

# RYUKYU KOBUDO SEMINAR WITH HIROSHI YOSHIMURA

## May 30 & 31, 2009, North Vancouver, BC



### HIROSHI YOSHIMURA

Yoshimura sensei is the head of the Ryukyu Kobudo Shinko Kai (Ryukyu Kobudo Promotion Society). He has been training in Kobudo and Karatedo for over 25 years and received his training from Katsuhiko Minowa. He resides on the island of Amami Oshima in Kagoshima Prefecture, Japan.

### SEMINAR FOCUS

This seminar aims to introduce some of the rare kobudo weapons not often practiced today such as the manji sai (inverted truncheon), kama (sickle) and suruchin (weighted chain), as well as related two-person sets.

7 dan Ryukyu Kobudo  
7 dan Uechi ryu Karatedo

### SCHEDULE

#### **Saturday May 30**

9:30 am- 10:30 am	Jigen no sai
10:30 am- 12:00 pm	Bo vs. Sai Kumite
12:00 pm- 1:30 pm	Lunch
1:30 pm - 2:30 pm	Review Jigen no sai & Bo vs. Sai Kumite
2:30 pm - 3:30 pm	Maezato no suruchin*
3:30 pm~	Group Photo

#### **Sunday May 31**

9:30 am - 10:30 am	Sakugawa no kon (sho)
10:30 am- 12:00 pm	Sakugawa no kon (sho) two-person set
12:00 pm- 1:30 pm	Lunch
1:30 pm - 2:30 pm	Review Sakugawa no kon (sho) & set
2:30 pm - 3:30 pm	Kanegawa no niccho gama
3:30 pm~	Group Photo
5:30 pm~	Post-seminar dinner with Yoshimura sensei**

Please bring your own weapons to the seminar

\* Please bring a 1.5-meter length of rope for the suruchin section

\*\* Dinner held at *I Love Sushi* restaurant, 127 East 3rd Street North Vancouver, Cost \$18.95+tax & tip

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## LOCATION

Hinode Shotokan Dojo, Navy League Hall, 1555 Forbes Avenue  
North Vancouver, BC. Tel: 604 - 340 - 3319

## COST

One day \$70  
Saturday and Sunday \$125

To register, complete and print the form below, fill in the required information, and enclose a cheque or money order made out to Kowakai Karatedo and mail to: Kowakai Karatedo c/o: Mario McKenna, 402 - 2053 West 8<sup>th</sup> Avenue, Vancouver, BC, V6J1W4

For inquiries about the seminar, please telephone Mario McKenna **604-230-0161** or email at **kowakan@telus.net**

## KOBUDO SEMINAR WITH HIROSHI YOSHIMURA - APPLICATION

(1) One Day (circle): Saturday / Sunday      (2) Both days

Amount Enclosed: \$\_\_\_\_\_

Attending Sunday dinner at *I Love Sushi*: Yes / No

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact:

Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

I \_\_\_\_\_ submit my application for participation in the above named seminar(s) with Hiroshi Yoshimura on individual or consecutive dates from May 30 to 31, 2009. I understand that there are risks of injury in participating in this seminar. I claim full responsibility for myself in this event. I hereby waive and release any and all claims, cause of action, losses, damages, cost, expenses, either known, now existing or arising in the future, that I may have of whatever kind or nature against Kowakai Karatedo, Hinode Shotokan Dojo, Ryukyu Kobudo Shinko Kai, seminar organizer or director and/or anyone involved in any way with the seminar.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Parent or Guardian if under 19 years of age)