



South Bay

FILIPINO MARTIAL ARTS CLUB Newsletter

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Summer 2013

Martial Arts History Museum Honor Awards Event and Banquet

The Martial Arts History Museum located at 2319 West Magnolia, Burbank California has award event know as the Honor Awards Ceremony. This will be its 9th year, but this year President Michael Masuda nominated your Mataw Guro as an Honoree for an Award! This award according to website (www.Museum-HonorAwards.com) and I quote "the event will pay honor and respect to those amazing individuals who have excelled in martial arts and made an impact in martial arts community". The SBFMA club has purchased enough tickets to get a table for our group. So we will be attending this event on Sept. 7th, 2013. Also at this event will be one of our club's Arnis de Mano outreach program student's: Sensei William Christopher Ford. He and his Karate students from our Saturday morning class location will be attending as well.



THE 2013 HONOR AWARDS

Serrada Legacy Seminar & Tournament 2013

This year Mataw Guro Marc Lawrence traveled up in early April to Stockton CA to help support the Legacy Seminar Event & Tournament organized and hosted Grand Master Darren Tibon of Angels Disciples. Angels Disciples are followers of the Serrada system founded by the late Angel Cabales. This year was different as Master Magazine filmed and interviewed teachers at the event. There is portion of the 4 hour video that is about your Mataw Guro and demonstrations on his methods.

Masters Magazine Video Productions has a video on the event.

Here is their description "Stockton, CA. April 13th & 14th 2013, a historical event of Escrima Grandmasters and Masters gathered at one event to pay respect to the founders of Stockton's Escrima Grandmasters and share their teachings for a common cause of unifying Pilipino Martial Arts. This was the opportunity of a life time for Escrima practitioners to experience the rich flavors of Filipino Martial Arts. This 10 hour seminar event has been edited to a 4 hour (2 dvd - Collector's Edition Set) of compacted instructional content that is a one of a kind experience"

**SERRADA
ESCRIMA**
PRESENTS
**THE
LEGACY**
2013 ESCRIMA SEMINAR
4 Hour Video Collector's Edition

It can be purchased at: www.empiremediallc.com/DVDs/SERRADA%20Escrima.html

and the cost is 55.00 dollars.

Video Production at Kaizen Dojo, Gardena CA.

During our first basic 12 week Arnis de Mano class at Kaizen Dojo, we brought in a video camera crew to catch a portion of what we teach and how the basics are done. After much delaying around and editing we now have a video available for sale from the first class show the basics as well two additional topics. The cost of this video is 20.00 dollars and available now.

Arnis De Mano Class or Arnis in 12 Easy Lessons Class #2

Our second class basic Arnis de Mano class being held at Kaizen Dojo is going well; we have one repeat student from our first class, two students from our new Meet-Up page (<http://www.meetup.com/South-Bay-Filipino-Martial-Arts-Club/>) and two brothers from the Karate program. We had one student come try and leave and we have one out on injury (not from our class). This Arnis class will be done in July. This class has been supported by the hard work of our instructor Eric Jue, Assistant Instructor Ray Melchor and Guro Boris Fritz. Without their hard work this class could not happen due to Mataw Guro Marc Lawrence constantly changing work schedule. We have been using Meet-Up as way to advertise what we are doing locally with a good response.





FMA Exchange Group New Student Instructors

Our club the South Bay Filipino Martial Arts Club has taken some new friends that we met through Meet-Up. This group is called the FMA exchange group. They are out of Ogden Judo in Bellflower, CA. We are assisting them with the organization of their curriculum and sharing some of our training methods. Some our club is learning their styles and they are learning ours. They believe in sharing concepts and ideas so that all can grow. We salute John, Cesar and Ramsis of the FMA Exchange group and look forward to helping them grow in their success.



Upcoming Article "The Geometry of Fighting"

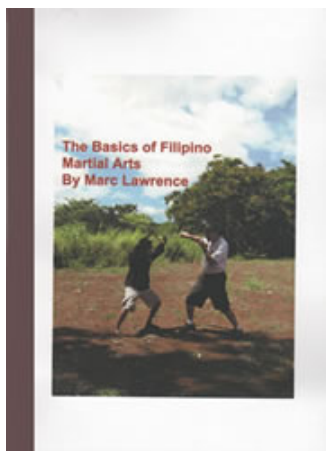
Those of you who listen to many of Mataw-Guro Marc's technical explanations on the science of fighting will be pleased to know that there will be an article of the geometry of fighting! This article will explain many of the things that occur in any kind of fight, with how and why as well as the history and roots of fighting methods. Please look for this article in the FMA Informative for more information at: www.fmainformative.info.

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The Basics of Filipino Martial Arts

By Marc Lawrence



Master Marc Lawrence Academy of Masters Hall of Fame - Life Time Award, developed this book based upon information gathered over years from 37 different Grandmasters, Masters, Guros and Instructors of what makes up the basics of the Filipino martial art known as Arnis, Eskrima, or Kali. The book contains photographs, diagrams and detailed information that explains what makes the basics any of the Filipino Martial Arts styles is use today. This book serves as companion to any Filipino martial arts style and this information will enhance their skill.

(92 pages)

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