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Memo / Circular No. **007/09**

To: All Officers and Blackbelts
From: President
Subject: Annual Dues and Affiliation Fee

Please remind all Blackbelts to pay their annual Blackbelts Dues, and for the Schools/ Clubs/ Chapters, their annual affiliations fee. The Annual dues/fee -

Blackbelts	-	\$50
Club/Schools	-	\$50
Country Affiliation Fee	-	\$100

As explained during the Doce Pares Annual Convention in Las Vegas on May 8-10 last, the above income are used to pay for operational expenses, monthly allowance of Grandmasters and Masters and, to cover any deficit on the Scholarship Fund.

For the year 2009, Less than 20 Blackbelts have so far paid their Annual dues; while only eight (8) Schools/Clubs have paid their annual affiliation fee –

1. PIMA Academy (GM Dong Cuesta)
2. Doce Pares Sacramento (Nilo Baron)
3. Four Winds Martial Arts (GM Tom Sipin)
4. Blackbelt Center (GM Gero Peter / Germany)
5. Federazione Doce Pares Italiana (GM Gero Peter / Italy)
6. La Doce Pares (Erwin Mosqueda)
7. Maui Filipino Martial Arts Academy / Brian Aganos
8. Norway Doce Pares
9. Doce Pares Australia (Peter Shannon)

For the 1st Semester School Term June to October 2009. We have received Scholarship Fund donations in the Total amount of \$ 2,021, sufficient enough to cover budgetary requirements of the eight (8) scholar beneficiaries. And if all the pledges to the fund will be realized, then we likewise will have no problem for the 2nd Semester November 2009 to March 2010. Here are the Donors/Sponsors and their Corresponding amount of Contributions:

May 18	-	GM Gero Peter / Blackbelts Center – Germany	-	\$250
	-	Michael Korthals / Blackbelt Center – Germany	-	\$250
May 20	-	GM Arnulfo “Dong” Cuesta / PIMA Academy	-	\$350
	-	Antonio “Jun” Oñas/Eskrimador LA	-	\$100
May 21	-	Diana Fauner / Guba Doce Pares	-	\$75
	-	Elmar Alexander / Guba Doce Pares	-	\$75
May 22	-	Nilo Baron / Doce Pares Sacramento	-	200
May 22	-	Steve Wolk / Doce Pares USA	-	\$571
May 25	-	Erwin Mosqueda / LA Doce Pares	-	\$150

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