



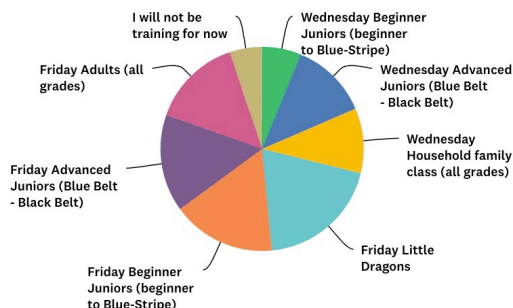
Inspiring a Generation

Phoenix Taekwondo

WE'RE BACK!

It's been a long, long road with lots of obstacles and uphill struggles including setbacks with old venues and the search for alternatives, plus the ever changing government advice and consequent to-and-froing between Sport England and British Taekwondo..... **but we are back to Taekwondo** at a new venue at Didcot Girl's School (DGS).

We have had a fantastic turnout at our new venue with almost all students returning to training after 6 months of online, plus outdoor classes. Obviously we still have constraints, such as still no mitt-kicking being allowed but we are back and doing Taekwondo again and it feels fantastic! Our warmest thanks goes out to all our members, parents and supporters for sticking with us and their own Taekwondo journey throughout this period of unrest and uncertainty.



International Taekwondo Day



The 4th September was officially International Taekwondo Day across the world!! The date was chosen because on this day in 1994 the International Olympic Committee officially adopted Taekwondo as an Olympic sport! Now, just as then, we are rising to overcome new challenges and obstacles but the unique determination and indomitable spirit associated with Taekwondo means that success is inevitable!

++ Important Dates

Oct 11th Sun: Focus Session - Black Belts

Oct 18th Sun: Focus Session – Black Stripes

Oct 25th Sun: Focus Session – Red Belts

Nov 1st Sun: Focus Session – Beginner Grades

Nov 8th Sun: Focus Session – Advanced Grades

Nov 13th Fri: Little Dragons Belt Grading

Nov 15th Sun: Phoenix Club Grading Examination

Congratulations to our 2019-2020 Attendance Award Winners



Every year we look back through all our class registers to add up everybody's attendance at the Phoenix Taekwondo classes. This year was a real challenge because we had to account for normal classes, online classes and outside classes throughout the year. As usual it was a really tough call, with so many members having such high attendance levels above 80%.

However, we selected a small number of students who managed into the 90% level! Congratulations to our 2019-2020 Attendance Badge winners from our Little Dragons: Isaac, Max, Alex and Lucia and from our Juniors: Isaac, Oliver, Amelia, Molly, Charlie, Sammie, Oliver, Rafa, Josh, Ruby and Louisa. Keep up the exceptional attendance!

Spotted Our New Club Banners Yet?



We expect most of the Phoenix community have spotted our smart new, "Phoenix Taekwondo, Be The Best" banner posters at the club, just in case you have trouble finding us at our new venue ☺

Embroidered Black Belts Received



Last month, our most recent Black Belts received their long awaited bespoke, personalized, embroidered belts from South Korea. All the belts have the students name and the club name both in English and Korean. A real personal memory to reflect their determination and amazing achievement.

Club Grading Dates Announced



As promised, now we are back to training, we are excited to announce our next club grading dates! Our next Little Dragons Belt Grading will be held on Friday 13th November during the normal class time with the presentation the week after.



Our next junior/adult club grading will be held on Sunday 15th November between 12:30-17:00 with details and times to be announced soon. Remember you can check out your syllabus at: <http://bit.ly/phoenixsyllabus>, and you can follow our special Patterns tutorials at: <http://bit.ly/PhoenixPoomsaeTutorials>

++ This Months Little Dragons Tae-Yong Award Winners!

Congratulations to this months digital Tae-Yong award winners. Well done to Evie, Daryk, Eilidh, Isaac, Molly and Lucia! We have some triple trophy award winners (3x winners) as well! The digital Tae-Yong Certificates will continue for now.... Who will it be next week!?!?

