



End of the year message

When we opened the school in December 2005 we decided to do our best for our students. Our vision was to have a school where all aspects of Taekwon-Do ITF were taught without forgetting the empathy in the relationships.

For the last six years we have had people coming for more than thirty countries training with us. Each student who joined ITF Brussels was looking for something different (outstanding competitions results, martial art discipline, self defense, sport exercise, social activities and many other reasons).

The feedbacks we have received all these years long are the engines which keep us doing our best. We always remember that we started with only five students and now we are four schools working together. Today, we are proud to say that our school is well known at national and international level, we have achieved excellent results in competitions and we have made many new friends.

Thanks to all of you for your support and these great years together.

We wish you a happy and successful 2012!

ITF Brussels Team

Great year for ITF Brussels! School Achievements:

- 4 (four) New Black Belts (Benito Martinez, Daniel Kampff, Emi Van Rijn and Faiçal Ghoul)



- Several students from ITF Brussels, Samjok-O and World Class tested successfully their colour belts



- Opening of 3 (three) new TKD schools: **Samjok-O** (Ottignies, Instructor Benito Martinez), **Taekwon-Do Woluwe** (Woluwe Saint Pierre, Instructor Daniel Kampff) and **Brussels Champions** (Uccle, Instructor Faiçal Ghoul)



- **New website:** After receiving more than 70.000 visits in our blog, the new website www.itfbrussels.org was launched and received in a couple of weeks more than 3.000 visits from all over the world.
- The Rumanian and Belgian **press** visited us. Télé Bruxelles and TV Maramures.

Competitions achievements:

- 4 (four) members at the **Belgian National Team** (Virginia Dionisi -coach-, Andreea Musca, Alexander Walter and Emi Van Rijn)



- 1 (one) Bronze Medal at the **World Championship** in New Zealand (Alexander Walter)



- 1 (one) Gold and 1 (one) Bronze Medal at the **European Championship** in the Slovak Republic (Andreea Musca)



- Andreea Musca obtained the trophy of Best Female Competitor at the **European Championship** in Slovak Republic



- Sabum Virginia Dionisi, Toby Fox and Walter Clayton received the Brussels town hall's awards for their Taekwon-Do performances in 2010



- 3 (three) **Belgian Champions** (Alexander Walter, Walter Clayton and Emi Van Rijn), 1 (one) Silver Medal (Faiçal Ghoul) and 3 (three) Bronze Medals at the **Belgian Championship** (Cathal Gibbons, Toby Fox and Walter Clayton)



- 1 (one) Gold Medal (Emi Van Rijn), 1 (one) Silver Medal (Toby Fox), and 2 (two) Bronze Medals (Fayçal Ghoul and Cathal Gibbons) at **International Championships** in the Netherlands.



- 1 (one) Gold Medal (Nicolas Martins – World Class), 2 (two) Silver Medals (Emi Van Rijn and Nicolas Martins), and 3 (three) Bronze Medals (Alexander Walter, Emi Van Rijn and Alain Ancet Samjok-O) at the **Challenge Cup** in Luxembourg



Cultural and social activities:

- Round Table/Conference about Integration through sports, organized in partnership with the ASBL Arthis.



- Japan Expo 2011, ITF Brussels led the organization of the stand and demonstrations. Many students from ITF Brussels took part: Sabum Virginia, Andreea, Gonzalo, Benito, Daniel, Alex, Emi, Faïçal, Bill, Vladimir, Kristof, Toby and Joaquim)



- Participation in the Martial Arts Night's demonstration in Luxembourg, (Sabum Virginia Dionisi, Andreea Musca, Emi Van Rijn, Gonzalo Escribano and Kristof Van Rijn)



- Halloween Party: Many thanks Toby for the organization. This year Kristof, the Belgian Dracula, obtained the appreciated prize of Best Costume



- Bowling: 2 competitions!

