

Isshin Ryu Club Inc.
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A Youth & Adult Awareness Program and Fitness Center
A National Award Winning Program



Mission Statement

Isshin Ryu Club Inc. is a non-profit, community based organization designed to provide Educational, Recreational and Enrichment Activities to Albuquerque Youth. The Focus is on economically disadvantaged areas and communities. A major effort of the organization is to work with youth and young adults to prevent involvement with crime, drugs, and gang-related activities

History/Founders

Isshin Ryu Club Inc. has been a member of the community of Albuquerque for decades. In 1980, Sensei Herbert Edmon Jr. formally began teaching Isshin Ryu Karate out of his home in Albuquerque. As the number of students grew, so grew the need for a larger environment to teach. Thus in 1982 the classes were moved to Thomas Bell Community Center. Though the space was sufficient for the students to learn martial arts, Mr. Edmon knew that soon he would need a place of his own. So in 1984 he moved the location of the school to an old re-configured gas station on the sight of the current Gibson location. Finally, in 1993 Intel Corporation donated the building that is the most recent home to Isshin Ryu Club. Since then satellite locations of Isshin Ryu have opened at various sights throughout the city such as Los Padillas Community Center, Paradise Hilles Community Center and Alvarado Community Center have also been hosts to Isshin Ryu Karate.

Programs

Okinawa Isshin Ryu Karate

This is a very disciplined style of Karate. It is designed to enhance one's self-confidence, focus, and to develop a high level of mental and physical conditioning.

Los Padillas Isshin Ryu Karate

Los Padillas Community Center
Monday & Wednesday 5:30 pm— 6:30pm

Racine Kreyol Afro-Caribbean Dances Of Haiti

Saturday 1:00pm—3:00 pm

Golden Ohm Studio

Middle Eastern Belly Dancers

Adigbo Adama African Dance Troup

Tuesday & Thursda 7:30pm—9:00 pm
Saturday 9:00am—11:00 am

Wellness and Fitness Program

The purpose of this program is to promote and enhance strength, flexibility and endurance. We have state-of-the art exercise equipment.

