

## 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Aikido Shinryukan with Shihan Nobuo Takase on 8<sup>th</sup> March 2020





Celebration went on 3 days, demonstration was on 8 March 2020

Good venue at Barfoot & Thompson Stadium



Mitsuteru Ueshiba Honbu Dojo Cho from AIKIKAI Foundation Tokyo came here especially to celebrate Nobuo Takase Shihan's Shinryukan



Nobuo Takase Shihan who spent 50 years in NZ teaching Aikido at Shinryukan Dojo throughout New Zealand



There are 25 Aikido Dojos in NZ where young and old practice every day at Dojo





Over 200 Aikido masters attended 3 days of Gasshuku including Shihans from Japan to demonstrate their masterful skills.





Ueshiba Dojo-Cho demonstration was so intense and powerful as well as Nobuo Takase Shihan's demonstration

\*The Aikikai is the original school of Aikido. It is centered on the Aikikai Foundation in Japan, and its figurehead is the Doshu (the family heir of the founder of Aikido). It is represented globally through the International Aikido Federation.

\*Aikido Shinryukan, the largest Aikikai Aikido organization in New Zealand promoting a non-aggressive, non-competitive Japanese martial art. Classes are taught in a friendly environment building confidence and improving coordination. Aikido Shinryukan's Dojos are welcoming, whether you wish to experience the fun of your first class or are experienced come along and meet like minded people.



































