



# MONTHLY NEWSLETTER

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## Quick Reminder—Breaks & Periods

Here is your friendly mid-month reminder: There will be no classes at MTC November 21-25. Period 11 ends on November 18th. Period 12 begins on November 28th.

This should have no effect on folks with month-to-month, 6, 12 and 24 month commitments. Those in their introductory period will have their agreement extended to compensate for the one calendar week they will miss.

We will experience something similar after period 12 ends on December 23rd. The week of December 26-30 we will not have classes.

## Colored Belt Test Coming Up

Our next belt test for yellow-senior red belt will be on December 3rd. Students who tested in or before August 2016 should be eligible to test this time if their attendance has been regular.

Remember those testing for all solid colored belts will have new poomsae to show, and those testing for senior belts will need to show they have perfected their forms by showing them with precise accuracy. The only exception to this standard is for Senior Yellow; those test takers will be tested over Taegueks 1 and 2 with accuracy.

Sign up and payment (\$25) for the test is due November 29th. Late sign up will be allowed until December 3rd with a \$25 late fee assessed.

## Belt Test Coming Up

Congratulations to the 2016 Black Belt Testing Class.

Austin Clark, Scotty Graham, Lydia Rosbarsky, Leslie Berg, Annie Graham, Jesse Earll, Hunter Goodman, Bruce McCubbin, Sam

We, Sir Steve and Ma'am Amanda want to take a moment to say that we appreciate all of our students for the individuals they are. We want MTC to be a place where everyone is safe to embrace their unique identities. MTC has been built into a vibrant community in large part because of the vast expressions of uniqueness you can find here. Often in life, and especially Martial Arts schools, it is common to value conformity over uniqueness, so you all are to be commended for being courageous enough to be you in the face of those outside pressures.

Thank you for continuing to share your journeys with us.



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