

Suomen Kyudoliitto ry Finnish Kyudo Federation

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Finnish Heki Summer Seminar 2014 11 – 15.8.2014 Pajulahti Sports Center, Nastola, Finland

The Heki Kyudo Seminar hosted by the Finnish Kyudo Federation will be held on 11 – 15.8 at the Pajulahti Sports Center, Nastola, Finland. This year the Seminar will be led by Sato sensei and it is open for all interested kyudojin with a maximum participation of 30.

The dojo will be set up in the sports/tennis hall at the Pajulahti Sports Center; also makiwaras will be provided. Accommodation is provided in the Sports Center, with two different levels of rooms and with full boarding from Tuesday lunch to Saturday lunch.

The actual Seminar starts on Monday 11.8 at 9:00, but in order to be in time for the start it is advised to arrive already on Sunday 10.8 (also the boarding package includes the Sunday-Monday night). The schedule for the Seminar is:

- Monday and Tuesday 9:00 12:00 and 14:00 17:30
- Wednesday 9:00 12:00 (free training possibility during Wednesday afternoon and evening)
- Thursday 9:00 12:00 and 14:00 17:30
- Friday 9:00 12:00
- There is possibility of free training during evenings and sauna by the lake for those enjoying it

The price of the Pajulahti seminar is dependent on the type of accommodation: 460 Euros per person for "basic" twin rooms and 540 Euros per person for the newer "hotel-style" twin rooms (the hotel type of accommodation means a little bit more space in the room, air conditioning, etc.; the number of these rooms is unfortunately limited as is the availability of single room accommodation, which comes with extra cost).

Information about the Pajulahti Sports Center (including maps) are available from their web pages *http://www.pajulahti.com*.

For public transport to Pajulahti, if coming from the Helsinki center probably the most convenient way (with luggage and kyudo equipment) is to take a train from Helsinki to Lahti (either a fast service or commuter train; please see *https://www.vr.fi/cs/vr/en/frontpage*) and from the Lahti train station a taxi to the Pajulahti Sports Center. There are also some regional train connections from Lahti to Nastola station, but that is still a few kilometres from the Pajulahti Sports Center. If coming straight from the Helsinki-Vantaa airport e.g. the *http://www.journey.fi/en/* web service can be used to find a proper connection to Lahti (most convenient would be a bus from the airport).

For any other information, please contact me.

With best regards,

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