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### RE: British International Open Karate Championships

On behalf of the Australian Karate Federation, we would like to take this opportunity to congratulate the following individuals on their outstanding achievements whilst representing Australia at the British International Open Karate Championships in Glasgow, Scotland on 10 and 11 July 2010. Their efforts are to be commended.

<b>Dean Hollowood</b>	Cadet Male Open Kumite	<b>Gold Medallist</b>
<b>Caitlin Noble</b>	Junior Female -59kg Kumite	<b>Gold Medallist</b>
<b>Alysha Dew</b>	Senior Female -55kg Kumite	<b>Gold Medallist</b>
<b>Joseph Byrne, George Stavrakis, Sebastian Szalay</b>	Junior Male Team Kumite	<b>Gold Medallists</b>
<b>John Georgas</b>	Cadet Male Kata	<b>Silver Medallist</b>
<b>Caitlin Noble</b>	Junior Female Open Kumite	<b>Silver Medallist</b>
<b>Stephenie Harris</b>	Senior Female Open Kumite	<b>Silver Medallist</b>
<b>Maki Kamada</b>	Senior Female Kata	<b>Silver Medallist</b>
<b>Dean Hollowood</b>	Cadet Male -70kg Kumite	<b>Bronze Medallist</b>
<b>Sebastian Szalay</b>	Junior Male -68kg Kumite	<b>Bronze Medallist</b>
<b>Sebastian Szalay</b>	Junior Male Open Kumite	<b>Bronze Medallist</b>
<b>George Stavrakis</b>	Junior Male-76kg Kumite	<b>Bronze Medallist</b>
<b>Shannon Barton</b>	Senior Male -67kg Kumite	<b>Bronze Medallist</b>
<b>Maria Alexiadis</b>	Senior Female -50kg Kumite	<b>Bronze Medallist</b>
<b>Jessica Bratich</b>	Senior Female -68kg Kumite	<b>Bronze Medallist</b>
<b>Alysha Dew</b>	Senior Female Open Kumite	<b>Bronze Medallist</b>

We would also like to acknowledge the efforts of all athletes who represented Australia at the British International Open Karate Championships. Representing Australia is one of the greatest honours that can be bestowed upon any athlete and the Australian Karate Federation is proud of their achievement.

John Georgas	Cadet Male Kata
Dean Hollowood	Cadet Male -70kg Kumite, Cadet Male Open Kumite
Caitlin Noble	Junior Female -59kg Kumite, Junior Female Open Kumite
Joseph Byrne	Junior Male -68kg Kumite, Junior Male Open Kumite, Junior Male Team Kumite
George Stavrakis	Junior Male-76kg Kumite, Junior Male Open Kumite, Junior Male Team Kumite
Sebastian Szalay	Junior Male -68kg Kumite, Junior Male Open Kumite, Junior Male Team Kumite
Maria Alexiadis	Senior Female -50kg Kumite, Senior Female Open Kumite, Senior Female Team Kumite
Jessica Bratich	Senior Female -68kg Kumite, Senior Female Open Kumite, Senior Female Team Kumite
Tanya Cooper	Senior Female -55kg Kumite, Senior Female Open Kumite, Senior Female Team Kumite

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Alysha Dew	Senior Female -55kg Kumite, Senior Female Open Kumite
Megan Edwards	Senior Female -68kg Kumite, Senior Female Open Kumite, Senior Female Team Kumite
Stephenie Harris	Senior Female -61kg Kumite, Senior Female Open Kumite, Senior Female Team Kumite
Rebecca O'Sullivan	Senior Female -68kg Kumite, Senior Female Open Kumite, Senior Female Team Kumite
Michelle Wilson	Senior Female +68kg Kumite, Senior Female Open Kumite, Senior Female Team Kumite
Nicole Bridgeman	Senior Female Kata
Maki Kamada	Senior Female Kata
Shannon Barton	Senior Male -67kg Kumite
William Kuang	Senior Male -67kg Kumite
Rhys Scott	Senior Male Kata
Jonathan Staynor	Senior Male Kata

Their selection into the National Team was based on their previous positive performance and notable achievements to date. I sincerely trust the experience gained will prove invaluable leading to even more significant achievements in the future. As ambassadors for our country I am sure you will agree that their participation ensured Australia remained competitive as well as maintaining our good-standing with regards to cultural relations in the International Sporting Community.

Yours sincerely,

Mr Donald James  
Vice President

Mr Mark Golding  
Chair - National Coaches Committee

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