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For all of the Parents and Students in attendance on December 9th, 2017 at the recent Belt Testing held at Palm Valley Elementary School, here are some statistics that will highlight the “SWAGR” (Swagger) our Students have at SWMA! No, we are not talking about conceit nor over-aggressiveness! The SWAGR we refer to is that confidence and pride in self that propels our students toward success.

At 7:15 AM, Master Williamson personally conducted the Adult Class Belt Test; which had eight adult students testing for promotion. There was one promotion to Blue Belt; one to Red Belt; one to Brown Belt; four to Sr. Green; one to Green; and one to Orange Belt.

During the Youth Class Belt Test; 57 Students tested, and the promotions were as follows: two promoted to Blue Belt; one promoted to Sr. Red Belt; eight promoted to Red Belt; four promoted to Sr. Brown; nine promoted to Brown Belt; four promoted to Sr. Green Belt; nine promoted to Green Belt; eleven promoted to Sr. Orange; five promoted to Orange Belt; and four promoted to Sr. White Belt. The Belt Testing Cadre consisted of Mr. Fookes, E Dan; Mr. Boyer, E Dan; Mr. Langley, Cho Dan; and Miss S. Stalling, Cho Dan. Congratulations to all the Youth Class Testers!

As if the reason we were there; Belt Testing wasn't enough; the Region 2 Championship Creativity & Demonstration Team gave us a show that the entire Starworld Martial Arts Family can be proud of. There were approximately 323 Parents, Grand Parents, Siblings, and friends in attendance cheering on their Students and team members throughout the entire day. The decision of Master Williamson to move Belt Testing to the Palm Valley Elementary School Gymnasium turned out to be a great choice! All Parents were pleased to have enough room to sit, spectate, and take photos and videos. The Testing Cadre were pleased to have more than enough room to allow their Students the room to showcase their techniques and training!

The last Students to test were the Tiny Tigers and Little Dragons. Even though they don't train together; they worked very well following instructions and testing in a facility they are unfamiliar with. There were 17 Tiny Tigers and 25 Little Dragons that Belt Tested. All parents were very impressed with their children making the day even better for all involved! All the Black Belts assisted during this test; but there were a few who stood out helping these young Students be the best they could be...Mrs. Rusk, Cho Dan; Mr. Snyder, Cho Dan; and Mrs. Garcia, Red Belt. “I believe we will shoot for testing in this same location during our next Belt Testing cycle;” said Master Williamson. “We were able to finish all testing about three hours, and thank you to all of the Parents for all that you do to support your children and the Dojang;” said Master Williamson!



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Miss Kellicia Taing was promoted to E-Dan/2nd Degree this past Saturday during the SWMA December 2017 Belt Test. Mrs. Taing spoke about her daughter and how well she is doing in school and both Mr. & Mrs. Taing attribute that to her participation in

Tang Soo Do. “She has come out of that shell she was in when she was younger, and she is much more confident in herself;” said Mrs. Taing. Mr. Taing spoke great words of praise, support, and wisdom to their daughter. “We are so very proud of the woman she has become, and we can say with great certainty that it is due in part to Kellicia’s participation in Martial Arts, and her martial arts family at Starworld Martial Arts Academy;” said Mr. Taing. “We thank Master Williamson, and his staff for their support of our daughter; and Mr. Boyer and Mr. Fookes for constantly putting up with her;” he said. “My husband and I are very happy to be part of the Starworld Family;” said Mrs. Taing.



“My goal is to make it to 3rd Degree so that I will pass my father in martial arts;” said Mr. Jacek Nowacinski who was promoted to Cho Dan/1st Degree. “His mother and I are so very proud of him and his efforts;” said his father Mr. Nowacinski. “I considered training him myself, but recognized my best friends were always from my martial arts school. We are so very happy we made the decision to bring him to Starworld for his training;” said both the Nowacinski’s! “I love you and know that you will continue to be successful in whatever you do;” said Mrs. Nowacinski.

Miss Tylah Stalling was promoted to Cho Dan/1st Degree today. Tylah is a returning member to the Starworld Family transferring to SWMA from Sierra Vista in March of this year. At the age of ten, Tylah was the youngest Cho Dan Bo to test for Black Belt at the 2017 Region 2 Black Belt Test on October 6th, 2017. “Tylah actually started training at the age of 2-1/2, watching her sister Sahmaria (also a Cho Dan) training; and by the time she walked onto the floor, she already knew her first three forms;” said Mr. Stalling. “I’ve gotten involved in this because of you and your sister;” said Mrs. Stalling. “We both are so very proud of you and we look forward to you making Master someday;” said Mr. Stalling!



“Lorenzo, your father and I are very proud of you;” said Mrs. Vega! “I’m in awe every day of how you continue to train and for the young man that you have become;” said Mr. Vega. “I am proud of my affiliation and participation in martial arts at Starworld. I was often bullied when I was younger, but all that I have learned in my travels; and through my promotion to Cho Dan/1st Degree today I know that I can help others who may have gone through what I went through. I love everyone at Starworld and I thank my parents for their support;” said Mr. Lorenzo Vega.

