# **ATSUKO WAKAI** WKF WORLD KATA CHAMPION



Sensei Wakai became World Kata Champion in 1998, 2000, 2002 & 2004. She is a current World Karate Federation Kata Champion in addition to holding many Japanese national titles. She is a well-respected Seigokan [Gifu Dojo] Goju Ryu practitioner and internationally ranked athlete.

She focuses on elite International level Women's Kata Divisions. Wakai-san travels to Osaka for competition training with her male counterpart Mr. Ryoki Abe and the JKF coach Mr. Akira Shiomi Sensei. Mr. Shiomi Sensei is also the Chief Technical Director of the JKF Gojukai.

This is the first time this internationally ranked competitor will give instruction in Canada. This event is a cultural exchange, a training opportunity open to all styles of karate. The seminars are scheduled to be from March 23 to April 1, 2007 in the Lower Mainland, the Okanagan, and on Vancouver Island.

## Single Class Fees:

Children \$ 20.00 Juniors \$ 40.00 \$ 60.00 Adults Spectators \$ 60.00 Three Class Packages: Children \$ 50.00

Juniors \$100.00 Adults \$150.00 Spectators \$150.00

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JNPRECEDENTED 4 CONSECUTIVE TITLES

1998, 2000, 2002, 2004

## Atsuko Wakai Seminar Class Schedules

Friday, March 23 <sup>rd</sup> – Seikokai Hombu Dojo	Class Times	Kata
8859 Selkirk Street, Vancouver Class 1 Colour Belts (all ages) 2 Black and Brown Belts (all ages)	6:30 pm – 7:45 pm 8:00 pm – 9:30 pm	Saifa Suparimpei
Saturday, March 24 <sup>th</sup> – Nikkei Centre 6688 Southoaks Crescent, Burnaby 3 Juniors & Children (all levels) 4 Adults (colour belts only) 5 Mixed (all ages, all levels) 6 Black and Brown Belts (all ages)	10:00 am - 11:00 am 11:15 am - 12:30 pm 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm 3:45 pm - 5:15 pm	
Sunday, March 25 <sup>th</sup> – Seikokai Hombu Dojo 8859 Selkirk Street, Vancouver 7 Juniors & Children (all levels) 8 Adults (colour belts only) 9 Mixed (all ages, all levels) 10 Black and Brown Belts (all ages)	10:00 am - 11:00 am 11:15 am - 12:30 pm 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm 3:45 pm - 5:15 pm	
Wednesday, March 28 <sup>th</sup> - Tsuruoka Karate Parkinson Recreation Centre, 800 Parkinson Way, Kele 11 Juniors & Children (all levels) 12 Colour Belts (all ages) 13 Black and Brown Belts (all ages)	owna 5:30 pm – 6:30 pm 6:45 pm – 8:00 pm 8:15 pm – 9:30 pm	Gekisai Ichi Shisochin Anan [Ryu ei Ryu]
Friday, March 30 <sup>th</sup> – Campbell River Seikokai Dojo #5 1040 9 <sup>th</sup> Avenue, Campbell River 14 Juniors & Children (all levels) 15 Colour Belts (all ages) 16 Black and Brown Belts (all ages)	5:30 pm – 6:30 pm 6:45 pm – 8:00 pm 8:15 pm – 9:30 pm	Gekisai Ichi Sanchin/Saifa Kururunfa
Saturday, March 31 <sup>st</sup> – Courtenay Recreation Associates 489 Old Island Hwy (Lewis Park), Courtenay 17 Juniors & Children (all levels) 18 Adults (colour belts only) 19 Mixed (all ages, all levels) 20 Black and Brown Belts (all ages)	10:30 am – 11:30 am 11:45 am – 1:00 pm 2:00 pm – 3:30 pm 3:45 pm – 5:15 pm	Shisochin Anan [Ryu ei Ryu]
Sunday, April 1 <sup>st</sup> – Cowichan Centre Heritage Hall 2687 James Street, Duncan 21 Juniors & Children (all levels) 22 Adults (colour belts only) 23 Mixed (all ages, all levels)	10:00 am - 11:00 am 11:15 am - 12:30 pm 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm	

#### Age Categories

Children 10 – 12 years Juniors 13 – 15 years Adults 16+ years

Children under 10 years of age wanting to attend must have prior consent.

Pre-register to ensure your place at a class.

### **Workshop Rules**

No cameras, no videotaping.

Group photos with Wakai-san only will be permitted as time allows between classes. A photographer will take pictures of each class and distribute images.