

IFFSKSA celebrates 26th anniversary

Karatekas were honored for their hard work as the International Federation of Funakoshi Shotokan Karate South Africa hosted their 26th Annual Awards Banquet.

The event also celebrated the 40th karate anniversary of its President and Chief Instructor, Kyoshi Eric Govender, Vice President Shihan Selvan Govender and Midlands Senior Instructor, Sensei Roy Naidoo.

More than 300 guests filled the Odeon

Function Venue in Silverglen.

The organisation's main awards for 2010 went to Yashna Singh (Most Disciplined Karateka of the year), Shivona Deepchund (Junior Sportswoman of the year), Sandesh Ramsaroop (Junior Sportsman of the year) and Jason Deepchund (Sportsman of the year).

The sportswoman of the year award went to Aveline Harilall. Harilall received her senior Protea colours this year and represented SA at the senior World Karate Championships in Serbia.



Shihan Selvan Govender, Sensei Roy Naidoo, Kyoshi Eric Govender and Sensei Poobal Moodley (Special Guest from Raku Karate Club)