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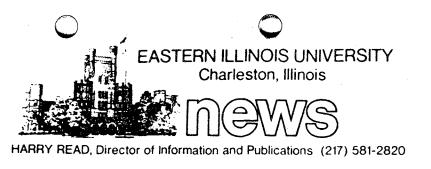
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CHARLESTON, IL--Eastern Illinois University's Karate School will hold its first session on Tuesday, Jan. 15 at 7:15 p.m. in the Buzzard Building Gymnasium.

The Continuing Education office said "the School will offer a comprehensive and unified program of karate and self defense instruction by a certified faculty instructor."

The instructor will be Paul Nawa, lecturer in physical education and a fifth degree black belt. A major in the U. S. Marine Corps Reserve, Nawa is a former sparring champion of U. S. forces in Okinawa. He also helped coach the team which won all of its inter-service matches.

Classes will be held on Tuesdays and Thursdays at 7:15 p.m. Fee is \$20 per month. Registration may be done at the first class meeting or through the Office of Continuing Education, 581-5114. Additional information may be obtained at the same number. Checks should be made payable to Eastern Illinois University.

Eastern will award and certify its own belt ranks. Certificates will be issued through the Continuing Education office over the instructor's signature. Karate School students' ranks will be recognized both locally and nationally through the National Karate Association, the A.A.U. affiliate for Shudo-kan Karate.