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		<i>Tue</i>	<i>Wed</i>	<i>Thu</i>	<i>Fri</i>	<i>Sat</i>
	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>  Sensei Alyssa Happy Birthday	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b> Mighty Mites 4:30-5:30p Advance 5:30-7p No Weapons Promotion Ceremony White/yellow/All 7:15p  Sensei Joane Orbon Happy Birthday!	<b>6</b> Mighty Mites 11-12n 12n-1:30p Color Belts Tokubetsu 5-7p  Promotion Testing 2pm White & Yellow, Orange and Up Combined testing
<b>7</b> Tokubetsu-2 9-11am  Leadership mtg 11a-1p Winter In House Referee Judges Scorekeeper Timekeeper training bring your notebooks!	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>10</b>  Please Make Up Your Classes Early in the Month!	<b>11</b>	<b>12</b> Mighty Mites 4:30-5:30p Advance Class 5:30 – 7:00p Weapons 7-8:30p	<b>13</b> Mighty Mites 11-12n 12n-1:30p Color Belts No Tokubetsu  West Coast Open Seattle, WA
<b>14</b> No Tokubetsu  West Coast Open Seattle, WA	<b>15</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>19</b> Mighty Mites 4:30-5:30p Advance 5:30-7p Weapons 7-8p	<b>20</b> Mighty Mites 11-12n 12n-1:30p Color Belts Tokubetsu 5-7p  Carson Oaks Community Church Karate Demo 12noon
<b>21</b> Tokubetsu-2- 9-11a	<b>22</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>24</b> Please Make Up Your Classes Early in the Month!	<b>25</b>	<b>26</b> Mighty Mites 4:30-5:30p Advance 5:30-7p Weapons 7-8:30p	<b>27</b> Mighty Mites 11-12n 12n-1:30p Color Belts Tokubetsu 5-7p
<b>28</b> Tokubetsu-2 9-11am	<b>29</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>31</b> Dojo Closed! 			

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# Tibon's Goju Gazette



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## Tournaments & Events This Year

2018 West Coast Open Internationals Martial Arts  
Championship Pierce College Health Education Center  
Gymnasium 9401 Farwest Dr. SW, Lakewood, WA 98498  
October 14, 2018 please let Mrs. Tibon if you are planning to go.

Bay Area Cities Karate and Kobudo Championships Sunday  
November 12, 2018 at San Mateo High School.

Tibon's Goju Ryu 34<sup>th</sup> Annual Winter IN HOUSE Karate  
Championships December 2, 2018 Lincoln High School,  
And Advance Seminar and Black Belt Testing  
Dec.1' 2018 Saturday

46<sup>th</sup> Annual Steveston International Karate Championships  
Richmond B.C. 4111 Moncton St. Richmond, Canada  
February 23, 2019.

## Welcome New Students Tibon's Goju Ryu Organization

Gael Fernandez Giovanni Espinoza Jared Espinoza Sophia Marley  
Emiliano Carrera Westley Veglia Dean Zulacia Sabrina Baniaga  
Keila Ramirez Israel Jackson Athena Casimiro Zeldia Casimiro  
Patrick Gatze Mikaela Illamas Jade Romero Eli Garcia  
Aidan Giovinazzo Sonepasut Meksouvann Devin Lewis  
Monroe Ponce Matthew Dakopolas Alexander Dakopolas  
Aiden Ivanco John Fugazi

**Welcome Back:** Isaiah Floyd Israel Floyd Barry Keane  
Austin Vance – Medlin Micah Padilla



## Promotion Testing!

October 5th Promotion Ceremony 7:15p Friday  
October 6<sup>th</sup> Saturday Promotion Testing 2:15pm  
White & Yellow, Orange and Up Combined testing!  
Start checking in 2pm



Sunday October 7<sup>th</sup> 11am – 1pm  
Leadership Meeting Ranking Green 3 –Black Belts  
Only! Main dojo location of meeting.

## Tibon's Goju Ryu Karate Athletes Are Outstanding At 45<sup>th</sup> Annual Invitational International Karate Championships in Los Angeles Congratulations!





**Fiestas 45<sup>th</sup> Annual Invitational International Karate  
Championships Sunday September 16, 2018 South Gate Sports Los Angeles**



**Congratulations to our Tibon's Goju Ryu Karate Kids! They all did a fantastic job just coming out of the nationals taking their hard work to other competitions in the search of experience. Tibon's Goju Ryu also awarded the Most Supported Dojo Award. Next tournament up is our 34th Tibon's Winter IN HOUSE Karate Championships you can register for our event at [www.KarateTmaster.com](http://www.KarateTmaster.com) See tournament results next page!**



# 45th Annual Invitational International Karate Championships Results

Members of Tibon's Goju Ryu Fighting Arts Karate Studio travelled to Los Angeles this weekend to compete in the Los Angeles area for a great international event.

The results are as follows:

**Asa Thurston** 1st place men's 18 - 34 yr. old black belt Kobudo (weapons), 1st place black belt synchronized Kata 15 yrs. old over.

**Aaron Tran** 1st place boys 15-17 yr. old intermediate Kata (forms), 1st place black belt 15 yrs. - up synchronized Kata, and 3rd place boys 15-17 yrs. old intermediate Kumite (fighting).

**Amy Tran** 1st place girls 11 -12 yr. old novice Kata.

**Chris Gong** 1st place mixed 11- 14 yr. old black belt Kobudo

**Ellis Chen** 1st place black belt synchronized Kata 15 yrs. and up.

**Angelina Nguyen** 1st place mixed 11- 14 yr. old black belt Kobudo, 2nd place girls 11-12 yr. old intermediate Kata, and 3rd place girls 11-12 yr. old Kumite.

**Noah Helsby** 2nd place 14-17 yr. old black belt Kobudo.

**Arin Helsby** 2nd place 11-14 yr. old black belt Kobudo.

**Samson Helsby** 2nd place 8-10 yr. old mixed intermediate Kobudo, 2nd place boy's 8-10 yr. old intermediate Kumite.

**Alyssa Santos** 3rd place Women's 18-34 yrs. old black belt Kata.

**Tristan Sin** 3rd place 8-10 yr. old boy's intermediate Kumite.

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## Cayla Gapusan Travels to First American Junior Karate League Indiana Wins Gold and Bronze Medal at First AJKL Event



Cayla Gapusan one of our 1st degree black belts, who was successful in the Black Belt advance female 14-15 yr. old Kata (forms), and Bronze medal in 14-15 yr. old Kumite travelled to the first American Junior Karate League in Indianapolis, Indiana. Cayla has decided to develop her national junior ranking with the experience to make the USA Jr. Karate National Team. Great job Cayla!

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## Hiers Goju Ryu Karate – Tibon's Goju Ryu Satellite in Lodi Just Received Word Twin Arbors Closing their Facility after 25yrs

Sensei Chris Hiers and Janelle his wife have been teaching at their Dojo for 23 years are desperately looking for a new building location in Lodi to move his Karate Program before Twin Arbors closes its doors to all 3 of their Fitness Centers November 30, 2018.

If you know of a location that would be a great place for a Karate Dojo in Lodi please let us know so we can get the word to Sensei Chris to check the location out. Any location ideas please call (209) 465-0943

Sensei Joane Orbon Travels the World Chasing  
Her Olympic Dream  
Istanbul, Berlin, Chile, Shanghai, Japan, and Spain



Sensei Joane Orbon continues to travel and chase her Olympic Dream now with her Coach Tareq Abdesselem, who is Joane's international coach. He is also Sensei Tibon's International USA Grassroots Technical Director for our non-profit USANKF Regional Sports Organization Grassroots Development Program, which Sensei Tibon is President. He is rated one of the best coaches in the world, and currently coaches Kazakhstan. We are proud to have him on our team, and in Sensei Joane's corner during her international competitions around the world.



## Sensei Demytryk Doing His Part in our Instructor Staff



After major brain injury that almost took his life Sensei D demonstrates his determination in making impacts on our athletes like he has done for so many years. Now able to come and join back in with our instructor staff, he relayed to me that he wants to compete in the Tibon's Goju Ryu 34<sup>th</sup> Winter IN HOUSE Karate Championships at Lincoln High School December 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday. Come out and cheer our athletes on to challenge themselves to be the best they can be!

Register now at: [www.KarateTmaster.com](http://www.KarateTmaster.com)

**Tibon's Goju Ryu Karate  
34th Annual  
Winter IN HOUSE Karate Championships  
Lincoln High School Gymnasium  
6844 Alexandria Pl, Stockton  
December 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2018 Sunday**



**Spectator option – Can Food Drive 1 –Canned Turkey or Canned Ham Adult Admission or  
10 – Can Foods for Adult and 5 – Cans for Child Admission  
to help the needy in the Stockton Community**

**Register ON LINE Soon at: [www.karateTmaster.com](http://www.karateTmaster.com)**

**Be a part of the “Kick for USA Grassroots Karate” Fundraiser for  
Competition Team Fundraiser Kick-a-thon during our event!**

**Get your pledge sheets early - Donation to USANKF of Northern Calif. Inc. non-profit 501(c)3**

**Opening Ceremony with Stockton Bukkyo Taiko Dan Demonstration, Karate Demo, and Grand march**

**<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=XNaGM5oBrAQ>**

**<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=TmUT4-wtLM0&feature=youtu.be>**

**Sensei Tibon is currently asking for our students and parent volunteers to help with our  
annual event. We will need setup at Lincoln High School on Saturday 5p-7pm, and  
loading of equipment in the early part of the day. Volunteer list is on the counter at the  
main dojo. Please we need your help to have a successful event for our athletes.**

**Thank you, Sensei Tibon**



**34<sup>th</sup> Winter IN-HOUSE KARATE CHAMPIONSHIPS**  
**Sunday December 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2018 Sunday**  
**Lincoln High School Gymnasium**  
**6844 Alexandria Pl, Stockton, CA**

**GRAND MARCH AND OPENING CEREMONY BEGINS PROMPTLY AT 9:30AM**

**Competition starts at 10:00am:** Purpose of this tournament is to give the students an opportunity to develop their competition skill in Karate without having to travel across the world. Many of our students have developed as National, International, Pan-American and World Champions. This competition allows the students to compete in a comfortable atmosphere and have a great learning experience. Confident and knowledgeable referees will judge the competition. **Register ON LINE no later than December 1<sup>st</sup>, 8pm, and deadline for at dojo register papers is Nov.31<sup>st</sup>**

**REGISTRATION**

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ BIRTHDATE: \_\_\_\_\_ AGE: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_ CITY: \_\_\_\_\_ STATE: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_ EMAIL: \_\_\_\_\_

INSTRUCTOR: \_\_\_\_\_ DOJO: \_\_\_\_\_

**\*REGISTER ON-LINE [www.karatetmaster.com](http://www.karatetmaster.com) (No Refunds) Spectator adult \$8 - Seniors & child age 6 up \$5**



COMPETITION INFORMATION				
Gender	Age Group	Ranking	Division(s)	Fees
<input type="checkbox"/> Male	<input type="checkbox"/> 6 & 7	<input type="checkbox"/> White belt	<input type="checkbox"/> Half Kata (First 8 moves)	<input type="checkbox"/> 1 Division \$45
<input type="checkbox"/> Female	<input type="checkbox"/> 8 to 9 yrs	<input type="checkbox"/> Yellow- Orange	<input type="checkbox"/> Paddle Kumite	<input type="checkbox"/> \$10 Each Addtl.
	<input type="checkbox"/> 10 to 11 yrs	<input type="checkbox"/> Blue - Purple	<input type="checkbox"/> Blind Fold Kata	<input type="checkbox"/> # ____ x \$10 = ____
	<input type="checkbox"/> 12 to 13yrs	<input type="checkbox"/> Green	<input type="checkbox"/> TNT Obstacle Course	<input type="checkbox"/> *At the Door \$20 Late Charge
	<input type="checkbox"/> 14 & 15yrs	<input type="checkbox"/> Brown & Black	<input type="checkbox"/> Monkey Tail Kumite	<b>TOTAL=</b> _____
	<input type="checkbox"/> 16yrs & up		<input type="checkbox"/> Kata	
	Weapons (all ranks)		<input type="checkbox"/> Kumite	
	<input type="checkbox"/> 12 & under		<input type="checkbox"/> Short Weapons	
	<input type="checkbox"/> 13 & up		<input type="checkbox"/> Long Weapons	
	TNT Obstacle			
	<input type="checkbox"/> 3 & under			
	<input type="checkbox"/> 4 & 5yrs			
	<input type="checkbox"/> 6 to 8 yrs			

**RELEASE FROM LIABILITY:** As a participant in the Tibon's Goju Ryu Fighting Arts In-House Organization Tournament and UNANIME of Northern California Inc. the undersigned understands that there is physical contact between the participants. I realize that there is a possibility of personal injury. I hereby assume all risk of such injury while participating is caused by the negligence of the participants, instructors, coaches, officials, judges, medical staff, staff or other manner. In assuming the risk of personal injury while participating in the tournament I hereby release the promoters, Lincoln High Unified District, its Officers, staff, board of directors, Sponsors, its staff and members from all liability and waive all claims and suits against them from any injury or otherwise which arises from my participation. I fully understand this release from liability has the effect of releasing and waiving all claims for suits for personal injury, no matter how caused, while I participate in the tournament. I further agree that any pictures, videotaping or television coverage taken of me or furnished by me in connection with the said martial arts tournament can be used for publicity, promotions or television.

CONTESTANT'S SIGNATURE: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

PARENT/GUARDIAN'S SIGNATURE \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

PLEASE MAKE PAYMENTS TO: TIBON'S GOJU RYU TOURNAMENT DOJO PHONE (209)465-0943 FAX (209)465-1517

MAIL FORM TO: TIBON'S GOJU RYU, 923 N. YOSEMITE AVE, STOCKTON, CA 95203   \_\_\_\_\_ Exp \_\_\_\_\_

Register now at: [www.KarateTmaster.com](http://www.KarateTmaster.com)



# Special Awards to Be Presented Tibon's Goju Ryu 34<sup>th</sup> Winter IN HOUSE Karate Championships

## 5 Year Awards

Trenten Billings-Cardoza  
Andre Orosco  
Zoe Harrison

Andrew Ellis  
Andrew Thomas  
Ethan Hernandez

Evan Embry  
Caitlin Vaughn  
Owen Hernandez

Ethan Fong  
Caleb Stanley  
Paul Stanley

## 10 Year Awards

Noah Helsby                      Ronald Jacob Ruiz

## 15 Year Awards

Alyssa Santos

## 25 Year Award

Justin Love Sr.

If you think you should be on this list for 5, 10,15,20,25 years of training award please call the Main Dojo (209) 465-0943 so we can verify your start date of training. Don't wait last minute to contact us!

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## **The Leadership Team of Black Belt, Brown Belt, and 3 Stripe Green Belt Leadership Class and Training Next Leadership Meeting October 7<sup>th</sup>, 2018 Sunday 11am - 1pm**

Leadership training is exactly that, it teaches our students to become role models, leaders, positive examples, interns to the assistants, to the Instructors. It helps develop confidence, taking initiative, understanding customer service, builds teamwork relationships with the instructor team. This class teaches one how to take initiative towards addressing an issue, and developing a creative idea in making a person who can work in developing anyone.

Our Leadership program teaches our students about business and corporate understanding. This class will affect them in school, work, clubs, organizations, and jobs along with the development of their interpersonal skills.

Once a month we have a Leadership meeting for two hours, which will includes lunch. After receiving the black belt, our Leadership Instructors work to maintain an excellent grade point average, which has been beneficial for preparation when going off to college or university to achieve their degrees. Once they have received their Associates, Bachelors, and/or Master's Degree, they find that our Leadership Class has prepared them for the Management positions they may have applied for.

**We go beyond teaching great martial arts. During their training in Goju Ryu Karate; we teach our students to be successful in life, understanding business, customer service, and how to apply these skills into their lives.**

**We welcome the new Green Belts 3 strips, whose next level is Brown Belt to our Leadership Program.**

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## **Charter School Students**

**Tibon's Goju Ryu Fighting Arts Karate is accepted by Most Charter Schools in  
San Joaquin**

**For P.E. Alternative School Program**

**Check Your Charter School to see if they will fund your Karate Lessons at  
Tibon's Goju Ryu Fighting Arts Karate Studio – (209) 465-0943**

**We are currently working with the following:**

**Connecting Waters Charter School**

**Visions in Education Charter School**

**New Jerusalem Elementary Charter Program**

**Pacific Charter Institute Charter Program**

**Rio Valley Charter School**

**St. Mary's High School P.E. Alternative Grades**

**Great Valley Academy Charter Home School**

**Lincoln High School X-Sports Program**

