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Wishing everyone Merry Christmas & Happy New Year

Reflections on 2011

As we come to the end of training for the year adds up to the 15th year I have been at this location and about 20 years I have been running some sort of boxing program in Sydney (about 9 years as Joe's Boxing) . Another Milestone reached this year was in March adding the 2000th student to the database since first implemented in 1999 and since then a further 150 students have been added on short or long term memberships.

The other significant achievement this year was Nadine winning our first state title conquering the female elite (open) 69kg class at the Brighton Fisho's on the 20th February. We have had over 60 competition fights from Joe's Boxing since our first foray into Olympic sanctioned ABA competitions some two and a half years ago. We don't win every fight but in almost every case we are competitive and our students generally come out unmarked & unscathed and every now and then one of our students wins by spectacular knockout. Personally I am just happy if everyone comes home safely as it is only sport but oh what a sport!.

Thanks to Jono, Rachel, Blake & Leon for taking their great classes but especially to Will McDonnell who has become incredible as both a teacher and sparring exponent an example of what a boxer should be and I hope 2012 will be yours.



Calendar

*Grading White to Black Shirt
Thursday 15th December 7pm—
School closes for 2011*

***School opens January
9th 2012 @ 7pm***

*Holiday time table operational
between 9th-22nd January*

Monday 7pm & 8pm Classes

Wednesday 10.30am

Thursday 7pm & 8pm Classes

***Full timetable re-
sumes 23rd January
2012 from 4pm***


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What's Been Happening Here

As we hurtled to the end of the year with many involved in exams we took only two of the many competitions we were offered. The reason we are offered so many chances of competition is that we are reliable and if we commit we pretty much always get our students to show up. We also take up challenges that we don't always look like we will win and sometimes we don't but sometimes we surprise ourselves with an upset. We are nearly always competitive and you don't learn anything if you don't take risks. We collectively are getting better more experienced and our results are starting to improve at the highest level.

Results as follows;

David K had his first fight and first win at the Randwick Labor Club on 18th November. Then Saturday 10th December Will D, Michelle, Rachel & Tom stepped up to the plate and the Bronte RSL. I can only say I am so proud of you all. All were challenging fights with all our opponents having more experience than us and one who was trained by a former world champion. It didn't do him much good as he was summarily knocked out by our Will D winning that well known title Eastside Heavyweight Masters. Michelle, Rachel and Tom lost on decision but I was very proud of their efforts their sportsmanship and their spirit.

THE BIG RING

November 30th—Undefeated Australian boxer Will Tomlinson has claimed the vacant IBF super featherweight title with a unanimous points decision victory over Mexico's Alan Herrera at Perth's Challenge Stadium last night.

The storied boxing career of Danny Green again seems to hang in the balance after he was beaten by TKO by Poland's Krzysztof "El Diablo" Wlodarczyk in the 11th round of their WBC cruiserweight title bout at Perth's Challenge Stadium overnight.

December 4th—Australia's Vic Darchinyan has the ring name "The Raging Bull", but his crafty Panamanian opponent Anselmo Moreno played the master matador while cruising to victory in their World Boxing Association bantamweight title fight in California. Darchinyan, looking for an early knockout, swung his trademark wild blows and Moreno ducked, weaved and backed away in a highly-skilled display of defensive boxing. On Wednesday Darchinyan announced he would fight a mixed martial arts bout in 2012, drawing on the wrestling skills he developed growing up in Armenia under the guidance of his father, an Olympic wrestling coach. Darchinyan drops to a 37 win (27 KO), four loss, one draw professional record.

Newly crowned IBF featherweight world champion Billy Dib is eyeing a massive unification fight with superstar Chris John and looks set to lead a new Aus-

Karate Corner

Thanks to Chris & Ben who performed martial arts demo's at the Christmas party



Alesia Graf visited here recently - the orphan from Belarus who rose to become two time world champion steps up to 54kg to win her third world title

Rani Re-incarnated

Rani Dog asked to come back as a Rock Star and I guess god had a sense of humour. Philomena sits on one of the ring poles for hours surveying the action and enjoys a diet of bugs and cockroaches. Don't be scared she is friendly.



That's it Folks see you next year!