

APRIL 2006

Holiday In Dixie Martial Arts Championship Tournament

There were 12 competitors from our school that competed in the Holiday In Dixie Tournament. There were a total of 21 trophies won by our students.

Justin Lewis

Cecily Stevenson

Ben Hayes

Lane Hammons

Sherri Stevenson

Steven Henry

Dylan Dison

Taylor Dick

Gavin Hodges

Dustin Gunderson

MarQuisha Brown

Jake Honeycutt

CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL WHO COMPETED!!!!!!

STUDENT OF THE MONTH

Mays Student of the Month is Ben Hayes. Ben is the son of Larry and Kim Hayes of Princeton, La and attends BPCCC.

We have trained hundreds of excellent students over the years, but Ben is in a class all by himself. Ben excels in kata, kumite, and Ju-Jitsu. In tournament competition he has won first place in each of the above events.

Even though he is such a well rounded martial artist his first love is Ju-Jitsu (grappling).

Ben has not reached the level of brown belt yet, but he regularly beats much larger, stronger and more experienced Ju-Jitsu Black belts at area tournaments.

What is even more impressive is Ben's great attitude, coachability, super sportsmanship, and his desire to help elevate his dojo mates to the top with him.

We are all honored and proud to have Ben on our team at Clyde Stanley's Karate and Self-Defense. Congratulations Ben!!!

HALF-CIRCLE JU-JITSU

Pick up your study sheet and sign-up for your belt review in the office today ! Study sheets for each belt rank (yellow, orange, and blue) are now available.

All who successfully complete this test will receive a beautiful, suitable for framing Half-Circle Certificate, and colorful patches for their uniforms.

Join the elite group of martial artists with rank in both Karate and Ju-Jitsu.

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Master Denny Shaffer

Master Denny Shaffer, 9th degree black belt and black belt student of the legendary Bruce Lee, taught at our school on May 3 & 4.

Master Shaffer taught his favorite kumite techniques and worked on footwork, angles, striking techniques and ring strategies.

Everyone in attendance gained the knowledge and tools to bring home a first place trophy.

To read Master Shaffers account of the seminar, go to his website—
www.Shaffersdragons.com.

Hall of Fame Tournament

The time for the Hall of Fame Tournament is approaching. It will be held Friday, August 4 and Saturday, August 5, 2006 in Gatlinburg , Tenn.. There will be a banquet Friday night and the tournament will be Saturday.

We will be holding a raffle to help raise money to help pay some of the expenses for the competition team.

Gatlinburg is a wonderful family vacation destination. There is so much to do that you could spend a month and not do everything. Dollywood is only a short distance from Gatlinburg. In Gatlinburg you can ride go carts, play laser tag, ride an aerial tramway or go to the Ripley's Aquarium of the Smokies. Plan your vacation now and join in on the fun!