

## MARSHALL'S ATA BLACK BELT TIMES

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## Marshall's ATA Back-to-School Belt Testing

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It's time for the next Marshall's ATA School Belt Testing. We are having a great 2013 Summer at Marshall's ATA. We are calling this the 'Possibility Summer'. Our next and final Summer Belt Testing of the 2013 Summer Season is the Back-to-School Belt Testing. We are conducting the Testing during class at the school on Wed & Thurs. Aug 7th & 8th. We will integrate the Board Break Testing on Thurs, Aug 8th during the Camo & Above Testing in class. All Testers will wear their complete white uniform. The Tiny Tigers & White, Orange & Yellow Belt Jrs & Adults students will Test on Wednesday Aug 7th during class.

Note: There will be no classes on Saturday Aug 10th in order to transition to the New Belt Testing Cycle.

### Smstr Sustaire & Master Sustaire's Texas Twister Tournament in Allen, Tx Aug 9th & 10th

Mr. & Mrs. Marshall are encouraging the students and families of Marshall's ATA to attend & support the Texas Twister tournament in Allen, TX on Fri & Sat Aug 9th & 10th. Please go to the Allen Events Center in Allen Texas and support your school mates as they compete in the tournament. If you will not be competing, there will be no Spectator entrance fee for those wearing their full white uniform. Please remember to wear white or mostly white athletic footwear with your dobok. Please no sandals, flip flops or shoes of any color other than white.

SATURDAY, AUGUST 10TH - Allen Event Center

7:00 A.M. Instructor and student registration

7:30 A.M. MANDATORY Black Belt Judges Meeting (Ages 13 & Up).

8:00 - 8:30 A.M. Staging for all XMA & Creative, 17 & under.

8:30 - 8:45 A.M. OPENING

### CEREMONIES AND INTRODUCTIONS

8:45 - 10:00 A.M. ALL XMA & CREATIVE Competition, including Tiny Tigers. (17 & under all ranks).

8:45 A.M. ALL Tiny Tigers report to Staging Area. Parents please do not be late. All Tiny Tigers competition (incl. XMA, creative and combat sparring will be held in their rings).

8:45 A.M. Color Belt and Novice Division staging begins. Black Belts will be staged and competing throughout the day.

5:30 P.M. Tournament Ends.

Please do not be late. All Tiny Tigers competition (incl. XMA, creative and combat sparring will be held in their rings).

### Leadership Classes for August

Marshall's ATA will host our August Leadership Classes on Saturday Aug 17th & 24th. We will be discussing Perseverance & directing classes using the appropriate floor plans.

### Special points of interest:

- Marshall's ATA Back-to-School Belt Testing Weds & Thur Aug 7th & 8th
- Marshall's ATA Closed Sat Aug 10th to Administrative change over to the New Cycle
- August Birthdays
- Leadership Class Sat Aug 17th & 24th 8:30 - 9:30am
- Unicorn Lake Summer Concert Series on Thursdays from 7 - 8:30pm starting August 5th
- Marshall's ATA will be Closed for the Labor Day holiday Weekend Sat Aug 31st thru Mon Sep 2nd

### Tournaments:

<b>Smstr Sustaire's Texas Twister Allen, TX</b>	Aug 9th & 10th
<b>Songahm Fall Nationals at Disney World Orlando, FL</b>	Oct 16 - 19th, 2013

### Possibility

## Unicorn Lake Summer Concert Series

If you like how we come together for a festive time at our Annual Fall Harvest Festivals in October, you're going to love our Unicorn Lake Summer Concert Series. Our Unicorn Lake Merchants association will be hosting this wonderful

weekly music festival event that will be held every Thursday from Aug 8th thru 29th from 7 - 9:30. There will be bounce houses, fresh food & cool drinks for sale, a radio station will be broadcasting and plenty of gifts

and prizes. Marshall's ATA will be conducting a free Child Safety Clinic during the concerts. A representative from the Denton Police Department will have ID kits available to the public. Please don't miss this fun and informative event.

"Without leaps of imagination or dreaming, we lose the excitement of possibilities. Dreaming, after all is a form of planning."

- Gloria Steinem

# Marshall's ATA Rank Advancement Camp

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Marshall's ATA will conduct our Rank Advancement Summer Camp on August 19th thru 23rd. This will be our final Summer Camp of the 2013 season. The cost of this Camp is \$250.00 and the \$50.00 cost of the belt testing is included in the price of the Camp. We will provide snacks and drinks but the attendees are welcomed to bring lunch money or a bag lunch. Please see Mr. or Mrs. Marshall if you are interested in attending our final Marshall's ATA Summer Camp of 2013. We have a signup sheet at the front desk and will look forward to seeing you there.

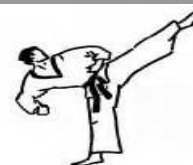
## Marshall's ATA Summer of 2013

As the Summer of 2013 draws to a close, I would like to say a word of thanks to the families and students of Marshall's ATA for attending and supporting the many Camps Testings, Par-

ent's Night Out and Activities hosted at Marshall's ATA. We started off the Summer with District Championships then Father's Day Belt Testing, Sparring/Fitness Camp, Summer Picnic, Seminars and Testing at the World Conference in Littlerock, Ar, Weapons Camp, Parents Night Out. The next school event will be the Back-to-School Belt Testing and the Rank Advancement Camp. We are not ready to say goodbye to Summer just yet however. There is still plenty of Summer Fun left to be had with the Unicorn Lake Summer Concert Series Musical Festival being held weekly on the grounds here on Thursdays from 7:00 - 8:30pm. Marshall's ATA will be conducting a Child Safety, Kidz in Power & Olweus Anti Bullying clinic during the Unicorn Lake concerts each week.

## Weapons Camp Participants

- **Mason Payne**
- **Devin Hearvey**
- **Tommy Ruscoe**
- **Daniel Febres**
- **Diego Febres**
- **Carlos Febres**
- **Benjamin Forrest**
- **Chance Coyle**
- **Hunter Lamb**
- **Dylan Lamb**
- **Niko Gray**
- **Sydney Holsomback**
- **Preston Couch**



## Protocol for Testing

Students must be on a program in order to be eligible to test. Students must wear their traditional white uniform. Any student who is at the testing but not participating is still expected to be wearing their complete uniform. Leadership students are expected to assist in whatever capacity necessary.

**Congratulations:** to Dr. Charles Kurtz on achieving 3rd place in Top 10 competition for Combat Weapons sparring. Congratulations are also in order for Mrs. Sandra Arcuri for achieving 3rd place in Top 10 Sparring & Combat sparring & 3rd place at the regular competition for weapons, sparring and Combat sparring. **Congratulations:** to **Mr. Diego Febres & Carlos Febres**, as they test for their 1st Degree Decided Black Belt at the Back-to-School Belt Testing.

## 2012 - Think, Pray, Work, Sweat & Play...Everyday

**Marshall's ATA Back-to-School Belt Testing Wed & Thur Aug 7th & 8th**

**Smstr Sustaire's Annual Texas Twister Regional Tournament in Allen, TX Aug 9th & 10th**

**Marshall's ATA will be Closed Saturday Aug 10th, for the New Cycle Transition**

**Marshall's ATA Rank Advancement Camp on Aug 19th thru 23rd from 8:00 - 3:00pm**

**The Denton ISD 1st 6 weeks of School Begins Monday, Aug 26th**

**Marshall's ATA Closed for Labor Day holiday Weekend Sat Aug 31st thru Mon Sep 2nd.**

## Testing at World Championships

I just wanted to take this valuable space in the August 2013 Newsletter to say on behalf of Mrs. Marshall and myself a heartfelt thank you to all of you who gave us your support and well wishes during our recent testing at the World Championships in Littlerock, Ar. Mrs. Marshall and I needed to take the time to work on ourselves, train with our instructor and prepare for the travel and grueling and arduous task of testing for our next rank on a world stage. Dr. Charles Kurtz,

Mrs. Sandra Arcuri, Mrs. Victoria Lamb, Mrs. Kaylynn Safar, Mr. Alan Au and Mrs. Genevieve Forrest your generosity with your time and your thoughtfulness is so very much appreciated. I also don't want to be remiss in thanking Hunter & Dylan Lamb for assisting their mom with classes and Patrick Safar for rendering his valuable assistance as well. I've often stated that Marshall's ATA is not a one man or one woman operation.

