

# KARATE FANS

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## Dear members and friends of the WKKO.

Welcome to our first pdf magazine about the WKKO, what we do and what we are working on at this moment. The world is still under the spell of the covid virus, and some countries are still in lockdown and often unable to train, or they have limited training. In the Netherlands we will be open again from Monday 17 January. Hopefully it won't be too long, and we can all meet again somewhere, at seminars, competitions and other activities. My thanks to all who are doing a good job for the WKKO, for helping us grow and for showing what we stand for. For fair martial arts.

*Osu Renshi R Pepels WKKO founder*



*(Sempai Fred, Sempai Rik, Renshi RP, Sempai Robbert WKKO Netherlands and Belgium)*

**In recent months**, many dojo's worldwide have joined our organization. Dojo's in America, Africa, Belgium, Great Britain England, Canada, Russia and especially in the Middle East. Our WKKO leader in the Middle East is **Shihan Katebi**, he does an incredible amount of good work, in Iran alone there are more than 45 WKKO Dojo's, and right now we are about to open WKKO dojo's in Iraq, Georgia, Qatar, the United Arab Emirates and Armenia.

And luckily, all members join in our concept of **Non-Profit** working. It's about the art, not about the money, as is the case with many organizations.

**The diversity** in the WKKO is well represented. Our main style is Full Contact, it should really work and not be a show. Training hard and fighting hard is the guiding principle. At the moment there are many styles and systems represented in the WKKO. Like:

Kyokushin Karate

Kenpokai Karate

American Kenpo Karate

Jujutsu

Bujutsu

Uchi Ryu Karate

Kempo

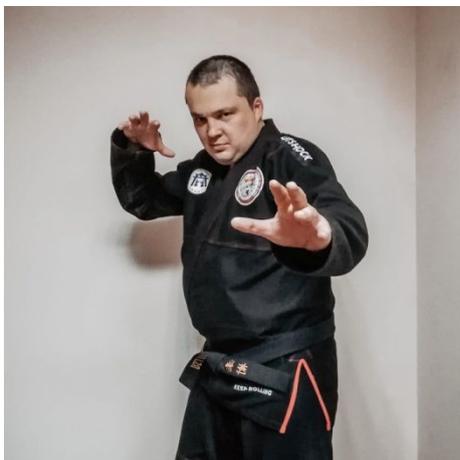
Kobujutsu

Sambo

Shidokan Karate

Combatives

and many other styles and systems.



(WKKO Members Russia, Iran and Italia)

The number of countries has also expanded enormously in recent times. WKKO Dojo's can now be found in:

The Netherlands

Germany

Belgium

France

Great Britain

Canada

The United States

Poland

Italy

Brazil

Israel

Russia

Ukraine

Iran

Iraq

Pakistan

India

and many others



**In 2005**, several people including Renshi R Pepels founded the WKKO World Kenpokaikan Combat Karate Organization out of dissatisfaction with existing groups and organizations, such as so often. For most, everything counts first about payments and rules, Bushido does not appear, or only much later in the list. At WKKO we wanted it different. Members and Dojo's can keep their own identity, and can be and remain members of other organizations, all no problem. Every now and then the WKKO logo is used, and the joint WKKO news page on the website is used. In addition, many physical activities, seminars and competitions have already been held in the name of the WKKO, worldwide. Renshi R Pepels has already visited many WKKO countries and dojo's to give and follow seminars. This is the future and the vision of the WKKO.

**WKKO is from**, and for the members. Members themselves can contribute to the success of the WKKO. Would you like to write something on our website or on our facebook page? no problem. Do you want to tell or show something about your style or dojo? then go ahead.

In the 2 years that the lockdowns have lasted due to the corona virus, the WKKO has already held 7 online tournaments worldwide with great success. In addition to self-defense tournaments and katas with or without weapons, we also held special tournaments for people with a mental or physical disability. Thanks to all who contributed to this.

**Check our** website [www.wkkokenpokyokushin.tk](http://www.wkkokenpokyokushin.tk) regularly for new activities and general news. Recently we also have a non-commercial shop section on the site, where members can order certificates, patches, karate belts, karate suits and books.

On the site you will also find a members and a dojo list. Visit each other if possible, train together or hold activities together. We are open to everything. That's the beauty of the WKKO.

The martial art was never a sales product, it is an art, an art of fighting and defense in various forms and guises.

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\*International Non Profit Organization  
\*Open / free membership  
\*Worldwide 250 Dojo's  
\*Allround

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