# Task Karate January 2022 Newsletter

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We will open the book.

Its pages are blank.

We are going to put words
on them ourselves.

The book is called Opportunity
and its first chapter
is New Year's Day.

Edith Lovejoy Pierce

## Happy New Year!

Here we go, another year, more challenges and opportunities! I sure am grateful for the health I have, my family, and karate family and the opportunities I have in my life. Thank you all for being a part of it. We have New Year's training on January 1, 2022, 5 to 5:45 for all kids, 6 to 7 for all teen and adults! Gold Star event! We will be back to our regular schedule after that!

### Motivational Quote!

It is difficult not to believe that next year will be better than the old one! ... And this illusion is not wrong. Future is always good, no matter what happens. It will always give us what we need and what we want in secret. It will always bless us with right gifts. Thus in a deeper sense our belief in the new year cannot deceive us.

### Sword or Bokken Training

We are going to stay focused on the bokken training for the month of January as well. Sensei Demurs has released some training videos over the last year. Here is a link to the download of the video I have been working on. I have done this training with Sensei Demura in person as well!

https://go.platformpurple.com/shop/160823?product=147578&e=martialartsmastersmagazine or DVD https://em3video.com/samurai-sword-batto-do-series-vol-1-seven-noto-kome-kata-toyama-ryu-kata-by-fumio-demura/

These are some of the things we are teaching in class, the notos, and 8 beginner, and 8 intermediate katas!



Fumio Demura



## January Birthdays!

5<sup>th</sup> Taylor Rakes Katie Sullivan

6<sup>th</sup> Janelle Parcher

6<sup>th</sup> Tayven Kader

7<sup>th</sup> Bruce Jensen

16<sup>th</sup> Randy Thomson

18<sup>th</sup> Connie Mumau Finn Erickson

19<sup>th</sup> Ashton Newman

19th Justus Wood

22<sup>nd</sup> Cyra Wilkins

25<sup>th</sup> Jamie Peaslee

26<sup>th</sup> Elli Johnson

29<sup>th</sup> Cameron Knox





### **December Rank Promotions**

#### **Gold Belt**

**Abby Elder** 

Melanie Wittman

Chloe Magnusson

Neven Peterson Gianunzio

Oscar Levendoski

Henry Levendoski

Reagan Levendoski

Savanah Kubash

Adam Korger

Seamus Johnson

Madyson Christopherson

Alivia Butterfield

Nova Bergsten

#### **Orange Belt**

Robbie Hodson

### **Blue Belt**

**Aubrey Crawley** 

**Avah Connaughty** 

Parker Botcher

#### **Brown Belt**

Caleb Sievert

