



# Cambridge & Impington Tang Soo Do Clubs



## September Gup Testing – Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> September 2014

On Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> September students from both Cambridge and Impington pre-tested to see if they were ready for their next grade. Those that were successful attended the above testing in front of five Masters from Great Britain Tang Soo Do, they were Master Khan (6<sup>th</sup> Dan -Chief Examiner), Master Dawn Khan (4<sup>th</sup> Dan), Master B. Harper (4<sup>th</sup> Dan) Master M. Allen (4<sup>th</sup> Dan), and Master L. Allen(4<sup>th</sup> Dan).

Each of the Gup testings follows a pre-determined format, which allows the students to become familiar with the process, so that once they have taken that initial step to Orange belt they know what to expect. On this occasion the number of students testing was small about the same as the June Testing, that was also reflected in the number of students testing from Cambridge and Impington Tang Soo Do club.

First up were the White belts at their first testing, and full of nerves, in this section neither Cambridge nor Impington clubs had any students testing.

Next section was the Orange Belts here both clubs did not have any students testing.

In the Green belt section we had three students two from Impington and one from Cambridge, testing for their next grade of Green Tag. They also gave a good performance in a group which this time was a little down in spirit. Well done to Lukasz Gazda who received the Most Improved certificate for the Green belt section.

In the final group of Brown and Red belts combined we had one student from Impington testing for Brown tag and one student from Cambridge testing for Red tag. Both did very well in a good sized group for Brown & Red belts giving a good account of themselves.

Unfortunately again this time we do not have any photographs with both club instructors now sitting on the examining panel, perhaps someone would like to volunteer to become photographer for the clubs so that we can keep a few photographs appearing for the Gup testings.

Well done to all those that tested on the day now you are a new grade try to be that grade ready for the next step to a higher grade. Those testing were, Ethan Martin, Lukasz Gazda, Emma Evans, Jack Todd and Esme Snape.