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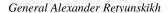
Master Don "The Dragon" Wilson

We begin this newsletter with news on the WHFSC's own MASTER DON "THE DRAGON" WILSON who has several worthwhile projects in the works right now. His best selling Traditionz line t-shirts containing inspirational martial arts sayings has just opened up a new line of ladies tees with the new "Lady Dragon", Cynthia Rothrock collection. Handling the Traditionz t-shirts is Florida's own "first family of martial arts", the Zaino Family under patriarchs, GM Danny and Master Theresa Zaino. You can visit <a href="www.Traditionz.US">www.Traditionz.US</a> to see or purchase DON'S full line of men & womens tees; or for

additional info you can write to <a href="info@traditionz.net">info@traditionz.net</a>. While you're at it, please "friend" the Zainos "Martial Arts Media" page if you are on Facebook & support their TV, radio, magazine and talent productions on the internet. They are good, credible people. You can write to them at <a href="MAEMedia@MaeMedia.net">MAEMedia@MaeMedia.net</a> for more information on their services. As for DON, he also mentioned that the trailer for his proposed new TV series with Lou "The Hulk" Ferrigno called the "LIBERATOR" has finally premiered with a feature article in the newspaper, USA TODAY. You can view the article by clicking on the link <a href="http://www.usatoday.com/life/comics/story/2012-02-17/Lou-Ferrigno-pop-culture-Hulk/53124172/1">http://www.usatoday.com/life/comics/story/2012-02-17/Lou-Ferrigno-pop-culture-Hulk/53124172/1</a>; Lastly, "THE DRAGON" has a new action movie called "WHITE TIGER" with Cynthia Rothrock & Matt Mullins as co-stars. The film which recently wrapped in Thailand is now going through post production with a planned release date of late 2012 or early 2013. Also Starring in the film is Karate legend, Joe Lewis and famous Thai actress, Yui......

#### In other International news.....







Dr. Song Swee Hee



GM Vincent Palumbo

GENERAL/ GM ALEXANDER RETYUNSKIKH of Russia reports that the FEDERATION OF RUSSIAN MARTIAL ART/ NATIONAL ACADEMY OF RUSSIAN MARTIAL ART will be having a Traditional International Workshop Festival on RBI – ROSS to commemorate the 20<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of ROSS. The festival is scheduled to take place June 18<sup>th</sup> through July 9<sup>th</sup>, 2012 in Krasnodar, Russia......DR. SONG SWEE HEE of Malaysia reports that his INTERNATIONAL WUSHU CHAMPIONSHIP FESTIVAL 2012 will be held in the City of Kuching, Malaysia from September 20<sup>th</sup> – 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2012. For more information you can contact DR. SONG at <a href="www.imari.com.my">www.imari.com.my</a> and GM VINCENT PALUMBO of Australia advises that there is a feature article on him in the latest issue of AUSTRALASIAN BLITZ MARTIAL ARTS MAGAZINE in Australia......



GM Douglas Wong



Master Ed Parker

Master Michael Matsuda's MARTIAL ARTS HISTORY MUSEUM celebrated DOUGLAS WONG DAY in honor of GM WONG at the M.A.H. Museum in California on March 10<sup>th</sup>

......MASTER ED PARKER JR.'s sisters set-up a website on their Father, the late great GM ED PARKER SR. (posthumous WHFSC Member). The link is <a href="http://www.edparkersr.com/">http://www.edparkersr.com/</a>. According to a posting by ED Jr. on Facebook, the site covers the full spectrum of their Father, the Man who created American Kenpo. ED Jr., for those who aren't aware, is also a very talented artist aside from being a Master in his Father's system and you can view some of his artwork on his Facebook page of "ED PARKER JR".

#### In tournament/ meeting news.....













Hanshi Ralph Passero

The late GM Don Nagle

GM Bart Vale

USC Championship

Prof. George Kirby

GM Carl Stone











Master Andrew

SGM Ji Han Jae

GM Gary Alexander

GM Don Warrener

HANSHI RALPH PASSERO's 55<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY "THE LEGEND LIVES ON – DON NAGLE'S AOKA INC. HALL OF FAME & WORLD OPEN KARATE CHAMPIONSHIP which honors our fallen member, GM DON NAGLE takes place September 22<sup>nd</sup> in Bayonne, New Jersey with the tournament starting at 11:00am (doors open at 9:00am) & Hall of Fame at 6:30pm. For more info contact RALPH at Isshinral@aol.com ......GM BART VALE had his ULTIMATE SHOOTFIGHTING CHAMPIONSHIP in Florida City. Florida on February 18<sup>th</sup>......PROF. GEORGE KIRBY had his AJA traditional Jujitsu tournament on April 21st in Santa Clarita, California.....GM CARL STONE is bringing back the olden days of tournaments with \$25.00 entry fees in Florida. For more info you can contact CARL at SenseiStone@yahoo.com .....New Master division member, MASTER ANDREW FANELLI has his ALL PRO TAEKWONDO'S ALL STAR EVENT on April 28<sup>th</sup> with a host of Stars slated to appear including Cynthia Rothrock, Jim Kelly, John Saxon, Bob Wall, our own GMs RON VAN CLIEF, GARY DILL, MASTERS JILL HERNANDEZ & ALFREDO TORELLA as well as other martial arts celebs.....& SUPREME GM JI HAN JAE will be having an important meeting for Sin Moo Hapkido on June 9<sup>th</sup> – 10<sup>th</sup> in Voorhees, New Jersey to review Sin Moo Hapkido curriculum & revival tactics.....

As a reminder, remember that GM GARY ALEXANDER's 49<sup>th</sup> Annual...."Yes", this is no "typo" folks!, 49<sup>th</sup> Annual IAMA OPEN KARATE, TAEKWONDO, KUNG-FU CHAMPIONSHIPS takes place April 29<sup>th</sup> in Somerset, New Jersey. For info contact GARY at GaryAlex2@verizon.net & GM DON WARRENER's 7<sup>th</sup> WKO WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS for "traditional Karate styles only" takes place October 25<sup>th</sup> -28<sup>th</sup> in Phoenix, Arizona with GM Chuck Merriman hosting. For more info you can contact either DON at DonRW@earthlink.net or Chuck at chuck Merriman@sbcglobal.net





GM Bram Frank

GM Frank E. Sanchez.

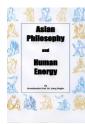
GRANDMASTER BRAM FRANK reports that he's now the new Tactical Knife Editor for LAW ENFORCEMENT TODAY Magazine (both on-line restricted membership LE only & on its Facebook site which is open to the public). He is also officially recognized as an SME (Subject matter expert) on knives both legal & court, serving as the official SME for the Hialeah, Florida Police Department......As for YOUR'S TRULY, the book I wrote on my system of San-Jitsu in 1977 on Guam was recently added to another museum, the PACIFIC ISLAND ETHNIC ART MUSEUM in Long Beach, California. A student of mine in California also found a mention of me in Guam's "Guampedia" as one of Guam's top recording stars back in my youth at <a href="http://guampedia.com/chamorro-music-2/">http://guampedia.com/chamorro-music-2/</a> & you can find 2 of my old recordings on my link of <a href="http://www.san-jitsu.com/music.html">http://www.san-jitsu.com/music.html</a>

In our new products department.....













Professor Jaime Abregana

GM Juerg Ziegler

Dr. Ric Black

PROFESSOR JAIME ABREGANA of the HAWAII MARTIAL ARTS INTERNATIONAL SOCIETY in Hawaii will be showcasing his latest book, a reproduction of the original Hawaiian Kenpo Karate Training Manual produced in 1950-54 at our upcoming 20<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting on June 2<sup>nd</sup>. The first 50 copies sold will come with a Letter of Authenticity according to JAIME. For more info you can e-mail <a href="https://main.com/HMAISociety@gmail.com/">https://main.com/HMAISociety@gmail.com/</a> & don't forget to mention that you heard about it through our WHFSC Newsletter!......GM JUERG ZIEGLER of Switzerland also has a new book out called ASIAN PHILOSOPHY & HUMAN ENERGY in which he proudly states he is a member of the World Head of Family Sokeship Council. For more info on JUERG's book, you can contact him at <a href="mailto:ZieglerJu@gmx.ch">ZieglerJu@gmx.ch</a> ...... & last but not least, DR. RIC BLACK of Florida has his new book out called CLOSE QUARTERS DEFENSE TACTICS. For more info contact <a href="mailto:KathrynJBlanton@gmail.com">KathrynJBlanton@gmail.com</a> . All 3 gentlemen will be at the WHFSC's 20<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration in Orlando, Florida on June 1<sup>st</sup> -2<sup>nd</sup> ...... & lastly, the WORLD HEAD OF FAMILY SOKESHIP COUNCIL Book is still on the "best sellers" list for martial arts history books with RISING SUN PRODUCTIONS in California!



WHFSC Book



Master Scott Sonnon



Stace Sanchez

MASTER SCOTT SONNON's kettlebell program is mentioned in BLACK BELT Magazine's link at http://www.blackbeltmag.com/daily/martial-arts-fitness /kettlebell-exercises/kettlebell-program-video-by-scott-sonnon-pumps-up-your-mixed-martial-arts-workouts/ ......STACE SANCHEZ, the WHFSC's official photographer also received confirmation from TAEKWONDO TIMES Magazine that his picture will grace the cover of one of their 2013 magazines along with 9 Korean stylist masters and grandmasters......



Master Samuel Scott

MASTER SAMUEL SCOTT of Florida has an ingenious tool for direct marketing which you may be able to take advantage of. It involves an audio clip with a link to your websites. For presentation purposes, he used the WHFSC below. This is a non-working facsimile of what he has to offer (in fairness to MASTER SCOTT I wasn't able to transfer the "active" model to this newsletter without losing some of the photo image as well as the working components of the picture/ message). In short, the way it works is that you would be able to record a visual of yourself delivering a message to the receiver or receivers (i.e. student, client) who would get the message by e-mail and then would be able to see & listen to your message as well as click on the pictures to go to your website(s). I am sure SAMUEL would be happy to demonstrate how this all works if you e-mail him at Samuele2@aol.com or you can see him demonstrate this "live" at our upcoming 20<sup>th</sup> Anniversary event!



And lastly in International news, we have the 20th Anniversary celebration of the WHFSC.....



### DON'T FORGET!!

#### JUNE 1ST - 2ND, 2012 IN ORLANDO, FLORIDA

The <u>May 1st</u> deadline is coming up soon for our discount rooms at the Doubletree Hilton Hotel in Orlando, Florida. Remember that <u>May 12th</u> is also the deadline for all monies to be turned in for participation in our 20th Anniversary celebration for the World Head of Family Sokeship Council! Bring the whole family for a fun filled vacation! Purchase discount tickets to Disney World for our event through the attached flyer or let us know if you are interested in discount tickets to Universal Studios (we need a minimum of 20 individuals to qualify for Universal discounts – Disney/ Universal Tickets must be purchased in advance).

#### Over 35 seminars scheduled by Internationally known martial artists

GM Bram Frank - CSSD Knife System (USA)/ Gen. Alexander Retyunskikh - R.O.S.S. (Russia)/ Sensei Josie Murray - Gracie Ju-Jitsu Champion - Ireland/ GM Jedan Figueroa - Jedan Ryu (P.R.)/ GM Gary Wasniewski - Ty Ga Karate (U.K.)/ Soke Keido Yamaue - Yamaue Aiki Jutsu (Japan/ Denmark)/ GM Haim Zut - Krav Maga (Israel)/ GM Phil Little - Long-Shimabaku Isshinryu (USA)/ Ama Guro Rafino Pambuan - Pambuan Arnis (P.I.)/ GM Frank E. Sanchez - San-Jitsu (Guam/ Micronesian Islands)/ GM Abon Baet - Garimot Arnis (P.I.)/ GM Vincent Marchetti - Michi Budo Ryu (USA)/ GM Jimmy Tacosa - Tacosa Eskrima (P.I.)/ GM Chaka Zulu - Zujitsu (V.I.)/ GM Paolo Colla - Karate Jitsu Goju (Italy)/ GM Juan Diaz - Kaisendo (Spain)/ GM Dan Verkerke - Seicho Jutsu (Canada)/ Prof. Gary Dill - SDS Jeet Kune Do (USA)/ GM John Casarez - Manabi Masho Ju-Jitsu (USA)/ GM David Grago - Ch'uang Chun Pai (USA)/ GM Chris Spruiell - Isshin Jitsu (USA)/ Dr. Germon Miller - Vita Sanaa (Africa)/ Hanshi Lou Angel - Tenshi Goju Karate (USA)/ GM Jeff Speakman - 1998 IBF Intercontinental Boxing Champion (Switzerland)/ GM Ernie Cates - Neko Ryu (USA)/ GMs Steven Stark & William Gossett - Ryukyu Kempo &Kobudo (USA)/ Prof. Tony Maynard - American Combat Ju Jitsu (USA)/ GM Neal Hummerstone - Aiki Tora Ryu (USA)/ GM Glenn Wilson - Pai Lum Tao (USA)/ Hanshi Moti Horenstein - Extreme Hisardut (Israel)/ GM Carl Pluchino - Seikei Ryu Jiu-Jitsu (USA)/ Sigung Glen Fraticelli - Kajukenbo (USA)/ GM Zahalan Man - Silat (Malaysia) (NOTE: Instructors subject to change)

#### Vendor sales

The best selling book the "World Head of Family Sokeship Council" will also be on sale!!

#### 20th Annual Open Meeting of the WHFSC featuring:

Presentation of new historical book by Prof. Jaime Abregana of the Hawaii Martial Arts International Society; transmission of leadership in the Ch'uang Chun Pai System by GM David Grago; new business; signing of new members certificates; photo session (members please come in martial arts uniform)

## Awards Show Celebration banquet featuring:

Grammy nominee - R&B Recording Artist, B. Grant; Arkansas Country Folk Ambassador Recording Artist, (GM) Tom Hunnicutt; Island Recording Artist, (GM) "Frankie" Sanchez; Ice sculpture & authentic Filipino Coconut Dance by GM Rafino Pambuan & troupe; co-celebration of GM Joe Williams 28th Wedding Anniversary

If you haven't received your invitation or misplaced it, please e-mail GMFrankSanchez@comcast.net or you can register to attend on-line at http://www.whfsc.com/events.html - DON'T MISS OUT!!





The WHFSC is featured in the best selling books the "World Head of Family Sokeship Council" by Rising Sun Productions & "An Illustrated History of Martial Arts in America" by Emil Farkas

#### In our new members department.....







Stefan Angehrn



GM Dechi Emperado receives WHFSC membership certificate during Birthday party from Sigung Glen Fraticelli (to her immediate left in photo)

We'd like to welcome GM SIEGFRIED LORY, 10<sup>th</sup> dan in Jiujitsu from Germany to our GRANDMASTERS DIVISION; along with Swiss boxing legend & 1998 IBF (Intercontinental Boxing Federation) Champion, STEFAN ANGEHRN; & lastly, from Hawaii, by way of California, we'd like to welcome the revered Sister of our deceased member, the late great SIJO ADRIANO EMPERADO of Kajukenbo KSDI, GM DECHI EMPERADO to our elite Council (Note: "Special thanks" to Sigung Glen Fraticelli for making the presentation to her on our behalf!)



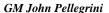
Master Andrew Fanelli

In our MASTERS DIVISION, we'd like to welcome MASTER ANDREW FANELLI, 5<sup>th</sup> degree in TaeKwonDo from California as a new member of our Council.

In the media this time around....

On the covers of the May issue of TaeKwonDo Times Magazine & Martial Arts World Book Vol. 3:







GM Frank E. Sanchez & Master Ouoc Tran

In BLACK BELT Magazine's May issue....you will find a mention of HANSHI BRUCE JUCHNIK's "MARTIAL ARTS COLLECTIVE SOCIETY GATHERING" which takes place the last week in September & in its "FROM THE ARCHIVES" Column they feature a cover photo of GRANDMASTER AL DACASCOS from their February 1976 issue of BLACK BELT......The May issue of TAEKWONDO TIMES of course features GM JOHN PELLEGRINI cover story along with STACE SANCHEZ'S KICKPICS CORNER column...... last but not least, MARTIAL ARTS ENTERTAINMENT Magazine Vol. 5 contains a feature article on the WORLD HEAD OF FAMILY SOKESHIP COUNCIL w/ WHFSC GROUP PICS and individual pictures of PROF. GARY DILL, the late GM BILLY DAVIS, GMS VINCENT MARCHETTI, RICHARD VAN DONK, BILL WALLACE, GGM MASAAKI HATSUMI & YOURS TRULY with mentions of GMS GARY ALEXANDER, JIM ARVANITIS, BRAM FRANK, SEIYU OYATA, SOLOMON KAHAIWALU, JOE WILLIAMS, SGM JI HAN JAE, GGM CACOY CANETE, MASTERS REYLSON GRACIE, JACKIE CHAN, ED PARKER JR., RICKSON GRACIE & MIYAKO FUJITANI (special note: this is not the article we gathered comments from our members for. The comments will be used in a future article on our 20<sup>th</sup> Anniversary celebration which Master Wes Craft is putting together for us)

#### HISTORICAL PHOTO



The late Prof. Wally Jay, WHFSC Member

June 15<sup>th</sup> -17<sup>th</sup>, 2012 Remembrance Convention – Sacramento, California

http://www.smallcirclejujitsu.com/events/prof-wally-jay-remembrance-convention-2012/

#### HISTORICAL CORRESPONDANCE

8/21/00 Dear Soke Farchez: Enclosed, please find a donation to your event 11 September. I connet be there in person, but, I shall be thre in spirit. Give my regards to my student Peter Urban, the best that I have Dr. Trichard Kin P. 1. Br. 601974 Sauzuntu, CA. Soke Frank Sanchez A.M.A.A.I.) W.H. P. S.C 6035 Ft. Caroline Rd., Soite 22 Jacksmyille, Florida U.J.A. 32277 32277/1863 Influidabilialiadiadiadiadiadiadiadiadiadi

10-24-95 DEAR GRANDMASTER SANCHEZ, I WANT TO PERSONALLY CONGRATULATE YOU AND YOUR STAFF FOR ALL THE HARD WORK INVOLVED IN THE W.H.F.S.C AWARDS BANQUET. THE BUSINESS MEETING AND AWARDS BANQUET WAS FIRST CLASS ALL THE WAY, AND I WILL ALWAYS BE GRATEFUL FOR THE HONORS THAT I RECEIVED. I WILL ALWAYS CHERISH EACH OF THEM. I BELEIVE THIS GROUP OF LEADERS THAT YOU HAVE BROUGHT TOGETHER IS THE GREATEST MCHIEVEMENT IN THE HISTORY OF THE MARTIAL ARTS. I AM SO PADUD TO BE A MEMBER OF SUCH A WONDERFUL DRAANIZATION. I WILL ALWAYS SUPPORT YOU AND THE WITH, F.S.C. IN ANY CAPACITY THAT I AM NEEDED.

The late Dr. Richard Kim

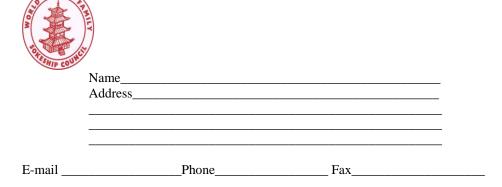
The late GM Harold Long

Lastly, before we end this newsletter, we would like to congratulate the U.S.I.M.A.A. & W.A.S.C.A. for their successful April 2012 RETURN OF THE DRAGON CHALLENGE in Italy – WELL DONE!.....and this concludes our January – March issue. Remember as always to send in your newsworthy items for the next edition. Until next time, stay "aggressive" and "fair" in all you do......

Your Brother in the Arts,



GM Frank E. Sanchez
Founder/ Executive Director International



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