



## Seend Aikido Club Christmas Dinner Dance

*By Rebecca Borck*

Well yet another fantastic evening was had by all that were able to attend the Seend Aikido Club Christmas Dinner Dance. Thanks go to both Matt and Sarah for their efforts on planning the evening, the food was lovely, the company was great and there was even a chance for everyone to have a dance, what more is needed for an evening out?!

Some of us girls started the celebrations for the evening somewhat earlier than the guys did, but you never know, we could be wrong! Anyway, we started early and had great fun doing so.



*The girls getting ready with a little help from their friends Shyreen and Pip.*

### **Introduction to the Evening**

Everyone met for drinks at Matt and Sarah's house around seven, which was a great introduction to the evening. It was a little strange to seeing the guys looking so very smart in their tuxedos,

the usual dress for us to see each other in is our white Gi. It has to be said though, it was a pleasant surprise, they all looked very handsome and the girls looked just as every bit as beautiful in all their finery too. As for the champagne, that Matt so generously kept topping our glasses up with, well that too went down extremely well.



*Pictures of the guys except John, where did you go?*

*Here come the girls in all their finery.*

After drinks it was off to the Shaw Country House Hotel, a beautiful place just set on the outskirts of Melksham. We had drinks in the bar before being shown into our dining room where we spent a delightful evening, eating, drinking, laughing and chatting amongst ourselves. Mireya and I would both like to say that the company was great.



*Everyone enjoying the meal*

What more could one possibly ask for! Just one thing; the chance to dance off some of that Christmas Dinner, and who were the first up on that dance floor giving it their all? Of course Matt and Sarah, well done guys!



*Matt and Sarah having a boogie.*

By the end of our Aikido Christmas Dinner dance we had drunk, ate, danced and been very merry.

It truly was a night to remember, so thank you Sensei Hill you certainly know how to show your students a good time, can't wait till next year!

