# Task Karate August 2021 Newsletter

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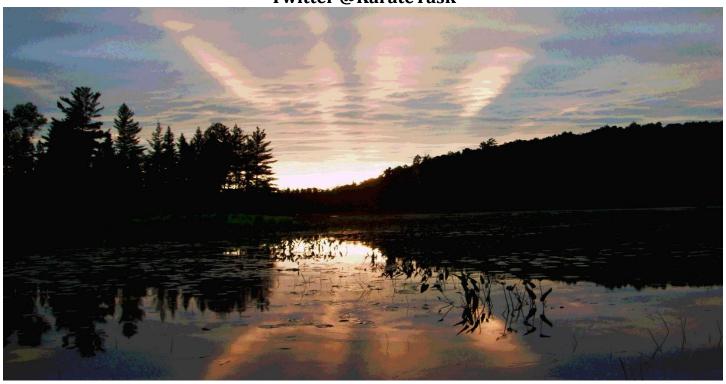
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#### Free Beginner Nunchaku Class!

Thursday, August 12<sup>th</sup> at 6 pm Task Karate students are invited to try a nunchuck class! The class is geared to beginner level kids, but anyone is invited to attend! We have nunchucks you can borrow, or there are a few available for purchase, \$10!





## Coulee Region Free Tournament and Extra Training!

The tournament will be held at Onalaska High School **(700 Hilltopper Pl, Onalaska, Wisconsin 54650)** on Sunday, August 22<sup>nd</sup>! I encourage our students and families to attend, as spectators or competitors. I also hope we can get some Task Karate Black Belts to help with the judging. We are also in need of volunteers to help with the scoring and timing.

The divisions are BOARD BREAKING, FORMS, WEAPONS FORMS, SPARRING, AND TEAM FORMS. All Task Karate students know how to break boards. You would have to know your whole form in order to compete in the forms or weapons division. Sparring is for students that have the gear and have practiced sparring. We will be working on tournament preparation in class this month, and will have a couple of extra opportunities for students to prepare!

- Saturday, August 14th at 12:30.
- Thursday, August 19th at 6 pm.

Please let me know if you have any questions!

## **Motivational Quote!**

When summer opens, I see how fast it matures and fears it will be short; but after the heats of July and August, I am reconciled, like one who has had his swing, to the cool of autumn."

- Ralph Waldo Emerson.
- "Rest is not idleness, and to lie sometimes on the grass under trees on a summer's day, listening to the murmur of the water, or watching the clouds float across the sky, is by no means a waste of time."
- John Lubbock.



## August Birthdays!

2<sup>nd</sup> Tom Johnson

4<sup>th</sup> Abram Rehman

5<sup>th</sup> Carissa Hanson

6<sup>th</sup> Ruth Thomson

15<sup>th</sup> Jesse Tenner

23<sup>rd</sup> Susan Wackett

27<sup>th</sup> Carter Wilkins

28<sup>th</sup> Symantha White

28<sup>th</sup> Amanda McConaghy



## July Rank Promotions

#### **Orange Belt**

Sebastian Vue

Stella Sievert

Oliver Hauser

Samson Kittleson

#### **Purple Belt**

Parker Botcher

**Avah Connaughty**