

**[NEW ZEALAND] JKA NEW ZEALAND NATIONAL GASSHUKU
WITH SHIHAN KOBAYASHI - SEPTEMBER 2026**

**JKA Seminar Program with Shihan Kobayashi :
8–13 September 2026**

We kicked off a two day seminar in Timaru with kihon, kata and kumite in the Junior Sessions and Tekki Sandan and Kanku Sho in the Senior sessions. Fantastic, dynamic and highly skilled sessions.



TIMARU REGION SEMINAR

JKA KCoast welcomed Shihan Kobayashi for a one day Seminar in their dojo at Paramaraumu on the Kapiti Coast. Members from Wellington, Whanganui and Kapiti Coast attended the seminar with great enthusiasm. Shihan Kobayashi covered kihon and kata in the Junior session. In the senior session Shihan covered Jitte kata in great technical detail including bunkai.



WELLINGTON / KAPITI / WHANGANUI REGION

Shihan Kobayashi's two day seminar in Auckland was a grand success on Saturday - Sunday, 12-13 September 2026.

Members attended in great numbers from all over New Zealand.

The Junior Sessions included kihon and kumite drills. The Senior sessions covered katas - Tekki Nidan, Nijushiho and Gojushiho Sho in great detail. Dynamic drills with partners were introduced focussing on power, speed and kime. All members enjoyed the hard working, dynamic and energetic seminar with Shihan Kobayashi.



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