



*Commemorative event for the 100th anniversary of the birth of Shinpo Matayoshi
& Shinpo Matayoshi Sensei 25th passing anniversary*

INVITATION LETTER To Attend:

Dear friends,

The year 2021 is a very special year for those who practice the Matayoshi Kobudo style as it is both the 100th anniversary of the birth of O'sensei Matayoshi Shinpo, who was born, December 27, 1921, and the 25th anniversary (according to the Japanese counting) of his passing on September 7, 1997.

Unfortunately, due to the COVID-19 pandemic and the inability to move freely between countries, it was impossible to organize an event this year, so we are organizing an event in July 2022, in Verona, Italy.

We, the collaborating associations, invite all practitioners of the Matayoshi kobudo style to participate in a spirit of cooperation, friendship, sharing, and respect for O'Sensei's memory. All Matayoshi Kobudo members are invited to participate while preserving the identity of their own history and organizations. The leaders of the various associations will be called to give their own technical contribution and to be part of the teaching staff at the seminar. The seminar program will be agreed upon in detail together with the teaching staff.

We sincerely invite you to participate by advising the organizing committee or to request further information by writing to MKevent2022@gmail.com

The tentative plans for the event are:

Dates: July 1, 2, 3, 2022

Place: Verona - Italy - AGSM Forum (<https://visitpass.it/listing/agsm-forum%E2%80%8B/>)

Tentative program:

Friday 1 - Morning: Group leaders meeting
Afternoon: Seminar

Saturday 2 - Morning: Seminar
Afternoon: Seminar
Evening: Demonstration

Sunday 3 - Morning: Seminar and Participation Recognition and Group Photo

Kind regards.

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