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ANNOUNCING THE 2017 KWF PARIS MASTER CAMP

To: all members and friends of the Karatenomichi World Federation

From: Karatenomichi World Federation Paris - France

In collaboration with the Karatenomichi World Federation Headquarters - Japan, we have the great pleasure in announcing you that the third edition of the **KWF PARIS MASTER CAMP** will be held during the week-end of the Ascension, on the **27th & 28th of May 2017**.

This international seminar is open to all karate-ka regardless of association or affiliation.

By joining us, you will have the chance for studying true traditional Karate. Indeed, people who study Karate with Yahara Sensei are enabled to deeply sense the spirit and magnificent spirituality of Budo. Don't miss this chance!

For the third consecutive year, **Master Mikio YAHARA** will be assisted by **Sensei Masamichi OTSUKA**, 6th Dan and KWF HQ Full-Time Instructor.

Hope to see you soon in Paris,

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INFORMATION

Host Organization

NPO KWF PARIS

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Venue

Sports Hall
School complex La Salle Saint-Nicolas
19, rue Victor Hugo
92130 Issy-les-Moulineaux

Airport and transportation

Paris can easily be reached by plane, as it is located crossroad of Europe and has two international airports. Most international flights use the larger Roissy Charles de Gaulle Airport (airport code CDG), 30 km north-east of Paris. The other one is the Orly Airport (airport code ORY), 18 km south of the city. If you arrive in Paris by air, public transport will get you quickly and cheaply into central Paris. Unless you can squeeze five passengers into a taxi, it will certainly be cheaper.

Accommodation

To make your stay easier, we offer you an economic solution for accommodation and meals on site (80 max.).

Booking will open soon on yahara-paris.com.



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Registration

All people participating in the Master Camp need to have registered and make full payment by **30th April 2017**.

Registration will open soon on yahara-paris.com.

Visas

Most countries in the world do not need a visa to enter France. But for the countries that need a visa, it is imperative that you begin planning now. We suggest that you contact your nearest French Embassy and go step by step with the process. If needed, please feel free to contact us. We will do our best to support and help you with the process.

Program

The **KWF PARIS MASTER CAMP 2017** is open to all karate-ka regardless of association or affiliation. This is an open event enabling karate-ka to discover and appreciate “Yahara Karate”. It will be directed by KWF Chief Instructor **Mikio YAHARA** 8th Dan, assisted by KWF HQ Full-Time Instructor **Masamichi OTSUKA** 6th Dan.

Today, most “so-called Karate” has lost track of its origins, namely, “Bujutsu” (Martial Arts) and “Budo Seishin” (Martial Arts Spirit). Karate, sadly, has largely turned into a sports-like competition in which individuals purport to “fight to win points”. Indeed, perhaps even some KWF members themselves have yet to fully appreciate the real differences between “Bujutsu Karate” (Martial Arts Karate) and “so-called sports-type Karate”.

Karate does not simply end with a match. At its foundation, Karate is a place, a “Dojo” (Place of the Way), for individuals who share an interest in Traditional Japanese Karate to deepen both their understanding of “Karatedo” (The Way of Karate, or Karatenomichi) as well as their friendships with fellow practitioners. We, at the 2017 KWF Paris Master Camp, will come together to further our study of KWF’s Core Principles, including “Budo Seishin” (Martial Arts Spirit), and to strengthen our friendships.

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▄▄▄ **Schedule** (subject to modification)

→ *Training must be pre-booked due to the popularity of the Master Camp. The pre-registered people will have priority if our maximum capacity is reached.*

Saturday 27th May 2017

09:00 Registration

10:00 - 12:00 Seminar 1

13:30 - 15:30 Seminar 2

16:00 - KWF Grading (up to 6th Dan) and Qualification Exams*

Sunday 28th May 2017

09:30 Registration

10:00 - 12:00 Seminar 3

13:30 - 15:30 Seminar 4

Students wishing to take examination must attend complete seminar and complete the official KFW Dan Grading Application form (typed not hand written) - available online at yahara-paris.com - then return this form to: contact@yahara-paris.com at least **15 days before the seminar. The costing of the exam will be advised on receipt of this application. The payment can then be made at the door of the seminar (in cash and euros only).*

▄▄▄ **Cost**

Senior (+ 18 years old)

45 € - 1 day

80 € - 2 days

Junior (14 to 18 years old)

35 € - 1 day

60 € - 2 days

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