

# Rayners Lane Taekwon-do Academy

## News Letter

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### Student of the Month – Kate Barry

This month's award goes to Kate for a number of reasons. Not only has she made progress on certain areas of training that have been nagging her for some time, meaning a possible overcoming of a mental barrier, which I am very pleased about, but over the last few months (in fact always) has been very supportive in administrating, helping and organising events for the Academy. She has been involved in organising the camping, helping organising the boat trip, looking for venues for the Christmas dinner as well as a few other things and despite having a pretty busy schedule still attends training regularly. Kate's help above and beyond simply turning up to train makes the Academy a much more social and interactive place to be a member of, so this award is a 'well done' from me and a 'thank you' on behalf of the Academy. Congratulations Kate.



### Christmas Dinner

As of yet, we haven't managed to find a place suitable to host the annual Christmas Dinner, though we are confident we will very soon. We are hoping to book somewhere for 16th December (a Saturday) and as such need everyone to bring in a £10 deposit by the end of this month. An email will go around to let everyone know where we have booked as soon as we know.

### Boat Trip

The boat trip has been booked and everyone that is going should have received an email about it all. We will be holding a meeting in Jan 07 to finalize certain details with everyone going, so keep an eye out for the date.



### Special Letter

By now all students/parents should have received a personalised letter titled "Special Information Letter - October 2006" which details lots of information that all students need to know in readiness for our move to the new hall this month. If you haven't had one, please see Mr Anslow ASAP. If you have had one, please ensure you return the last page ASAP.

"He who lives only to benefit himself  
confers on the world a benefit when he  
dies." - Tertullian

### Student Of the Year

All senior students (red belt and above) who haven't given their student of the year votes in yet, should do so straight away.

### International Irish Championships

Wishing Mr Sultan the very best of luck for this massive tournament. Mr Sultan is the only student from Rayners Lane entering this event, along with a small squad from Mr McCarthy's school.

### White Tigers Comp

This tournament takes place on 19th November. Venue details will be given shortly to those that have entered. Black belts and juniors will have to be there in the morning around 10am, but I have it on good authority that adult students don't have to arrive until midday which is a bonus.

"With rank comes responsibility!"  
Richard Chun, Taekwon-do Master

### December Grading

With the new hall move etc. we are still working out the best day/s to host the December grading. Actual dates will be in the December news letter and emailed around as soon as confirmed for definite, however, if you wish to grade please let Mr Anslow know ASAP and hand in your license by the end of the month so your credits can be checked, as well as checking to see if your standards are up for the task.

### New Calendar

The web site has a new calendar feature, which will be updated as and when new dates appear and is easy to check out competition days, grading days etc. should you forget.

**License Renewals due:** Mr Gautam,  
David Lane, Charlotte Fox, Hiral Chohan,  
Dennis Potipako, Lyndsey Reynolds

### Moving

We are scheduled to start training in the new hall from Monday, 20th November 2006.

