



GASSHUKU FRANCE JKA 5.6.7 JUNE 2026



REPORT

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170 KARATEKA FROM 8 COUNTRIES

Thank you to everyone!

The **FRANCE JKA Summer Gasshuku 2026**, held on June 5th, 6th, and 7th at the Laetitia Payet Departmental Dojo in Nogent-sur-Oise, was a tremendous success. **Nearly 170 karate practitioners** gathered throughout the weekend to share their passion, train together, improve together, and benefit from the valuable instruction of Tatsuya **NAKA Sensei**, Kaishi **HAKIZUME Sensei**, and Kazuhiro **SAWADA Sensei**.

This international event welcomed participants from many countries: **France, Italy, Germany, United Kingdom, Luxembourg, Belgium, Ireland, and Portugal**. Their presence contributed to the unique atmosphere of friendship, learning, and mutual respect that characterizes the JKA spirit. The Gasshuku also provided an opportunity for many practitioners to take Dan examinations and instructor qualification tests, making the event an important way in their karate journey. We would like to express our sincere gratitude to all participants, instructors, volunteers, and supporters who contributed to the success of this memorable weekend.

We are deeply grateful for your participation and trust, and we are already looking forward to welcoming you again next season for another outstanding France JKA Summer Gasshuku.

See you again soon on the tatami!
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PARIS

39TH FESTIVAL MARTIAL ART

We are also proud and grateful for the outstanding demonstration performed by **Tatsuya Naka Sensei** and **Kaishi Hakizume Sensei** during the **39th Festival of Martial Arts**, the largest martial arts showcase in Europe. This prestigious annual event brings together practitioners and masters from a wide range of martial disciplines and plays an important role in promoting the visibility and development of JKA Karate.

This year, the festival took place in the legendary and historic setting of the Palais des Congrès in Paris. It was the fifth time that France JKA had the honor of participating in this remarkable event, allowing an **audience of nearly 4,000 spectators** to discover and appreciate the technical excellence, spirit, and values of traditional JKA Karate. **We would like to sincerely thank** Naka Sensei and Hakizume Sensei for representing JKA Karate with such skill, passion, and authenticity on one of the most prestigious martial arts show in Europe.

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