

Matt Fiddes Ladies Only Kickboxing Classes are rolling out all over the country.

Matt's back home to guard model Danielle

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GLAMOUR model Danielle Lloyd is holed up in Swindon in an attempt to escape from a female stalker.

The Celebrity Big Brother star is being kept under the watchful eye of Swindon-born martial arts guru Matt Fiddes, who she has hired as her bodyguard.



Matt Fiddes with Danielle Lloyd in Swindon this week

The Advertiser understands Danielle is staying at the DeVere hotel in Shaw Ridge.

Matt was asked to protect Danielle by Jermaine Jackson, one of the Jackson Five brothers.

"I have known Danielle for a while because I met her through Jermaine, who was in the Big Brother house with her," said Matt, who is a close friend of Michael Jackson.

"She was having trouble so Jermaine called me and asked if I could help her out.

"She has got this nutcase stalking her wherever she goes and she can't even go out on her own for a minute.

"We're moving around at the moment and it just so happens that we're in Swindon at the moment."

The 20-something stalker has reportedly followed Danielle, 23, and evaded her other security guards to lay flowers on her doorstep.

Danielle, who is a former girlfriend of footballer Teddy Sheringham, hit the headlines in January when she was embroiled in the controversial race row involving Bollywood star Shilpa Shetty.

Dad-of-five Matt, 28, has known Michael Jackson for 10 years after being introduced to him by psychic spoon bender Uri Geller. He then became the singer's unofficial bodyguard whenever he visited Europe.

The former St Joseph's Catholic College and Greendown student's connections with the Jackson family saw him organise visits to the town by Jermaine and brother Tito Jackson earlier this year.

Jermaine visited Matt's martial arts school in Station Road to launch an anti-bullying campaign following the allegations of racism and bullying on the Channel 4 show.

And Matt, who has set up a network of more than 400 martial arts schools around the UK, told the Adver in June he is hoping Michael himself may visit Swindon in the near future.

Members of the Jackson Five are making a documentary on training to become a black belt under the expert guidance of Matt. The show is being filmed in California, Devon and Swindon.

The programme named So Far, So Good will be a fly-on-the-wall look at Tito's fitness regime prior to releasing his new album.

It will also show him trying to find the perfect woman.

Danielle Hits Swindon

Danielle Lloyd presents Matt Fiddes with martial arts award...

Swindon martial arts expert, Matt Fiddes, was celebrating last night after receiving a prestigious award.

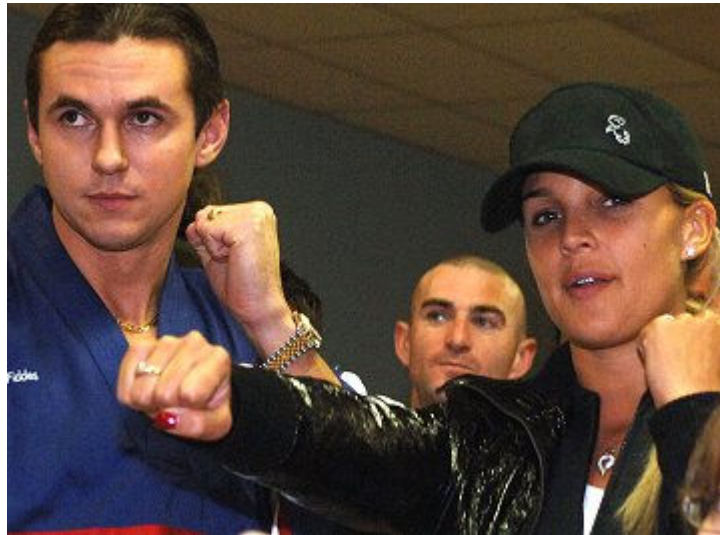


Role reversal:

Matt Fiddes' martial arts student Danielle Lloyd presents him with prestigious award

One of only a few honoured across the world, Matt was overwhelmed by his own achievement, as he was presented with his 6th Degree Black Belt in Tae Kwon Do, at his home town training centre on Station Road.

To add to the excitement, Matt was presented the award by model, Celebrity Big Brother star and current training partner, Danielle Lloyd.



Hitting back:

Danielle has been taking self-defence lessons with the martial arts expert himself

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Danielle has been training with Matt for the past few months to improve her fitness, self-confidence and self-defence, after a tough period for the 24-year-old, who is rumoured to have had a stalker.

And Matt was the perfect choice, with a martial arts empire now stretching over 500 training centres across the country – and at just 28 years old, the self-made millionaire has much more to achieve.

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