been one of considerable change as a result of decisions made by the National Promotions Commission and at the same time one of steady progress in the Area towards our objectives.

Your Examiners/Promotions Commission has met 4 times during the past year and there has been one change in the membership. Sheila Hearsey resigned as the representative for Surrey and was replaced by Richard Anderson.

The major task of the Commission was to re-institute the biennial Area Examiners Seminars. These were held at New Forest Park Judo club in October 2005 and Dartford Judo Club in January of this year. Both were well attended and the guest presentation on both occasions was given by Roy Inman, the joint Chairman of the National Promotions Commission, who took the opportunity to pursue the new requirements for both non-competitive and competitive promotions. Both seminars were approved by the national Coaching Commission as events that could be used as re-qualifying events for coaches.

I together with many of the Area's Senior Examiners attended the National Senior Examiners Conference at High Wycombe in January. As a result all who attended are qualified to examine under the new non-competitive promotions scheme and a list of these Senior Examiners is attached.

Work carried out by Martin Rivers has now come to fruition and for the first time in many years the County co-ordinators have a list of the Area Examiners both Senior and Ordinary. In regard to Dan gradings, it was my intention to use all the Area Senior Examiners on a rota basis. However it was pointed out that this system would mean increased travelling expenses. As a result the Area Senior Examiners are now pooled and the County Co-ordinators who organise the gradings can use any Senior Examiners from the pool. This means that, for example Sussex Dan gradings, will use examiners principally from Sussex but also from other counties in the S.A.

The new grading sheets issued by the BJA were found by Examiners to be inadequate for their needs and representations were made. As a result we got permission to redesign the forms. This is currently being carried out by a small working party under the chairmanship of the Area Registrar.

The Commission produced 2 newsletters providing information, guidance etc for examiners and coaches. Whilst only 2 were produced it is intended that there will eventually be 4 per year.

In response to national concerns regarding players who find it difficult and sometimes impossible to grade because of age or weight problems your Commission approved a system of grading by assessment. This has proved very successful on the occasions it has been used and I am pleased to see, is now incorporated into national grading policies.

Nationally we were consulted on draft guidelines on parings for juniors. We considered that the proposal were far too wide allowing too much weight difference, particularly at the lower weights, and made representations to this effect.

A system of Supervision Examiners for the training of new Examiners has been re-introduced and new cards are currently being proposed and will be issued as soon as they are available.

In the next 12 months it is proposed to:

- a) produce a grading handbook for examiners in an attempt to obtain absolute consistency in all aspects throughout the area and work has already started on this
- b) increase the number of newsletters produced; and
- c) improve our communications to inform Examiners and Coaches of Area policies, news, etc.

Director of Examiners' Report - Continued

Finally I would like to thank all the Commission members for their hard work during the past 12 months, and particularly to Peter Powell for his excellent work as Area Registrar.

Keith Adams
June 2006

The National Senior Examiners Technical Conference Attendance & Technical Assessors List - Saturday 28' January 2006

| NAME | LIC No | S E No | NAME | LIC No | S E No |
|------------------|-----------|--------|-----------------------|---------|------------|
| Mark Denney | O18969 | 190 | Kevin Charlton | A62019 | 179 |
| Keith Adams | B92753 | 132 | Alan Roberts | L327 | 183 |
| A.P. Asquith | L212 | 69 | David Etchells-Butler | 196237 | 178 |
| John Pluckrose | L51 | 225 | Terry Adams | L147 | 68 |
| Graham Turner | L352 | 106 | Roy Francis | O09640 | Dofe YandH |
| David Hunter | M????? | 233 | Jill West | O34043 | 232 |
| Eddie Awford | O40428 | 219 | Douglas Willetts | WJA04 | 165 |
| Ray Toppie | L109 | 09 | William Webb | O30202 | 222 |
| Ray Harrington | WJA24 | 229 | Jeff Brady | 0149 | 97 |
| Michael Bowmer | O30654 | 180 | Mick Leigh | L151 | 18 |
| Andrew Burt | 11217 | 228 | Patrick Byrne | D70521 | 172 |
| Dawn Byrne | O31856 | 226 | Robert Thomas | L1724 | 104 |
| M. Maguire | 10141 | 156 | Richard Briggs | NE1151S | 154 |
| Derek Webster | L0376 | 110 | Christopher Taylor | O18634 | 182 |
| Ricky Sloane | NIJF2375S | 230 | A. Edwards | O39746 | 226 |
| Paul Jordan | J97661 | 186 | Kim Tilley | O34234 | 202 |
| Eddie Cassidy | MR/10706 | 27 | Richard Barraclough | O45561 | 26 |
| Chris Hunt | O07052 | 148 | Roger Houston | A61886 | 158 |
| David Martin | B23351 | 171 | Len Stables | O42881 | 60 |
| Steve Pullen | D99685 | 213 | Matthew Snowball | 86 | 86 |
| Tony Higgins | 10310 | 198 | Matthew Clempner | K19886 | 214 |
| James Gillespie | L 113 | 128 | Dave Stanley | L124 | 101 |
| Michael McCarthy | L296 | 130 | John Dearden | L364 | 224 |
| David Duffy | L28769 | 206 | Angela Williams | D28106 | 231 |
| John O'Brien | L132 | 163 | Dave Horton-Jones | O19802 | 196 |
| John Pont | G17050 | 175 | Marion Woodward | L318 | 117 |
| Dave Clarke | O15628 | 199 | Terry Malkinson | L46 | 173 |
| Derek Paxton | L184 | 139 | Warren Schofield | E26414 | 221 |
| Alan Kimber | D33521 | 100 | Trever Sitlinton | O30319 | 120 |
| David Smith | WJA10476 | 141 | Peter Blewett | O32262 | 90 |
| David Ede | C66706 | 164 | Neil Malone | 2267 | 197 |
| Neil Adams | L247 | 45 | F.J.Blunt | L229 | 223 |
| Dennis Penfold | F74426 | 51 | Paul Vinnyey | O22197 | 185 |
| Dermot Heslop | L311 | 151 | Tom Foster | L366 | 118 |
| Joe Foster | L354 | 102 | John Gibson | L353 | 203 |
| James McKenzie | M51779 | 209 | Darren Dean | 10497 | ? |
| Peter Salter | O175053 | TDA | Joyce Mally | A075?? | TDA |
| Alan Rickard | L/M | TDA | Tony Sweeney | L/M | TDA |
| Densign White | L329 | TDA | David Barnard | L/M | TDA |
| Chris Bowles | M19863 | TDA | John Richie | O08641 | TDA |
| David Cooper | O47947 | TDA | Stephen Fraser | K03484 | TDA |
| Sarah Hopkins | A24615 | TDA | Derek Hopkins | M22898 | TDA |
| Jim Syrett | MR2100 | ? Scot | James Brown | 2734 | ? Scot |
| Ian Grant | MR1113 | ? Scot | Roy Inman OBE | L005 | 4 |

Grading Registrar's Report

Since taking on this responsibility two years ago, there has been a lot of development that has helped the Southern Area progress further. For me in particular the introduction of the 1st to 6th Mon system where all moneys are paid direct to the BJA and the relevant areas are then reimbursed by Head Office, has helped remove one small burden of copious amounts of cheques.

The next particular problem is the need to get the paperwork, which has been meticulously well kept by Mr John Pluckrose, into an order so that this can be then processed onto a computer database for easier access and to finally be able to dispense with paperwork that has accumulated since 1984 and then to keep only the necessary paperwork required. This will take some time to sift through and patience is required. However any queries concerning memberships etc can still be sent to me but the more information I get the easier it becomes.

The transfer of the information held on these sheets has been approved however it has taken a bit of time to kick start the process, but I am assured by Martin Rivers that the process will begin soon.

We now have in place our County Co-ordinators who have been a big help in dealing with questions and passing on the information to the Counties concerned. There are still a few problems to deal with but I believe the Counties are working well with their help.

However for some unknown reason there are still some Clubs who do not conform despite all notification having been provided during the past 2 years and do not know who or where to send information/grading sheets. I would like to thank Mr Pluckrose for his patience in receiving and forwarding to me any letters he may get. I would like to ask if all clubs can also pass on the information or ask them to visit the Southern Area Website. It would be very much appreciated!

At the two seminars held within the past year, one at Calmore and the other Dartford, it was expressed as an Area that we were very unhappy with having drifted back 20 years to accept the new grading sheets. These were triple carbon copies and what a pain they were. It was decided at these meetings that we should go back to the original until such time that a new and more acceptable one could be produced. This is still ongoing and a copy of these sheets will be on the Southern Area Website for you to give your opinions shortly.

There is also someone looking at producing a temporary one, new style, to see if this will be acceptable and of course get opinions from across the Southern Area. It is hoped that this will be in the none to distant future.

Grading Registrar's Report - Continued

Additionally a lot of the paperwork for the Southern Area has now been put onto computer.

I stated last year that the Report I gave was not a true reflection of the Grading System of the Southern Area and that this year (2006) would be more improved and up to date. The figure provided by me as the Southern Area Registrar is enclosed. It is a true reflection of players who have attended Gradings within the Southern Area between April 1st 2005 and March 31st 2006. It is also all on computer now and a record is always kept for perusal.

So to conclude the following points need remembering:

1. 1st to 6th Mon grading fees all to BJA HQ Southern Area reimbursed, reduction in moneys being posted through the mailing system.
2. Progress on the paperwork being transferred to a database, eventually getting rid of the paper mountain accumulated since 1984
3. Eventually easier access to grading information via this database
4. Continual support to the County Co-ordinators from Committees and all County Examiners.
5. Change back to original Grading Sheets
6. Production of more acceptable Grading Sheet - when ready it will be placed on the website for approval (copies sent by snail mail if requested)
7. Reduction of paperwork presented to me
8. A true reflection of the state of persons entering gradings in the Southern Area and now on computer and a change to a financial year basis (April to March).

And finally I would like to thank all of you for your support over the past year, and also over the period of time I have been the Registrar and hope that this will continue. The Southern Area would not be in this healthy state without you. Should you need to contact me it is easier by e-mail as I can access it from anywhere.

THANK YOU

Peter Powell
Registrar, BJA Southern Area
June 2006

Grading Stats 2006

| HANTS | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|---------------|------------|------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|----------|----|----|----|--------------|------------|
| GIRLS & BOYS | 1-5 MON | 506 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 506 | |
| BOYS | 6M | 7M | 8M | 9M | 10M | 11M | 12M | 13M | 14M | 15M | 16M | 17M | | | | | |
| | 110 | 19 | 21 | 18 | 22 | 14 | 15 | 11 | 7 | 5 | 1 | | | | | 243 | |
| GIRLS | 6M | 7M | 8M | 9M | 10M | 11M | 12M | 13M | 14M | 15M | 16M | 17M | | | | | |
| | 17 | 4 | 6 | 2 | 7 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | 44 | |
| MEN | NOVICE | 9K | 8K | 7K | 6K | 5K | 4K | 3K | 2K | 1K | 1D | 2D | 3D | 4D | 5D | CONVER | |
| | 5 | 54 | 11 | 10 | 10 | 8 | 7 | 7 | 10 | 6 | 4 | | | | | 132 | |
| WOMEN | NOVICE | 9K | 8K | 7K | 6K | 5K | 4K | 3K | 2K | 1K | 1D | 2D | 3D | 4D | 5D | CONVER | |
| | | 7 | 2 | 3 | 3 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | 20 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | TOTAL | 945 |
| KENT | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| GIRLS & BOYS | 1-5 MON | 183 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 183 | |
| BOYS | 6M | 7M | 8M | 9M | 10M | 11M | 12M | 13M | 14M | 15M | 16M | 17M | | | | | |
| | 35 | 15 | 11 | 7 | 10 | 5 | 11 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 3 | | | | | 103 | |
| GIRLS | 6M | 7M | 8M | 9M | 10M | 11M | 12M | 13M | 14M | 15M | 16M | 17M | | | | | |
| | 17 | 4 | 6 | 7 | 7 | 1 | 1 | 4 | | 4 | 1 | | | | | 52 | |
| MEN | NOVICE | 9K | 8K | 7K | 6K | 5K | 4K | 3K | 2K | 1K | 1D | 2D | 3D | 4D | 5D | CONVER | |
| | 9 | 9 | 2 | 5 | 3 | 1 | 2 | 4 | 3 | | | | | | | 40 | |
| WOMEN | NOVICE | 9K | 8K | 7K | 6K | 5K | 4K | 3K | 2K | 1K | 1D | 2D | 3D | 4D | 5D | CONVER | |
| | | | 1 | | 2 | | 1 | | 1 | | | | | | | 5 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | TOTAL | 383 |
| SURREY | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| GIRLS & BOYS | 1-5 MON | 493 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 493 | |
| BOYS | 6M | 7M | 8M | 9M | 10M | 11M | 12M | 13M | 14M | 15M | 16M | 17M | | | | | |
| | 71 | 28 | 31 | 21 | 11 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 2 | | 1 | | | | | 180 | |
| GIRLS | 6M | 7M | 8M | 9M | 10M | 11M | 12M | 13M | 14M | 15M | 16M | 17M | | | | | |
| | 20 | 7 | 6 | 6 | 4 | 2 | 1 | 1 | | 1 | | | | | | 48 | |
| MEN | NOVICE | 9K | 8K | 7K | 6K | 5K | 4K | 3K | 2K | 1K | 1D | 2D | 3D | 4D | 5D | CONVER | |
| | | 6 | 1 | 2 | 3 | | 2 | 2 | 2 | | | | | | | 5 | |
| WOMEN | NOVICE | 9K | 8K | 7K | 6K | 5K | 4K | 3K | 2K | 1K | 1D | 2D | 3D | 4D | 5D | CONVER | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 0 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | TOTAL | 744 |
| SUSSEX | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| GIRLS & BOYS | 1-5 MON | 285 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 285 | |
| BOYS | 6M | 7M | 8M | 9M | 10M | 11M | 12M | 13M | 14M | 15M | 16M | 17M | | | | | |
| | 37 | 24 | 18 | 20 | 24 | 11 | 16 | 11 | 7 | 5 | 3 | 2 | | | | 178 | |
| GIRLS | 6M | 7M | 8M | 9M | 10M | 11M | 12M | 13M | 14M | 15M | 16M | 17M | | | | | |
| | 19 | 8 | 11 | 7 | 2 | 5 | 2 | 4 | 5 | 1 | | | | | | 64 | |
| MEN | NOVICE | 9K | 8K | 7K | 6K | 5K | 4K | 3K | 2K | 1K | 1D | 2D | 3D | 4D | 5D | CONVER | |
| | 18 | 9 | 9 | 18 | 14 | 15 | 8 | 9 | 22 | 49 | 11 | 6 | | | | 2 | |
| WOMEN | NOVICE | 9K | 8K | 7K | 6K | 5K | 4K | 3K | 2K | 1K | 1D | 2D | 3D | 4D | 5D | CONVER | |
| | 1 | 4 | | 1 | 2 | 1 | 7 | 5 | 5 | 33 | 4 | | | | | 7 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | TOTAL | 787 |

| HANTS | KENT | SURREY | SUSSEX | SA TOTAL |
|------------|------------|------------|------------|-------------|
| 945 | 383 | 744 | 787 | 2859 |

Development Report

During the past year my work plan has mainly been led by development required around individual clubs – this has been linked in a big way with Clubmark and the accreditation process for these clubs to gain sport England's "kitemark".

Other issues usually arise from this initiative – one of the biggest being Coach development this goes hand in hand with Volunteer development and has taken up a lot of my "one to one" time with clubs, Identifying courses – some individuals having to go out of Area, sourcing SCUUK Good Practice and Child Protection and First aid courses and also CRB processing.

22 free places were accessed in Sussex on Generic GP &CP courses and 40 coaches managed to revalidate in Hampshire – with thanks to Derek Pears the then Assistant ATD as this course was part of the Coach revalidation day.

34 Southern Area clubs are registered as working towards Clubmark, 7 have already achieved the award.

(15 in Sussex, 3 achieved the award)

(8 in Hampshire, 1 achieved the award)

(4 in Surrey. 2 achieved the award)

(7 in Kent 1 achieved the award)

So there is still along way to go.

The other important areas for these clubs are also around Schools development – this has taken the role of strategic cluster work around Clubmark clubs. The fact that the previous Schools Development Officers post has not been filled has slowed down some of this work. Joyce Malley Schools Development Officer for the West, however touches into Hampshire and is working with Clubs in the Southampton.

A post that has been funded through PESSCL. The Government initiative for PE and School Sport Clubs links is working well in East Sussex, with Coach Aaron Church delivering 10 hours of Judo in schools in Hastings. This has supported the extra judo activity around the Sussex Youth Games.

Other Youth Games this year, which have supplemented the well-established Surrey Youth Games, have come on line in Hampshire. An Awards for All application was successful for just under £5k to support this and the development of Volunteers in the area – this is somewhat of a pilot scheme and could be duplicated if successful.

Also closer links with the County Sports Partnership have brought in further finances to support young talented players.

I have attended various County and Area meetings – also local events and competitions – New facilities in Dartford and Croydon are a major achievement for the individual Clubs and other Clubs have facility issues that need addressing. The Southern Area has worked on a Development plan – but has no Development Committee to drive this through – this is an area of work that could be beneficial to the way forward for the Area, which is rich in Judo activity.

Karen French

June 2006

Future Dates

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| 15 July | Sussex Junior Refereeing Course | Keisen JC, East Grinstead |
| 16 July | South Coast Junior & Youth Open | Worthing |
| 22 July | National Promotion Examination | High Wycombe JC |
| 23 July | Kent County Mon, Kyu and Dan Grading | Chatham |
| 30 July | Sussex Junior Red Belt Invitation | Worthing |
| 30 July | Sussex Senior Blue Belt & Under Open | Worthing |
| 27 August | British Closed Special Needs Championships | Walsall JC |
| 17 September | Sussex County Mon, Kyu, Dan Grading | Worthing |
| 17 September | BJA British Open Kata Championships 2006 | High Wycombe JC |
| 17 September | BJA British Junior Kata Championships 2006 | High Wycombe JC |
| 1 October | Surrey County Mon, Kyu and Dan Grading | Carshalton |
| 15 October | Hampshire Mon, Kyu and Dan Grading | Portsmouth |
| 15 October | Kent County Mon, Kyu and Dan Grading | Dartford |
| 29 October | Hampshire Junior & Senior Split Grade Open | Portsmouth |
| 5 November | Junior Orange and Under Open Championships | K2, Crawley |
| 5 November | Senior Closed Championships | K2, Crawley |
| 12 November | South Coast Junior Yellow & Red Belt Open | Worthing |
| 26 November | Sussex Closed Trials | Worthing |
| 10 December | Sussex County Mon, Kyu, Dan Grading | Worthing |

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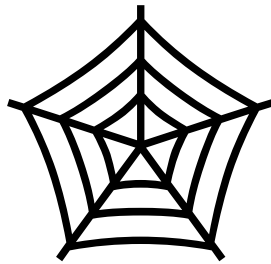
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