



TRUNK OR TREAT!

Join us for a BOO-tiful night of trunk-or-treating at both schools! This FREE community event offers spook-tacularly decorated trunks, candy galore, delicious treats, and a costume parade to show off your best Halloween looks. Want to make this event even better? Invite your friends and join the fun! We're also looking for volunteers to decorate trunks and hand out candy—plus, we're accepting candy donations to keep the spooky spirit alive. Sign up at the front desk to get involved, and we'll see you there for the best Halloween event in town!

Middleburg:

Friday, October 17 @ 6 PM

Fleming Island:

Saturday, October 18 @ 6 PM

BULLY PREVENTION WORKSHOP

Join us for our Bully Prevention Workshop and help your child stand up to bullies with confidence! Through our "Black Belt Boundaries" approach, your child will learn how to recognize and respond to bullying, while building courage and self-esteem. This event is FREE and open to the public – and even better, they can bring their friends!

Friday, October 3 @ 6:15 PM

Both Locations

REGION 21 FALL CLINIC

Join us to cheer on Ripple Effect students as they test for their Black Belts Friday, Oct. 24. Then, Saturday, October 25 we will join other schools around the region for a clinic and competition. Register at Region21-WTSDA.com by October 17. There will be NO CLASSES in our Fleming Island or Middleburg locations during the clinic.

Friday, Oct. 24

Black Creek Methodist
Church, Middleburg

Saturday, Oct. 25

St. Johns Classical Academy,
Fleming Island

OPEN MATS FOR EXTRA PRACTICE

Need a little extra practice to prepare for your next belt test? Join us for open mats at both schools.

Fleming:

Oct. 4 & 11 @ 2 PM

Middleburg:

Oct. 7 & 14 @ 7:15 PM

GET READY TO TEST THIS MONTH!

Our next belt tests are the final week of October! And we are excited to host another **All School Belt Promotion Ceremony** Saturday, Nov. 1 at the Middleburg Studio. Below are important testing dates and reminders!

Oct. 1 – GUP Pre-Testing Begins

Oct. 22 – All Testing Paperwork Due

Oct. 27-30 – Testing Week



ALL SCHOOL BELT PROMOTION

SATURDAY, NOV. 1 @ 10:00 AM
AT MIDDLEBURG STUDIO
(see schedule on back page)

BLUE & BLUE/BLACK PRE-TESTING

Blue and Blue/Black Belts will have two pre-testing opportunities on **October 11th and 18th** at Middleburg. Make sure you are practicing at home!



THEME OF THE MONTH: BULLYING PREVENTION

LEADERS SEMINAR WEAPON: TONFA

MASTERS SEMINAR WEAPON: ROLLS, FALLS & BREAKING



UPCOMING
EVENTS

& IMPORTANT DATES

FLEMING ISLAND

- Oct. 1** GUP Pre-Testing Begins
- Oct. 3** 5:45 PM – Lead Talk
6:15 PM – Bully Prevention Workshop
- Oct. 4** 11 AM-2 PM – Prep Cycle Workout @ Middleburg
11:45 AM – Jr. Instructor Training
12:15 PM – SWAT Training
2-3 PM – Open Mats
- Oct. 10** 5:45 PM – Lead Talk
6:15 PM – Masters: Rolls, Falls & Breaking
7:15 PM – Leaders: Tonfa
- Oct. 11** 8-10 AM – 1st Blue and Blue/Black Pre-Test @ Middleburg
11 AM-2 PM – Conditional & Black Belt Pre-Test #1 and Written Exam @ Middleburg
2-3 PM – Open Mats
4-7 PM – Dojo Dash Delivery
- Oct. 17** 5:45 PM – Lead Talk
- Oct. 18** 8-10 AM – 2nd Blue and Black Belt Pre-Test @ Middleburg
11 AM-2 PM – Conditional & Black Belt Pre-Test #2 and Written Exam @ Middleburg
3-6 PM – Fleming Island Plantation Self Defense Class
6-8 PM – Trunk or Treat, Prep Cycle Volunteering
- Oct. 22** GUP & Little Ripples Paperwork Due
- Oct. 24-26** Region 21 Black Belt Test & Clinic
CLOSED Oct. 24-25
- Oct. 27-30** Testing Week
- Oct. 31** CLOSED
- Nov. 1** All School Belt Promotion Ceremony @ Middleburg

MIDDLEBURG

- Oct. 1** GUP Pre-Testing Begins
- Oct. 3** 5:45 PM – Lead Talk
6:15 PM – Bully Prevention Workshop
- Oct. 4** 11 AM-2 PM – Prep Cycle Workout
1:30 PM – Jr. Instructor Training
2 PM – SWAT Training
- Oct. 7** 7:15-8 PM – Open Mats
- Oct. 10** 5:45 PM – Lead Talk
6:15 PM – Masters: Rolls, Falls & Breaking
7:15 PM – Leaders: Tonfa
- Oct. 11** 8-10 AM – 1st Blue and Blue/Black Belt Pre-Test
11 AM-2 PM – Conditional & Black Belt Pre-Test #1 and Written Exam
4-7 PM – Dojo Dash Delivery
- Oct. 14** 7:15-8 PM – Open Mats
- Oct. 17** 6-7:30 PM – Trunk or Treat
6-8 PM – Prep Cycle Volunteering
- Oct. 18** 8-10 AM – 2nd Blue and Blue/Black Belt Pre-Test
11 AM-2 PM – Conditional & Black Belt Pre-Test #2 and Written Exam
- Oct. 21** 7:15-8 PM – Proctor Training
- Oct. 22** GUP & Little Ripples Paperwork Due
- Oct. 24-26** Region 21 Black Belt Test & Clinic
NO CLASSES Oct. 24, Camp Ripple open
CLOSED Oct. 25
- Oct. 27-30** Testing Week
- Oct. 31** CLOSED for classes, Camp Ripple open
- Nov. 1** All School Belt Promotion Ceremony @ Middleburg
1st group: 10:am-11:30am
(White, Orange/White & Orange Belts)
- Black Belt Promotions: 11:30am-12:30pm
- 2nd Group: 12:30pm-2pm
(Orange/Green, Green, Green/Brown, Brown, Brown/Red, Red, Red/Blue, Blue & Blue/Black)



HAPPY
HALLOWEEN