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36th Annual Riai Aikido National Friendship Festival Saturday 26th and Sunday 27th August 2017



Featuring NZ Sensei's:

Simon Puffett 6th Dan, Aikido Shinryukan

Alan Roberts 6th Dan, Aikido Auckland Seishinkan

Henry Lynch 6th Dan, Riai Aikido

Simon started practicing Aikido in 1990 with Aikikai Foundation representative for New Zealand Shihan Nobuo Takase, 7th Dan. Simon is currently supporting Shinryukan Hombu Dojo in Auckland as a senior instructor and examiner under the guidance and instruction of Shihan Takase, 7th Dan.

Alan began practicing Aikido in 1987. He was an apprentice of Morihiro Saito at the Founder's Dojo and the Aiki Shrine in Iwama from 1988 to 1993. In 1994 he began teaching Aikido in Auckland and is currently the dojo-cho of Aikido Auckland Seshinkan. He teaches workshops both nationally and internationally. Professionally, Roberts Sensei is a practitioner of Structural Integration, a system of myofascial techniques and movement education that aims at optimising body use. Alan Sensei was inducted into the NZ Martial Arts Hall of Fame in 2011.

Henry started his Aikido journey in 1971. He has also studied Judo, Kendo and Shrinjo-kempo and is the Chief Instructor and Head of Riai Aikido which has 7 schools in NZ and Australia. He is based in Auckland and founded the Riai Aikido Learning Centre and was acknowledged by the Martial Arts community for his contribution and dedication to Martial Arts and Aikido by being inducted into the NZ Martial Arts Hall of Fame in 2009 and the Australasian Arts Hall of Fame in 2012 in Australia.

When: Saturday 26th August 9:30am-4:30pm
Sunday 27th August 9:30am-3pm

Where: Michael Park Rudolf Steiner School, 55 Amy Street, Ellerslie, Auckland

Cost: For the full 2 day festival, \$165.00 if paid and **registered by 15th July 2017.**
After this date the registration fee is \$215.00.

\$110.00 Saturday \$90.00 Sunday

Meals: **Morning and afternoon teas are included.** Cafes are close by or bring your own lunch.

Registration: Please complete the attached registration form to secure your place.

Numbers are limited so don't delay completing your registration form!!

Any enquiries to Danny McIntyre Sensei 021 593 067 or danny@plasteroptions.co.nz

PLEASE NOTE: Early Bird Registrations close on 15th July 2017

After 15th July the registration fee is \$215.00 and you will be placed on a waiting list if the

36th Festival is fully bookedso be quick for your spot!

The 36th Annual Riai Aikido National Friendship Festival again **promises to be one of exploration, learning, renewing friendships and making new friends on and off the mat.**

This is a special event in the NZ Aikido calendar and everyone is welcome regardless of affiliation or how long you have been practicing Aikido.



Registration Form: 36th National Friendship Festival 2017

Please select your registration options(s) by ticking the appropriate boxes:

REGISTRATION OPTIONS	Please tick the box
Full weekend registration is \$165 if paid by 15/07/2017 after this date the registration fee is \$215.00 and you will be placed on a waiting list if the Festival is fully booked.	NZ\$165 <input type="checkbox"/>
Saturday 26 th August – 9:30am-4:30pm	NZ\$110 <input type="checkbox"/>
Sunday 27 th August – 9:30am – 3pm	NZ\$90 <input type="checkbox"/>

Please indicate payment amount and me

- I have deposited NZ\$_____ into account number: 03-0104-0738106-00
(For internet payments please include your name in the reference field)
- I am attending the Saturday night Festival dinner at my own cost. Venue to be advised.

Note: Please specify the number of people attending the dinner with you : _____

Name: _____

Email: _____

Mobile: _____

Home Dojo: _____

Please either email / scan this registration form to: learningcentre.info@aikido.org.nz
Or post to: Riai Aikido Learning Centre, C/- Apartment PA, 238 Karangahape Road,
Auckland Central, 1010

Thank you and we look forward to seeing you on the 36th Festival Mat.