

Yo Kyodo Taiko!

Can you feel that? The calm before the storm is eerie yet heart pounding. What storm you ask? The clash of the two oldest Southern Californian taiko groups!

This letter serves as official notice of Jodaiko's challenge to Kyodo. The predicted forecast for March 29th, 2014 is strong hail with a high chance of Kyodo falling from the sky.

Below is the structure previously layed out by retirement homes for Southern Californian collegiate taiko groups (Prota and Naruwan):

- The Duel shall be resolved through seven (7) – ten (10) separate “Matsuri Crashers” matches.
- Both Kyodo and Jodaiko may select as many representatives to participate in these matches as they have tributes (but will agree on an equal number in the next 2 weeks).
- The format of single and paired matches will be proposed by your response letter.

Feel free to define custom rules of the Duel as you see fit. Please notify us no later than Thursday March 6, 2014, as of your decisions, or we shall interpret your silence as shameful defeat. Lastly, we extend our challenge to former Kyodo members who you see fit to face our wrath. We eagerly await your response!



With much love,
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