



### Taekwon-Do Holy Place

TKD Times have been engaged in discussions for some time with the DPRK TKD Federation about building a 'complex' which would have facilities for the practise of TKD, incorporate outdoor activities such as golf, as well as having a hotel. Our information is that agreement has been reached on a 500 acre sight for this project and we feel that it would be fitting for the ITF members to participate in this. Consequently, Gen. Choi Hong Hi began a fund by giving a donation. Donations from all sources are welcome. The Taekwon-Do Holy Place will be built at the birthplace of Gen. Choi Hong Hi, Founding Father of Taekwon-Do, in the Democratic Peoples Republic of Korea.

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Master C.E. Sereff, VIIIth. Dan, Vice President of the ITF, President of the USTF and North American TKD, will be the first non-Korean to teach an *official ITF Instructors' Course*. It will be held in Miami, Fla. USA, in June of 1996. For information contact USTF Headquarters, 6801 W. 117th. Avenue, #E-5 Broomfield, Colorado 80021, USA, Phone (001) (303) 4664963 or Fax: 4663587.

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ITF and USTF are now on the *World Internet*. Master Walt Lang designed this program as part of his VIIth. Dan requirements. The homepage provides histories of both organizations, profiles of their officers, plus current and upcoming events. Access may be reached by the following input:  
<http://UCSU.Colorado.edu/~tkd/USTF/USTF.html> or  
<http://UCSU.colorado.edu/~tkd/USTF/USTF.html>.

Please note the URL is not case sensitive in the domain name (up to the ~) but is case sensitive in the pathname (after the ~). tkd must be lower case and USTF must be upper case. See you on the Net!

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It is good to see people taking an interest in, and being proud to have a title in, their national organisations. Please note that some of the titles which your peers are entitled to use may not be appropriate for you to use.

An example of this is the use of the title "founder". The dictionary definition of founder is "a person who establishes an institution, society, etc". The founder of TKD is Gen. Choi Hong Hi and since your national organisation is a TKD organisation then you cannot be the founder as it is part of the International TKD organisation. Please be kind enough not to detract from the importance of the title "founder", rather be proud to use the title "pioneer" of TKD in your country.

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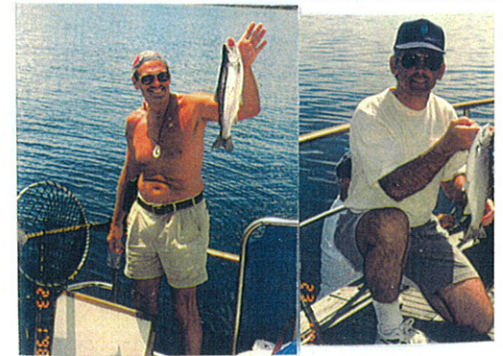
### Meeting, April 1996 in Canada.

Included is information about the schedule and hotel which is intended to be used. Please note that 4th. Dan members may go to the events as spectators. Fourth Dans must inform Master Choi Jung Hwa in Canada about their hotel requirements, as must everyone else.

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It becomes difficult to print all the photos for all the events in the newsletter and since we now have the bulletin/magazine we shall leave the photos for that and only print photos to fill in space. The photos on this page show Gen. Choi Hong Hi demonstrating a 'flying' attack on Mr. Ruaki Kaiou in New Zealand, beside a great number plate in Melbourne.

With Master Tom MacCallum and the international instructors in Melbourne. Master 'Chuck' Sereff caught the first fish and Quentin Travis the second in Lake Taupo, NZ, and afterwards Gen. Choi Hong Hi was the chef who cooked them. Members at the Brisbane seminar. Gen. Choi receives a carved wooden plaque depicting his legend as carved by a Maori while Master Sereff, Mr. Graham, and Mr. Davidson look on. The seminar in Ireland with Masters Robert Howard and Tony Phelan in the front row left.





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A *change of address* for Mr. Frank Vanberghen, President of Belgian TKD, to Kasteeldreef 39, B-9890 Gavere, with phone/fax (32)(9) 3846128.

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Just a reminder that the 6 month *reduction in time between gradings* for participation in an international course *may only be used once*. When applying for the Dan certificate, please quote the course certificate number, next to the grading date, to get the reduction.

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Please note that if we print anything at peoples' request that we take no responsibility for the details being wrong.

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### FORTHCOMING EVENTS SEMINARS

CONDUCTED BY *GEN. CHOI HONG HI*  
**1996**

**MAY**

8th. to 11th. MALAYSIA.

**NOVEMBER**

Algeria? Nigeria? Syria?

CONDUCTED BY MASTER CHARLES SEREFF.

June 21st. to 23rd. 1996 in Miami, USA.

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### CHAMPIONSHIPS 1996

**MARCH** - 2nd. - 1st. Open for *Netherlands*. 24th. Kinder/Jugendmannschaftsturnier, Arnsberg, *Germany*. ?National Ranglistenturnier Stuttgart, *Germany*.

**APRIL** - 24th. to 28th. **EUROS** in Riccione, **ITALY**. Swedish National Team Championship.

**MAY** - 18th./19th.-1st. Open in Le Havre, *France*. Nationals in *Sweden*.

**JUN** - 1st./2nd. *German* Open Bielefeld. 14th. to 16th. - Open Team Cup in Koszalin, *Poland*. 23rd. Juniorenturnier in Arnsberg, *Germany*.

**JUL** - 5th. to 7th. - **3rd. JUNIOR WORLD** Championships in Prague, **CZECH** Republic.

**SEP** - 28th./29th. *Deutsch-Amerikanisches* Freundschaftsturnier Marburg.

**NOV** - 9th. to 11th. - **PANAMERICAN** Championships

in Regina, Saskatchewan, **CANADA**. 9th. or 16th. - *Deutsche* Meisterschaft.

**We remind you that for Continental Championships you must have written permission from the ITF.**

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### OTHER EVENTS

*Germany*, May 5th. Jahreshauptversammlung, Köln.

*UK*, UKTA championships Feb. 24th.

English Open, London. May 25th.

Scottish Open, Glasgow. Sep. 28th.

Welsh Open, Cogan. Nov. 30th. British Open, Cardiff.

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### PROMOTIONS

Many congratulations to those who have been promoted.

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**VIIth. Degree**

Nov. 20th. - Anthony Phelan - Ireland.

Dec. 2nd. - Walt Lang - USA.

**VIth. Degree**

Oct. 7th. - Gary Meek , Floyd Griffin , USA. 12th. - Mario Troiano , Nestor Galarraga , Daniel Rossel , Ruben Marchini , Roberto Sanz , Jorge Condomi , Alfredo Katz , Carlos Mattos. - Argentina.

**Vth. Degree**

Sept. 5th. - Andrei Mihailenko, Isidor Janasov - Russia. 7th. - Kang Apanasi , Ivan Pisarevsky - Kyrgystan.

Oct. 7th. Gonzalo Camelo , Carlos Ramirez - Colombia. 12th. - Victor Siniscalco, Guillermo Prado, Domingo Dorrego, Alfredo Fernandez, Luis Seditta, Dario Vega, Ebel Barat, Norman Mizobe, Jose Maidana, Edgardo Villanueva, Leonardo Merodio , Omar Merodio , Edison Casco , Ernesto Figueredo , Hugo Gimarayz , Gustavo Bustos , Azucena Zorzon , Carlos Fabre , Luis Ledesma , Carlos Lorefice , Marcelo Vatrano , Hector Geiser , Facundo Alarcon - Argentina. 21st. - Paul Kavanagh - Ireland.

**IVth. Degree**

July 15th. - Randy Casco - USA.

Sept. 5th. - Kim Igory , Konstantin Panajotov , Vladislav Filippov , Murat Sunetov , Sergei Livov , Sergei Kalantaev, Alekxander Kurikow, Tatiana Astanina, Aleksei Kolesnikov, Lazaros Tsilfidis, Andrei Stogantsev , Tatyana Basik, Natalia Boltuhova -

Russia. 7th. - Sergei Harchenko, Kim Akromyslav, Lee Igor, Lee Anatoli, Anna Katrenko - Kyrgystan. 16th. - Igor Chebotarev, Evgeniy Zaharov, Aleksandr Karasyov, Vadim Gontar - Russia.

Oct. 7th. - Gisela Urrego , Jorge Camargo , Henry Consuegra. - Colombia. 12th. - Carlos Duhalde, Alejandro Belintende, Walter Tachi , Edgardo Bonomo, Eduardo Favaro, Jorge Coria, Anibal Mendes, Marcelo Yasin, Romano Actis, Marcos Carrasco, Luis Moreno, Jose Gonzalez, Carlos Montano, Marcelo Rodriguez, Villoldo Solis, Jose Rey , Eduardo Vicente, Alejandro Calderoni, Pedro Combis, Gabriel Mendez, Jorge Ramos, Alberto Gonzalez, Gonzalo Rodriguez, Julio Agapito, Marcelo Gonzalez, Claudio Fre, Sergio Bernasconi, Enrique Di Simone, Horacio Fasan, Victor Lozano, Guillermo Bianchi, Oscar Divano, Carlos Piris, Dario Agostino, Sergio Esponda, Cristian Desiderio, Luis Martinez , Luis Martinoia , Rodolfo Arino , Marcelo Pedrini. - Argentina.

Nov. 3rd. - Rudolph Johnson - Canada.

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When sending fees to the ITF we ask you to send *only 1 money order as we have to pay bank charges* for every one. Should you send more than 1 then we shall have to ask you for the extra bank charges. Please also note that personal cheques are not acceptable as the bank charges are \$15.00 per cheque. Only send certified cheques.

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### CORRECTIONS

For Toi-Gye Tul after number 8 should be added "Perform 7 & 8 in a continuous motion." For Po-Eun Tul number 20 should be "Pull the left foot to the right knee joint, forming a right one-leg stance toward D, at the same time lifting both fists while turning the face toward B."

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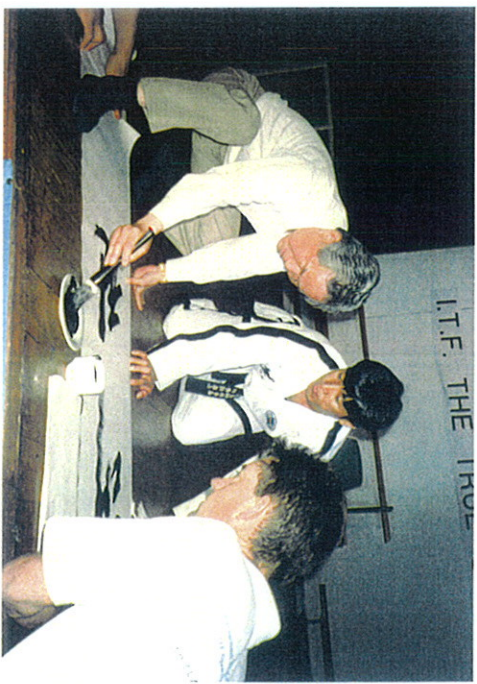
A reminder that the *collectors' edition of the bronze bust of Gen. Choi Hong Hi* is still available at low issue numbers. The artist is also offering a dramatic terra cotta piece, from the same larger than life artwork. Discounts available for ITF members. Contact USTF HQ for more information.

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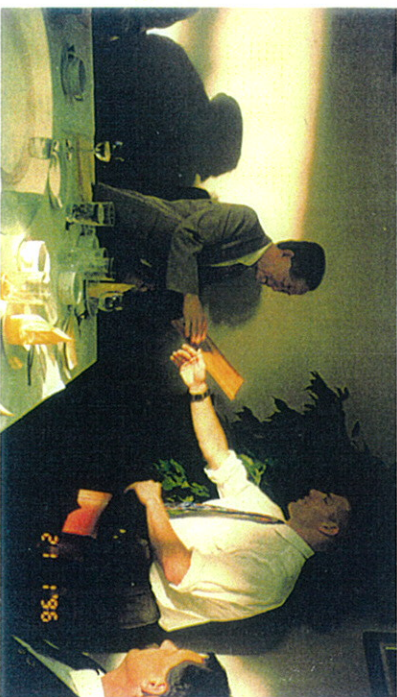
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