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CROWDER COLLEGE TAE KWON DO ANNOUNCES FIRST BLACK BELT

NEOSHO, MO - Vitaly Borodin is the first to begin his Tae Kwon Do studies at Crowder College and attain a 1st Dan Black Belt in Moo Duk Kwan, Tae Kwon Do. Vitaly began his studies in August of 2008 and tested for his Black Belt on December 3, 2011.

Vitaly has worked very hard to attain this honor. For the past year as a red belt, he has also assisted with instruction while continuing to work on his personal skills and conditioning.

Vitaly is also a tournament competitor, and is a double champion in his division with the SWAT (Southwest Association of Tournaments) circuit for 2011.

Crowder College Tae Kwon Do is offered through the Physical Education Department at Crowder College, Neosho, MO. Students can earn up to 4 credits by taking each class in succession: PE 144 (Introduction to Tae Kwon Do), PE 145 (Beginning Tae Kwon Do), PE 244 (Intermediate Tae Kwon Do), and PE 245 (Advanced Tae Kwon Do). Students who wish to continue the study and practice of Tae Kwon Do may re-enroll in PE 245 multiple times as an audit. Students, who are age 16 and have completed their sophomore year in high school, may take the class as dual enrollment, and earn college credit at a reduced cost. Enrollment for spring classes is open until January 20, 2012.

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Pictured are: Kevin Mahurin, 2nd Dan Black Belt instructor, Borodin, and Jim Riggs, 7th Dan Head Instructor.

For more information about the class please contact our Admissions Office at 417-455-5718.