

BLUE DRAGON MARTIAL ARTS

January 2021

Welcome Back and Happy New Year!

Student of the Month

Congratulations to **Christopher Filipiak** at Horseshoe and **Amelia Smyth** at Shanty Bay. Student of the Month photos are placed in the photo album and names posted to the permanent list in the display binder, both can be found on my desk as you enter. They receive a certificate and souvenir photos for their parents. Both are great examples of hard-working *Karate-ka* (Karate students).

[Belt Test & Drive in Graduation & Food Drive \(human food!\)](#)

Belt Test fees: Payment by E-Transfer (security question: What do I teach?...Karate.)

- Colour belts: \$30.00 / Jr. Black Belts: \$40.00 / Senior Black Belt: \$50.00

To all current Black Belts / Jr. Black Belts / Brown Belt Three

- Every year we meet to remind the BB/Jr.BB/Brown three that the January test does not include a belt but that the certificate presented to you is needed for the June Test
- We use the guidelines of the All Okinawa Karate Association in that a student is eligible to attempt for a senior Black Belt at the age of 17.
- For all BB/Jr.BB/Brown three the process is in two parts; Mid-term in January to assess your current qualifications and then the June Belt Test.

<u>Jan 4th to 7th</u> <i>Regular Classes</i>	<u>Horseshoe</u> Regular class times	<u>Shanty Bay</u> Regular class times
<u>Jan 11th to 14th</u> <i>Regular Classes</i>	<u>Horseshoe</u> Regular class times	<u>Shanty Bay</u> Regular class times
<u>Jan 18th to 21st</u> <i>Regular Classes</i>	<u>Horseshoe</u> Regular class times	<u>Shanty Bay</u> Regular class times
<u>Jan 25th to 28th</u> <u>Belt Test Week</u>	<u>Horseshoe</u> Regular class times	<u>Shanty Bay</u> Regular class times

[Saturday Jan 30th Drive in Graduation and Food Drive \(human food\)](#)

Jarratt 11:00 AM Meet in the parking at Jarratt and receive your belt, certificate and awards.

Donations of non perishable food items dropped off as well!

Shanty Bay 1:00 PM Meet in the parking at Shanty Bay PS to receive your belt, certificate and awards. Donations of non perishable food items dropped off as well!

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