

MOY MARTIAL ARTS & TAI CHI ACADEMY

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It is easier to build strong children, than to repair broken men.

~Frederick Douglass

**Best of Clark County Public Poll
Please vote before February 7!**



The Columbian newspaper has a "Best of Clark County" contest every year. The public votes for their favorite businesses.

Moy Martial Arts & Tai Chi Academy has been Runner-Up (2nd place) for the last 2 years in the "Martial Arts Studio" category.

Not that I'm competitive ;-) but, your vote will help us get to 1st place this year.

Nominations are only being accepted Feb 1 - 7.

1- Go to BestOfClarkCounty.com

Hit the "Click to Nominate" button.

2- Enter your email. Don't click the box.

3- Click next.

4- Scroll down to "Sports and Fitness" (bottom of page)

5- Go to "Martial Arts Studio"

6- Enter "Moy Martial Arts & Tai Chi"

Thanks!

Test Dates

- March 23 – 26
- June 15 – 18
- Sep 28 – Oct 1

25 Referral Gift

Thank You for your Referrals!

Receive \$25 when you refer someone that enrolls in our 4-Week New Student Special. A \$25 check will be issued upon completion of their four weeks. Pick up some cards at the front desk.

Tum Pai Association 2016 Workshops

The Kajukenbo Tum Pai Association 2016 Workshops are Saturday, February 20 at Academy of Kung Fu in Longview.

MoyMartialArts.com/workshops

Emergency and Disaster Preparedness Planning Clinic

You are invited to attend a FREE clinic on Emergency and Disaster Preparedness Planning.

Presented by Joe Ohama at Moy Martial Arts

Date: March 5, 2016. 1:00 - 2:30 pm

Location: Moy Martial Arts Academy (14407-E NE 13th Ave., Van., WA 98685)

Call 360-573-2367 to reserve your seat.

For more information:

MoyMartialArts.com/prep

2015 Pictures

Go to MoyMartialArts.com/pics to download pictures from 2015. Lots of great memories!

Charitable Drive for YWCA SafeChoice Women's Domestic Violence Shelter (ywcaclarkcounty.org)

Thank You to everyone that contributed to our annual Charitable Drive.

The YWCA sent the following note:

"Your gift is so much more than a donation. Thank you for your generosity and compassion! Your partnership means a lot to us."

Head Lice

Kids are back in public school – which means illnesses and other communicable stuff gets passed around.

If your child catches head lice – don't panic, but, please keep them home until the problem is cleared up.

There are many over-the-counter remedies. Look up Tea Tree Oil for a natural alternative.

Support HB 2334 - Help Repeal Sales Tax on Martial Arts Instruction

Please take action now – if you believe that Martial Arts training empowers the student, builds character, and adds value to the community. It's not just a physical activity.

As of January 1, 2016, Washington State Department of Revenue requires 8.4 % Sales Tax to be collected on Martial Arts Instruction.

Just to be clear - this is a tax that the state is charging all Martial Arts STUDENTS.

The Washington State Martial Arts Association (WSMAA)

wamartialartsassoc.com is a group of school owners, students and parents that have joined forces to fight to repeal this unjust tax.

You can help fight to prevent the state from charging over \$100 per student, per year for sales tax.

WSMAA has hired lobbyists and legal representation to craft and introduce House Bill 2334. HB 2334 was unanimously approved by the House Finance Committee on Jan. 26, 2016.

At this time, HB 2334 has been submitted to the House Rules Committee.

How you can help...

1- Please contact your district representatives regarding your support of HB 2334. Go here:

MoyMartialArts.com/tax

2- Help with the financial costs of passing HB 2334 which will repeal the sales tax for Martial Arts Instruction. Moy Academy has contributed \$600 to help pay for the legal counsel and lobbyists that were hired.

A \$20 - \$100 donation now, by each student/parent, will help stop Hundreds of Dollars being charged by the state for sales tax, every year that you train!

Go here: MoyMartialArts.com/fund