Premier Martial Arts March/April News 2022

MEMBERSHIP DRIVE: For the month of March we are giving money and cool prizes for referrals during this 4 week Membership Drive Contest! Here's a few simple ways for you to win: You get 1 ticket for each person you send to a trial lesson or bring to your class during Buddy Week (March 21-24). If they enroll, you'll get 5 tickets plus you both get \$100! The tickets all go in for a drawing to win a Nintendo OLED Switch, a Razor Electric Scooter, and a Fortnite Nerf Gun!

- **1**. Know anyone that might be interested in martial arts? Either you or they complete their information at www.PMAfriends.com and we will schedule their FREE trial lesson.
- 2. Invite them to our FREE workshop class on either <u>March 12th or March 26th</u> at the Wylie location (Ages 5-12 at 11am, Ages 13 & older at 1pm).
- 3. Bring friends to your normal classes with you during Buddy Week from March 21st 24th.

PARENTS NIGHT OUT PARTIES: Held each month, with different exciting themes from 7-11pm. The next 2 parties are "Lego Night" on Friday, March 11th at our S. 14th location, and "Easter Hunt" on Friday, April 15th also at our S. 14th location. These are for all children ages 5 and up. Invite friends and family while parents can enjoy a night out knowing the kids are in the safest place in Abilene. It is ONLY \$30 per child or just \$25 each for 2 or more kids coming together. This covers pizza, refreshments, games, and tons of FUN! Sign up at the front counter today or online at www.JamesCoxMartialArts.com.

BEGINNER TRIAL CLASS: March 12th or March 26th both at Wylie (Ages 5-12 at 11am, Ages 13 & older at 1pm). Your referral is our best advertising, we are holding a free beginner workshop trial class, please help spread the word, win money and prizes!

STRIPE TEST EVALUATIONS: Usually the third Wednesday OR Thursday of each month is stripe testing. The purpose is to make certain everyone is progressing on schedule and understanding the curriculum. The next two stripe testing's are: **March 16**th or **17**th, **and April 20**th or **21**st. Students that successfully pass will earn stripes, after 3 on one belt side, we do the big belt graduation shows at the end of each quarter to receive their new belts (April 1st & June 24th).

BUDDY WEEK: March 21st - 24th during normal classes, all week long (Monday through Thursday), everyone is encouraged and expected to bring people to class to train with them. This is part of that membership drive and you will earn tickets for the people you bring, get \$100 for each one that enrolls and be in the drawing for the prizes! Take plenty of invitations and invite the world!

WHITE BELT BUDDY BASH / PARENT ORIENTATION: The last Friday of each month, the next 2 are on March 25^{th} and April 29^{th} from 6:00 - 7pm at our Wylie location, it is orientation for all white belt children ages 5 - 12, along with their parents. They are encouraged to bring friends. We will discuss details regarding our program and answer all questions of things to come.

BELT GRADUATIONS: The Graduation Experience is a big show that is mandatory for everyone to attend. (The next two Graduations are April 1st and June 24th. These are both on Fridays at the Dodge Jones Center, (1042 Loop 322, building by the Zoo) from 6:30 – 8pm). Students must be there by 6:15 pm to line-up, be ready to perform and enjoy the celebration! Dress in your full program uniform (no shorts). You must be signed up and have your test fee paid 5 days before graduation for your belt and certificate to be awarded. Register online NOW at www.JamesCoxMartialArts.com (log in and go to the dashboard, sign up and see graduation and register, with students name, current and next belt color and size, with payment of \$49). The 3-4-year-old Tiny Champs will graduate during their regular class on Wednesday, March 30th or Thursday, March 31st, for the first quarter, but also need to register online before the 22nd. The only people that will not be graduating on April 1st are Red 3's, Black Belts, and any new white belt that have less than 6 weeks of training.

PRE-ORDER SUMMER UNIFORMS AND WARM-UP SUITS: March 9th is the deadline to pre-order the 2022 Summer Uniforms and Warm –Up Suits; these are recommended for everyone, but optional. Turn in the completed attached order forms by the deadline.

SPECIAL GUEST TRAINING SEMINARS: We are having TWO special training seminars in April both at our S. 14th location! See the fliers for details and register at www.JamesCoxMartialArts.com **First: April 2nd** Alex Mancillas, a Sport Karate World Champion teaching kicking, tricking, and weapons for ages 8 and up all belts from 10 am – 12 noon (bring bo staff) and from 1:30 – 3:30 pm for Demo Team and Premier Training members only (bring kama), Only \$50! (Alex will also perform at our Spring Belt Graduation on Friday, April 1st at 6:30 pm at Dodge Jones. **Secondly: April 22nd – 23rd** is our annual training seminars hosted by the American Kajukembo Association with some of the world's best martial artist ever traveling to Abilene to teach YOU! Their teachings center around a wide variety of techniques, skills, and philosophies from the styles they have mastered. Over 9 hours of learning some of the most effective self-defense and fighting skills available from 5 top experts! *ONLY \$65*, plus on Saturday night we will close with a banquet dinner awards celebration for all PMA members and families, details coming soon.

SCHEDULE CHANGE / NEW KIDS GRAPPLING / NEW ADULT KICKBOXING: Beginning March 7th, Wylie will add a new kids grappling (Brazilian Jiu-Jitsu) class for ages 5-12 on Monday and Wednesday from 5:15 – 6pm, as well as at S. 14th on Tuesday and Thursday also from 5:15 – 6pm (there will no longer be the kickboxing class that was at those times). For the month of March, these classes are FREE to try, but starting in April, they will only be an additional \$20 per month and students will need the required no-gi uniform (what the Fight Team wears: mma shorts, spats, rashguard, \$49 each). We are also changing the Saturday 9:00 am class at S. 14th to a teen/adult

fitness kickboxing class free for all students ages 13 and older and FREE to all parents for the month of March!

COMPETITION FIGHT TEAM TRAINING: Improve your MMA skills with the best from the best, join our prestigious Fight Team to become eligible for competitions in kickboxing, jiu-jitsu, pankration (new safer mma for youth and teens), or adult MMA. For anyone ages 8 and older, current in Black Belt or Premier Training. Classes are at S. 14th (Mon. Wed. Fri. 7pm and Sat. 12:00). You will be grandfathered in as a founding member for a one-time total cost for the life of the program for only \$299. Contact G.M. Cox for details, 325-439-0182

TAX SEASON SPECIAL: March 1st – April 15th! As you guys know it is tax refund season and our reward to you is to help you save money! So, by paying off the balance of your program in full, the first 5 people will receive a 20% savings!! Anybody after that will receive a 15% savings. The same discounts apply for anybody looking to upgrade or renew their program. See a staff member ASAP to find out what your savings will be!

SHOW YOUR PMA SCHOOL SPIRIT: We have *FREE* auto decals located at the front counter for you to all put on your vehicles and represent the best martial arts school in town. We love seeing our stickers all around Abilene, so get yours on and show your PMA support.

2 DIFFERENT SUMMER CAMPS (ninja warrior / belt acceleration)

The **first** is "AMERICAN NINJA WARRIOR CAMP" (4 days - 16 hours total, full of fun athletic building drills and obstacles to improve your martial arts skills and have a blast), held **Monday July 11**th – **Thursday July 14**th from 10am – 2pm at our **Wylie** location. The total cost is ONLY \$169 (bring your lunch).

The **second** is "BELT RANK ACCELERATION CAMP" held <u>Monday August 1st – Friday August 5th</u> from 10am-3pm at our <u>S. 14th</u> location. *This camp is 5 days - 25 hours (equivalent to 3 months of classes) of education, entertainment, and empowerment.* Each student should earn a new belt at the end, skipping them ahead one extra belt rank (excluding Red 3 & Black Belts)! The total cost is ONLY \$289 which covers the camp; lunch every day, activities, the test fee, and your official certificate with a new belt. *For Red 3 & Black Belts, since there will be no belt promotion, belt camp is only \$189* Pre-Pay for both camps by July 1st to get \$60 off (you pay \$398 instead of \$458 & get 2 camps)

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PMA March - April events with lots of Spring fun

Membership Drive / Win Money and Prizes - month of March

Parent's Night out Party - Fridays March 11th and April 15th, 7-11pm, both at S. 14th

Beginner Workshop Trial Class - Saturdays March 12th or March 26th both at Wylie (Ages 5-12 at 11am, Ages 13 & older at 1pm)

Stripe Test - March 16th or 17th, and April 20th or 21st in all regular classes

Buddy Week - March 21st through 24th in all regular classes

White Belt Parent Orientation - Fridays March 25th and April 29th, 6:00 - 7pm both at Wylie

Belt Graduation - Fridays April 1st and June 24th, 6:30 - 8pm, at Dodge Jones Center

<u>Pre-Order Summer Uniforms / Warm-Up Suits</u> - Aril 8th is the deadline to place these orders

Special Training Seminar - Alex Mancillias, April 2nd, Grand Masters April 22nd - 23rd, S. 14th

Schedule Change / New Kids Grappling / New Adult Kickboxing - FREE for March

Tax Season Special Membership Savings - March 1st - April 15th

Summer Camps - Ninja Warrior July 11- 14th at Wylie, Belt Acceleration Aug. 1st - 5th, at 14th

EVERYONE MUST GO TO OUR LOCAL MEMBER WEBSITE AT JAMESCOXMARTIALARTS.COM AND SIGN UP AT THE HOMEPAGE FOR SPECIAL ACCESS TO THE DASHBOARD FOR DETAILS ON THESE EVENTS, LINKS, AND QUICK ACCESS TO ZOOM CLASSES, SCHEDULES, NEW ON-LINE COURSES, AND SO MORE!

Thank you all so very much, G.M. James Cox: 324-439-0182