

**21st Annual
Rocky Mountain Gasshuku
October 2-4, 2015**

**The Inn at SilverCreek
Granby, Colorado
USA**



**Camp Theme
“Respect”**

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**Training & Competition
All In One Great Weekend
Open To All Traditional Karate-Ka**



Dear Friends and Karate-ka,

On behalf of the International Martial Arts Association (IMA), we would like to invite you and your students to our 21st Annual Rocky Mountain Gasshuku (camp). This year, we are very excited to be returning “home” to **The Inn at SilverCreek, in Granby, Colorado.**

Gasshuku is a traditional retreat designed to allow a karate-ka to focus on training without the daily distractions that interrupt the learning process. By participating in this camp, you will refine your technique and gain a more in-depth understanding of martial arts.

Training will be held in four separate training areas with guest instructors and students from the United States and other countries. Please refer to the training schedule for specific levels and training times.

This camp is open to all martial arts students, coaches, and instructors who wish to learn traditional and sport karate. Please feel free to call 303-665-0339 or contact us at madani@imakarate.com if you have any questions. Mail your application to: 1340 Main Street, Louisville, CO 80027, USA by September 29, 2015.

Our traditional dinner will take place on Saturday, October 3rd. Join your fellow karate-ka and their families for a fun-filled, lively evening.

We look forward to sharing this time to train and bond with our karate family and friends.

Sincerely,
C. Madani, 8th Dan
Camp Director

F. Madani, 6th Dan
Camp Organizer

Dates and Location:

The IMA Gasshuku is returning to The Inn at SilverCreek in Granby, Colorado. The Inn at SilverCreek is 110 miles west of Denver International Airport. The approximately two-hour drive from the airport along I-70 and US-40 West takes you into the Rocky Mountains on your way to Granby. Check-in time begins at 4:00 PM on Friday, October 3rd with checkout being 11:00 AM on Sunday, October 5th. (Guest Services Department provides luggage storage for guests arriving early or “attending functions on the day of their departure”). Training will start promptly at 7:30 PM on Friday in full gi. Please refer to the schedule for exact locations of classes.

Participants and guests coming from out-of-state should be sure to arrive in Denver no later than noon on October 3rd. **A free IMA shuttle will be provided for all those who arrive by 10 AM.** If possible, arrive the night before and enjoy an extra day in the beautiful Colorado Mountains. **Please schedule your return flight to leave late on Sunday or Monday.**

Participants who live locally should leave home no later than 3:00 PM on Friday due to traffic on I-70.

Facilities:

The Inn at SilverCreek provides world-class Granby Colorado lodging in the heart of Grand County. It is perfectly staged for easy access to Winter Park and Sol Vista Basin, scenic Rocky Mountain National Park, championship golf, world-class mountain biking and a wonderful array of dining and shopping options.

Reservation and Rates:

It is recommended that each individual (or family) planning to attend the Gasshuku call The Inn at SilverCreek to make their own reservations. This will enable each family or individual to satisfy their particular needs and desires for accommodations. In order to receive the special rate, it is necessary to call reservations and mention that you are with “**RMG**” (Rocky Mountain Gasshuku). We have a selection of rooms blocked until September 3, 2015 at

the following prices: King at \$72, Studio (Sleeps 2 to 4) at \$82, Loft (Sleeps 4 to 6) at \$102, Studio Suite (King connected to a Studio) at \$128 and Master Suite (King connected to a Loft) at \$145. **YOU MUST CALL to make the reservation with our group rate.** After September 3, 2015, the rooms will be released into general inventory. You may continue to book at the discounted group rate **based on availability** until your day of arrival. The number of participants at our camp has been growing every year and we are expecting many more participants than previous years. There are a limited number of discounted rooms so **please make your reservations as soon as you can.**

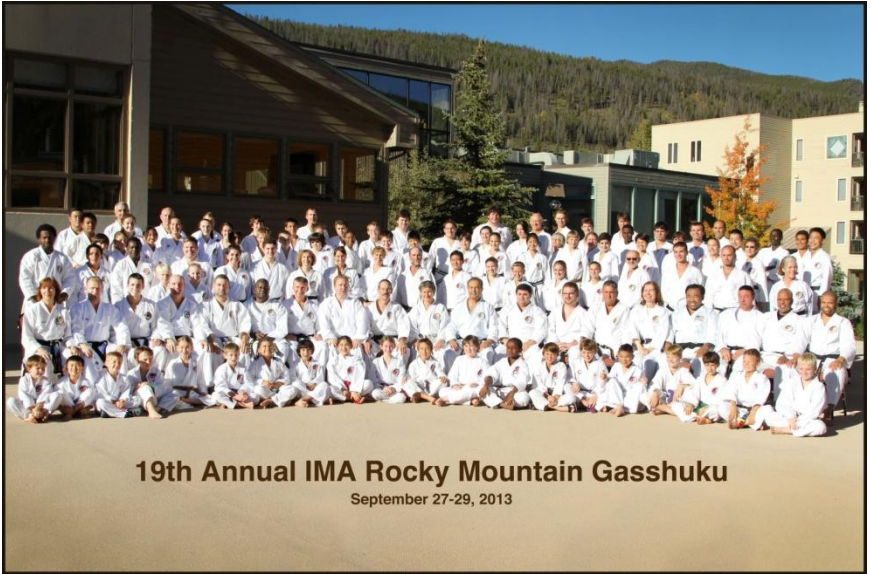
The toll-free phone number for reservations are: **1-888-878-3077 or 1-970-7263070.** **You must CALL** in order to use the group discount code. **Room expenses, taxes, and incidentals are the responsibility of each individual or family.**

Please be advised: The training fees are separate from room and board. Please make your check to “IMA”, and include it with your registration form to **1340 Main Street, Louisville, Colorado 80027, USA.** There is a \$25 late fee if submitted after September 29, 2015.

Training Rooms:

Training will be held in four separate training areas, with students separated into four levels. **We will meet in the Divide Room.** From there we will separate into groups.

- Group #1** Black belt 40 yrs. old and above
- Group #2** Black belt 39 yrs. old and younger
- Group #3** Jr. black belt, 1st and 2nd kyu - 11 yrs. old and above
- Group #4** All levels up to 3rd kyu - 11 yrs. old and above
- Group #5** All levels - 10 yrs. old and younger



2013 Group Picture

Reminder: Participants should bring a minimum of two white gi and personal sparring equipment. Snacks, power bars, note-taking materials, and a camera are also recommended. Students should plan to participate in as many seminars as possible to take advantage of this special training.

Special Event:

On Sunday, all levels of karate-ka camp participants may participate, free of extra charge, in a family friendly tournament.

Schedule of Training:

Thursday, October 1, 2015

7:00 – 10:00 PM (At the IMA Honbu Dojo)
Dan Testing for karate-ka from other countries
Upon Request

Friday, October 2, 2015

4:00 – 7:00 PM Room check-in
4:30 – 7:00 PM **IMA Head Instructors' meeting**
(For IMA Head Instructors ONLY – in full gi)
7:30 – 9:00 PM **Training for all groups**
Everyone meets in the Divide Room

Saturday, October 3, 2015

8:15 – 9:30 AM **Training for all groups**

9:45 – 11:00 AM **Training for all groups**

11:15 – 12:15 PM **Training for all groups**

12:15 – 12:30 PM **Camp group picture; “Bring your camera”**

12:30 – 3:00 PM Free-time for all students

12:45 – 2:45 PM **IMA out-of-town instructors' training**
(Lunch provided)

3:00 – 4:30 PM **Training for all groups**

6:30 – 9:30 PM **Dinner celebration; Attendance is Mandatory**
Speeches, talent show, and dance
Celebrate IMA organization 25th & Hanshi's 50th
karate training anniversaries
Cocktail Attire: “Jacket and Tie Event”

Sunday, Oct. 4, 2015

8:00 AM **Check-In for Family Friendly Tournament**

8:30 – 1:30 PM **Family Friendly Tournament**
Alternative for those who do not wish to compete:

9:00 – 10:30 AM **Optional training for all levels**

Time TBD **Optional event – Lunch; Location TBD**

The **camp gift** will be distributed on Sunday after the last session and/or competition upon accomplishment of all training

21st Annual Rocky Mountain Gasshuku Registration Form

**Please fill out this form, attach your check and mail it to IMA headquarters:
1340 Main Street, Louisville, CO 80027, USA. There is a \$25 late fee if we receive
the application after September 29, 2015. Camp dates are October 2-4, 2015.**

Please print clearly:

Last name: _____

First name(s): _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Age(s): _____ Karate Rank(s): _____

Style/Instructor: _____ Dojo: _____

Do you require any medication or have any physical limitations? If yes,
please explain: _____

Emergency contact name: _____

Phone number: () _____

Relationship: _____

Are you participating in the Sunday Tournament? Yes No

If yes,

Participant: _____ Age: _____ Rank: _____

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In consideration for participation, training and instruction, the undersigned hereby specifically relieves, releases and discharges the International MartialArts Association (I.M.A.) and any person, firm, corporation or association from all liability or claims of whatever nature or kind which may arise in connection with the said participation, training or instruction.

Training Fee and Family Rate:

One person: \$185.00 Two people: \$255.00 Three people: \$305.00

Four people (or more in the same family): \$355.00

Saturday participation only: \$155.00 per person; no family rate

Tournament on Sunday is free for campers, for others \$45.00

Camp Dinner Celebration: Sat., 6:30 pm in the training room

of Adults for dinner (12+ yrs.) × \$28.00 = \$ _____

of Youths for dinner (5-11 yrs.) × \$20.00 = \$ _____

(Children 4 and under are free)

Total fee for dinner: \$ _____

Grand Total (training fee + dinner): \$ _____

Registrant signature/Guardian (if under 18 years old)

Date

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