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Ryukyu Two Day Course

Two Day Course for 2009 was not held this was due to M.J.Benfell Hanshi being invited to Sicily to teach in March also the following instructor's from the Association went along with him.
Norman Wall Hanshi
David Atkins Shihan
Hazel Maxwell Renshi
John Rowland-Jones Sensei
Les Randle Sensei.
For the 8 days they were there the hospitality was overwhelming, Great time had by all.

There will be a RYUKYU course in 2010 in Nuneaton.

Woolacombe

Again The Bob Bridges week end Course went off well, good training and good company just what you want from a week end.

World & British Federation of Martial Arts

The Last course and to close the fed took place at Skeg on the 17th of July. and to remember the founder Tom Baldwin Soke Judan Benfell Hanshi Stringer Hanshi said a few words about Baldwin Soke. Instructors for the last course as follows
Benfell Hanshi
Stringer Hanshi
Wall Hanshi
Kemp Hanshi
Scott Shihan
Atkins Shihan
Toms wife Pam Baldwin will donate Remaining fed money to charity of her choice.

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Course's 2010.

**Ryukyu Association
2 day course**

W.S.C.O.S Germany

Woolacombe England

Sicily Italy

Florida U.S.A

And a few more to arrange

M.J.Benfell Hanshi



Gradings and Awards

**Ryukyu Association
of
Karate and Gung-fu**

Congratulations to the following:

**N. Wall Hanshi
Kyudan 9th dan**

**D. Atkins
Rokudan 6th dan**

**S. Stocker
Sandan 3rd dan**

**Miss D. Mount
Sandan 3rd dan**

