

**International Umpires Seminar**

Senior Master Michael Prewett will be conducting an international umpires seminar in Holland in January 15th-17th for full details on costs and timings follow this link [EITF International Seminar](#) this will allow all III dans and above to get their class B ITF international umpires certificate.

**ITF Wales congratulations**

We would like to congratulate Kane Collins (Fairwater) and Leighton Prosser (Ely) for winning the UKTA 2009 Awards for overall u13 and veteran respectively from the 2009 national Opens.

**ITF Wales AGM**

This year the AGM will be on Monday 14th December at Llanedeyrn High school. All black belts are eligible to attend, an e-mail with the agenda and previous minutes will be sent out soon to all persons eligible to attend.

**ITF Wales Awards Night**

This is on January 15th at the Fairwater Cons club, tickets will be available soon from your school secretary at £4 per ticket and £10 for a family ticket (4 or more member from one household).

**UK Open 7th November 2009 Kelvin Halls, Glasgow**

Not many competitors up from Wales this year 7 Ely, 2 Cardiff Uni but good results and high standards as usual - well done to our friends from North Cardiff Self Defence by the way they all performed well.



Competitor	School	Patt	Spar	ST	Competitor	School	Patt	Spar	ST	Ov
Luke Wakely III	Ely	¼	ne		Leighton Prosser	Ely				
Jenna Wakely II	Ely	¼			Sarah Farthing	Cardiff Uni				
Tom Harris II	Ely				Jonathan Coles	Cardiff Uni	r2			
Lanny James II	Ely		ne		Leah Goodfellow	Ely	r2			
Conah Prosser	Ely							ne		

**Good luck**

ITF Wales would like to wish the following members all the best of luck as they represent Wales at the XVI Senior World Championships in St Petersburg 12th - 18th October. Luke Wakely III - Ely, Victoria Phillips III - Ely, Jenna Wakely II - Ely, Sophie Collins II - Fairwater and Tom Harris I - Ely.

**UKTA regional seminar & grading Sunday 27th September**

Thanks to Senior Master Taylor VIII who stood in for this seminar after Master O'Neill VII had to drop out - despite the aches and pains from the previous days tournaments everyone still worked hard in the seminar.



**Welsh Open - UWIC, Cardiff Saturday 26th September**

Well done to all the ITF Wales members who supported this event - over 250 competitors at UWIC this weekend, full results to follow. Click on [link for photos](#) & [more photos](#).

**New school opens**

Senior Master Taylor VIII has re-opened the Penarth School of Taekwon-Do, it will be run from Thursday 10th September 20:00-21:00 at Cogan Leisure Centre, Andrew Road, Cogan, Penarth CF64 2NS - [location map](#).

**September coming up**

Sunday September 13th ITF Wales National Squad training - Sophia Gardens, Jubilee Hall  
 Saturday September 26th UKTA Welsh Open - UWIC, Cyncoed, Cardiff [www.ukta.com](http://www.ukta.com)  
 Sunday September 27th UKTA regional seminar and grading, Llanedeyrn High School Cardiff



### September 6th, Glasgow - black belt promotions

A busy and hard worked weekend has led to the following people being promoted under Grand Master Rhee Ki Ha IX this weekend: Victoria Phillips (Ely) III, Conah Prosser (Ely) II, Lanny James (Ely) II, Tom Harris (Ely) II and very well done to our latest new black belt Dai Morgan (Ely) I. Congratulations to everyone.



### UKTA regional colour and black belt seminar and grading

The postponed seminar/grading from June will now take place on Sunday 12th July at Heath Hospital Sports Hall, Senior Master John Taylor VIII will be taking the seminar and Mr Darren Johns III of Cardiff North School will be hosting the event - if you wish to attend the seminar or grade you will need to contact your school secretary to register.



### Seminar with Grand Master Rhee Ki Ha IX and Senior Master Hwang from the Czech Republic

A dozen ITF Wales members attended the technical seminar with Grand Master Rhee and Senior Master Hwang - on a blistering hot day they all worked very hard in a stuffy hall but learnt a lot from the visiting Czech Master.



### English Open Saturday 27th June 2009 - K2 Crawley

The following Welsh competitors travelled to Crawley to compete in the English Open this year - well done to you all and also Senior Masters Prewett and Taylor along with Mr and Mrs Matthews and Miss Phillips who officiated throughout a very long day.

Competitor	School	Patt	Spar	ST	Competitor	School	Patt	Spar	ST	Ov
Dean Matthews	Cardiff Uni		ne		Daniel Kilford	Cyncoed	¼	¼		
Mike Barker III	Cardiff North				Kane Collins	Fairwater	r1	¼		
Luke Wakley III	Ely	¼	ne		Ethan Davies	Ely	r1			
Tom Harris I	Ely		ne		Daniel Neale	Ely	r1			
George Crews I	Fairwater				Leighton Prosser	Ely		ne		
Gareth Francis I	Ely				Thomas Jenkins	Ely	r2			
Conah Prosser I	Ely				Daniel Jenkins	Ely	r2	disq		
Lanny James I	Ely				Sharon Collins	Fairwater	r1			
Ryan Davies I	Ely	r2			Daniel Anderson	Fairwater				
Stephen Cocks	Lisvane	r1	ne							



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### Congratulations

ITF Wales would like to congratulate Dean Matthews V, Michael Barker III, Tom Harris I and Gareth Francis I on their success in the recent European Championships in Zrece, Slovenia. [Photos](#)

Dean Matthews V - Cardiff University	Silver senior V dan patterns
Mike Barker III - Cardiff North	Gold veteran III dan patterns & Gold Veteran -73kg sparring
Tom Harris I - Ely	Bronze senior -57kg sparring
Gareth Francis I - Ely	Silver junior -69kg sparring

### Congratulations

The following have been selected to compete in the forth coming European Championships - well done!

Dean Matthews V	Cardiff University	Victoria Phillips II	Ely
Mike Barker III	Cardiff North	Tom Harris I	Ely
Luke Wakely III	Ely	Gareth Francis I	Ely
Jenna Wakely II	Ely	Conah Prosser I	Ely
Sophie Collins II	Fairwater	Ryan Davis I	Ely



[Pictures now up](#)

[Full results](#)

### Scottish Open, Saturday 28th March - Inverness Leisure Centre

The tournament season kicked off with the Scottish open this year in Inverness, a very long trip up but worth it for the results and scenery. A smaller than usual Welsh turn out but as usual high standards showed through with some great results topped off with Ely's Leighton Prosser taking the veteran overall. Even with small numbers Wales still finished with two schools in the top 15 Ely 3rd and Fairwater 12th. Also well done to our friends in North Cardiff Self Defence which saw Mrs Gill Wakely II and her trio of stars - all sisters, Lucy, Anna and Olivia Hope all take gold in sparring - great work all of you.

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Luke Wakely III	Ely		ne	¼	Lanny James I	Ely	¼			
Jenna Wakely II	Ely				Stephen Cocks I	Lisvane	¼			
Cassie Lund I	Ely				Kane Collins	Fairwater				
Tom Harris I	Ely				Leighton Prosser	Ely				
Lauren Robson I	Ely				Sharon Collins	Fairwater				
Gareth Francis I	Ely				Rhiannon Parnis	Lisvane				
Conah Prosser I	Ely			r1	Jonathan Cole	Cardiff Uni	¼			



### Congratulations

ITF Wales would like to say congratulations to our latest black belt members who graded this weekend in front of Grand Master Rhee Ki Ha IX - well done to you all for your hard work and passing the grading.

Mark Holloway I	Cardiff North	Mr Darren Johns III
Jac Holloway I	Cardiff North	Mr Darren Johns III
Stephen Cocks I	Lisvane	Mr Christopher Black III
Daniel Kilford I	Cyncoed	Mr Dean Matthews V



### Congratulations

ITF Wales would like to congratulate Sophie Collins on another great performance whilst out in Russia. In a recent St Petersburg competition Sophie took double silver to take her tally to 3 silver and a bronze this year since she has been in Russia studying and competing. поздравления и хорошая работа Софи



### ITF Wales Awards Night - 9th January 2009 - RAFA Club, Ely

A great night was had by all as over 140 people turned up for the Awards night, as well as the awards below Mr Michael Barker was presented with his Veteran World Championship medals and Senior Master Michael Prewett was presented with a 30th anniversary cake for his time as an instructor.

Grand Prix u13	Bethan Pezzack - Fairwater	Kane Collins - Fairwater	Lewis Brooks - Ely
Grand Prix 13-17	Sarah Jones - Ely	Stephen Cocks - Lisvane	Amy Jones - Ely
Grand Prix 18+	Sarah Farthing - Cardiff Uni	Sharon Collins - Fairwater	Adam Gaunt - Cardiff Uni
Masters Shield	Bethan Pezzack - Fairwater, u13	Conah Prosser - Ely, 13-17	Sophie Collins - Fairwater. 18+
Junior Student	Jac Holloway - Cardiff North	Joseph Powell - Ely	Megan Williams - Fairwater
Senior Student	Mark Holloway - Cardiff North	Tom Harris - Ely	Lee Crews - Fairwater