

International Aiki Peace Week

September 15 – 21, 2014



Annual Report 2014

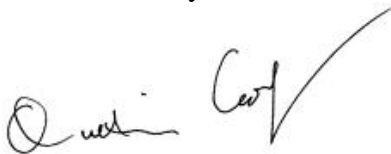
This report shows you all the special peace related events that were registered on the IAPW website by dojos, aikidoka, and other martial artists for this year's International Aiki Peace Week.

Chairman's comments

This was the 5th year of International Aiki Peace Week and whilst the number of dojos participating was perhaps a little disappointing, it is clear that for many of the dojos that did, IAPW has become an important fixture in the calendar. We saw some wonderful events taking place demonstrating that Aikido can be a powerful tool to promote harmony in the world. Now all we need to do is to persuade a greater part of the aikido community to join us. As chair of the International Aiki Peace Week committee, I would like to thank all of you who did take part and hope that it proved to be a meaningful event for you and your students. I would love to hear more about what you did and what you think can be done to widen participation next year.

Our planning begins from here and in particular we are looking for people to volunteer to act as an IAPW coordinator within their country, or perhaps region. If you are prepared to offer your services in this or some other capacity then the organizing committee would love to hear from you.

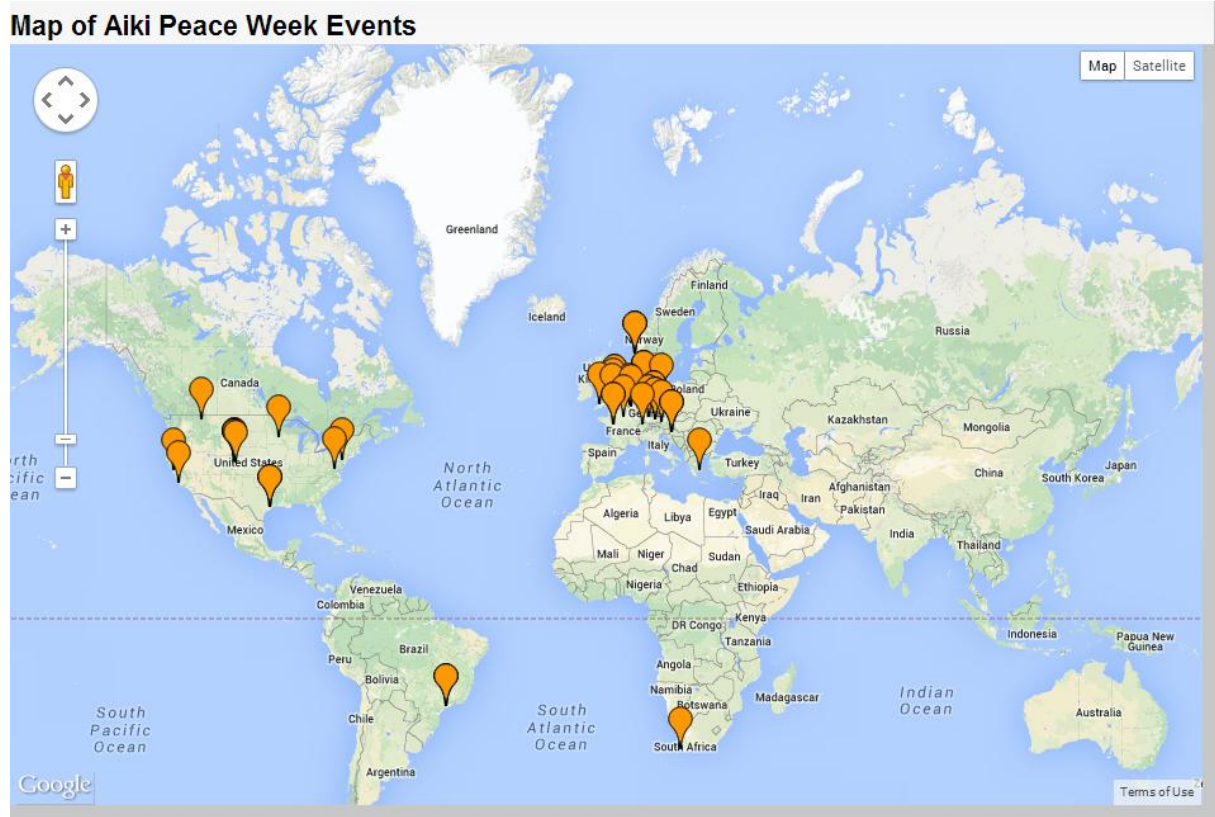
Yours sincerely,



Quentin Cooke

IAPW Committee Chair 2014

Aiki Peace Week Events 2014



Aiki Peace Week Events

Austria

- [Salzburg-Gemeinsam wachsen - ein integratives Training mit geistig behinderten Jugendlichen](#)

Norman Frenzke und Ute Schwarzmayr unterrichten gemeinsam seit drei Jahren geistig behinderte Jugendliche in der Kunst Aikido.

Wednesday, September 17, 2014 - 18:30

Belgium

- [Bruxelles-Aikido practice for peacefulness](#)

For the first time in Brussels, a special course to experience peace in our body and with our partner.

Thursday, September 18, 2014 - 19:00

- [Jambes-Special Aiki Peace Week course at Kimochi Dojo](#)

Cours d'aikido ouvert à toutes et tous durant lequel nous illustrerons le lien entre la pratique Aiki et la Paix.

Tuesday, September 16, 2014 - 19:00

Brazil

- **Sao Paulo, Pinheiros-**[AIKIDO & DANCE](#)
An open class to explore the creative emptiness between Aikido and Dance
Friday, September 19, 2014 - 23:00 to Saturday, September 20, 2014 - 02:00
- **Sao Paulo, Pinheiros-**[Only peace is revolutionary](#)
A brief demonstration of the art Aikido with José Bueno followed by a conversation with Augusto Franco about Peace
Wednesday, September 17, 2014 - 23:00 to Thursday, September 18, 2014 - 02:00
- **Sao Paulo, Pinheiros-**[AIKI FOR FAMILIES](#)
An open class for families to enjoy the Aikido practice as an amazing experience.
Monday, September 15, 2014 - 23:00 to Tuesday, September 16, 2014 - 02:00

Croatia

- **Zagreb-**[School Aikido Demo Classes](#)
Series of Aikido demo trainings in local schools with the aim of enabling students to see the possibility of de-escalating conflicts through the principles and techniques of the peaceful martial art
Monday, September 15, 2014 - 09:00 to Friday, September 19, 2014 - 17:00
- **Zagreb-**[Aiki En Dojo Open Doors Day](#)
Aiki En Dojo will have an Open Doors day on Saturday 21.9.14.
Sunday, September 21, 2014 - 09:30 to 11:00
- **Zagreb-**[Open days at the dojo for citizens](#)
We will have an open dojo (House of Aikido) for citizens in the morning all week (Monday-Friday), and everyone can participate for free to see, listen and try aikido philosophy.

France

- **Mandres les Roses-**[séance spéciale d'initiation](#)
Séance spéciale d'initiation organisée le vendredi 19 septembre 2014 par notre club dans le cadre de la semaine portes-ouvertes initiée par la Fédération Française d'Aikido, Aikibudo et Affinitair
Friday, September 19, 2014 - 19:00
- **St Rémy la Varenne-**[Cours de découverte adultes](#)
Notre dojo s'inscrit dans la semaine de découverte du 16 au 20 septembre 2014 et encadrée par la FFAAA ainsi que dans l'AIKI peace Week.
Saturday, September 20, 2014 - 09:30

- **St Rémy la Varenne-[Cours de découverte enfants et adultes](#)**
un cours de découverte pour les jeunes à partir de 19h30 comprenant une introduction, un échauffement, des éducatifs et une ou deux techniques. Un cours de découverte adulte, idem
Tuesday, September 16, 2014 - 18:30

Germany

- **Berlin-[Enquiry for Peace](#)**
Invitation for everybody to explore what peace means to them and how we can achieve it, with the means of the Aiki principles.
Saturday, September 20, 2014 - 10:00
- **Fürth-[Aikido als Friedenspraxis](#)**
kostenloses Schnuppertraining um Aikido als Friedenspraxis kennenzulernen
Thursday, September 19, 2014 - 19:30
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Tuesday, September 16, 2014 - 17:15
- **München-[Frieden braucht eine Basis im Körper](#)**
Begegnen wir einem Angreifer mit Angst, Wut, Dissoziation und anderen negativen Emotionen, dann ...
Monday, September 15, 2014 - 18:00
- **München-[Sonderveranstaltung zur Aiki Peace Week 2014 im Dojo des Aikikan München](#)**
Aikido - Eine Kampfkunst für den Frieden: Öffentliche Veranstaltung zur Aiki Peace Week 2014 im Dojo des Aikikan München.
Thursday, September 18, 2014 - 18:00
- **Schorndorf-[Aikido: wehrhafte Friedenskunst](#)**
Frieden ohne Wehrhaftigkeit? eher nicht; es geht jedoch darum, sich wehren zu können!! ohne grundlos zu schädigen, zu verletzen, zu zerstören.
Saturday, September 27, 2014 - 12:00
- **Wildeshausen-[Aikido-Lehrgang](#)**
Aikido-Lehrgang mit Wolfgang Sambrowsky-Gille (Oldenburg, 7. Dan) im Aikido-Dojo-Wildeshausen.
Friday, September 19, 2014 - 23:00

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Friday, September 19, 2014 - 23:00
- **Wildeshausen-[Schaufenster zur Internationalen Aiki Friedenswoche](#)**
Das Aikido-Dojo-Wildeshausen gestaltet ein Schaufenster der Buchhandlung Bökers am Marktplatz Wildeshausen zur Internationalen Aiki Peace Week.
Thursday, August 28, 2014 - 23:00 to Monday, September 29, 2014 - 23:00

Greece

- **Athens-[Peace Day](#)**
A special class demonstrating the Peace practice in Aikido and how it can be used in daily life
Saturday, September 20, 2014 - 22:00

Norway

- **Stavanger-[Bring a friend to experience our peaceful martial art \(Adults\)](#)**
Our Adult class is for young adults and adults from 15+.
Wednesday, September 17, 2014 - 17:15
- **Stavanger-[Bring a friend to experience our peaceful martial art \(Juniors\)](#)**
Our Junior class is for kids 10 to 14 year-old.
Thursday, September 18, 2014 - 16:00
- **Stavanger-[Bring a friend to experience our peaceful martial art \(Mini-Maxi\)](#)**
Our Mini-Maxi-Mix class is for kids 5 to 9 year-old accompanied by a significant adult.
Wednesday, September 17, 2014 - 16:00

Russian Federation

- **Stavropol-[The image and likeness ...](#)**
Open class in aikido "The image and likeness ..." for the Cossacks of Stavropol. Explained the basic principles of the
Wednesday, September 17, 2014 - 16:00 to 18:00
- **Stavropol-[The image and likeness ...](#)**
Open class in aikido "The image and likeness ..." for the Cossacks of Stavropol. Explained the basic principles of the art of Aikido as an art world, the art of beauty and grace.
Wednesday, September 17, 2014 - 16:00 to 18:00

South Africa

- **Cape Town-[Keiko and Cake](#)**
On the 21st of September, we celebrate Aiki Peace Week and our Sensei's birthday with a Keiko and Cake event.
Sunday, September 21, 2014 - 14:00 to 15:00

Switzerland

- **Langenthal Switzerland-**[Friedensarbeit durch aktives Aikido](#)
Ab 4 September 2014 können Sie selbst mit Aikido aktiv werden und die Aikido-Kurse gratis besuchen bis Ende 2014!
Thursday, September 4, 2014 - 17:45

United Kingdom

- **Bideford-**[Aiki Peace Week Workshop](#)
Currently 4 teachers with a collective 120 years of Aikido training behind them joining together on this special day for peace and teaching their art.
Saturday, September 20, 2014 (All day)
- **Bognor Regis-**[Aiki Peace Week Classes](#)
Special Junior Class: 6:00-7:30pm Special Adult Class: 7:30-9:15pm
Thursday, September 18, 2014 - 18:00 to 21:15
- **Burwell-**[Exploring the Peaceful Principles of Aikido classes](#)
At our dojo, we always have a strong focus on the peaceful principles that underpin aikido, but for sessions this week, we will invite friends and families of students into the class and examine these principals
Tuesday and Thursday, September 16 &18, 2014 - 19:00
- **London-**[Return to Peace](#)
Return to Peace, to your original state of being, your default position.
Saturday, September 27, 2014 - 10:00 to 15:00

United States

- **Berkeley-**[Peace Practices class in Martial Nonviolence](#)
6:30pm PDT start - the time feature on this sit
Tuesday, September 16, 2014 - 08:00
- **Boulder-**[Open Class: "Embrace Conflict. Create Peace.™" workshop at Boulder Ki Aikido dojo](#)
Boulder Ki Aikido will open up its adult class to the public for free and offer its "Embrace Conflict. Create Peace.™" workshop.
Tuesday, September 16, 2014 - 01:00
- **Boulder-**["Reading and Moving to End Violence" for Crest View Elementary Fifth-Grade Class](#)
Boulder Ki Aikido will lead a "Reading and Moving to End Violence" class for Mrs.
Tuesday, September 16, 2014 - 17:00
- **Boulder-**["Embrace Conflict. Create Peace.™" for children and parents at Boulder Ki Aikido dojo](#)

Boulder Ki Aikido dojo will open up its child + parent class for free to the public and will offer a tailored version of its "Embrace Conflict. Create Peace.™" workshop.
Wednesday, September 17, 2014 - 23:30

- **Boulder-Open Class: "Embrace Conflict. Create Peace.™" workshop at Boulder Ki Aikido dojo**
Boulder Ki Aikido will open up its adult class to the public for free and offer its "Embrace Conflict. Create Peace.™" workshop.
Thursday, September 18, 2014 - 01:00
- **Boulder-"Embrace Conflict. Create Peace.™" workshop at CU-Boulder**
Boulder Ki Aikido will lead an "Embrace Conflict. Create Peace.™" workshop for CU-Boulder's Graduate Student and Family Housing.
Sunday, September 21, 2014 - 21:00
- **Boulder-Peer Mediation Training - Crest View Elementary School**
Boulder Ki Aikido will introduce tailored Ki Aikido instruction to Crest View Elementary School fourth- and fifth-grade children in a special peer mediation training program.
Saturday, September 20, 2014 - 21:00
- **Collegeville-Special Classes for Aiki Peace Week: A Focus on Methods to Defuse Conflict**
We will be focusing on various methods to defuse conflict based on the books "How Aikido Can Change the World" and "Rescuer"
Monday, September 15, 2014 - 05:00 to Saturday, September 20, 2014 - 05:00
- **Denver-The Art of Connection**
Talk and demonstration at TEDxMileHigh:Convergence
Saturday, September 13, 2014 - 08:30
- **Kalispell-Integrated Family Program**
For this week: The Integrated Family Program which works with marginalized youth and families will focus on peacemaking and reconciliation in the home and in the community.
Monday, September 15, 2014 - 17:30 to Sunday, September 21, 2014 - 21:30
- **San Luis Obispo-Grace Under Pressure**
Participants will practice the Aiki philosophy of peace through the body. We will do fun, informative, mindful and somatic exercises to develop calm, grounded responses to conflict and aggression.
Monday, September 15, 2014 - 14:00
- **Spotsylvania-"Heiwa Matsuri" Fall Peace Festival**
Free all day festival includes aikido demos and classes, local crafts, sumo suit challenge, stress reduction, and special childrens area.
Saturday, September 13, 2014 - 05:00

- **St. Paul-[Roll-a-thon, Food Drive and Friendship Training](#)**
The Shuharikan Dojo will host our annual Roll-a-thon, Food Drive and Friendship Training. All styles and participants are welcome to attend.
Saturday, September 20, 2014 - 06:00
- **Sugar Land-[Free Workshop: Creating Harmony from Conflict](#)**
Join Houston Ki Aikido in the run up to the International Day of Peace.
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