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Dear Mark

I would like to thank you for your generous donation to our TM support group, when Kath Vincent informed of your gift, I was very happy to receive it today.


Thank you also for forwarding the letter from the notice board, it was our receipt of payment for the hire of the hall on the 28<sup>th</sup> April, and as our committee member was away on this date she would have normally collected it, so thank you for that.

Although I am not very conversant with Aikido, I in my younger days for over ten years did the martial art of Shotokan karate spending many hours a week as you will well know practising the art, it becomes a discipline and requires total dedication, however my sport came to an abrupt end when I contracted transverse myelitis in 1976, as I was preparing for national trials.

I do not know if you know a friend of mine who left karate to take up aikido his name was Peter Williams 2<sup>nd</sup> dan but because of his advancing years has now given up the sport.

I know how generous the martial arts world is and it makes me doubly happy that you thought of us, I wish you and your club every success in the future, and thank you for thinking of us.

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