

Subject: Report for Middle East Gasshuku - Cairo JAN 2017

Dear JKA HQ, Dear Shihan Ueiki, Dear Shihan Ogura, Dear Shihan Okuma, Dear All JKA HQ Senseis and Senpais, Dear all JKA MEA Leaders and Karatekas,

On behalf of all JKA MEA countries, committees, and karatekas, I would like to extend a huge thank you for supporting **JKA-MEA and north Africa Gasshuku in Cairo JAN/2017.** For once again, **Shihan Ogura and Shihan Okuma** have provided endless support to MEA & North Africa.

First MEA Gasshuku, was organized by the **late Shihan Okamoto in 2007, and here we did it again in 2017**. The Gasshuku was very informative because of Shihan Ogura and Shihan Okuma. All sentai and hian katas plus kihon and kumite were covered and explained. Leaders and karatekas from MEA, were impressed by JKA's strength and performance.

Ten countries attended the gasshuku: Kuwait, Bahrain, KSA, Oman, Iraq/Kurdistan, Jordan, Egypt, Morocco, Libya, Algeria, and we also had an international visitor from JKA Sweden and JKA Cyprus.

Our Gashuku Shihans, had a very special promising meeting with MEA leaders, to discuss future of JKA in the Middle East and north Africa region.

The Gasshuku was also attended by many eminent society personalities such as University Dr.'s, Engineers, Businessmen, and an Ambassador, as well as a group of hard working karatekas and young JKA members.

Also it's the time to announce that JKA is alive again in the Middle East area! **The MEA Gasshuku will be held once every 2 years.**

Special thanks to J.K.A HQ for the development of JKA in the MEA & North Africa area.

Without HQ support, none of this could have happened.

Following attached are the tournament scores and karatekas who passed dan/qualification exam in MEA.

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Sensei : Marwan Sultan





Exam Results

The following are able to pass JKA dan & qualification exams, on 28.JAN.2017, J.K.A Middle East, Cairo Egypt. J.K.A Examiners are : Shihan Ogura 7th dan, Shihan Okuma 6th dan

Morocco:

- 1. Mr. Tuhami Bouharrat, 5th dan + Instructor D, Judge D, Examiner D.
- 2. Mr. Abdulaziz Chergui, 3rd dan + Instructor D, Judge D, Examiner D.
- 3. Mr. Jaafar Tarfous, 1 Dan

Irag/Kurdistan:

- Mr. Aras Musa Jihad 4th Dan + Instructor D, Judge D, Examiner D.
 Mr. Aryan Shawkat ali 2nd Dan + Instructor D.
- 3. Mr. Mohammad Omer -2^{nd} Dan + Instructor D.
- 4. Mr. Hemin Raouf Abdulrahman 1st Dan.

Libya :

1. Mr. Abdullah Elkailani – Instructor D.

Jordan :

1. Mr. Thaer Abulaila - 3rd Dan.

Kigdom of sadia arabia

1. Mr. Abdulrahman Diallo - 2nd Dan.

Reported by : Mrs Masayel Alshaheen – JKA MEA Administration Checked by :

Sensei : Marwan Sultan Japan Karate Association Kuwait, Chief instructor. J.K.A Middle East – Advisor



MEA - Tournament Results

The following are the results of Cairo MEA tournament, on 28.JAN.2017

Category 1 - ADULTS	Name	Country
First Place - Gold	Mohammad AlKindi	Oman
Second Place - Silver	Abdullah Barakat	Kuwait
Third Place - Bronze	Kenneth Kgoarwen	Bahrain
Category 2 - JUNIORS	Name	Country
First Place - Gold	Franciska Sprock	Kuwait
Second Place - Silver	Islam LouLou	Algeria
Third Place - Bronze	Ayman Lalaibia	Algeria
Category 3 - JUNIORS	Name	Country
First Place - Gold	Mohammad Magd	Kuwait
Second Place - Silver	AbdulAziz Nayfeh	Kuwait
Third Place - Bronze	Vivek Shibu	Kuwait
Category 4 - KIDS	Name	Country
First Place - Gold	Ismail Magd	Kuwait
Second Place - Silver	Hana Thomas	Kuwait
Third Place - Bronze	Mohammad Osama	Oman
Category 5 - KIDS	Name	Country
First Place - Gold	Bibi Sultan	Kuwait
Second Place - Silver	Adham Osama	Oman

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	Third Place - Bronze	Abdullah Ahmed	Egypt

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